

Bugs' In Gasoline Tax Must Be Worked Out

A number of "bugs" will have to be worked out of the new city gasoline tax of 1 cent a gallon, to become effective Oct. 1, before it is running smoothly and everyone knows where he stands, it was discovered Wednesday evening, when a number of wholesale and retail gasoline dealers met with Mayor Oren C. Roberts and members of the City Council informally prior to the regular council meeting.

A number of points were brought up, which had not been considered. And most of them were left unanswered, as the dealers consented to go along with the administration in an attempt to carry out and enforce the new ordinance and to collect the tax money justly.

The gasoline tax was passed two weeks ago, after having been considered and talked at a number of council meetings.

Purpose of the tax is to provide funds for the continuous maintenance of the approximately 26 miles of paving in the city, for which there are no other funds available.

It had been brought out at previous meetings the paving and curbing and gutter have been constructed as a cost of approximately \$600,000 to the property owners and citizens of Artesia.

After considerable discussion at the meeting Wednesday, Mayor Roberts said that on gasoline which is sold as bulk, the city expects no tax, but that all which is sold for retail consumption must be taxed.

It was brought out that gasoline put into the tanks of tanker trucks for transportation is not taxable, but that the gasoline for consumption by the truck's engines is taxable.

Neil B. Watson, city attorney, pointed out that the law is not intended to define the use to which the gasoline is to be put, but has to do with its sale within the city limits, except its sale to those engaged in interstate commerce.

This point was discussed after it had been brought out that owners of certain small stations in the mountain areas come to town with gasoline drums to service their own tanks, instead of the local tank trucks going to the stations. And here some of the drums are filled from pumps which are nominally in use for retail trade.

The tax ordinance recites that when tanks for retail use are filled by local distributors, the distributors are to collect the tax, whereas if they are serviced from distributors from elsewhere, the retailer must collect the tax.

In this case, then, the gasoline from which the mountain dealer is being serviced has been taxed at the time it was placed in the retail outlet tanks.

Mayor Roberts said it is not the intent of the city to work a hardship on anyone, that the city only wants to collect the tax of a penny (Continued on Page Eight)

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Minneapolis Firm Is to Sink Southwest Potash Mine Shaft

Winston Brothers Construction Company of Minneapolis has been awarded a contract to sink a 1000-foot shaft for the Southwest Potash Corporation at the mine site south-east of Artesia, it was announced this week by Fred Stewart, manager for Southwest Potash.

He said the work will start within a few months and should be completed in about a year.

It was announced some months ago that Southwest Potash would sink two shafts to the 1000-foot level, but the present contract calls for only one at this time.

The company manager said complete plans for the plant and refinery have not been completed and are still in the blueprint stage. Likewise, he said, no dates for construction have been set.

However, Stewart said, building plans will follow somewhat the pattern being used throughout the potash basin, which included three producing mines in Eddy County and a shaft for another is now being sunk.

The three producing mines are operated by the Potash Company of America, United States Potash Company, and International Minerals & Chemical Corporation.

Duval Sulphur & Potash Company is now sinking a shaft near Carlsbad. The other three mines are in South Eddy County also. The Southwest Potash mine site lies about five miles north of the P.C.A.

property and approximately the same distance from Artesia and Carlsbad.

Both P.C.A. and Southwest Potash will be served by the new oil-field-potash loop road, which will complete a link between the Artesia-Lovington and Carlsbad-Hobbs highways.

Stewart said Tuesday mass hiring for Southwest Potash is at least two years away. Principal hiring in the meantime will be by Winston Brothers for the sinking of the shaft.

The Southwest Potash manager declined to disclose the estimated cost of sinking the shaft, but it was disclosed some time ago that the Duval shaft and installations, a similar operation, will cost in the neighborhood of \$7,500,000.

Southwest Potash Corporation is one of nine domestic subsidiary companies of the American Metal Company, the main office of which is in New York.

American Metal is a holding company for a group of refining and smelting companies with extensive interests in the United States, Mexico, and Central Africa.

Health Steele of New York is president of Southwest Potash. His headquarters are in the general office building of American Metal in New York.

Two other mining interests, Continental Potash and Freeport Potash have been prospecting in Eddy County also.

Second Thrifty Thursday to Be Next Week

The second monthly Artesia Thrifty Thursday will be observed Thursday of next week, Oct. 5, about which a number of the local retail merchants will inform the public in ads in the issue of The Advocate next Tuesday.

The grand champion of the Artesia territory so far include the reserve champion steer, a Palomino first place, a quarterhorse second place, and a stamp frame second place.

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City Council Approves School Recommendations of Safety

Recommendations of a committee of the City Council for the safety of school children throughout the city were approved Wednesday night at the regular meeting of the council.

The report was made by Councilman Marshall Rowley, who said it was worked out after he and Councilmen Bill Yeager and Frank Smith, Police Chief Earl D. Westfall, State Police Patrolman Bud South, Superintendent Tom Mayfield, and Senior High School Principal T. Stovall had conferred and gone over the various angles of the problems presented.

As an outcome of the recent investigations and after the conference, the council decided to erect a stop light at 10th and Main streets, which is one of the principal school crossings.

However, Mayor Oren C. Roberts said the light will not be automatic, but will be manually turned on and off.

Mayor Roberts said that a committee of citizens recently requested and recommended stop lights at 10th, 11th, 12th and 13th, but that the proposition was not practical. But the city is to paint crosswalks at the corner of 13th and Main.

At the same time the council suggested that the schools furnish part-time officers to serve near the schools at times when students are going to or coming from classes.

The council voted to instruct City Attorney Neil B. Watson to write to the school authorities making such recommendation.

Councilman Rowley said the matter of a safety patrol of older students at the schools had been discussed with the school authorities, but they said it is not practical, as the schools would be responsible in case of any accident, which might be found to be caused by the judgment of a patrol member.

In his report, Councilman Rowley called attention to the "speedway" which has developed on South 13th and recommended that the corner of 13th and Grand be made a four-way stop, similar to that at Roselawn and Chisum Avenue. This recommendation likewise was accepted in the council's general approval.

Students to drive their cars to school was discussed and it was decided such permits would be signed by the chief of police upon the recommendation of school authorities. Tags will be issued at 50 cents each, to be refunded if and when they are returned.

The schools asked that space be reserved for faculty members at the schools and the city agreed to paint proper stripes for this purpose.

But the council, which agreed to paint other school safety zones, said the city will attend to the painting, provided the schools furnish the paint.

It was decided that students are to park only on the north side of Richardson Avenue in front of the high school, out of consideration of the citizens who live on the south side.

The council passed a motion to permit the staggered parking of buses on 10th street adjacent to the high school during the afternoon loading period, so as to preclude traffic from the area.

Councilman Rowley said the school authorities also asked that at the time the new Artesia Junior High School is ready for occupancy in the near future that the curbing on both sides of 11th Street from Bullock Avenue north to the alley between Bullock and Ray be painted yellow, so as to preclude the parking of any vehicles other than school buses.

This matter was included in the general approval, with the provision that the schools furnish the paint.

POT POURRI

Did you see the total eclipse of the moon Tuesday night? If not you won't have the same opportunity again until Jan. 29, 1953—that is, if you remain in the United States.

Lunar eclipses are not so rare—about two a year—but they are not always total, and they are not always visible from the same part of the world.

And then again, the eclipse may come at such a time as to be obscured by clouds.

But the atmosphere was ideal Tuesday night and the heavenly show was plainly visible at all times, although during the early stages there were some low-lying clouds.

The penumbral shadow of the earth first started cutting into the moon, and then finally the eclipse became what is known as central, when the moon passed through the full shadow of Earth, a conical affair the apex of which is some thousands of miles out there in space.

At no time during the show, even when the eclipse was total, was the moon obscured, but it hung in the sky as a beautiful copper disc.

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So Harry Nelson, president of the Artesia Junior Chamber of Commerce, which is extending its "get-out-the-vote" campaign, this week explained that one must be an American citizen, 21 years old or older and a resident of the state a year, of the county 90 days, and of the voting precinct 30 days next prior to the date of election.

Citizens of the Artesia community may register with Quentin Rodgers, Mid-Valley Investment Company, 310 West Main Street, or Mrs. Erma G. Williams, Room 212, Booker Building.

Clayton Menefee Is New Head of Artesia Jaycees

Clayton Menefee is the new president of Artesia Junior Chamber of Commerce, succeeding Harry J. Nelson, who is moving to Hobbs to begin work there with a realty firm.

Election was held at the Jaycees regular semi-monthly supper meeting at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night in Artesia Hotel.

Menefee was advanced from treasurer to the chief office. Succeeding him as treasurer is Ray Ferkel.

The new president is a charter member of the Artesia club, was chairman of the parade committee, worked in the "get-out-the-vote" campaign last spring, and is a member of the board of directors.

He made a trip to Hobbs for one of the organizational meetings of the chapter there and also was present at the Hobbs charter night program on Sept. 23.

Ferkel has also shown interest in the organization by his trips to Hobbs and to Portales, and is a charter member of the Artesia Club.

Services Held Thursday for Virginia Prude

Funeral services for Virginia Lou Prude, 14, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Prude, were conducted at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon in Church of Christ.

Miss Prude was born May 18, 1936 in Carlsbad but has attended Artesia schools all her life and would have been a freshman in high school this year.

She died Wednesday in an El Paso hospital following an illness of three weeks duration.

Miss Prude was a member of the local chapter of the Order of Rainbow.

Allan Johnson, Roswell minister, officiated at the rites. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery.

Besides her parents she is survived by a brother, Norman Lee.

Rotarians Ride Hobbyhorses at Tuesday Meeting

It was hobby day at the weekly Artesia Rotary Club meeting Tuesday noon, when a number of members told of their hobbies in an unannounced, impromptu program, headed by A. R. Wood, a member of the program committee.

Wood first said his hobby is building log cabins, which he said he believed others might feel somewhat silly. But after more than two dozen members and guests had told of their hobbies, Wood decided perhaps his was not so unusual after all.

Here briefly is what the various ones called on confessed to:

Head Football Coach Jack Tinson: Stamps when he was younger, but that got too costly. Now he would like to start collecting state football championships.

Dr. C. A. Strjyewski: Bees and rocks in the past, but now the making of permanent microscopic mounts and color slides.

A. L. Bert: Commuting with nature in the mountains and flying. John Knorr of Roswell, a visitor, who did not say so but who is state Republican campaign manager. Formerly farming was his business and politics his hobby, but now he seems to have reversed the order.

Right-of-Way on Truck Bypass Is Given Approval

Late Thursday the Eddy County Board of County Commissioners approved the Artesia truck bypass right-of-way, which will make it possible for the letting, advertised for today, of the bids for the project.

The State Highway Department some days ago advertised for the letting of the work as of today.

The letting provides for the blacktopping on the road from Highway 83, a mile west of Artesia, north to the Artesia Country Club corner, and thence east to Highway 285.

The proposed truck bypass is to extend thence east of Highway 285 just north of the Conoco property and then in a southerly direction past the city disposal plant, but to the west of the plant, to Highway 83.

County Commissioner W. T. (Doc) Haldeman said last night it is realized that there is an emergency in Artesia for the truck bypass and that the purpose of the commission is to have the letting made at the earliest possible date.

Also given approval by the commission on Thursday was the approval of the letting on the Cottonwood farm-to-market road.

Experiment in Angle Parking Is Being Tried

An experiment in angle parking for greater efficiency and less danger of accident is to be tried in Artesia west and north of the Peoples State Bank, where work was to start today, it was announced by Police Chief Earl D. Westfall.

The parking lines will be approximately a foot farther apart, but their angle with the curb will be only about 30 degrees, as compared with 45 degrees throughout the city.

Under the direction of City Supervisor, city workmen were to start drilling holes for the erection of parking meters in accordance with the new plan and measurements.

Chief Westfall said that with vehicles more nearly parallel to the curb, one is never penned in, for the doors on either side can be easily opened.

On the driver's side, the chief said, one would step out behind the adjacent car. But on the other side, one would step out just forward of the adjacent car's left front fender.

Likewise, Chief Westfall said, when a driver is preparing to back out, he has a better view of the traffic behind him. And when he actually backs out, he need go only a short ways, without having to back to the center of the street, or at least into the flow of traffic. (Continued on Page Eight)

Sandstorm Yarn From Artesia Makes Rounds

The sandstorm came into Artesia here and it went out there, from May to September, in a flurry of wire service stories.

Last May The Advocate had a story about Ralph H. Hayes requiring dental service because, as he opened a door, a puff of sand propelled by the strong wind, bit him in the face, nicked a filling in a tooth.

That yarn was picked up by the Associated Press, later by United Press.

The Hayes heard the episode told in a Mutual radio program on Sept. 17, Mrs. Arlee Renner of Asbury Park, N. J., formerly of Artesia, wrote about a clipping on the story.

Then Mrs. J. F. Hyer of Jackson, Miss., whom the Hayes met at Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., five years ago, joined the chain.

Movie Shown at Kiwanis Sounds Onimous Note

Extravagant governments are doomed and with them perish freedom.

That was the ominous note sounded in a talking motion picture, "What Price Government?" shown at the weekly luncheon program of Artesia Kiwanis Club at noon Thursday in Masonic Temple.

Speaker was Rupert Asplund, secretary-treasurer of the Hoover Commission in New Mexico and director of New Mexico Taxpayers Association.

He gave a brief introductory talk preceding the showing of the film, telling how the government's work was spread among a top-heavy load of 1800 agencies and how the average man works 47 days a year to pay taxes alone.

Asplund also said federal government costs the average family \$1000 a year, and that the commission found one dollar out of every 10 paid for government operation, was wasted.

Future Additions Must Have Water And Sewer Plans

While final plats for two new subdivisions to the city of Artesia were given approval Wednesday night at a regular meeting of the City Council, a resolution of policy was also passed that in the future subdivisions accepted for admission shall have been provided for water and sewer in accordance with specifications of the city engineer.

The resolution, which will become effective Oct. 1, recited that the expense of water and sewer provisions shall be borne by those bringing in a subdivision.

The city council decided, will do such work at actual cost. Final plats accepted were those for Artesia Estates, a new subdivision south of Keinath Acres, and an area lying southwest of 13th and Main Streets, which was one of the two new additions recently brought into the city.

Murphy Back From Funeral Services For His Mother

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Murphy returned home Saturday morning from Oklahoma, where they had attended funeral services for Mr. Murphy's mother, Mrs. Lillian Murphy, 66, who died at 2:45 o'clock Thursday morning of last week at Ardmore.

Mrs. Murphy suffered a stroke Tuesday night of last week and her son was at her bedside seven hours later. He was joined at Ardmore Thursday night by his wife.

Funeral services for Mrs. Murphy were from Bette Funeral Home at Ardmore on Friday and burial was in Hewitt Cemetery at Wilson, Okla.

Granddaughter of Artesian Is State Junior Tennis Champ

Jana Haley, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jana Haley of Los Alamos and granddaughter of George E. Currier of Artesia, won the state junior tennis championship at Albuquerque last Saturday through Monday.

In winning the championship, she took the doubles with an Albuquerque girl and won the 15-year-old singles and the singles for 18 years and younger.

George F. Elam of Albuquerque, state Training Union secretary, presided at the meeting.

State Baptist Groups Here for Planning Meet

Officers and workers from 12 of the 14 Baptist associations in the state of New Mexico gathered in Artesia for a planning meeting for Associational Training Union officers, held at the First Baptist Church from 10 to 4 o'clock Tuesday.

George F. Elam of Albuquerque, state Training Union secretary, presided at the meeting.

A general conference on Associational Training Union work was led by Rev. John H. Jeffers, director of adult work, from Nashville, Tenn. The morning message was delivered by Rev. J. Melvin Ray, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Carlsbad.

Chamber Monthly Meetings Are to Be Resumed Today

Add signs of fall—monthly membership meetings of Artesia Chamber of Commerce will be resumed at noon today in Masonic Temple, following the summer layoff.

Manager Bob Koonce said the session would bring members up to date on what has been done the last three months and inform them of the new agenda.

Babies This Week At Artesia General Hospital All Girls

Three girls were born in Artesia General Hospital from Monday to Thursday. They were:

A daughter, Carole Suzanne, born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris. She weighed seven pounds 11 ounces.

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A Salute To The Coyotes For A Good Game Try!

ARTESIA AT LOVINGTON FRIDAY NIGHT, SEPTEMBER 29

BE A Grandstand Referee!

Learn These Official Football Cues

Study the Illustrated Signals Shown Below. They Are Cues to Better Football. This Fall. Study the Accompanying Text; They Are the Cues to Better Buying—Better Living—for Every Season in the Year!



Read The —ADVOCATE— for the Latest in Sports!



1. Offside (Violation of scrimmage or free kick formation)

You are never offside when you call at **BRAINARD-CORBIN HARDWARE** for your hardware and sporting goods needs. "A Dependable Source of Supply Since 1908."



7. Clipping

Clipping is the one thing you will not find at **CLEM & CLEM, Plumbing and Appliances**. See us now about your plumbing and home appliance needs.



13. Illegally Passing or Handing Ball Forward

Pass the ball to **GUY CHEVROLET CO.** when you are in need of a new or used car. Expert repair service. Visit our service station for gas and oils. Open 24 hours a day.



19. Ball Dead; If Hand Is Moved from Side to Side: Touchback



2. Illegal Position or Procedure

Proper procedure for better living is thru savings! **THE PEOPLES STATE BANK** suggests a thrift account for everyone in the family. Drop in today and ask them for complete details.



8. Roughing the Kicker

... All eliminated when you do business with the **FIRST NATIONAL BANK**. Courtesy and service to the customer is the watchword here.



14. Forward Pass or Kick Catching Interference

There is no interference with good performance when you use **NuMex** products. **NEW MEXICO ASPHALT & REFINING CO.**



20. Touchdown or Field Goal

You will always score a touchdown when you buy at **NELSON'S FOOD STORE**. We are proud of the fact that the best fed families in Artesia trade here.



3. Illegal Motion or Shift

It is not only entirely legal but you will be entirely safe if you protect yourself and family against all risks by seeing the **SOUTHWESTERN REALTY Insurance agents**, today. All forms of coverage arranged conveniently and at lowest rates. Don't wait. See **Smilin' Wally** now.



9. Unsportsmanlike Conduct

For cleaner conduct, try the **LORANG CLEANERS**. They get your duds spic and span ... they press 'em up just right and in jig time! They offer rapid pick up and delivery service, too. Call them now at 1143.



15. Ineligible Receiver Down Field on Pass

No one is ineligible for the top-flight home appliances and sewing machines we carry in stock. Drop in today. **NELSON APPLIANCE CO.**



21. Safety

Always be safe. Protect yourself and your family from the dangers of unsafe tires. Have your tires checked regularly at the **PIOR RUBBER CO.** Trade in your old tires for new Safety Thoroughbreds. Call 41.



4. Delay of Game

... There's no delays in the service rendered by the **ARTESIA AUTO CO.** Complete service and repairs for your car at special low rates, is the basis on which they've built a service that is famous all over the county!



10. Defensive Holding

Nothing will hold you away from the **HART MOTOR CO.** for repair service, parts or gas and oil if you give us a trial. Come in today.



16. Ball Illegally Touched, Kicked or Batted

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22. Time-Out

Is your time out? Have your watch checked, cleaned and repaired at the **ARTESIA JEWELRY**. Expert craftsmen will put your timepiece in perfect working order, quickly and inexpensively. Check with them, today.



5. Personal Foul (Tripping, hurdling, tackling out of bounds)

You will certainly not be fouled up if you make the **ARTESIA ALFALFA GROWERS ASSOCIATION** your headquarters.



11. Illegal Use of Hands and Arms

Try using your hands and arms at the **YEAGER GROCERY** to get yourself some of our quality meats and groceries at the lowest everyday prices. We are located at 201 West Chisum Ave. We are here every day in the week from 6 A. M. to 8 P. M., Sundays included.



17. Incomplete Forward Pass, Penalty Declined, No Play or No Score

... There's nothing incomplete about the service rendered by the **RUSSELL AUTO SUPPLY CO.** Complete auto parts and sporting goods.



23. First Down

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6. Roughness and Piling On

They really pile on the service and quality in merchandise at the **GUY TIRE & SUPPLY CO.** Drop in now!



12. Intentional Grounding

Come in intentionally to see us about your farm implement needs. We also do rapid and reliable service repairs on your equipment. **ARTESIA IMPLEMENT & SUPPLY CO.**



18. Crawling, Helping the Runner or Interlocked Interference

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24. Start the Clock or No More Time-Outs Allowed

No more lagging! Now's the time to see the **SOUTHWESTERN REALTORS** about that home you've been planning to buy! Their wide listings and low prices insure a home that will interest you. Call "Smilin' Wally" now!

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SPORTS ON THE HOME FRONT

By BROWNIE EMERSON

Bus Caravan to Cruces Advocated By Local Fan

Suggestion by W. C. Brashears deserves special mention and some action. He would like to see a bus chartered right now for the Las Cruces game to be held in Las Cruces on Oct. 20. Brashears is all out for the idea and is ready to lay his money on the line. The plan is to get as big a bunch of fans to make the trip as possible.

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These 66 schools are subdivided into 10 districts and the districts in turn into Classes A, B, and C. Out of the 66 there are 21 Class A schools. Artesia is in Class A along with Carlsbad, Roswell, and New Mexico Military Institute.

The latter is tabbed as "Class A selection but not participating for championship." "You're Confusing" There may be some explanation of this middle of who is champion but if so I've never heard it.

But this idea of so many points for Team A if it beats Team B and team B has won 50 per cent of its games seems a weird and clumsy way of going about it.

If they keep up this slide rule decimal point business, maybe it will take a couple of tax experts to decide such points as to whether a point after touchdown counts one or more points, depending on whether Team B has won 56.7938 per cent of its games or only 44.326.

The state association has its troubles with laggards as do other groups. With one month of the football season already gone there are still some schools that have not forwarded their football schedule to Secretary Ward.

Basketball—Already! Its early to talk about basketball but the state association is already sounding an advance note saying basketball schedules should be forwarded to the executive secretary prior to Nov. 20.

there. Friday, Jan. 19—Monument, there. Saturday, Jan. 20—Hobbs, here. Tuesday, Jan. 23—Carlsbad, there. Friday, Jan. 26—Melrose, here. Friday, Feb. 2—Portales, there. Tuesday, Feb. 6—Dexter, here. Friday, Feb. 9—N.M.M.I., there. Saturday, Feb. 10—Hagerman, here.

Date of the district tournament is Feb. 23. Question Box Bob Segal asked me the other day to what conference Texas Tech belonged. I didn't have the answer, then, but here it is now, Border Conference.

Yes, very, very, very much in Border. Tech was champ last year with five games won, none lost for a 1000 in the loop, 125 points scored against 39 by their opponents.

For the full season the Red Raiders won seven, lost four, scored 174 points to their opponents 164. There were no ties in either loop or all-season records for Tech.

There are nine schools in all in the conference. They are the two confusing Arizona State teams of Tempe and Flagstaff, New Mexico Aggies, New Mexico, Texas Western, West Texas, Arizona, Hardin-Simmons, and Tech, which won the conference title for the eighth time last year.

Hardin-Simmons is regarded generally as the Border favorite this year. Hope by the time I return to the Morris Field subway the scoreboard clock is working again. Next trip to the subway will be on Oct. 6 when the New Mexico Military Institute plays the Bulldogs.

Appreciated was the school's setup at the Roswell game when the two out of town radio stations had places in the stand, rather than the press box. It would be fine if there was room for visitors radio and press as well as our own.

Since there isn't it is only fair that the local persons have priority. Backing up this idea was something I found out this week: The Artesia Advocate donated \$50 for that press box in the move spearheaded by the Lions Club.

Correction Department Subhead "scores to date" and the scores got out of place in sports page last issue. Jack Jordan from Roswell, not Lubbock, as incorrectly stated. No alibis. No buck passing.

Concerning H. Floyd Davis comment on fair catch: Never did find the yarn but help came from Mrs. Clyde Tidwell, who telephoned me about a clipping from El Paso Times, and went to the trouble to bring in the clipping. My sincere thanks to Mrs. Tidwell.

There may be exceptions I don't know about but Chuck Whitlock, Times sports editor in his column "Here's How!" apparently backs up my story. "This probably is a good time to discuss the new rules and rule changes in football for the coming season," he begins.

Bosses of Hardin-Simmons Range



Brooks Allen left and John (Model T) Ford are captain and co-captain this season for Hardin-Simmons University Cowboys of Abilene, Texas. Ford is the nation's number one touchdown passing champion and a leading contender for All-America quarterback. Allen is a three-year letterman and leads the Pokes on both offense and defense from his halfback slot. The Cowboys are coached by Warren B. Woodson.

Weary Bulldogs to Contest Lovington Wildcats Tonight

A battered band of Bulldogs will take the field tonight in their fourth contest of the season and their second away from home game. Rough, bruising battles with Jal, Tucumcari and Roswell have taken their toll and with four backfield acres out of the picture, the Bulldogs will be handicapped when they confront the Wildcats of Lovington at 8 o'clock tonight in Lovington.

Besides Doyle Cole and Bobby Loyd, LeRoy Rutledge and Joe Harbert are on the injured list. Rutledge has a strained right thigh; Harbert, recovered from a left leg injury, now has a right leg ailment. Cole suffered both a left knee and right ankle injury in the Roswell melee and Loyd, a fractured right leg in the Artesia B-Carlsbad B scramble at Carlsbad.

Over-confidence, the bane of most high school teams, is being guarded against. The touchdowns made against Roswell don't count against Lovington and the Wildcats could spring a surprise, especially since the Roswell starters took a terrific pounding.

The game is slated to start at 8 o'clock. There are no reserved sections but there should be plenty of general admission seats available for Bulldog fans who make the 65-mile journey to the Lea County capital.

Lovington has won one game, lost two; Artesia has won all its games, beating Jal, Tucumcari and Roswell. Lovington's win was over Monument, 24 to 0. In the Wildcats last game, they were swamped by Carlsbad 35 to 0. Other game was with Brownfield, won by the Cubs.

Coach Jack Tinson will take a 35-player squad to Lovington. A chartered bus will leave the high school at 5 o'clock this afternoon. cinnati Bearcats last week 7-19. Last year, with Ford pitching five td passes, the Cowboys whipped the Tigers 66-13. Indications are that the Tigers will be harder to tame this season than they were last year.

Miners Gloomy Over Loyola Game

Texas Western's Miners, armed with rather a meager supply of football dynamite, will test the power-laden Loyola University Lions of Los Angeles at El Paso Saturday night under the lights of Kidd Field.

County Cage Tournery To Be in Cottonwood

Basketball tournament of the Eddy County Rural Athletic Association will be held at Cottonwood this season, according to Martha Perez of Cottonwood School.

Original Hornets Learning How to Sting on Gridiron

Little but eager to learn are Artesia Junior High School Hornets, newest Artesia football squad, first team to carry the nickname Hornets and to battle for the Blue and Gold.

Coached by Ray Hall and Paul Kerley, the youngsters are learning gridiron fundamentals early, a study that will pay off in even better football players for Artesia Senior High as the boys advance to that school.

There are 52 players on the squad and ages range from 11 to 15, grades from six to nine. Forty out of the 52 are seventh or eighth graders, while ninth graders have composed most of the teams, the Hornets have played this season.

Although blanked both times, the Hornets ask no favors because they are outweighed but fight as hard in their loop as the varsity does in its circuit.

Equipment for the Hornets is at a premium. On the 52-player squad there are 18 for whom no numbers No. Name Age Ht. Wt. Pos. Grade

Table with 6 columns: No., Name, Age, Ht., Wt., Pos., Grade. Lists player statistics for the Artesia Junior High School Hornets.

Grubstakers Play Arizonans Tonight

It will be the rubber match between the post-war freshman teams of the Texas Western and the University of Arizona when the two eleven-man teams meet at El Paso on Friday at 8:15 o'clock tonight.

In 1948, the Grubstakers panted the Arizona Wildkittens 46-6, while last season the high-scoring Arizona team ran roughshod over the young Miners 62-0.

Although Coach Ross Moore is highly pleased with some members of his freshman Texas Western team, he is rather gloomy at their chances of whipping the highly touted Arizona team.

The Texas-grown Grubstakers will take on an Arizona starting team composed of two Arizonans, seven from Illinois and two from California.

Comparative weights give the Wildkittens a wide edge over the Grubstakers. Wool exports to the United States during the 1949-50 season were up about 90 per cent over the previous year—particularly from the Argentine.



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SOCIETY

Study Group Has Discussion of Numerous Topics

Mrs. T. L. Archer presided at an interesting meeting of the Study Group of the Artesia Woman's Club at the lovely rural home of Mrs. Tom Brown, southeast of Artesia, at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The program was begun with a discussion of Winston Churchill's life as an artist, which was ably presented to the club by Mrs. Bryan Runyan. She gave the reasons for him having become an artist and of his style of painting. A discussion followed on the versatility of his capabilities as an author, politician, and statesman.

Mrs. John Rowland reported on the celebration given at Albany, N. Y., honoring "Grandma" Moses on her 90th birthday, when 60 of her paintings were featured in the Albany Institute of History and Art. This showing was followed by a large banquet in her honor.

Mrs. J. D. Josey gave some interesting facts about the Hittites of ancient Asia Minor, about 1288 B.C. Evidence has been recovered from mound diggings which turned up early examples of their mode of living and proved their culture to be similar to today's culture.

An interesting topic of science was given by Mrs. Grady Wright, who told that milk is being used to enhance the size and loveliness of petunias and other flowers and vegetables.

Mrs. J. W. Vandiver gave an original paper on music in the public schools in which she said music is said to be the most enjoyed of all arts.

A brief talk on the state of New Mexico, state fish, flowers, rivers, and ancient people was given by Mrs. A. D. Wood, which led to a general discussion to the ancient cliff dwellers of New Mexico.

Mrs. Tom Brown gave a topic on Indians and told the club that because hunger the Indian people are accepting communism to an alarming extent, seeking relief.

Mrs. Bryan Runyan told the club that five exchange students accompanied by two interpreters and Mr. and Mrs. Watson of the Extension Service at New Mexico A. & M. College, Las Cruces, visited their farm and ranch to study American soil conservation methods and better way of soil and farm improvements. The men were from Africa, India, France and Egypt, and were being taken to all parts of the United States to further their education for soil and its use.

Mrs. C. R. Blocker gave a report of the UN Grand Assembly and told of the arrival of Vishinsky from Russia. She also gave Romolus' attitude of peace which is the primary objective of the UN. She said after five years the UN called a special session of the General Assembly to bypass and override the Russian veto. She also said that from a commentator's speech there is one way to put a stop to Russian aggression and that is for the union to confiscate and control by proration Russia's two sources of oil supplies.

The hostess served delicious sweet rolls and coffee to Mes. C. R. Blocker, Bryan Runyan, T. L. Archer, A. R. Wood, J. W. Vandiver, Grady Wright, J. D. Josey, Nellie Hartell, M. C. Livingston, John Rowland, E. M. Perry and Fred Cole.

The next meetin g will be Wednesday, Oct. 11, at the home of Mrs. C. R. Blocker.

Army scientists have developed a chemical that turns mud or sand into solid ground.

W.S.C.S. Seminar For Area Held Here Monday

A seminar for the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Churches of the Artesia area was held in the Artesia Methodist Church Monday.

Mrs. A. E. Lang of El Paso, conference secretary of missionary education, called the meeting to order at 10 o'clock in the morning. The group sang, "I Love to Tell the Story," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. C. W. Bynum of Carlsbad. Mrs. Lang read a poem, "Another Day." Prayer was led by Rev. G. H. Woolfe of Hagerman.

Instructors for the morning classes were Mrs. Joe Emmanuel of Carlsbad, on "We Seek Thee Together," and Mrs. J. W. Willford of Odessa, Texas, promotion secretary of the Pecos district, on "Toward a Christian Community."

Miss Mittie J. Shelton of El Paso, a retired missionary who has served in China and Mexico, gave some suggestions on program building.

At noon, a delicious luncheon was enjoyed. After the lunch, Miss Shelton taught "A Christian's Vocation." Mrs. Lang taught "The Near East Panorama."

About 25 members of the Artesia church attended, and 56 members registered from out of town. Out of town guests from Roswell were Mes. C. T. Carwood, W. C. Holland, Loyd Hughes, S. H. Tucker, J. R. Coursey, James Cruehender, M. A. Hoffman, Earl Hedgecock, C. C. Bogard, L. R. Garrett, L. G. Ellett.

Guy Rowe, Bernard Johnston, E. B. Johnston, G. Reischman, L. L. Evans, J. T. Shreungast, F. W. Blockson, H. H. Roy, A. C. Service, Harry White, and W. W. Ope and Miss Nora McWilliams.

Guests from Loving were Mes. T. C. Carleton, W. C. McGinnis and J. P. Lancaster.

From Carlsbad they were Mes. Joe Emmonval, E. M. Douglas, C. W. Bynum, W. H. Morgan, Fred West, George Pixler, John Gage, Tom Calloway, R. E. Pritchett, A. L. Allinger, T. L. Lively and S. H. Crockett.

ARTESIA WOMEN ATTEND METHODIST GUILD MEET

Five women attended a district Methodist Guild week end meeting in Carlsbad Saturday afternoon of last week. The meeting was preceded by a dinner. Representatives from Roswell, Pecos, Carlsbad, and Artesia guilds were present.

Those attending from Artesia were Mes. W. A. Dunnam, C. A. Stalcup, C. R. Blocker and Nina McCarter and Miss Pat Sauer.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to the many friends for their expressions of kindness and sympathy at the time of the death of our daughter and sister, Joyce Wanda Reynolds.—C. E. Reynolds family, 78-11p

Mr., Mrs. Snow Are Artesia Newlyweds



The above are Mr. and Mrs. Gene A. Snow who were married Sunday, Sept. 16, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Glascock, with Allen E. Johnson, evangelist of the Church of Christ of Roswell, performing the double-ring ceremony. Mrs. Snow is the former Nona Glascock. The newlyweds are residing in Artesia. —Photo by Gable

Delta Kappa Gamma Meets Last Week at Stalcup Residence

Delta Kappa Gamma met at the home of Mrs. C. A. Stalcup Thursday, Sept. 21.

A short business meeting was held and the organization voted to join the national organization of Delta Kappa Gamma and is sending gift packages to people in Europe for Christmas. Several brought packages to the meeting beautifully wrapped and each package was designated as to the type of person it would be appropriate for.

Two delicious golden chiffon cakes topped with golden icing and decorated with dark red rosebuds and sherbet punch were served by the hostess at the close of the meeting.

The next meeting will be the initiation of new members.

Scout Leaders Club Is to Meet Monday At Central School

The Girl Scout Leaders Club will meet at 7:30 o'clock Monday night in the music room of Central School for the first time this season.

Mrs. John Clarke, Jr., will speak to the group on first aid and new songs for Brownies in Intermediates will be taught at the meeting.

All leaders, troop committee members and board members are urged to come. Troops 2 and 20 will serve refreshments to the group immediately after the program and business session.

FLOCALS

Miss Wanda Knowles, who is working in Albuquerque, spent last week end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Knowles of 712 West Dallas Avenue. Her brother, Ralph, who had just returned from St. Louis, was also home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Robinson returned home Saturday evening of last week from a 10-day business trip to Clovis, Portales and Tucumcari.

Mrs. Glendon Robinson, 506 West Washington has started as a hobby the raising of tropical fish. She has 15 different kinds and would be glad to show them to anyone who is interested. She said she has 102 snails which were born last week.

Mrs. Bill Ellinger and daughters, Frances, Rhea Ann and Billy Ruth, plan to leave this afternoon for Albuquerque for the week end. They plan to attend the State Fair at which the girls will enter the baton twirling tournament.

Mrs. W. C. Thompson returned home Friday night of last week from a two-week visit with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Dorsey at Jackson, Miss. Mrs. Thompson's daughter, Capt. Gladys T. Edwards, met her at Jackson and returned home with her. They were met on the way home by their husband and father at Dallas, Texas and returned with them.

Capt. Gladys T. Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson, has been going to school for the last year at Ohio State University at Columbus, where she received her masters' degree in dietetics. Capt. Edwards, who has been visiting her parents, left Tuesday morning for San Francisco, where she will be chief dietitian at Letterman Hospital.

Rev. Chester Rogers, who in the past has been the Methodist pastor at Lake Arthur and Cottonwood and Mrs. Rogers, were in Artesia and vicinity visiting friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Smiley and son, Johnny, who live near Chicago, were visiting friends in Roswell and Artesia and Mrs. May L. Gromo and daughter, Mrs. Ruth Bates, at Lake Arthur. Mrs. Smiley will be remembered by many friends as the former Miss Ruth Ditto.

Miss Jane Watson, who is a sister of Mrs. Wayne Griffin and has moved here from Oklahoma to make her home in Artesia, is now employed by the Southern Union Gas Company.

Literature Is Program at Sorority Meet

A program on literature was given by Mrs. Joe Hamann at a meeting of Alpha Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma sorority Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. R. B. Rodke, with Mrs. M. A. Waters and Mrs. Aaron Cunningham as co-hostesses.

Mrs. Donald Fanning, president, called the meeting to order with members repeating the ritual. Members discussed the projects for the year and further plans for rushing.

Mrs. Hamann gave a talk on essays and this was followed by an open discussion on current fiction and books.

Members brought gifts purchased while on vacation trips during the summer, and they were attractively wrapped and sold to other members.

Refreshments of cold drinks and sandwiches were served.

Guests present were Mes. Ruth Bigler and Mary Vandeventer, Mrs. Jerry Marshall, Mrs. B. Haines, and Mrs. Lillian Bigler.

Members present were Mes. Leon Clayton, Lawrence Coll, Aaron Cunningham, Lloyd Dorand, Clyde Dungan, Donald Fanning, O. R. Gable, Jr.

H. B. Gilmore, Meredith Jones, B. N. Muncy, Jr., Ness Otterson, R. B. Rodke, Charles Sanford, W. C. Thompson, Jr., M. A. Waters and C. Thompson, Jr., M. A. Waters and Joe Hamann, and Miss Nancy Haynes.

The next meeting will be Tuesday evening, Oct. 10, with Miss Nancy Haynes at the home of Mrs. Jess Cave, with Mrs. Clyde Dungan and Mrs. Louis Craig, as co-hostesses. Mrs. C. B. Blocker will

be guest speaker and will give an account of her trip to Hawaii.

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SOCIETY.

Fast Nobles Are Special Guests At Rebekah Meet

Twenty-two members of the Past Noble Grand Club were guests at meeting of Sunrise Rebekah Lodge No. 9 Monday evening in the I.O.O.F. Hall.

The guests served as officers for evening and were Mmes. Fritz Smith, Mattie Story, Effie Wingfield, Bill Martin, J. B. Spencer, Little Evans, E. A. Hannah, W. S. Haggitt, W. F. Cobble, R. H. Ramon, Minnie Shepard, D. F. Brandt, Frank Thomas, Merle Story, O. Ashton, Sr., G. B. Dungan, E. Smith, D. B. Shira, Earle Dorman, Beth Thorpe and Corne Lanning, and Miss Ina Cole.

During the evening, three past Rebekah presidents were inducted. They were Mrs. Corinne Manning, Mrs. Effie Wingfield and Mrs. Nellie Smith.

Routine business was transacted, and several members reported they were ill.

Members were reminded Monday night is birthday night and members of the birthday supper will meet promptly at 6:30 o'clock, with supper starting at 7:30 o'clock.

It was also announced that plans for a rummage sale are almost completed and every member having articles for sale was urged to bring these articles to the lodge Monday evening.

Mrs. Ulas Golden, noble grand, presided at the meeting.

The Past Noble Grand officers were guests for the evening in formal attire and put on a lively and impressive drill at the close of the meeting.

About 53 members were present.

Nurses Association Has Meet This Week At General Hospital

The New Mexico State Nurses Association, District VIII, had its regular monthly meeting at Artesia General Hospital on Monday evening, Mrs. Margaret Worthington, president.

A letter was read to district members from Mrs. Grace Thompson, a member, who is a patient in a hospital in El Paso. She is recovering from injuries received in an automobile accident.

It was reported a midwife conference will be held Oct. 11-12 in the office of Mrs. Naomi Votaw, North Eddy County public health nurse. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

The 1950 New Mexico State Nurses Association convention will be held in Carlsbad at the Knights of Columbus Hall Oct. 13-14. Carlsbad District VII and Artesia District VIII will be co-hosts.

Sister Mary Celeste will have charge of registration for both convention days. Given Pate, Betty Hunter, Thelma Nellis, and Regina Terpening will serve as hostesses for the convention. The Artesia district will sponsor a luncheon at 11:30 o'clock Saturday morning, Oct. 14, at the Hotel Crawford. All registered nurses are invited to attend.

The president urged all members to return the ballots for the state officers as soon as possible.

Does Have Annual Barbecue Wednesday At Paul Terry Home

The B.P.O. Does has their annual barbecue Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Terry southeast of Artesia, with about 150 attending.

After the barbecue members and guests went to the Elks building, where they enjoyed a Western dance with music furnished by Curley and His Westerners.

Peppods were once used to stuff pillows.

Mrs. Elbert Murphy Installed President Of Faithful Workers

Mrs. Elbert Murphy was installed as president of the Faithful Workers Class of the First Baptist Church at a meeting held at the church at 7:30 Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Joe Little is outgoing president. Other officers installed were: Membership vice president, Mrs. James R. Heald; fellowship vice president, Mrs. Warren Kesselring; vice ministers, Mrs. Joe Little and assistant secretary, Mrs. Dorothy Goodwin.

Mrs. S.-M. Morgan was the installing officer and during the reading of the installation services a trio composed of Mrs. Orville Chambers, Mrs. William Holly, and Mrs. Gilbert Kreamer, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. David Simons, sang, "I Am Thine O Lord," "More Love to Thee," "Take My Life," "Living for Jesus," and "Higher Ground." At the close the group sang, "All Our Best."

Mrs. J. T. Mitchell will again be the teacher.

Cake and coffee were served by Mrs. Joe Little, Mrs. Elbert Murphy, and Mrs. David Simons. Those present were Mmes. Marshall Hegwer, Orville Chambers, Marshall Belshe, James R. Heald, Preston Clevering, Paul Killingsworth, William Holly, Gilbert Kreamer, Leroy Holly.

Warren Kesselring, Paul Harlow, David Simons, Charley Cardinal, Joe Little, and Elbert Murphy.

Mrs. George Davis Is Pink and Blue Shower Honoree

Mrs. George Davis was the honoree recently at a pink and blue shower at the home of Mrs. Glendon Robinson with Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. G. Kelley Stoud, Mrs. Jerry Robinson and Miss Irene Oglevie as hostesses.

The honoree was presented a pink and red rose corsage by the hostesses.

The honoree's chair was decorated in pink and blue with pink ruffles and blue bows.

The evening was spent in playing several games. Mrs. Davis was sent on a treasure hunt, which led to the gifts in a buggy that was decorated in pink and blue.

Refreshments of coffee, angle-foot cake and fruit salad were served. The favors were little pink diapers filled with pink mints.

Those present were Mmes. L. W. Coll, Lloyd Dorand, W. W. Adair, Luther Jones, Thomas Boyd, Billy Albert, Wayne Griffin, Ridley Garrett, Merle Robinson and W. S. Haggitt, and Miss Billy Baker and Kenneth Glenda Lou, Sally, Joe and Stanley Robinson.

Those sending gifts but unable to be present were Mmes. Walter Story, Wooten, Emerson, Arthur Paton and Jean Scrapper and Mrs. Loyd Garrett of Carlsbad and Mrs. George Davis, Sr., of Abilene, Texas.

Dreams are rare among individuals past 65, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

Two Are Initiated Into Eastern Star Here on Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green of Weed were initiated into the Order of Eastern Star at a meeting Tuesday evening at the Masonic Temple.

Mrs. Harold Kersey, worthy matron, presided over the business meeting.

Further plans were discussed for Grand Chapter at Roswell Oct. 19-21. Artesia is one of the co-host chapters, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pitts and Mrs. Ott Struck were in Roswell last week to help make plans for the different committees.

The past matrons of the state of New Mexico will give a reception and dance at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, Oct. 18, at the temple in Roswell as a courtesy to the people attending Grand Chapter. Registration is to be Thursday morning, Oct. 19, at the Nickson Hotel. All business sessions for Thursday afternoon will be held at Cahoon Armory. A formal tea will be Thursday afternoon at the Masonic Temple, and a banquet will be held Saturday night.

Three out-of-state guests were present at the meeting here Tuesday. At the close of the meeting light refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, Oct. 10, with a covered-dish supper at 6:30 o'clock and initiation and meeting at 7:30 o'clock.

Britain's war with France in 1695 was partly paid for by a tax on bachelors.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole Hosts Tuesday to Company Employees

Mr. and Mrs. G. Taylor Cole entertained Cole Motor Company employees and their families with a dinner at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the I.O.O.F. Hall.

The tables were decorated with beautiful flowers furnished and arranged by Mrs. Forrest Brooks from her flower garden.

Numerous games and contests were played at which cash prizes were awarded.

About 45 persons were present to enjoy the affair.

S. & S. Society Has Meeting Wednesday

The S. & S. Society met Wednesday noon for a luncheon and meeting at Cliff's Cafeteria.

Plans were discussed to attend the Eastern New Mexico Fair at Roswell Oct. 4-9.

Members present were Mmes. Button Schultz, E. L. Parnell, Paul Morris, J. O. Bratcher, Bill Everest, Pat Cook, W. M. Tipps, C. E.

Around Artesia

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hamlin of Pagosa Springs, Colo., who formerly operated Camp Mac, were in town Tuesday and Wednesday on business. They also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McNallen left Thursday morning for Big Spring, Texas. They planned to be gone about one week.

J. T. Haile took Rev. S. M. Morgan to Weed Wednesday. Rev. Morgan remained to conduct a revival and Mr. Haile returned home that evening.

Mrs. D. C. Blue and daughter, Sally, arrived home Thursday evening.

Tipps, Melvin Mayberry, A. C. McGuire, and Glenn O'Bannon and her daughter, Mary Frances O'Bannon.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, Nov. 1, at the home of Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon on Cottonwood.

CIRCLE TO HAVE SALE ON SATURDAY

Baked food, plants, and bouquets of flowers will be offered for sale starting at 9 o'clock Saturday morning at the Food Mart by members of Circle No. 1 of the Presbyterian Women's Association.

CARD OF THANKS

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FRIDAY AFTERNOON	12:00 Personality Time	12:15 Farm and Market Service	12:30 Local News	12:35 Rhythm of the Combos	12:45 News	1:00 Musical Scrap Book	1:20 Treasure Chest of Melody	1:45 Taps in Pops	2:00 Your Concert Master	2:30 Americana	2:45 Front Page Drama	3:00 Queen for a Day	3:30 Revolving Rhythm	4:00 News	4:30 Tin Pan Alley	4:45 The Sports Parade	5:00 Mark Trail	5:30 Challenge of the Yukon	6:00 Gabriel Heatter	6:15 Fulton Lewis, Jr.	6:30 Meet the Band	6:45 Sports Final	6:55 Bill Henry	7:00 News	7:15 Saddlebag Express	7:30 War Front, Home Front				
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Social Calendar

Saturday, Sept. 30
Baked food, plants and bouquets of flowers sale sponsored by Presbyterian Women's Association...

Monday, Oct. 2
American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary, covered-dish supper and meeting...

Tuesday, Oct. 3
Artesia Story League, meeting in basement room in home of Mrs. M. Anderson Corbin, Jr...

Wednesday, Oct. 4
Artesia Shrine No. 2, White Shrine of Jerusalem, covered-dish supper, 6:30 p. m.; meeting...

Thursday, Oct. 5
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Friday, Oct. 6
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Saturday, Oct. 7
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Sunday, Oct. 8
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Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Cunningham spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Albuquerque. They visited Mr. Cunningham's sister, Mrs. L. Perry...

Pvt. Charlie Lewis, son of Mrs. Minnie E. Lewis, who left Sept. 7 for the Army, writes that his address is Training Squadron Flight, Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Mrs. Paul Francis and son, Sandy plan to leave Monday for South Wales, La. They plan to be gone two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bray and children returned last week from Tulsa, Okla., where they spent a week. Mr. Bray went on business and Mrs. Bray and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Harper...

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sherwood returned Friday evening of last week from their honeymoon trip spent in the northern part of the state and Colorado. On Sunday they left for Snyder, Texas, where Mr. Sherwood has charge of the airport.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Haddox last week

NOTICE OF BID FOR MOTOR VEHICLE
Sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Artesia, New Mexico at the City Hall until 7:00 P. M., October 11, 1950...

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Great Virgil Is to Be Presented Here By Artesia Lions
Life on the planet, Mars, will be seen in all of its fantastic beauty and awe when The Great Virgil, the Mighty Master of Illusion, arrives on his flying saucer with a cargo of strange creatures to present the "Weird Execution."

Catholic Mission To Be Conducted Here Oct. 1-8
For the first time in six years, a mission will be conducted from Sunday, Oct. 1 to Sunday, Oct. 8, at Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, located on North Rose-lawn.

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GENERAL HARDWARE
Office 678 - PHONES - Store 679

Girl Scout Notes
Troop 2 decided to work on Back Yard Camper and Good Grooming badges at their meeting Monday.

Troop 3 played "Farmer in the Dell" to start the meeting Monday. Each girl told how she earned her dues for each meeting.

Troop 5 made plans for the year at the first meeting Wednesday at Central School. The girls will begin work on their second-class requirements.

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SALE—D-4 Caterpillar tractor bulldozer, 2700 hours, Casealer, MTA Moline, priced to sell. Douglas O'Bannon, Cottonwood phone 014-F11. 41-tfc

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SALE—Home-grown tomatoes. Victor Haldeman, phone 356. Two miles east, half mile north of Artesia. 65-tfc

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SALE—New six room house with large garage at 1006 Runyan by appointment only. Clyde H. owner, 1003 Ray Ave., 1027-J. 67-tfc

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SALE—Three-room modern home, furnished or unfurnished, in shop, complete welding equipment, good business. Loco Welding Shop, Loco Hills. 72-8tp-79

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SALE—Winchester, Model 94. 50. 1411 West Yuca. 72-tfc

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SALE—Canning tomatoes, peppers, hot peppers and others. Bryan Gardens, 13th Richardson, just north of Plant, phone 091-R1. 74-tfc

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SALE—Two black Cocker feathered pups. Call 1135 after 4:30 week ends. 76-tfc

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SALE—One new shallow well pump, attached to a 20-gal. tank for a home water system or for a large tank for gravitation. Deleo motor, Timmer bearings. Will sell cheap. Thoroughbred big type English Lehigh pullets, about to lay, will price right. Come to them. E. D. Cox, Lake Arroyo phone 080-R4. 77-2tc-73

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SALE—Household goods, 412 E. Avenue. 77-2tp-78

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SALE—Clean cotton rags at Advocate. txf

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SALE—One .12-gauge Remington shotgun. C. O. Moore, Chisum. 77-2tp-78

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SALE by original owner. Kaiser Special, driven only miles, in good condition and reasonable. Phone 643-W or 118 Osborn Street. 77-2tp-78

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SALE—Two-bedroom, modern weather stripped, insulated, paved, two out buildings. Best in town, furnished. Possession in days. C. O. Moore, 1207 West Richardson. 77-2tp-78

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SALE—Eight acres rich land Highway 285, near store and well and electricity. Jesse Cook, 107 West Washington, 604-NJ. 77-2tp-78

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SALE—Divan and two chairs with, two overstuffed chairs, library table, all for only \$10. Jesse F. Cook, 107 West Washington. 77-2tp-78

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SALE—Homemade piece of furniture. 602 West Washington. 77. 77-3tp-79

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JUST KEEP QUIET AND I'LL SHOW YOU MY SYSTEM FOR CLEANING FISH!



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For Sale

FOR SALE—Due to illness, double your money. Deal for quick sale, rock house mostly completed. Can have possession in three days. C. O. Moore, 1207 West Chisum. 77-2tp-78

For Sale

FOR SALE—One 4 1/2 ft. used Frigidaire electric refrigerator, sealed unit, \$85; one 6 ft. used Frigidaire elec. refrigerator, sealed unit, \$95; one 4 1/2 ft. Montgomery Ward electric refrigerator, \$65. Low down payment, easy terms. Gambles Store. 78-tfc

For Sale

FOR SALE—Dress shop. Mary Ann Bihrey, Tatum, N. M. 78-3tc-80

TOY CLEARANCE!

50 per cent off on present stock. No charge or layaways at this price. Hopkins Firestone Store. 78-tfc

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Fifty acres, Coates race track, at Artesia. C. E. Coates, Hope, N. M. 78-8tp-85

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Five-room modern house, 1201 W. Mann. See R. A. Homsley, 209 W. Chisum. 78-2tp-79

For Rent

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

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Storage space, phone 845. 28-tfc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Vacuum cleaners, floor polishers and portable sewing machines. Roselawn Radio Service, 106 S. Roselawn, phone 866. 62-tfc

FOR RENT

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

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Homey two-bedroom apartment, unfurnished, utilities paid. Phone 522 or 152. 74-tfc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Small four-room unfurnished house, \$50. No bills paid. Inquire at 601 South Second or phone 102. 74-tfc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Bedroom for single person, private entrance, adjoining bath, close in. Call 466. 78-2tc-79

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom in new house, 403 W. Washington, to girl or lady. Kitchen privileges can be arranged. Call 413-NR before 12 or after 6 p. m. 78-tfc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three-room modern unfurnished house and garage. Phone 603-J. 75-4tp-78

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two-room furnished apartment, utilities paid. Inquire at Gambles Store. Do not phone. 78-tfc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Unfurnished three-room house with bath, nice yard, ideal for couple. Phone 473-R. 78-1tc

FOR LEASE

FOR LEASE—Well located frame building, 1080 square feet, adequate for workshop or storage, also additional 50x75 foot parking space. Write M. O. Carr, 762 W. Kirk, San Antonio 11, Texas. 78-4tp-81

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five-room duplex, partly furnished. 919 South Fourth Street. 78-tfc

Wanted

WATCH REPAIRS by a certified master watchmaker. Free estimate and check-up. Artesia Jewelers, 334 W. Main. 61-tfc

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

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WANTED—Woman, alert, well-groomed, with car, to register Westmorland Sterling Silver Club members, by appointment only. Earnings excellent, job permanent. Phone 1109-J or write Box 542, Roswell. 78-1tp

WANTED

WANTED—Waitress, call in person at Artesia Hotel Coffee Shop. 78-tfc

Miscellaneous

Have your old watch made new by a certified master watchmaker. Recase, new dial and complete repair. Artesia Jewelers, 334 W. Main. Old P. O. Bldg. 61-tfc

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Warranty Deeds Conveying Real Estate in Artesia and North Eddy County Filed for Record From Aug. 23 to 29 1950, Inclusive.

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 George L. Spurgeon and wife to W. M. Linell and Hugh W. Kiddy North half of Lot 11 Homac Addition.
 Frank J. Mullenax and wife to Louis Deniz Nelson and wife Lot 10 Block 12 Alta Vista Addition No. 2.
 J. B. Clapp and wife to George H. Settlemire North 25 feet of Lot 12 Block 2 and an unnumbered lot 45 feet wide North of Lot 12 Block 2 Westview Subdivision.
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 J. B. Clapp and wife to Wendell Myers and wife South 75 feet of Lot 12 Block 2 Westview Subdivision.
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 H. A. Keinath and wife to Robert J. Parks and wife West 98.25 feet of East 258.25 feet Block 3 Keinth Acres Addition.

Block 41 Artesia Improvement Company Addition.
 No date was set for the meeting but it was stated it would be held either the first or middle part of September. It is now the last week of the month and there hasn't been even a murmur from Washington.

Roberts Insurance Agency
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Washington Silent On City's Request For Laboratory Base
 Artesia's chances of obtaining a quartermasters corps base laboratory are still undecided. No information has been received from Washington by the Chamber of Commerce as to what action has been taken.
 The deal started rolling July 28. After considerable work, a survey was made, report compiled and submitted and the chamber was informed that Artesia's application, along with that of Cimarron, would

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 5 room house, 2 lots, 1005 Mann, \$7,900.
 New two bedroom house, \$1,000 down at 603 Runyan.
 2 bedroom house, new on Carlsbad Highway, easy terms, \$6,000.
 3 bedroom house, a beauty, some terms, \$12,500.
 3 room house, 912 Bates, \$500 down will handle.
 2 bedroom house with possible rent property on back, terms \$4,750.

WHY PAY RENT when \$500 cash and \$35 per month will handle this 4 room (not modern) house with two extra lots? Pressure system equipped well, good water; chicken houses, lots of shade. Morningside Addition.
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Potpourri—

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It was to be an eclipse of the moon or sun. But this Joe was up on such things and he told the Indians that if they didn't spare him or them—as the case may have been—the moon or the sun—as the case might have been—would be eaten up by a monster.

Even back in those days the fellows who figure out such things knew what they were talking about. And sure enough, just as the white man had said, a shadow started across the face of the moon or the sun. And he was or they were saved, because of the superstitions of the Indians.

And that yarn with its happy ending makes us think about the oil field-potash road.

We feel certain it will be completed—the entire 20 miles of it. And we know that shadows or threats of shadows are being made that perhaps only the south end will be completed, by way of installing fear into us in North Eddy County.

Such things are just like eclipses of the moon or sun. They are over in due course of time.

It seems to be natural for kids to want to sit on the front row at a theater or any other kind of performance. That dates back to the days of the old legit and vaudeville, and probably for centuries before then.

Artesia boys and girls are no different than those anywhere else or of any other generation.

But we'll bet many an Artesia youngster found out Saturday that the movie screen is just as easy to see from the back row as from the front and that perhaps there is more distortion.

For on Saturday morning, about 850 boys and girls attended the "National Kids Day" movie at the Landsun, which meant just about one kid for every seat in the house.

And speaking of kids in the front row, a story last week on the sports page of The Roswell Daily Record—for which only the author thereof should be blamed—said the 40 reserved seat tickets which had been sent to Roswell for the Coyote-Building game Friday of last week had been returned, when it was discovered they were in the front row, just behind a stone wall on which kids are permitted to sit.

Fact of the matter is that three sections were reserved for the visitors from Roswell, on a catch-as-catch-can basis. Which we believe was sporting, as well as being an ample number.

But what tickled us was that some of the Artesia cops who were on duty and trying to keep everybody off the stone wall said they had more trouble keeping the Roswell fans off the wall than anyone else.

Not that there's any connection, but we are reminded of the way we read somewhere the other day: A Washington war is one in which everybody starts shooting from the lip.

Rotarians— (Continued from page one) youth, in which he feels he has contributed to the training of some of them.

W. W. Byers: A number of years ago his hobby was writing verse, later took up a scrapbook as a hobby, clipping interesting articles. He also has a collection of jokes as a hobby. He has an ambition to get to the point where he can beat others at golf on his own terms.

F. L. Green: The study of men in Free Masonry, the study of politics, and honeybee culture.

Dr. D. M. Schneberg: Plays a little golf and has an ambition to break 100.

E. B. Bullock: Earliest hobby was picking cotton, later it was acquiring in-laws. Of recent years it has been to keep physically fit so as to be able to outrun any man in town 50 years old or older. Lately he has also been striving to get outside people to come in to the community with businesses.

Glenn Caskey: One of his earliest hobbies was playing hand instruments, of which he can play nearly

all. Likes to build, and about 10 years ago started an electric train hobby, which he shares now with his son, Bruce.

John A. Mathis, Sr.: Has had so many ups and downs has had little time for hobbies, but has always liked athletics. If he has a hobby, it is to try to do something for somebody which he does not have to do.

Jack John of Roswell, a former member of the Artesia Rotary Club, a guest: Went through raising of rabbits, chickens, and horses, as well as learning to fly, but found them all too costly. Recently he has acquired a motion camera, which he also finds an expensive hobby.

M. G. Schulze: If he has a hobby at present, it is trying to learn to play canasta.

Arba Green: Since 1905, when he and Mrs. Green made a trip to the Northwest to attend Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition they both have visited all of the world's fairs except one. He also has a hobby of making up Rotary meetings and hold the Artesia club record for continuous attendance.

Traveling in general is a hobby. When time ran out, Wood announced the hobbies of other members of the club will be looked into at a later date.

Future—

(Continued on Page Eight) a number of homes there will start next week.

There was considerable discussion about the purchase of chips for the maintenance of the city streets and Mayor Oren C. Roberts recommended that the city should build up a stockpile.

Councilman Bill Yeager, representing the sanitary committee and speaking for Councilman H. D. (Dude) Dunn and Frank Smith and City Supervisor John D. Josey, Jr., recommended that the city purchase a garbage truck body of improved design, which should simplify and speed up the gathering of garbage and trash.

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Movie Shown—

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Guests were Adair Gossett, Carlsbad, New Mexico Junior Chamber of Commerce president, Lee M. Dawler, Amarillo, E. E. Kinney, E. Shockey, W. G. Short, principal of Park School; Jay Exum, John A. Mathis, Superintendent Mayfield, and E. B. Emerson.

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Troop Train Wreck



SITE of the wrecking of a troop train carrying troops of the Pennsylvania National Guard to Camp Atterbury, Ind., is shown on this map. The streamlined Spirit of St. Louis crashed into the rear of the westbound troop train a mile east of West Lafayette, in eastern Ohio.

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

JUAN RODRIGUEZ, Plaintiff, vs. ELENA B. RODRIGUEZ, Defendant. No. 11924

NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO ELENA B. RODRIGUEZ.

GREETINGS: You will take notice that there has been filed in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, a civil action numbered 11924 on the docket of said Court, wherein Juan Rodriguez is Plaintiff and you, Elena B. Rodriguez, are Defendant; that the purpose of said suit is to obtain a divorce from you and that unless you appear, answer or defend herein on or before the 30th day of October, 1950, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed in his Complaint filed herein and judgment will be entered against you in said cause.

The address of Plaintiff is Artesia, New Mexico and William M. Siegenthaler, of Artesia, New Mexico is attorney for Plaintiff.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and placed my official seal this 5th day of September, 1950.

(SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, District Court Clerk. By Bette R. Campbell, Deputy. 72-41-F-78

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF ALEXANDER ST. CLAIR EMMONS, DECEASED. No. 1421

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT OF EXECUTRIX

TO: Mary Carter Emmons, All Unknown Heirs of Alexander St. Clair Emmons, deceased, and All Unknown Persons Claiming Any Lien Upon or Right, Title or Interest in and to the Estate of Said Decedent, Greeting:

Notice is hereby given that Mary Carter Emmons has filed her final account and report as executrix of the above estate, together with her petition for discharge as executrix and the Honorable Xury White, Judge of the Probate Court has set the 23rd day of October, 1950, at the hour of 10:00 A. M. at the Probate Courtroom in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing said final account and report and any objections thereto.

At the same time and place the Probate Court will determine the ownership of his estate, the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof.

Donald S. Bush is the attorney for the executrix and his address is 216 Booker Building, Artesia, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court on this 2nd day of September, 1950.

(SEAL) Mrs. R. A. Wilcox, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Probate Court. R. A. Wilcox, Deputy. 72-41-F-78

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

WILLIAM W. ALVEY, Plaintiff, vs. ELEANOR JEAN ALVEY, Defendant. No. 11895

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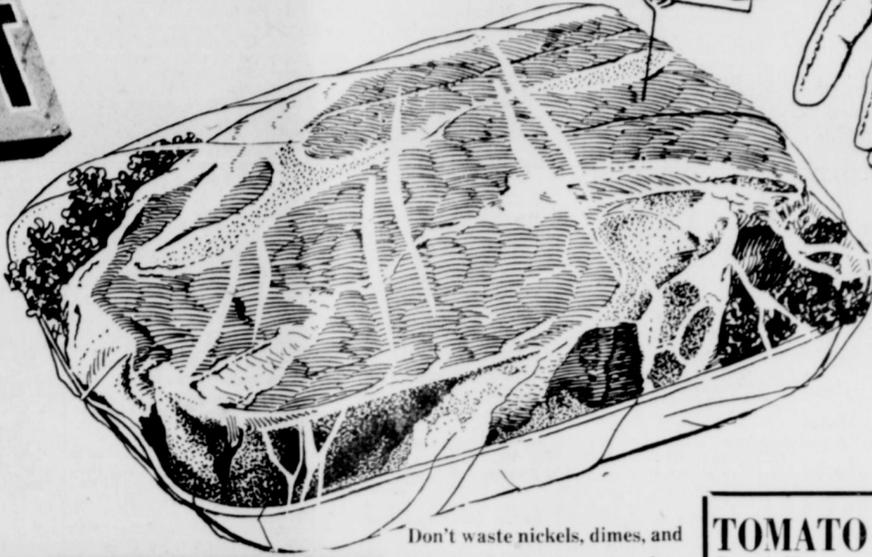
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The address of Plaintiff is Walker Air Force Base, Roswell, New Mexico, and William M. Siegenthaler of Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney for Plaintiff.

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Jello	All Flavors 2 F O R	15c
Tangerine Juice	Seal'd Sweet No. 2 3 F O R	40c
Sauerkraut	Libby's No. 2 2 F O R	25c
Green Beans	Pan Am Cut No. 1 4 F O R	50c
Asparagus	Hunt's Green and White pic.	29c
Prune Juice	Lady Betty quart	33c
Crackers	Premium 2 lb	49c
Multi Flavors	Root Beer, Grape, etc pts 3 F O R	100
Snowdrift	3 lbs	95c
Trend	Large box	19c
Baby Food	Gerber's Strained 3 F O R	27c
Clorox	Pinl	10c
Clorox	Quart	18c
Orange-Ade	Green Spot 46 oz	25c
Spam	12 oz	49c
Wrisley Soap	Asst'm in plastic bag 10 cakes	59c

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BANANAS	GOLDEN RIPE	3 lbs. 27¢
CARROTS	MOUNTAIN	2 bchs. 11¢
LEMONS	CALIFORNIA SUNKIST	lb. 10c
YAMS	MARYLAND	lb. 8c
APPLES	NORTHWEST DELICIOUS	15c
PEACHES		17c



SKIN CREAM	Phillips 30c size	23c
TOOTHPASTE	Febco	50c
LAVORIS	Small size	25c
PEPSODENT TOOTH BRUSHES	Nylon Bristles	49c
LATHER SHAVING CREAM	Colgate 35c size	33c



PASTEURIZED MILK	Bottle or Carton quart	21c
CHEESE TASTY LOAF	Pabst-ett 2 lbs	75c
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EGGS	APC, Jrs. 1 doz.	39c



CHURCHES

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
 Seventh and Grand
 Holy Communion and sermon, first Sunday, 7:30 p. m.
 Regular services, every Sunday except first, 10 a. m.
 Young People's Fellowship, every Sunday, 7 p. m.
 John T. Tinson, minister in charge.

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

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

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

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

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

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

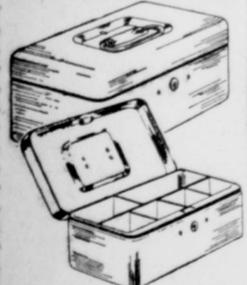
OUR LADY OF GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH
 North Hill
 Mass Sundays, 7 and 9 a. m.
 Spanish sermon.
 Confessions every Saturday, 4 to 5 p. m. and before Mass Sunday mornings.
 Father Stephen Bono, O.M.C., pastor.

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

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

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

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

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

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
 Sunday school at 10 a. m., Sacrament Service, 7:30 p. m., in the basement of the Artesia Hotel. Everyone welcome.

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

CHURCH OF THE CHRISTIAN BROTHERHOOD HOUR
 Sunday school 10 A. M.
 Sunday morning worship 11 A. M.
 Sunday evening service, 7:30 P. M.
 Above services are held in the Artesia Woman's Club Building, 320 West Dallas Avenue.
 D. D. Mauldin, Minister.

MEXICAN BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sunday school, 10 a. m.
 Preaching, sermon by pastor, 11 a. m.
 Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
 Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
 Rev. Donaciano Bejarano, Pastor

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 Fourth and Grand
 Sunday church school, 9:30 a. m.
 Sunday morning worship, 10:15-11 a. m.
 Westminster Youth Fellowship, Sunday, 6 p. m.
 Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
 Women's Association, first Thursday, 2:30 p. m.
 Circles, third Thursday 2:30 p. m.
 Mary Gilbert Circle, third Thursday 7:30 p. m.
 Ralph L. O'Dell, Pastor.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 Fifth and Quay
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
 N.Y.P.S., 7:00 p. m.

Evening worship, 7:45 p. m.
 Wednesday, Prayer meeting, 7:45 p. m.
 Thursday, Sunday School visitation, 7:00 p. m.
 Friday, Young People's prayer meeting, 7:45 p. m.
 First Wednesday in every month, Church board meeting, after prayer meeting.
 First and third Thursdays, Missionary Society, 2 p. m.
 John W. Eppler, Pastor.

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH
 Ninth and Missouri
 Mass Sunday at 7:30 and 9 a. m.
 English sermon.
 Mass week days, 7:30 a. m.
 Confessions every Saturday 7:30 to 8 p. m. and before Mass Sunday mornings.
 Rev. Francis Geary, Pastor.

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

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

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

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

LAKEWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sunday school, 10 a. m.

Preaching service, 11 a. m.
 Evening preaching, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
 Rev. C. H. Murdock, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Eighth and Grand
 Sunday—
 Bible study, 10 a. m.
 Worship, 10:50 a. m.
 Evening service, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday—
 Mid-week service, 7:30 p. m.
 Thursday—
 Ladies Bible class, 2:30 p. m.
 Clem Wesley Hoover, Minister.

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

CHURCH OF GOD
 704 Chisum Street
 Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Worship, 11:00 a. m.
 Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p. m.
 Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
 Y.P.E., Friday, 7:30 p. m.
 The public is invited to attend these services.
 Rev. J. D. Hodges, pastor.

CALVARY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
 Meets in I.O.O.F. Hall, Main Street.
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.
 Preaching, 11 a. m.
 B.T.S., 7 p. m.
 Preaching, 8 p. m.
 Rev. Everett M. Ward, pastor.

UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
 (Services in tent on north highway at Green's Store)
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
 Sunday night services, 7:30 p. m.
 Bible study, Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.
 Young people's services, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.
 Paul J. Wright, pastor.

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Maljamar News

(Mrs. Kenneth Shields)
 Mr. and Mrs. W. W. White had as dinner guests Sunday "Ma" Payne and Rev. and Mrs. W. G. White.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis entertained Rev. and Mrs. Wilson Armstrong and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Farmer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leo and Charles returned from their vacation recently. They visited Mrs. Leo's brother, George Brown and family at Euless, Texas, and Mr. Leo's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John V. Leo, at Hammond, Ind. They did some sightseeing in Chicago. They visited the Shedd Aquarium, went to Chinatown and Mr. Leo saw a big league baseball game between the Yankees and Red Sox. They visited in Mendon, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Maddox. On their way home they visited another brother of Mrs. Leo's, M. F. Brown and Mrs. Brown at Duncan, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Hunter had as houseguests from Saturday to Tuesday, Mrs. Hunter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lee of Skellytown, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kelly had guests Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Cranford and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Watson of Artesia. The group played rummy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. White visited Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Harvey and family at Loco Hills Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. White visited Mr. and Mrs. L. M. James in Albuquerque Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Beals of Lovington were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Blakely Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mason had as houseguests Saturday night their son, Les Mason and family of Roswell. The group went to Cloudcroft Sunday.

The Maljamar Recreation Club held a business meeting at the Son Taylor barn Tuesday evening. It was announced that the oil companies will build a building and furnish it for the club. It is to begin within the next two weeks. The contract for the building has been let. The club had to be incorporated for this transaction, so the name of the club is now Maljamar Recreation Club, Inc. The building is to be made of concrete blocks, located just south of the Texas-New

Mexico Pipe Line Company camp. The building will be approximately 30 x 60 feet.

The Women's Missionary Society met at the church Tuesday. The new officers were elected for the coming year. They are: President, Mrs. Herbert C. Hunter; treasurer and stewardship chairman, Mrs. W. G. White; community mission chairman, Mrs. Oscar Doughty; secretary, Mrs. Kenneth Shield; young people's leader, Mrs. Weston Mills; first vice president, "Ma" Payne; second vice president, Mrs. John Farmer; social chairman, Mrs. Walter W. White; Bible study, Mrs. Artise O. Vowell.

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Less unemployment than any other area in the state is the current record of Eddy and Chaves Counties, according to a letter received here by Bob Koonce, manager of Artesia Chamber of Com-

merce, from Benjamin D. Luchini, chairman and executive director of the New Mexico Employment Security Commission, Albuquerque. Chairman Luchini's letter was in response to a communication asking questions on unemployment compensation and was dated Sept. 22.

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By Thomas J. Mabry GOVERNOR

"If we engage in recriminations about the past we may well lose the future." —Winston Churchill.

Because of recent discussion regarding the property reassessment survey, it is perhaps timely to review events leading up to enactment of this law.

The measure was wholly non-political and non-partisan in nature and had practically the unanimous support of the Legislature as well as such groups as the New Mexico Taxpayers' Association, the New Mexico Cattle Growers' Association, and a special tax advisory group composed of outstanding citizens of the state.

The purpose of the measure was not, as some people think, to raise assessments, but it was to equalize property tax assessments and to place millions of dollars of property on the tax rolls which had previously escaped assessment altogether.

The 1947 Legislature passed Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 requesting the governor to name a committee of citizens representing various industries to work with the finance and revenue committees of the House and Senate in working out various tax and revenue problems. As a result of this joint resolution, I named a committee composed of outstanding citizens, without regard to political affiliation. Prominent individuals of both parties were included.

Here is the entire membership of the committee: Earl Moulton, chairman, and J. E. Owens of Bernalillo County, Floyd Lee of Valencia County, A. D. Brownfield of Luna County, Donaciano Rodriguez and J. A. Sweet of Dona Ana County, Albert Mitchell of Harding County, J. O. Seth, Rupert Asplund, Frank Ortiz y Davis, Dan Taichert, Oscar Huber and Earl McDonald of Santa Fe County, Hiram Dow of Chaves County, E. C. Crampton of Colfax County, Raymond Huff of Union County, C. D. Smotherman of Eddy County, and David W. Boise of Grant County.

On March 10, this committee submitted a report to the governor and to the Legislature, which contained the sentence, "Again we urge enactment of a law to make

possible a realistic and equalized assessment of the property of the state."

It was pointed out by persons interested in the re-assessment that the total taxable valuation of the state was over 403 million dollars back in 1920. Yet, despite the state's growth and the vast amount of new building and industrial development, the taxable valuation decreased to a low point of 282 million dollars in 1935 and slowly rose to only 383 million dollars by 1946! There was obviously something wrong with our tax assessment methods.

It simply did not make sense that with the great growth in population and wealth in New Mexico that our total property valuation for tax purposes was 20 million dollars less in 1946 than it was 26 years earlier! Some were escaping taxation and others were carrying an unfair burden.

This survey is not perfect, of course. Nothing has troubled the state and local governments over the years more than the problem of finding the formula for fair and equitable real and personal property taxation. But if by the survey we have gotten millions of dollars worth of hidden or omitted property on the tax rolls, have straightened out property descriptions and double assessments, and have generally equalized the tax burden on homes and business properties of our people, we have made progress.

The local equalization boards can straighten out any inequities appearing from the general survey, and there must be many. But, we don't burn the barn to kill the rats. The important thing to remember, however, is that the greater the value of property on the tax rolls, the lower the tax rate for all of us should be.

Our Republican friends will have difficulty making a political issue out of this tax survey. Any such effort will surely kick back, since it was largely the Republican leadership in the state which really gave the Democratic Legislature the thought which inspired this honest effort at tax equalization.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Number of application RA-1296-A Santa Fe, N. M., September 13, 1950.

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of August, 1950, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the

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Session Laws of 1931, J. W. Vandiver of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change location of well and place of use of 120 acre feet per annum of the shallow ground waters of the Roswell Artesian Basin by abandoning the use of Wells Nos. RA-1296, RA-1296-S and RA-1296-S-2, located in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4, the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 and the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 23, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the irrigation of 40 acres of land described as follows: Subdivision NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 23, Township 18 S., Range 26 E., Acres 40.

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly det-

for the irrigation of 40 acres of land described as follows: Subdivision NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 10, Township 18 S., Range 26 E., Acres 40.

No additional rights over and above those set forth in License No. RA-1296, RA-1296-S and RA-1296-S-2 are contemplated under this application.

Wells RA-1296, RA-1296-S and RA-1296-S-2 to be retained for the irrigation of other lands having valid rights.

Appropriation of water from all sources combined not to exceed 3 acre feet per acre per annum delivered upon the land.

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly det-

rimonial to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be taken up for consideration by the State Engineer on that date, being on or about the 23rd day of October, 1950.

JOHN H. BLISS
State Engineer
76-31-F-78

TRICKY QUICKY

A man lent a friend \$60, telling him to repay it in such sums as might suit his convenience. Shortly afterward the friend made a payment on account. His second payment was half as much as the first; his third three-quarters as much; his fourth one-quarter as much; and his fifth two-fifths as much. It was then found that he still owed \$2.

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Report Those Cases

THERE IS PROBABLY CONSIDERABLE that we can do as employers to halt the abuse, which is being practiced in our state in drawing or collecting unemployment compensation. We have pointed out before that as employers we should always file a notice of separation when an employee leaves our employment. In this we must give the reason why he or she left.

This notice must be filed in three weeks—if not, the state department doesn't accept it.

Then in addition to this we must fill out and file all forms or notices we receive regarding former employees applying for unemployment compensation. And we must advise whether this applicant was a former employe of ours.

We recently heard of a case where an application had been made not once but three times on a firm for which the applicant was never employed.

But there is another way we can report various cases to the commission and this is by reporting anyone receiving the compensation payments, who is offered a job and refuses to take the job. Far too often individuals offer work to someone but the persons offered the jobs are drawing unemployment compensation and they prefer to receive this to actually working.

We can appreciate the fact that the commission can only know about these incidents when they are reported to them. We can appreciate the fact they can only halt these practices if and when we will give them the information they must have in order to halt such abuse of the state program.

We are still of the opinion, however, that a complete and thorough check should be made on every application for unemployment compensation before it is granted. We believe the commission has just as great a responsibility to protect the employer's fund as they have to see that the employe entitled to receive compensation does receive it.

And up to the present time, of course, this has not been the case. As employer we should give our co-operation and then we should demand the same co-operation be given by the commission.—O.E.P.

Selling Job Needed

FOR YEARS NOW there has been a deliberate effort made on the part of those we have chosen or elected to conduct our governmental affairs to convince us this is their business and they should be privileged and permitted to do as they please.

They have gone to great lengths in their efforts to discourage us from checking into their activities; checking into our own affairs; and of becoming informed about how our business is being run.

This, we say, has been the case with many of our public servants. We have, of course, had those good and loyal servants who have never forgotten they were working for the citizens and the taxpayers and who have been more than considerate of them. They have been and are always willing for the taxpayers to know how their business is being operated.

But it has about reached the point now where the public has a job of selling their public servants and their public officials on the idea these folks are working for them and it is their business how they conduct the affairs of these offices and how they run the business matters which are those of the taxpayers.

Maybe as citizens and taxpayers we could put forth just as much effort as the office holders have put forth and convince them we are interested in our affairs; we want to know how they are being run; and we are going to check into them every now and then.

And if we can't do that and aren't privileged to do it then it is about time we make some changes in those we have chosen to run our business for us.

It has always been interesting to us to watch some of those who are criticized for the way things are being done. They squirm considerably and then make an effort to throw up a smoke screen. And the next step, of course, is to accuse those digging into the public's business of checking into something which is none of their business, handicapping the program in progress or only criticizing.

We have felt for a good many years that it is about time the Americans tell the public office holders they are only hired hands being paid to operate the public's business in the manner prescribed by law and that best serves the public.—O.E.P.

October 9 Deadline

OCTOBER 9 is the last day on which individuals who are not registered can qualify to vote in the November election.

If you are not registered—you only have until Oct. 9 to qualify to vote.

And if you do not register between now and that date, if you are not already registered, you cannot go to the polls and cast your ballot. People have been urged to register since prior to the primary election. Many individuals, of course, did register at that time. Many have registered since that date.

But the fact will remain that on the morning of Nov. 7 there will be those who admit they cannot go vote because they forgot to go register.

It does not matter how many times it is mentioned between now and Oct. 9 there will still be those who are eligible to qualify to register yet they will fail to do so.

They will put off from today until tomorrow and from tomorrow until the next day until time has run out on them. And when the election day arrives they may want to vote even more than they do today but they will not be qualified because they neglected to register.

To be eligible to register, of course, individuals must be 21 years of age; have resided in the state one year; the county 90 days; and the precinct where they live for 30 days.

It only takes a few minutes for an individual to qualify if they will register now. But the longer they delay the longer it will require to register because there will be others ahead of them.

It is time, of course, that all Americans become eligible to vote and then to go and cast that ballot. It is time as Americans we not only become interested in our government but that we show a greater interest in those we elect to public office to serve us. The only way we can do this is by going to the polls and casting our ballot.

We are only privileged to go to the polls and vote if and provided we are registered.

The deadline for registering is Oct. 9. Are you registered? If not then do so before Oct. 9.—O.E.P.

HOW LONG WILL THIS 'WARSCARE' LAST?



What Other Editors Are Saying

A PAVED ROAD TO JAL

Carlsbad political leaders, the Chamber of Commerce and other groups would do well, in our opinion, to get together and press for action on an improved highway between Jal and Carlsbad.

The people of Jal have been urging such a highway for some time, and civic leaders of that town have come to Carlsbad to work for such a route. Such a road would be advantageous to Carlsbad as it would be to Jal. Perhaps more so. It would cut the distance from Jal to Carlsbad by about 30 miles, and would undoubtedly result in improved trade relations between the two points.

And it would also open a new route to the Caverns from the Midland, Texas, area, by way of Carlsbad.

This proposed highway is of sufficient importance to merit joint action by all civic groups here and at Jal.—Carlsbad Current-Argus.

RAT INFESTATION

Communities concerned with rat infestation and control should not overlook the experience of Fairmont, W. Va., in the throes of a strike by city garbage collectors.

Thousands of hungry rats, their supply of food cut off at the municipal garbage dump, swarmed over the city. One man clubbed 40 to 50 of them to death in an effort to save his back yard garden, finally was forced indoors. Police watched helplessly as hundreds of the rodents stripped the man's garden.

On a federal highway near the toadless dump it was estimated a thousand rats were killed by passing automobile. The animals were savage in their raids for food. Citizens were afraid to approach the dump for personal disposal of their garbage.

Rats, of course, bear typhus and other diseases and are potential carriers of bubonic plague, which already has a foothold among forest rodents in this country.

The situation in Fairmont could be repeated in thousands of American towns and cities where modern methods of garbage disposal are lacking. Townspeople ought to look around them. If their communities are harboring great rat populations as garbage disposal agents they should demand a clean-up and adoption of at least the relatively inexpensive trenching and land fill method of burying the rats' food supply. Combined with rat-proofing of business buildings, also relatively inexpensive, and continuing extermination practices, any community can keep the rodents to a minimum.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

"PREVENTIVE WAR"—IS IT JUSTIFIED?
For the first time in American history, men in high places as well as the man on the street, are talking about our waging a "preventive war."

In the past, it always has been traditional for Uncle Sam to let the aggressor strike the first blow. Then he falls back, rearmates, and starts pushing ahead until the enemy is licked.

But this time many Americans are shouting that

there's no sense in our waiting around until Russia gets strong and bold enough to deliver a terrible Sunday punch—a blow that might set us back so seriously we simply would have the time or energy to recover.

They point out that Russia's ultimate intentions are to dominate the world with their Godless Communist philosophy. The Reds will accomplish their aims, they claim, through all sorts of underhanded means if they are allowed to do so. They must be stopped now, by force, or all is lost, is the contention.

The "preventive war" advocates also maintain that war today is not like wars of the past century. No more does war have to be "declared." It can be going on at full force while the very nations involved are shouting "peace, peace."

For all practical purposes the United States and Russia already are at war, these men claim. Russia is fighting us through the United Nations and by means of a dangerous underground network of spies. We should realize that fact and retaliate with A-bombs and jet planes, they say.

At first thought the idea of Uncle Sam striking the first open blow seems morally wrong. But further investigation makes a man wonder. If he were being cussed and shoved around by a bully on the street, would he continually "take it" until the other fellow finally put on his brass knuckles and knocked him flat? That, on a small scale, is the "preventive war" argument on a large scale.

One important point that the "preventive war" advocates seem to miss, however, is that the enmity between the U.S. and Russia actually is a conflict between two basic philosophies—Democracy versus Communism, Freedom versus Control, Religion versus Atheism.

You can't kill a philosophy with bullets and bombs. Our main task, as the leading nation of the world, is to prove by example that our form of democracy and freedom has more to offer the individual than Russia's form of state control and regimentation. Since World War II, we've lost ground because we haven't tried hard enough to "sell" our way of life to the peoples of Europe and Asia.

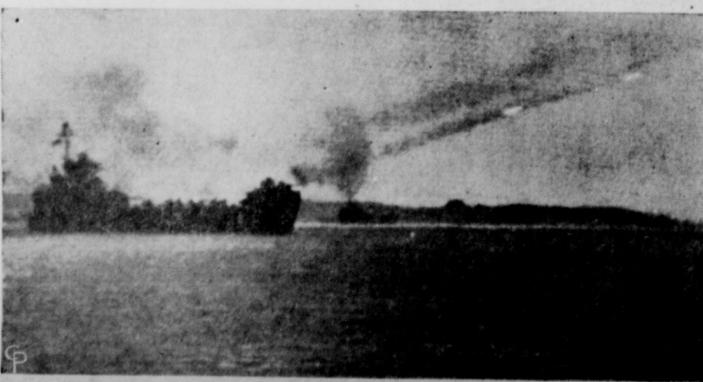
On the other hand, Russia's propaganda machine has been turning out sweet promises and anti-American baloney 24 hours a day. We must arm ourselves with words and "sell" our democracy throughout the world—before our time runs out.

Striking the first open blow against Russia wouldn't be very good advertising for a peace-loving democracy—no matter what the reasons.—Seymour (Mo.) Citizen.

You wonder sometimes why some of the candidates for office don't promise to do something about the early-morning lawnmower addict.—Wichita Falls Times.

The way the politicians are out to cut the luxury tax on nightclub checks, you would think that (1) the nightclub vote is very large, or (2) the legislators spend a lot of money in nightclubs, or (3) they think the tax is hurting a great American industry.—Kingsport (Tenn.) Times.

SCREAMING ROCKETS COVER INVASION AT INCHON



FIRE BY AN LST covering the invasion of Inchon, South Korea, by United States Marines, rockets scream through the sky toward the Communist-held west coast mainland. (International Soundphoto)

Assignment New Mexico

By G. Ward Fenley

It is a never ending task trying to accomplish the self-appointed job of keeping New Mexico news editors on an even keel.

Last week that charming gent who edits The Grants Beacon, Wayne Winters, said he was trying to get up enough courage to change Cy Rouse's name to Cy Souze. He didn't wait long to find the intestinal fortitude for in the same Sept. 14 issue he wrote: "Cy Souze, chairman of the West Valencia Savings Bond . . . etc."

In a letter to The Clayton News, Oscar F. Craig wrote: "I have always wanted my flowers while I was living so that I could enjoy their fragrance and beauty . . ." He probably wouldn't, cold.

We have a potent suspicion that the following news not occurred in The Cruces Citizen and not where Homer Gruver alleged it was printed (in a New York paper): "He was charged with violating the section of the penal code making it a felony to accept a bride." Too bad to have to be a bachelor to hold public office.

And the University of New Mexico reported last week that Greer Garson would have a white calf at the State Fair. Interesting to say the least.

Rash of Typos
E. N. Pooley hung his needle, I mean pen, last week on the record of typos happening here, there and everywhere. From The Claremore, (Okla.) Progress: "The Women's Society met in the church parlors. Thirty women were present." Could be, we were not there.

The Greenville (Texas) Banner: "Downstairs bedroom, adjoining bath. George if desired."

San Francisco Chronicle: "Cooking and cleaning. A-1 experience. Honest, all or part-time."

Greensburg (Pa.) Morning Review: "Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Elder entertained 25 little gusts at their home yesterday."

Cincinnati Post: "The baby has two half brothers, aged 59 and 57, and several great-grand-nephews, all older than he is."

While on the subject of odd events, this department wrote last Friday that the UNM team would play seven sophomores in the Flagstaff game Saturday. It came out in The Albuquerque Journal that the UNM team "would field even sophomores against Flag." Guess the odd boys lost out.

Male Fans
The Santa Fe News has forwarded this old bald-headed professor a couple of fan letters from gentlemen thousands of miles apart. In a swanky envelope from 37 Cours Henri, Lyon 3, France, an M. H. Hoogland wrote last week: "What did you mean in your Assignment New Mexico when you said the 'occupants of the car took shelter in a fling taw owd'?"

Aside to M. Hoogland: "Je ne sais pas, monsieur. C'estait un faux pas (comme nous disons en Anglais, 'fox pass'), un melange de mots par l'homme qui opere les machines."

Then a Mr. J. L. Smith from Norman Wells, NWT, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, wants to know about the same thing: "Are those words 'fling taw owd' some sort of new American idiom?"

No, Mr. Smith. That's just the way we read proof on newspaper copy in New Mexico. It occurred in The Tucuman City News—pronounced Two-come-carry and popularly referred to as Tucum (Two-come).

Incidentally, this monsieur Hoogland collects revolvers. He wants revolvers, single action Army Colts (Frontier), side rod ejector, Model 171. If any of our readers have the same hobby, please write to the French gentleman.

And in Conclusion
That's all this week except the ad in The Yakima (Wash.) Herald: "New hospital plan sweeps Yakima. Entire family protected against sickness, accidents, and childbirth."

Farm Briefs

The 1950 Dairy Herd Improvement Association proved sire list is now available from the Bureau of Dairy Industry of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. This year's list is the 14th one since the nationwide sire-proving program was begun in 1935. It includes information on 4356 bulls.

The purpose of the proved-sire program is to "prove" as fully as possible the breeding value of all sires used in dairy-herd-improvement association herds and to make this information available to all dairy farmers and cattle breeders.

The temperature of the freshly laid egg is above 100 degrees and if quality is to be maintained, rapid and thorough cooling of the fresh eggs is a must. Eggs will cool from 100 degrees to 50 degrees in three hours when they are spread out on a wire tray. It will take five hours for them to cool if held in a wire basket, 12 hours if held in solid pails and 18 to 20 hours if held in an egg case.

Do cattle recover from brucellosis? What percentage of infected cows abort more than once? In reply to the first question, authorities in the Bureau of Animal Industry of the U.S. Department of Agriculture say: "Although some brucella-infected cattle may

Inside WASHINGTON

MARCH OF EVENTS

No Wage Freeze Seen Probable Until January

Steelworkers Will Ask Pay Boost This Year

Special to Central Press

WASHINGTON—Washington insiders are betting that there will be no government wage freeze ordered until after the first of the year, at the earliest.

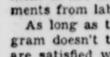
No administration move in this direction is expected until CIO President Philip Murray has an opportunity to get a pay boost for his million steelworkers.

The auto industry has set the pace with a 10-cent-an-hour wage hike and Murray will launch negotiations with "big steel" in November to apply the pattern to his members.

However, the showdown probably won't come until the end of the year. The steelworkers cannot strike to enforce their demands until Dec. 31.

A government price-wage freeze before spring would ostensibly leave John L. Lewis and his United Mine Workers out in the cold, since their contract is not renewable until next April 1.

But Lewis shattered the "little steel" wage freeze formula of World War II and you can bet he is not going to be deterred by any such yardstick this time in getting more pay for the miners.



John L. Lewis

NO "NO STRIKE" PLEDGES—The government is not likely to seek any "no strike" pledge or other commitments from labor for some time to come.

As long as the fighting is confined to Korea and the defense program doesn't take any larger share of the national output, officials are satisfied with "normal" labor-management relations.

It would take the pressure of a full-scale emergency to induce both labor and management to surrender their customary freedoms and join in an all-out production pledge with strikes barred. Both sides would then have to bow to government price and wage fixing.

If the fighting against the Communists should spread, however, President Truman can be expected to summon a national labor-management conference to gear the production front to a supreme effort.

The government probably would have little difficulty in obtaining a no-strike pledge from the CIO, AFL, railroad brotherhoods and the machinists.

John L. Lewis and his miners most likely would balk at such a pledge, however, and there also would be a serious problem of dealing with the 11 left-wing unions booted out of the CIO for pro-Communist leanings.

Lewis, a strong anti-Communist, didn't give up the strike weapon in World War II, but he contends—with some substance—that the mine strikes never were allowed to go to the extent of impairing defense output through lack of coal.

PARADOX—Senate Democratic Leader Scott W. Lucas of Illinois has enlisted the help of his colleague, former Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson, in an attempt to anore the farm vote in his hot campaign for re-election.

Anderson's speeches in Illinois, presumably okayed in advance by Lucas, contained some pointed criticism of the price support program advocated by Agriculture Secretary Charles F. Brannan and endorsed by President Truman.

Lucas supposedly will be re-named majority leader if he is returned to Congress—minority leader if the GOP takes over Senate control.

His post automatically commits him to shepherd Administration-backed legislation through the Senate.

Yet Anderson's speeches brand him as an opponent of one of the administration's pet schemes—the Brannan Plan.

Everybody knows that Lucas and Anderson, now a senator from New Mexico, worked together in driving through the present farm law with its flexible scale of price supports which so irks Brannan.

However, it is strange to see one of Mr. Truman's lieutenants in Congress frankly make a campaign issue of opposing one of his boss' projects.

It has been observed that infected cows may abort once, produce normal calves for four or five years and then abort again without further exposure to infection.

This typical behavior induces many stockmen to believe that they have obtained relief from abortion by using supposed remedies. As yet no specific cure has been found for brucellosis in animals, although progress is rapidly being made in the use of antibiotics (such as sul reomycin) to cure undulant fever, the human form of brucellosis.

Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

THE ingenuity of the American business man cannot be exaggerated. One young man, for instance, approached Bernard Baruch with the idea of opening a brokerage office in the Empire State Building.

With part of the office in the lobby and the other part on the 100th floor. He explained: "With this set-up, a customer can put in an order to buy a stock in the lobby, then take the elevator and sell on the 100th floor. This will assure him of getting in at the bottom and selling out near the top."

Another bright young man suggested a new sales service that would equip all private cars in Scotland with taxicab meters, thereby enabling the owners to watch the meters mount up and enjoy the thought of how much money they are continuously saving.

I don't say these ideas have been adopted; I merely claim they are ingenious.

If you have a friend who might be improved by a touch of humility, try quoting to him this Chinese proverb: "The sea, by lying low, receives all the waters of the world."

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YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT

Central Press Writer

THOSE PHILLIES must be popular fellows, indeed! Just look at all those folks—the Red Sox, Tigers and Yankees—who are knocking each other out for the right to visit 'em in Shibe Park come October.

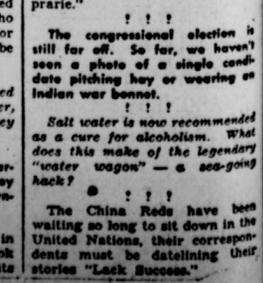
A Georgia burglar disguised himself as a plumber. However, it seems a cop threw a monkey wrench into his plans.

Financiers may corner the market but it's the smart newsboy who markets the corner—a downtown one, naturally.

The China Reds have been waiting so long to sit down in the United Nations, their correspondents must be detailing their stories "Lack Success."

Salt water is now recommended as a cure for alcoholism. What does this make of the legendary "water wagon"—a sea-going hack?

That 500,000-acre ranch in British Columbia intrigues Zedok Dumkopf who wonders if its



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Central European Family Built Fortune on Monopoly in Stamps

By C. Gottfried Finke

Thurin-Taxis is one of my favorite countries. At one time it was part of the German Empire.

Seventy per cent of Germany at one time was served by the Thurin-Taxis mail service.

Back in the 14th century after a great battle in Italy, a noble was crowned a prince and the House of Thurin-Taxis was established. Through the years that followed up to 1851, the house had one of the biggest monopolies of mail service in the world.

Look in any stamp catalog and you will find Thurin-Taxis stamps listed, but there was no country of that name.

The stamps are recognized as letters by Scott for Germany where they were used to the greatest extent.

Before the issue of stamps the letters were circulated through Central Europe.

A prince of House of Thurin and Taxis thought it would be wise if someone would furnish coaches and sleighs and deliver the mail over this territory so he started this service.

As early as 1600 through their service they began to acquire small principalities, states, provinces, and cities dotting the country.

By 1818 they owned almost as much land as Kaiser Wilhelm. Today they still own a large part of that land. In 1812, the king of Bavaria, because of the good service of the mail gave to them castle at Regensburg, in Bavaria, situated on the Danube river in what was about the center of the territory they served.

Headquarters Established

Here was established the main headquarters for the Thurin-Taxis post. Today if you were to go to Regensburg you will find in the museum at the castle of the prince of Thurin-Taxis, luckily not damaged by World War II, 80 of the coaches and sleighs used in this service.

As I said before over the years they acquired land with the money services rendered. This included many castles. In 1851 they issued their first stamps. Then in 1852 the North German postal district made an agreement with the prince at that time for government control of the main.

This was followed in 1872 by

oly by using the postal service as a base to start. So you see there is a story behind every stamp if you take a little time to study and collect them.

Next I will deal on the subject of interest to all Boy and Girl Scouts, that is Scouting on the postage stamps of the world.

Colbert in 'Three Came Home' Is True War Story

Claudette Colbert in "Three Came Home" will be the attraction at the Landsun Theater Sunday through Tuesday.

Miss Colbert, whose triumphs in comedy and romantic dramas are more familiar, essays one of her infrequent straight dramatic parts in "Three Came Home."

The role is that of Agnes Newton Keith, writer, who with her family is captured by the Japanese invading North Borneo during the early days of the Pacific war. Interned in a Jap prison camp throughout the war, Mrs. Keith undergoes brutality and savagery that test a woman's mettle and try her courage. There is a happy ending in family reunion to Mrs. Keith's true, brave story.

With the long-celebrated star to be seen a number of important players. Patric Knowles has the male lead. Also featured are two unusual players—a new face in comedienne-singer Florence Desmond, who enters films in quite a different mood, and an old face in

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NOTICE

State Engineer's Office

Number of Application RA-1144 Santa Fe, N. M. September 13, 1950.

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of August, 1950, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Charles R. Martin of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change location of well and place of use of 120 acre feet per annum of the Artesian waters of the Roswell Artesian Basin by abandoning the use of well No. RA-1144, located in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 10, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., for the irrigation of 40 acres of land described as follows: Subdivision NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 10, Township 18 S., Range 26 E., Acres 40.

and drilling a new well 10 inches in diameter and approximately 750 feet in depth at a point in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 23, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., for the irrigation of 40 acres of land described as follows: Subdivision NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 23, Township 18 S., Range 26 E., Acres 40.

No additional rights over and above those set forth in Declaration No. RA-1144 are contemplated under this application.

Appropriation of water from all sources combined not to exceed 3 acre feet per acre per annum delivered upon the land.

Old well to be plugged.

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

that date, being on or about the 23rd day of October, 1950.

JOHN H. BLISS,
State Engineer.
76-31-F-30

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, Bureau of Land Management, Washington 25, D. C.

Notice is hereby given that the lands listed herein are offered through sealed bids on terms hereinafter specified, to qualified bidders of the highest cash amounts per acre as a bonus for the privilege of leasing the lands under sec. 17 of the Leasing Act of February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437, 30 U.S.C. sec. 181), as amended. All bids must be submitted to the Director, Bureau of Land Management, Washington 25, D. C., on or before 1 p. m. of the date set out herein. Each bidder must submit with the bid one-fifth of the amount bid in cash or by certified check on a solvent bank or by money order made payable to the order of the Treasurer of the United States, and file the showing of qualifications to receive a lease required under 43 CFR 192.42(a) (2) and (3) Circular 1730. The envelopes should be plainly marked that they are not to be opened before the date and hour set out herein, and should show the number of the parcel and the name of the field. No bids received after the hour fixed herein for receiving bids will be considered. The remainder of the bonus and the annual rental must be paid and an acceptable surety bond in the sum of at least double the amount of rental, but in no case less than \$1,000 nor more than \$5,000, must be furnished by a successful bidder prior to the issuance of a lease. An acceptable \$5,000 surety bond will be required prior to commencing drilling operations on the land. The deposits of the other bidders will be returned upon acceptance of the successful bids. Bidders are warned against violation of section 1860, Title 18, U.S. Code, prohibiting unlawful combination or intimidation of bidders. The right is re-

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