

Tomorrow's the day when youngsters have a chance to show off their new Western clothes. The best entry in the kids' division of the V-J Day Rodeo parade receives a check for \$10.

THE ARTESIA ADVOCATE

Artesia's First Newspaper—Founded in 1903

Partly cloudy today, tonight and Wednesday with possible afternoon or evening thundershowers. Little change in temperature. Low tonight 67, high Wednesday 93. Low last night 63, high yesterday 80.

Four-Day Rodeo Opens Wednesday With Big Parade, Queen Ceremonies

Contest Begins at 7:30 Every Night in Arena

Rodeo comes to Artesia in a big parade for four days starting tomorrow as the city dons festive dress for the fourth annual Artesia V-J Day Ranch Hands Rodeo.

Events from the traditional parade to barbecue, dancing, and coronation of a queen will highlight the fiesta like occasion.

Rodeo performances are scheduled all four nights at 7:30 p. m., beginning with a grand entry each night.

Here's a roundup on rodeo plans they now stand:

PARADE—Scheduled for 4 p. m., Wednesday, the big parade has 12 floats entered in it. Its route will start at Second and Quay, go down Main, then out Main to thirteenth. Highlight will be the kids' float. Five contestants in the queen contest will be featured.

BARBECUE—Immediately after the parade Artesia veterans will be serving a barbecue at Veterans Memorial building. For \$1 passes will get all the meat, onions, other fixings they can accommodate.

RODEO PERFORMANCE—Preparations have been made for parking and for reserve seats at the big show. Tickets are on sale, and reserve seats are available at 50 cents each. The rodeo begins with the grand parade and coronation of the 1954 queen. Its events including mugging, bareback and saddle bronc riding, bull riding, calf roping, open barrel racing, junior barrel racing, junior ribbon roping, open and novice cutting horse events.

DANCING—Dancing is planned four nights immediately following the rodeo. It will begin about 8 p. m. at Veterans Memorial building. Admission, charged men only, \$1. Music will be by the four-piece Sagebrusher band of Carlsbad.

QUEEN CONTEST—One of five contestants competing in the Rodeo Queen Contest will be announced tomorrow in coronation ceremonies. The contestants are Verna Pounds, Kay Ingram, Michele Ruppert, Marilyn Runyan, and Sylvia Her Majesty will be crowned by Miss Sally Sears and Miss Clayton, rodeo queens of 1952 and 1953 respectively. In addition to prizes contributed by local merchants awaits her. Bidding closes at 2 p. m. tomorrow.

The rodeo is produced by Bob Homan and sponsored by Artesia Rodeo club as a strictly amateur event without benefit of Rodeo Association of America endorsement. Rodeo fans this year will see an enlarged and strengthened arena, featuring such new additions as stock pens and welded steel pens for stock.

Admission is \$1.10 for adults, 50 cents for reserve seats, and 50 cents for youngsters 12 to 16 years. Youngsters under 12 will be admitted free, 16 and over charged 50 cents. The prices have been cut under the 1953 level through federal tax reductions.

Twelve Floats Are Entered in Rodeo Parade Tomorrow

The big parade which heralds opening of Artesia's four-day V-J Day Ranch Hands Rodeo celebration will include 12 floats, a parade of beauties and kids all over the place.

Bill J. Duke, parade marshal, said the parade will begin promptly at 4 p. m. tomorrow.

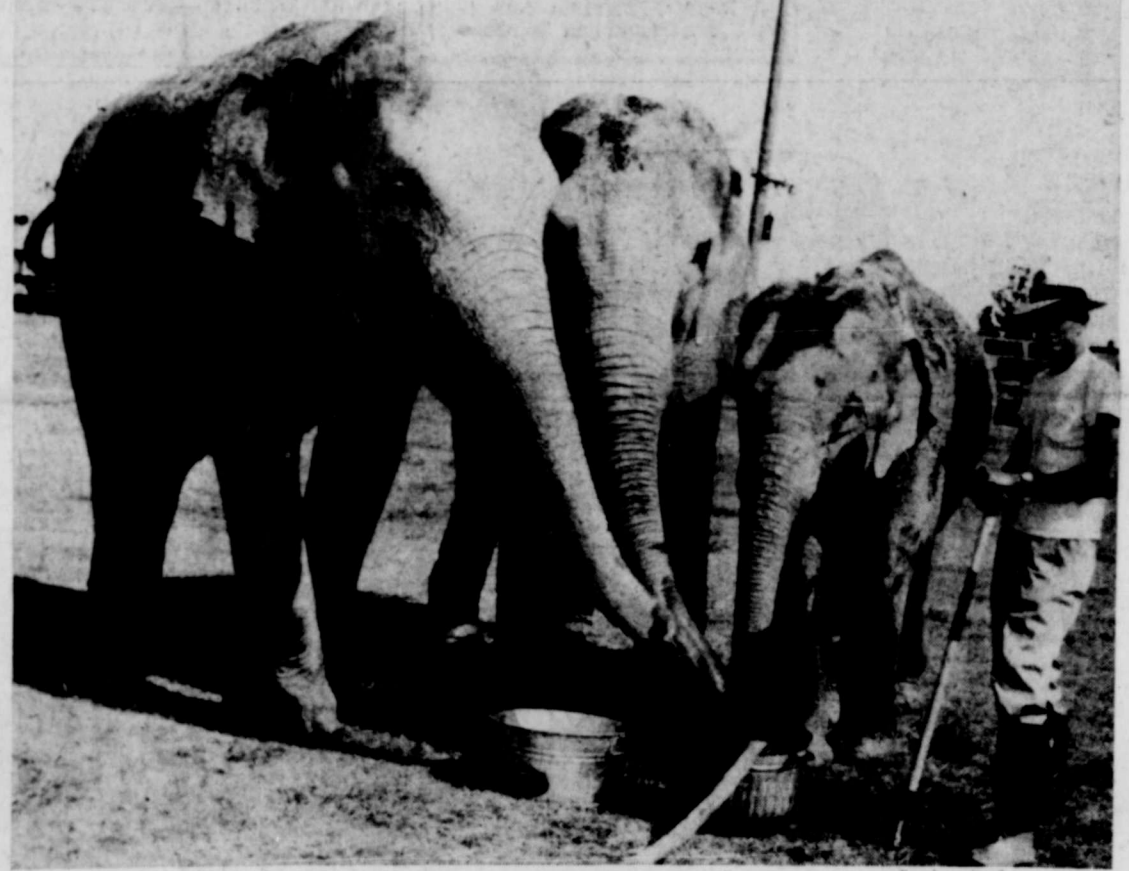
The parade will form at 3:30 on Second Street and Quay and Missouri. Moving down Second, it will go up to thirteenth.

Prizes include \$10 and \$5 for top two in the kids' division. The division prizes include \$50, \$20 and \$20 checks.

Prizes said entries can be re-registered for the parade until 5 p. m. More commercial floats are being entered by the marshal said. Prizes are awarded by the Artesia Chamber of Commerce.



Posing with Artesia Shrine officials is Gil Gray, owner of Big Shrine circus second from left. With him are, left to right, W. D. Fowler, city engineer; Marshall Rowley, and T. C. Williams of Artesia Shrine club, sponsors of highly popular circus. Kids matinee at 3:15 and final show at 8:15 today are scheduled. (Advocate Photo)



THAT'S A FIRE hose leading into pails being used for refreshment by thirsty elephants, part of the big Gil Gray Shrine Circus which last night held the first of three performances scheduled for Artesia. (Advocate Photo)

Boys Ranch Seeks To Pay Back Bills

PORTALES (AP)—Though there's "a lot of rehabilitation that must be done" the first \$47,000 New Mexico's Boys' Ranch receives will go towards paying off long-standing debts.

Walter C. Huey says he has detailed plans of just what will be done when and if the money for the institution starts coming in. Any money that comes from a

fund raising drive that is now being conducted will first go towards paying off debts, he said. The goal is set at \$75,000. Debts of \$47,000 are owed.

Any money over that owed will be used toward rehabilitating the physical facilities of the institution for wayward boys and "putting more land under cultivation."

"There's lots of rehabilitation that must be done to the plant itself," he said. "The buildings badly need repainting and refurbishing. And we have one building that construction hasn't been completed on. That needs to be finished."

Hubbard said that 133 acres of land on the ranch are now under cultivation. A total of about 800 can be irrigated. He said the other land must be leveled before it can be used, however.

Moisture-Laden Gulf Air Brings Showers to State

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Moisture-laden air rolling up from the Gulf of Mexico today brought forecasts of rains for most of New Mexico.

The forecast is for rain—not showers. What the district weather bureau expects—and is already getting at mid-morning in many places—is a slow, soaking condition of more general nature than the spotted showers of the past few weeks. It's the first such forecast issued by the bureau in weeks.

The rains for the most part started shortly after midnight with most of the bureau's reporting stations recording some moisture by early today.

The condition should continue through tomorrow.

And there's the added advantage, the forecasters said, of possibilities for additional thunderstorms and showers in the southeast corner of the state.

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Wife of Senator Chavez Recovers From Pneumonia
WASHINGTON (AP)—Mrs. Dennis Chavez, wife of Sen. Chavez (D-NM), is recovering from an attack of pneumonia at George Washington hospital.

U.S. Demands Red Answer On A-Plan

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of State Dulles said today the United States, preparing to go ahead with its persistent Eisenhower's atom-for-peace plan in any case, has asked Russia whether its turnaround of the proposal is final.

Dulles told a news conference that private talks with Russia's Foreign Minister Molotov, along with formal notes, show very fundamental differences in the American and Russian approach to the problem.

At present, Dulles said, the U.S. government is actively considering the prospect of beginning talks at an early stage with other countries which might join the plan both to contribute materials and share the benefits. He did not name the countries.

The President set out his proposal in an address Dec. 8 before the United Nations. He called for a world bank of fissionable materials to be set up for peaceful purposes which would be available to all countries. The idea is that it would study ways of harnessing the atom for the benefit of mankind.

Voter Register Booths Planned Here Wednesday

What better day than V-J Day for unregistered voters to sign so they can vote in the November general elections?

J. B. Mulcock, Artesia American Legion official, said this morning Carlsbad American Legion and Junior Chamber of Commerce representatives will be in Artesia tomorrow to sign unregistered voters.

They will have a booth in front of Artesia Pharmacy until the parade is concluded, then move to Veterans Memorial building, site of the veterans-sponsored public barbecue.

Fulbright Okays Dismissing Some McCarthy Charges

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Fulbright (D-Ark.) said today he would not object to discarding some accusations against Sen. McCarthy so long as the Senate gets a chance to vote on whether the Wisconsin Republican has shown "disregard for the whole orderly conduct of government."

A six-member Senate committee decided yesterday to give McCarthy the right to cross-examine witnesses in public hearings to be held Aug. 30 on accusations that his conduct has tended to bring the Senate into disrepute and merits formal censure.

Members said the special group, headed by Sen. Watkins (R-Utah), is aiming at a 10-day hearing and a mid-September report. The Senate might reconvene Oct. 1 to act on such a report.

Watkins said the group, composed of three Republicans and three Democrats, hopes to conduct its hearings much as a court trial, with evidence limited to that which the committee holds is relevant and most hearsay testimony barred.

"The testimony will have to be relevant," Watkins said. "It will have to be given by competent witnesses. We intend to conduct the hearings as a judicial inquiry."

Fulbright, who filed 6 of the 46 overlapping charges against McCarthy, said in an interview he doesn't want to "hog the committee down" in lengthy hearings.

NEW MEXICO WEATHER

Partly cloudy today, tonight and Wednesday. Widely scattered thundershowers, mostly in afternoons and evenings. Not much temperature change. High today 85-95. Low tonight 35-45 northern mountains, 45-55 northwest, 60-70 southeast.

The State Police today listed the

District Court Trial Scheduled for Boy, 13, Held in Fatal Stabbing

CARLSBAD (AP)—Dist. Judge G. Roy Anderson ruled today that Sulalio Solgado will be tried in District Court on a charge of murder.

The 13-year-old boy was charged Monday with the Saturday night knife slaying of 17-year-old Nick Gomez of Artesia, following a private dance.

Judge Anderson said that due to the nature of the incident the case should be heard as any other criminal complaint. The issue was whether the boy would be tried in District or Juvenile court.

He referred the case back to Justice of the Peace Court for preliminary hearing and heard a defense counsel application for bond.

Preliminary hearing was set for 10 a. m. Thursday in Artesia Justice of the Peace Court. Solgado was charged with murder in the Artesia court but authorities deferred acceptance of a plea until after today's hearing before Anderson.

THE LEGAL FIRM of Neal, Neumann, and Neal represent Solgado. Anderson deferred setting bond until after the preliminary hearing.

Dist. Atty. Pat Hanagan of Roswell called six witnesses in this morning's hearing and through them identified the Gomez youth as the one killed in the altercation and incidents surrounding the fatal stabbing.

Before Justice of Peace John Ellicott yesterday afternoon other youths involved in the fracas surrounding Saturday night's stabbing entered pleas.

Justo Yanez, 19, pled guilty to creating an affray and was sentenced to 90 days. Evaristo Melendrez, 19, also pled guilty to the same charge and received a like sentence.

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Sign, Historical, Park Projects Slated By Group

Three projects were set up this morning at the regular meeting of the Round-Up club, Chamber of Commerce tourist committee.

The club is investigating the possibility of getting 100 three-by-four or four-by-six signs and scattering them around major highways leading into Artesia. The signs would invite people to come here and stay awhile.

The club is also going to continue cooperating with the city council in making municipal park facilities.

Third project taken on by the club is an investigation into the possibility of forming an Artesia historical society with the primary project of building a museum to preserve relics of the area for a tourist attraction.

A meeting of all those interested in such a society will probably be called sometime in the next month at the C of C office, a spokesman said.

The group feels that a museum could be filled with interesting articles now hiding in local inhabitants' attics and garages.

Floyd Childress is chairman of the chamber tourist group.

Money Lost in NM, Phone Firm Says

SANTA FE (AP)—The Mountain States Telephone Co. said today it paid American Telephone and Telegraph Co. less last year on its contract agreement than the cost of services the parent company provided in New Mexico.

J. M. Ryan, MST&T assistant chief statistician, testified the expense of these services allocated AT&T under terms of the license but that only \$141,570 was paid to New Mexico totaled \$166,557 contract agreement.

Ryan was the first phone company witness at the second day of the state corporation commission's hearing on MST&T's requested "open end" proceeding for determination of fair and reasonable rate base and rates to be applied to more than 20 communities in New Mexico.

The link between AT&T and the operating companies usually provides a popular subject for extensive cross-examination at rate hearings.

Ryan said Mountain States pays 1 per cent "of certain service revenues" and this agreement is similar to those between AT&T and the other associated operating companies. He said the agreement gives Mountain States benefit of constant AT&T research, investigation and experimentation aimed at cutting costs and improving service. This help includes developments at Bell Laboratories, advice and aid of AT&T's staff, financial assistance and free use of all AT&T patents.

"American is thus enabled to do for the entire system those things that can be done most efficiently and economically by a central group," Ryan said. "This avoids duplication and the greatly increased costs if each operating company were to carry on this work individually."

Without the plan, he said, telephone service could not have reached its high state of development unless rates had been much higher over the years. He added that these services, which free the operating company for local, day-to-day problems, could be obtained from no organization other than AT&T.

State Wins Praise For Cutting Deaths

SANTA FE (AP)—New Mexico's improved highway safety record won national praise today coincident with the opening of a campaign to enlist the help of youth in the safety program.

"It is especially significant that Lea, Dona Ana, and Lincoln counties where business and civic leaders are making an organized attack on the problem, have the best records. Congratulations to the state and local officials, business and civic leaders and citizens who have made this record possible," said Ned H. Dearborn, president of the National Safety Council.

"May these efforts be continued and even increased, that this record may be maintained and improved. Please be assured of our assistance in any way possible."

The State Police today listed the

Miss Ingram Leads Rodeo Queen Contest Voting

With the voting deadline less than 24 hours away, Kay Ingram holds a narrow lead in the balloting for queen of the Artesia V-J Day Ranch Hands Rodeo.

Officers of Alpha Nu chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority said only a few votes separates the five contestants in the close voting. Balloting is so close a three-time count of votes is necessary before each announcement.

Miss Ingram is sponsored by Beta Sigma Phi sorority.

Second is Marilyn Runyan, sponsored by Theta Rho girls; third Michele Ruppert, Lions club; fourth Verna Pounds, Kiwanis and fifth, Sylvia Miller, Rotary.

Voting closes at 2 p. m. tomorrow, when sorority officers will pick up "ballot boxes" and count votes for the last time.

Winner of the contest will be announced during ceremonies in the grand entry just prior to tomorrow night's rodeo.

Voting is on a penny-per-ballot basis. Sponsor for the winning queen contestant receives 10 per cent of the voting proceeds, which last year amounted to a little over \$1,000.

Previous queens, Miss Sally Sears and Miss Kay Clayton, will take part in coronation ceremonies tomorrow night.

The queen will be duly crowned with a large Western hat. She'll lead the rodeo grand entry each of the four nights of the rodeo, Wednesday through Saturday.

Artesia business houses have contributed a host of prizes which await the winner.

Prizes added to the recently announced list include a \$5 book of passes for Artesia theaters from owner Ray Bartlett; a dozen red roses from Floore Floral; and a beauty treatment for the queen and her four attendants by Walter-scheid for Beauty counselor.

Ranchers Get Details on New Drought Aid Program

By STEVE LOWELL
ALBUQUERQUE (AP)—New Mexico ranchers, feed dealers, and representatives of the government got together today to start the state's emergency feed program rolling.

B. B. Atchley, state director of the farmers home administration, started the session by explaining operations of the program to help New Mexico ranchers stay on their feet.

To begin with, he said, "it's going to be a tough job to work out

inequities but we're ready to start operation." Fundamentally, 10 pounds of hay per animal unit per day will be allowed. That unit varies with the kind of animal—fragn 10 pounds for one cow to 10 pounds for a small herd of goats.

Albert Matlock, president of the Curry county Farm Bureau and member of the Curry county commission, pointed to the application form required under the program and said:

"These people won't sign anything like this even if they do need

feed." He referred to a clause in the form which says that a rancher must need emergency feed in order to keep in business to qualify.

Atchley replied: "I don't believe this program was meant to be as stringent as implied. This is not meant for the big outfit that can get along without emergency feed. It's meant for the little man or the hard-hit man who must have it to get along."

Atchley added that the program

is meant to maintain the basic foundation herd and enable the drought-struck rancher to remain in business.

Only recently, a spokesman for a group of eastern New Mexico ranchers said if they did not get more help of this sort they would be forced out of business.

Ed Heringa, of Clayton, former president of the New Mexico Cattle Growers Assn., and a member of the state drought committee, said that recent rains are beginning to improve rangeland in northeast

New Mexico, but "a lot of the grass has just started and if we don't get more rain in the next 10 to 15 days, it'll just dry up. But we have more hope now."

Santiago Marquez of Los Lunas, also a member of the drought committee, said his part of the state—in the irrigated section of the Rio Grande valley—wasn't in too bad shape but in the rangeland on either side of the valley it "is still in pretty bad shape. The grass is still short and spotty."



NANCY FRAME, Medfield, Mass.; Barbara Carlson, Duluth, Minn.; Sally Anne McLain, Biloxi, Miss., and Bobbie Jo Hanson, Artesia, N. M., weigh packs for the trail as they leave for a two-day trip up Norman Creek in the Absoraka Mountains.

Bobbie Jo Hanson One of 96 Girl Scouts at Encampment

"Being one in 96 is wonderful!" reports Bobbie Jo Hanson "when it means being a Senior Girl Scout meeting other girls from all over the country and camping in a beautiful place like this."

Bobbie Jo is representing the Southeast New Mexico council of Girl Scouts at the All State encampment of the Girl Scouts of the U. S. A. now in session at the Buffalo Bill Youth Camp in the Shoshone National Forest near Cody, Wyoming.

Two girls from each state are selected to attend each of the two sessions. In addition representatives from the territorial possessions are welcomed. For the first session Janet Stockham is in camp representing the Canal Zone.

A feature of the second day in camp was an exchange of information leading to appreciation for all parts of our country. Girls of all races and creeds attend this camp and girls have opportunity to experience the sisterhood of Scouting.

Units of 12 practice skills which make for gracious living in the out-of-doors as they pack into the surrounding mountains and valleys. For most girls this is their first visit to the Yellowstone area. The 16 day session of the encampment includes a trip through the park and a visit to Cody, where

they enjoy a touch of local color provided by the rodeo and Western pageantry of this charming community. The camp also provides opportunity for a study of the plant life and the geology of the area, and close observations of the animals of the forest and park. Three moose wandering through camp the first day aroused a great deal of interest in animal photography. Girls stalked the animals for two hours getting shots from behind one tree and another. Buffalo, deer, bear, swan, pelican and other birds and animals were observed on the trip through Yellowstone.

Emphasis is built upon primitive camping and development of resourcefulness. Every unit is busy planning trips of two to five days up Kiddy Creek to Paradise Valley, or up Eagle Creek and back by Fish Hawk. The girl's packs are limited to 25 pounds, so careful planning of bedrolls and food and clothing is essential.

This is the fourth All-State Encampment sponsored by the Girl Scouts of the U. S. A. for Senior

Births

ARTESIA GENERAL HOSPITAL
Aug. 5—to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Masters, son, James Bruce, 8 pounds and 12 1/2 ounces.
Aug. 7—to Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Moon, daughter, Pamela Jean, 6 pounds 8 ounces.
Aug. 8—to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gates, son, Michael Wayne, 9 pounds 11 ounces.
Aug. 8—to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shirley, son, 7 pounds 8 ounces.
Aug. 9—to Mr. and Mrs. William Cranford, son, Eddie Mark, 7 pounds.
ARTESIA OSTEOPATHIC HOSPITAL
July 30—to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Yeager, daughter, Judy Ann, 5 pounds 2 ounces.

Girl Scouts being held at the Buffalo Bill camp on the North Fork of the Shoshone River, 44 miles from Cody. It is made possible through the generosity of a group of oil men in Wyoming and adjoining states who developed the site as a service to youth. Each girl will take home with her an enriched experience to share with younger Scouts in her local council and to inspire them to better Scouting for more girls.

Frost Addresses Billy the Kid Pageant-Goers

Paul L. Frost, manager of Central Valley Electric Co-op of Artesia, was among speakers who addressed a large crowd Sunday at the annual Lincoln county Billy the Kid pageant.

Frost, speaking on plans of the Penasco Valley Telephone Co-op, of which he is also manager, told residents of the area the co-op would bring them telephone service, probably by next May.

Hospital Record

ARTESIA GENERAL HOSPITAL
Patients Admitted
Aug. 4—O. D. Partlow.
Aug. 5—Mrs. James masters, and Rita Sanchez, Lake Arthur.
Aug. 6—David Barlett.
Aug. 7—Jose Deanda, Lake Arthur, Jack Armstrong, Bobby Book, Loco Hills; Jessie Levarez, and Frank Brazeno.
Aug. 9—Vernon Foye, Roswell, Mrs. Bob Gates, Mrs. Clyde Shirley, Lake Arthur; Mrs. William Cranford, and Mrs. Mary Poe.
Aug. 9—Mrs. Margaret West, and Sotero Rodriguez.
Patients Discharged
Aug. 4—Tommy Murdock, Kay Waldrip, Lake Arthur, Mrs. Juan Brozeno and baby, and Jane Rauh.
Aug. 5—Mrs. Doris Cox, Robert Hatch, Lake Arthur, M. L. Wise, Mrs. Warren Johnson and baby, Mrs. Andres Juarez, and Mrs. William Lucas.
Aug. 6—Mrs. Guy Burrows, and O. D. Partlow.
Aug. 7—Ronald Holmes, Rita Sanchez, Mrs. Fidelia Dominguez, Mrs. Luca Rodriguez, and S. C. Vowell, Maljamar.
Aug. 8—Jack Armstrong, Jessie Lavarez, Frank Brizeno, Mrs. J. B. Masters, and baby, and Vernon Foye, Roswell.

Social Calendar

Tuesday, Aug. 10—
Artesia Garden Club members will hold a picnic supper with husbands as guests at home of Mrs. W. P. Haldeman, 7 p. m. Slides will be shown of recent trip.
Wednesday, Aug. 11—
C. W. F. Groups of the First Christian church, Group 4, hostess Mrs. Burrell Cheneveth, 306 1/2 So. Eighth, leader, Mrs. Franklin Broyles, 7:30 p. m.
Thursday, Aug. 12—
C. W. F. groups of First Christian Church:
Group 1, hostess, Mrs. L. C. Kidd 1307 Yuca, leader, Miss Linna McCaw, 2:30 p. m.
Group 2, hostess, Mrs. George Whitten, Jr., 1401 Hank, leader, Mrs. G. P. Ivers, 2:30 p. m.
Group 3, hostess, Mrs. Albert Richards, 707 Main; leader, Mrs. John Sparks, 2:30 p. m.

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Cole and three children of San Angelo, Tex., came to Artesia Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sperry and family. On Sunday the Cole family, Mr. and Mrs. Sperry, Don and John, and Mrs. Hope drove to Clouderoff and Ruidoso.

Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Cox and daughter left today for their home in Dallas. They had visited here with Dr. and Mrs. Pete Starr and family.

Patsy Serimshire of Clovis is visiting here with Barbara McAlester, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. H. L. McAlester.

F. L. Green is home from Portales where he has been attending the summer session of Eastern New Mexico university.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bush of Spokane, Wash., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. James Monroe and Mr. Monroe. Other visitors are Lieutenant and Mrs. Ed Pearson and family. Mrs. Pearson and Mrs. Monroe are sisters.

Mrs. John A. Frost is in Denver, Colo., visiting her daughter Elaine. They have attended the play, "The Caine Mutiny," at Central City.

Gary Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Blair, came from Portales Saturday where he had been attending the summer session at Eastern New Mexico university. Gary will visit for a week with his parents, then spend two weeks at the National Guard camp at Fort Bliss.

Jerry and Donny Forbes, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Forbes of Alpine, Tex., are visiting relatives in Artesia. They are staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Starr of Portales are visiting in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Pete Starr. Joe has been attending Eastern New Mexico university. They will be here for several weeks. Joe expects to enroll for the fall term in September.

ALBUQUERQUE — Sandia base public information office today announced the death from auto injuries of Billy E. Hill, 21, of Covierville, Tenn.

Hill, a member of the 8457th Military Police company, was injured July 17 when the car in which he was riding left the highway in Tijeras Canyon east of Albuquerque. Cpl. Howard Secena died instantly in that crash.

Hill's death last night in Sandia Base hospital raised the state traffic death total to 194.

Mrs. Swift, Joe Musil Are Wed in Home Ceremony Here

Mrs. Howard Lewis is announcing the marriage of her mother, Mrs. Edith Swift to Joe Musil, of Sydney, Neb.

The single ring ceremony was performed Thursday, Aug. 5 at 8 p. m. in the home of the daughter, Mrs. Lewis. Rev. H. L. McAlester officiated.

The bride wore an aqua crepe suit with a white carnation corsage. Mr. and Mrs. George Boggs acted as matron of honor and best man. Mrs. Boggs had a corsage of pink rosebuds.

The ceremony was read in front of a fireplace decorated with Shirley Temple gladiolas and white mums. Baskets of white flowers were on each side of the fireplace. A reception was held in the back yard immediately following the

ceremony, for about 70 guests. A pastel pink wedding cake trimmed in white and topped by a miniature bride and groom stood in front of three wedding bells was served with lime punch. Out of town guests attending the wedding were the bridegroom's children. They are Mrs. Doyle Roth and son, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Musil and children, Sherry and Larry, and Mr. and Mrs. Lamin Musil, all of Sydney, Neb., and Ronald Musil of Potter, Neb.

Mrs. Musil is well known pioneer of the community, having come here in 1905.

Musil is a retired farmer who lived at Sydney, Neb.

Elzie M. and Vernon Dee Swift are sons of Mrs. Musil.

Sandia Officer Dies in Wreck

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North-South Grid, Basketball All-Star Players Settle Down for Work

By BOB GREEN
ALBUQUERQUE, (AP)—After drills and that awkward getting accustomed to teammates, North and South basketball players settled down to hard work today in preparation for the annual all-star games.

The griders went through relatively light drills—though the linemen got some body contact—in the two practices yesterday. The basketball sessions were devoted largely to ball handling, passing and plenty of running. Yesterday's drills were the first in the week-long preparation for the annual all-star games. The basketball classic is scheduled Friday and the football game Saturday.

The coaching clinic also officially opened yesterday, with 64 mentors from several states registering. C. H. Ledbetter, secretary of the New Mexico Coaches and Officials Assn., said registration probably would exceed 100 before the clinic ends Friday.

One injury marred the initial football practices. Yankee end Jack Stromberg of Albuquerque twisted his knee and left the field early in the day.

Otherwise things went smoothly, though players didn't have much to say as they began getting acquainted with brand-new teammates.

Bill Glassford of the University of Nebraska sent the Yankee griders through light drills, with emphasis on ball handling and some light contact.

Ed Price of Texas, Rebel coach, handled his first day assignments about the same, though he spent more time looking for a good pass defense and did some experimenting with an offense.

Pre-clinic talk among the coaches gave the south a big edge in the football game. The rife backfield combination of Lloyd Taylor of Roswell, Bob Forrest of Carlsbad, and Larry Beadle of Artesia, just a little too tough. Particularly too tough when the big Rebel line is thrown in.

NuMexer Round-Up

(All Statistics Complete Through Monday Night)

| LONGHORN STANDINGS | | | |
|--------------------|----|------|--------|
| W. | L. | Pct. | G.B. |
| 75 | 35 | .682 | |
| 69 | 42 | .622 | 6 1/2 |
| 68 | 44 | .607 | 8 |
| 63 | 49 | .563 | 13 |
| 56 | 55 | .505 | 19 1/2 |
| 44 | 67 | .396 | 31 1/2 |
| 42 | 68 | .382 | 33 |
| 26 | 83 | .239 | 48 1/2 |

GAMES LAST NIGHT

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|------------------------|
| Artesia 12, Carlsbad 3 |
| Well 9, Big Spring 3 |
| Artesia 10, Midland 5 |

GAMES TONIGHT

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| Artesia at Big Spring 7:30 p.m. |
| Doubleheader at Artesia Wednesday night—see story |
| Well at Carlsbad 7:30 p.m. |
| Artesia at Odessa 8:00 p.m. |
| Artesia at Sweetwater 8:00 p.m. |

BATTING AVERAGES

| Player | AB. | R. | H. | Pct. |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Goodell | 430 | 118 | 157 | .365 |
| Dieppa | 380 | 104 | 136 | .361 |
| Gallardo | 344 | 42 | 58 | .345 |
| Goodell | 344 | 54 | 118 | .343 |
| Goodell | 268 | 65 | 90 | .336 |
| Goodell | 348 | 67 | 114 | .328 |
| Goodell | 436 | 107 | 142 | .326 |
| Goodell | 494 | 101 | 156 | .316 |
| Goodell | 93 | 16 | 28 | .301 |
| Goodell | 39 | 3 | 10 | .256 |
| Goodell | 381 | 63 | 97 | .255 |
| Goodell | 65 | 9 | 15 | .231 |
| Goodell | 34 | 3 | 7 | .206 |
| Goodell | 15 | 1 | 4 | .267 |
| Goodell | 65 | 5 | 12 | .185 |
| Goodell | 26 | 1 | 3 | .115 |
| Goodell | 9 | 0 | 1 | .111 |
| Goodell | 2 | 0 | 1 | .500 |

PITCHING RECORDS

| Player | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---------|----|----|-------|
| Goodell | 3 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Goodell | 16 | 5 | .762 |
| Goodell | 10 | 6 | .625 |
| Goodell | 6 | 4 | .600 |
| Goodell | 7 | 6 | .538 |
| Goodell | 1 | 1 | .500 |

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Doubleheader Is Slated at Artesia Wednesday Night

Artesia's game at Big Spring tonight has been cancelled and a doubleheader scheduled at Artesia tomorrow night (Wednesday). Longhorn league President Harry James has announced.

The doubleheader tomorrow night with Big Spring here at Artesia will be the last home game then before the NuMexers take of on a two-game road trip to Big Spring Thursday and Friday nights.

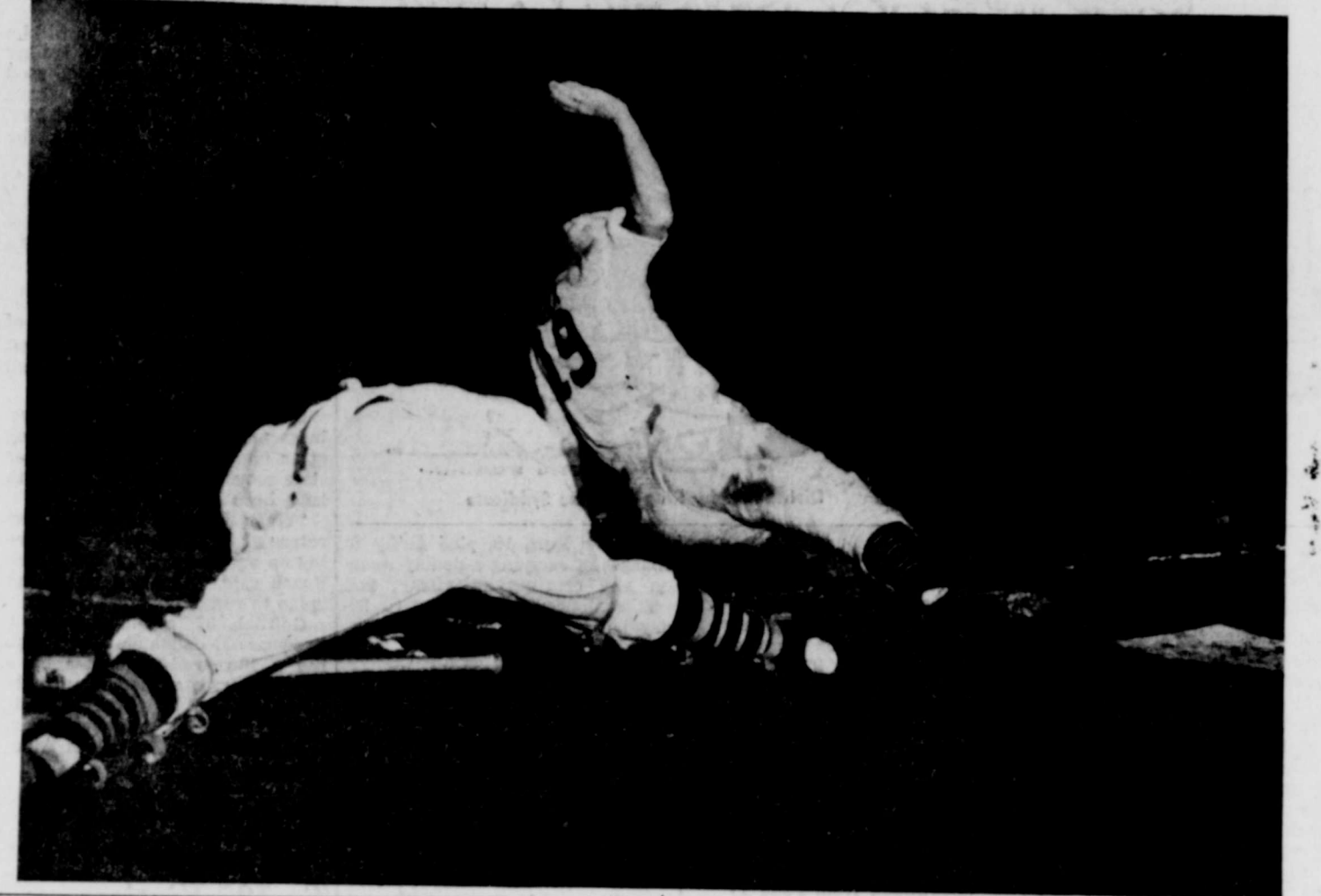
The scheduled switch was made to minimize conflict with the Artesia Ranch Hand Rodeo, which opens tomorrow night and continues through Saturday night.

Pampa Captures Pair of Games Over Abilene

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Pampa swept a doubleheader from Abilene in the West Texas-New Mexico league Monday night to stretch its lead over second-place Clovis to two games.

The Oilers won the first game 11-2 and the second 8-7. Albuquerque edged third place Amarillo 3-1 at Albuquerque and pulled into a tie with Abilene for fourth place. Lubbock beat Plainview 4-3 in 10 innings, drawing to win a game of six.

NuMexers Complete Sweep of Pots with 12-3 Win in Mud; Stand Idle Tonight on Sked Change



REGARDLESS of what this picture may show, sliding Artesian Floyd Economides was out at the plate as Ike Jackson of the Carlsbad Potashers (left) very neatly tagged Mr. Economides during last night's game at Carlsbad. Artesia won anyway.

WELCOME MAT IS OUT FOR YOUNG JAYCEE GOLFERS
ALBUQUERQUE, (AP)—The welcome mat is ready for a host of teen-age golfers coming to Albuquerque for next week's ninth annual and biggest Jaycee International Junior Golf tournament.

ROSWELL, (AP)—The Roswell Rockets swept their two-game series with Big Spring Broncs, whipping the Steeds 9-3 here last night behind the steady hurling of Ray Faust.

ODESSA, (AP)—Odessa brought home the bacon before 614 grocery night fans Monday, winning 10-5 over Midland behind the six-hit hurling of Gene Wulf.

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Stryka Given Credit for Sixth Victory

CARLSBAD, (AP)—The Artesia NuMexers completed a sweep of their two-game set with the Carlsbad Potashers last night by lashing the Miners 12-3 on a field made muddy and treacherous by a heavy morning rainfall.

Actually the Potashers outhit the NuMexers 13-12, but Artesia pitcher Vic Stryka, who chalked up his sixth win of the season against five losses, was the beneficiary of letter-perfect defensive support which time and again choked off Carlsbad rallies.

The Artesia infield came up with four double plays, three in the final three innings, and fielded flawlessly during the contest. Artesia hopped on Carlsbad starter Ralph Burns, who absorbed his first loss of the year, for five runs in the first inning. All came as the result of home runs, with Paul Dobkowski's circuit smash driving in Reuben Smartt, and Mickey Diaz' four-master bringing in Floyd Economides and Mickey Sullivan ahead of him.

The Potashers also got a pair of homers—by Ike Jackson and Elias Osorio—but they came with the bases unoccupied.

Artesia added a singleton in the third and then broke loose with another five-run cluster in the fourth on three hits, a walk, an error and a wild pitch.

| Artesia | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. |
|---------------|-----|----|----|----|----|
| Smartt, ss | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 7 |
| Dobkowski, 3b | 5 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Goodell, 1b | 5 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Economides, c | 5 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Sullivan, lf | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Diaz, cf | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Gallardo, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 7 |
| Howard, lf | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Stryka, p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Totals | 38 | 12 | 12 | 27 | 10 |

Carlsbad

| Carlsbad | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. |
|---------------|-----|----|----|----|----|
| Dieppa, ss | 5 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Hardy, 2b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| E. Osorio, 1b | 3 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 0 |
| Jackson, c | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Gholson, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| Henderson, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Stack, cf | 4 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Burns, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Valdez, rf | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| D. Fornall, p | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| A-Dyer | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 36 | 3 | 13 | 27 | 10 |

A-grounded out for farnall in ninth. Artesia 501 501 000-12. Carlsbad 002 010 000-3.

E-Stack, Hardy, RBI—Jackson, Dobkowski 3, Diaz 4, Gallardo, Henderson, Economides. 2B—Har-

good for seven runs. Dallas relievers held Houston to a pair of runs in the fourth and no scores thereafter, but the Eagles couldn't overcome the lead. Jim Ateley, also in a fireman's role, picked up the victory.

Harry Heslet's 100th home run of his Texas league career made the difference for Shreveport. The blow came with none on and the score tied 1-1 in the fourth. Tulsa got only seven hits off Bob Smith, who posted his 11th victory of the year.

| Teams | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---------------|----|----|------|--------|
| Shreveport | 75 | 56 | .573 | |
| San Antonio | 69 | 61 | .531 | 5 1/2 |
| Houston | 70 | 62 | .530 | 5 1/2 |
| Oklahoma City | 66 | 62 | .516 | 7 1/2 |
| Tulsa | 63 | 66 | .488 | 11 |
| Fort Worth | 61 | 69 | .469 | 13 1/2 |
| Beaumont | 61 | 70 | .466 | 14 |
| Dallas | 55 | 74 | .426 | 19 |

College All-Stars Earning Edge in Annual Classic
CHICAGO, (AP)—There is growing belief that the college all stars might meet with success Friday night against the professional champion Detroit Lions with a passing attack equalling anything ever seen in the last 20 years of the football classic.

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Let's Legalize Action

THE QUESTION of purchasing right-of-ways by Dona Ana county has received considerable attention recently. The right-of-way is for the construction of 28 miles of new highway between Las Cruces and Anthony, N. M.

The county commissioners objected to the pledging of their revenues from automobile licenses to re-pay funds they borrow from the state highway department.

The highway commission for a good many years has been lending money to counties to buy rights-of-way for highways. In all instances sooner or later the debt is forgiven by the state and the county does not pay back the money it borrows. Under the state law the state cannot purchase right-of-way. This must be done by the county. In some states in the union the counties receive a part of the gasoline tax money and they use this for the purchase of right-of-way. In New Mexico where there is a six-cent state tax and a two-cent federal tax all of the money goes to the federal government and to the state.

In California there is an eight cent tax. Two cents of this goes to the federal government; four cents goes to the state; one and three-eighths cents goes to the county; and five-eighths of a cent go to the city.

In this case the county has money with which to buy right-of-way.

In our own state we do not have these funds so the practice has been set up of loaning the money to the counties and then forgiving the debt.

Maybe we should legalize this action or work out arrangements so that the county definitely knows it will not have to repay the loan from money out of its own road fund.

Maybe by the passage of proper legislation this could be done in a more legal manner and there would be no question arises.

We are inclined to feel that perhaps the state could handle these funds and they could make it possible to aid those counties in the buying of right-of-way when they do not or would not receive much money if they shared in the gas tax collected in their own county. Some of the counties, of course, do not enjoy a very large sale of gasoline because they do not share in the tourist business.

But the building of roads does help attract more tourists and more tourists mean more business for the state. However, the State Highway department must have right-of-way before it can build highways.

Coffee Talk

Gallup No Treat

Patrolman Don Bonine of Artesia is one of 18 or 20 State Police assigned to patrol the big Indian Ceremonial at Gallup, starting on Wednesday.

His orders point out officers will be in full dress at all times, and there'll be no time off, as is to be expected, for social periods.

More than half a million people are expected for the ceremonial at Gallup. For state cops it's a rough, tough assignment, between handling traffic and caring for the more incognito at the celebration. When the city jail is filled up, police say, officers are forced to throw drunks into a large, wire stockade until they're sober enough to negotiate under their own power.

Portales Water

Gordon Greaves of the Portales Daily News is somewhat taken aback over the reaction in the Pecos Valley on his claim Portales water is perfect for children's teeth.

After the Advocate and Jim Barber of the Current-Argus at Carlsbad, made some particularly pointed remarks about Portales water, this is what Greaves had to say:

Unless you count minerals that come from rusty tin cans and those that erode from the barnacled hides of gar and carp in the dehydrated Pecos river, we doubt that Carlsbad's water has any more really valuable minerals than that of Portales.

We first began to have our doubts about the quality of Carlsbad water last January when we spent a couple of days there, one of them being Saturday night. When we filled the bathtub, we couldn't see the bottom.

That lone Carlsbad resident who has raised the pertinent question "Is Carlsbad's water fit to drink?" has been countered with a solid phalanx of Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce and city executives, who declare that it is safe. For what, they seem a bit vague. Few of them have had a chance to drink a glass of clear water since 1941.

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perfect teeth. And it also helps us produce champion baseball teams.

Virtue and Rain

Jim Barber of the Current-Argus, in a comment on rainfall some days ago, took note that Carlsbad must not be living right because of the rain the city did not get.

After we pointed out Artesia received rain where Carlsbad did not Barber declared that last Monday Carlsbad was hit by a 1.7 inch rain which flooded the city, while Artesia had specks on the window panes only.

Yesterday however Artesia got 1.25 inches, while Carlsbad had only a half-inch.

Which goes to prove that among civic virtues is a reluctance to charge a sister city with being a fallen, if not sodden, woman.

Hope Helicopter

Comment on an Associated Press reporter's quotation that no one quite knew how to take it when State School Supt. Tom Wiley suggested helicopters might solve Hope school problems was rife at the board of education meeting on Friday night.

No one quite knew how to take board member C. C. Nelson, who began a well informed discussion of helicopter pilot training, landing areas required, and other such learned data.

Candidly, the helicopter would be just the thing needed, but the machines have still not come down in cost to where school districts can afford them.

Still, has anyone a better solution?

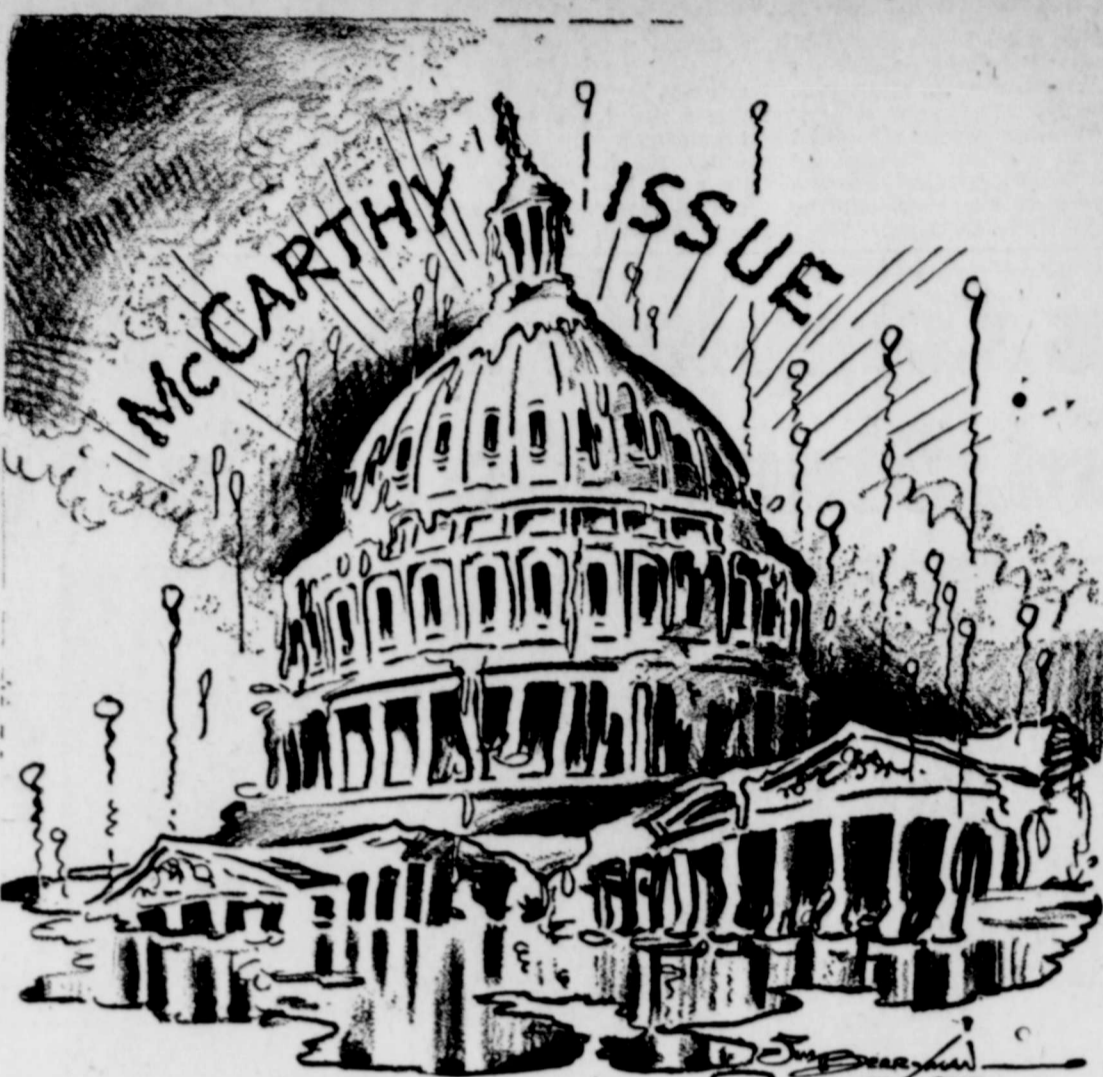
Stockton Urges Women to Play Political Role

ALBUQUERQUE, (AP)—The Republican candidate for governor, Alvin Stockton, says women have "a healthy influence on politics, bringing to it idealism and a determination to effect reforms."

Stockton, speaking before Bernillo county Republican women last night, said women "are not novices in politics. They know what they want, and they go about getting the job done."

He said that for many years women had a hands-off attitude towards politics and that "the great interest of large masses of women is a recent development."

It's The Heat... Not The Humility!



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Moisture—

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the state during the afternoons and evenings.

Silver City reported another .33 inch in a slow soaking rain during the night to bring the total for the past four days to 2.69 inch and skies were still cloudy at mid-morning. Albuquerque had a slow drizzle measuring between .03 and .10 inch throughout the city. Roswell reported 15 inch, Glenwood 36, Socorro 12, Carlsbad .01, Hobbs 18, Otto .09, Truth or Consequences .20, Columbus .14 and

there were traces at Santa Fe and Farmington with mid-morning rain reported at Santa Fe.

Temperatures will remain at near or below seasonal levels. The top yesterday was 92 degrees at Tucumanari with Albuquerque and Farmington only one mercury notch behind. In a surprise switch, Roswell was coolest for the day with 79 degrees. Nights remained cool and fine for sleeping.

Hearing Set—

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sentence.

Ismael Ruiz, 18, pled guilty to charges of carrying a deadly weapon and creating an affray, and was sentenced to consecutive 90-day jail sentences on each charge.

ELIZANDRO TRIVINA, 17, entered a plea of innocent to charges of creating an affray and handling a deadly weapon in a threatening manner.

His arraignment was continued until he can appear in court with an attorney.

Four other youths involved in the stabbing, ranging from 14 through 17, will be brought before juvenile court at Carlsbad. Charges against them range from creating an affray to carrying a deadly weapon and using a deadly weapon in a threatening manner.

Meanwhile, the search for the butcher knife which severed Gomez' heart in the fight Saturday night is continuing. Police are retracing the route traveled by the Carlsbad gang after leaving the Artesia fight scene Saturday night.

THE STABBING took place about 9:20 p. m. Saturday when the Carlsbad group attempted to get in a private dance being held at Our Lady of Grace parish hall, just west of the church on Rose-lawn.

Gomez reportedly had arrived in the city only last Thursday. He had been serving a sentence in a California reformatory, according to police reports.

Nine o'clock mass was said this morning for Nicanor Gomez, 17, Artesia stabbed fatally in the gang-fight Saturday night.

A member of Our Lady of Grace Catholic church, Mr. Gomez will be buried this afternoon at 2 at St. Marcus cemetery, Artesia.

Mr. Gomez was born in Artesia June 5, 1937 and had lived here all his life. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Sotera Gomez Flores, Visalia, Calif., his grandmother and four half-brothers.

Father Steven Bono was in charge of services. Paulin Funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

State Wins—

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Beth Gregory, Raton, was named temporary chairman of the state executive committee of the teen age association. Sheila Sorensen, Raton, was named secretary. Oth-

Girl Scout Day Camp Registration To Open Today

Applications for Artesia Girl Scout Day Camp to be held Monday, Aug. 16, through Friday, Aug. 20, should be turned in as soon as possible at the Irby Drug Store. A box is provided there for the applications.

The camp is to be held at the Artesia Municipal Park. There is no limit to the number of children who can be accommodated. However the leaders would like to get an idea of how many will be present.

Brownies through Intermediates are eligible to participate in the camp activities, according to Mrs. Tom Howard.

Mrs. John E. Sparks, who will be the director of the camp is issuing an appeal for firewood to be used during the camp. If you have some firewood please contact Mrs. Sparks. The firewood can be picked up.

Beatrice Roach To Wed Capitol Man This Week

SANTA FE, (AP)—Secretary of State Beatrice Roach plans to get married some time this week and is giving up politics.

She and Fred Gottlieb, local business man, plan a quiet wedding at an undisclosed place in another state sometime this week. Both have been married before.

"When I finish my job as secretary of state this year, I am giving up my career in politics," Mrs. Roach said. She said she didn't "plan to run any more."

Gottlieb, 37, a widower, has a five-year-old daughter. Mrs. Roach has a 13-year-old daughter by a former marriage. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bassett of Santa Fe. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gottlieb of Albuquerque.

State Accident Toll Shoots Up To 195 Victims

CARRIZOZO, (AP)—New Mexico's traffic death toll mounted to 195 with the death yesterday of Alec Stacey, 40, of Atlanta, Ga. At this time last year 219 had died on the state's highways.

State Police said Stacey died when the car he was driving skidded on wet pavement and rolled over three times. The accident occurred a mile west of Carrizozo on U. S. Highway 380.

A woman, Lillian Mary Poffley, suffered cuts and bruises in the accident.

French—

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Popular Republican Movement.

A truce in Indochina has been achieved.

Mendes-France, in asking the vote of confidence on his financial program, told the assembly reforms must be launched to awake a nation he described as "enveloped in a big sleep, dreaming of the past and having nightmares filled with fear about the future."

He sought the confidence vote to strike down a host of amendments deputies wanted to tack on his economic proposals.

OIL PRODUCTION UP

TULSA, Okla., (AP)—New Mexico oil production advanced an average of 3950 barrels a day to 208,325, the Oil and Gas Journal reported today. Allowable cuts in Texas and Louisiana dropped the national output by 54,725 to 6,163,975 a day, the Journal said.

School, City Band Schedule Parade Practice

Municipal and school bands will meet tonight for final practice before their appearance in the V-J Day Ranch Hands Rodeo parade tomorrow afternoon.

The rehearsal is scheduled for 7:30 in Senior high school audio visual room, Justin D. Bradbury, director, announced.

Owner of Car Wrecked Saturday Fined as Drunk

S-Sgt. Elra Womack, 36, WAFB, paid a \$20 fine yesterday afternoon in Justice of Peace John Elliott's court after being charged with being drunk Monday.

Womack was the owner of the car driven by Vernon Foye, 26, which careened around Main street and landed near the Advocate of fice Sunday night.

Foye is still in the hospital and no charges have been filed against him.

Thieves Get \$8,000 To \$10,000 in Hobbs Robbery

HOBBS — Thieves who broke into Shain's Fine Jewelry here last night walked off with a whopping swag of rings and watches estimated at between \$8,000 and \$10,000 in value.

Theron Horton, manager of the store, said the extent of the loss had not fully been determined this morning. It was believed the burglars took about 118 men's and women's engagement and wedding rings, and probably more than 100 customers' watches in the store for repairs.

No estimate of the value of the items taken had been made. However, police believed the watches to be worth at least \$50 each and the rings and other items from \$3,000 to \$5,000.

Police said some clues were found, but would not elaborate.

Chamber Requests Tips on Industry For Community

Anyone in the community who has a lead on a possible new industry for the Artesia was issued an invitation this morning by Chamber of Commerce Mgr. Paul W. Scott to come down and let the office know about it.

Scott said the chamber is compiling a new industrial brochure for use on any potential industry for this area. He said the office is especially interested in promoting the industrial development of the Artesia region and the brochure was being made to convince industries that this country "has what it takes."

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK (AP)—Cotton futures closed 25 cents a bale lower to five cents higher. Oct. 34.00, Dec. 34.25, March 34.50, May 34.62-63, July 34.45, Oct. 33.64, Dec. 33.65. Middling spot 35.05, up 5.

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Noisy Irrigation Suit Postponed

CLOVIS — An injunction suit to prevent a Curry county farmer from operating irrigation motors because they are too noisy had been postponed in ninth district court here.

The postponement resulted yesterday afternoon when Dist. Judge E. T. Hensley, Jr., was disqualified from hearing the case. Mr. and Mrs. Homer E. Roach contend the noise from the irrigation motors has damaged their nerves so they have been under doctor's care for the past two months.

They are asking for damages amounting to \$5,000 in their suit against Beull Jennings who farms north of Clovis. Jennings has been ordered to show cause why he should not be restrained from operating irrigation motors or from muffling the motors located across the road from plaintiff's house.

Candidates Asked Stand on Distress Backstop Funds

SANTA FE — Identical letters have been mailed to the opposite candidates for governor asking their views on a pair of measures for which legislation has been recommended.

Letters yesterday were mailed to Republican Alvin Stockton and Democrat John Simms by the Legislative Service Council asking their views on a backstop, in case Congress relinquishes the federal gasoline tax, and a fund for which the governor could relieve distress in emergencies caused by an act of God.

Gov. Edwin L. Mechem has recommended legislation for the subjects. It was at his suggestion that the council sent the letters.

There is a possibility Congress may act next spring on a suggestion to give up the 2 cent federal gas tax.

WOOL FUTURES

NEW YORK (AP)—Wool futures closed 1.4 to 2.0 cents lower. Oct. 169.0B; Dec. 167.5. Certified wool spot 160.0B. Wool tops futures closed 1.2 to 1.5 cents lower. Oct. 200.5B; Dec. 200.0B. Certified spot wool tops 200.5B.

Livestock

CLOVIS — Estimate 15,000 cattle for Wednesday's market. Hogs receipts 125; market steady on all grades; top hogs 190-240 lbs. 23.00; 160-180 lbs. 21.00-22.50; 290 lbs. 20.50-22.50; 290-350 lbs. 50; 20.50; sows 275-350 lbs. 18.50; 350-500 lbs. 14.50-17.50; 9.00-13.50; shoats 16.00-19.00.

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TUESDAY P. M.

- 5:00 Bobby Benson
- 5:55 News
- 6:00 Gabriel Heater
- 6:15 Eddie Fisher Show
- 6:30 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
- 6:45 Local News
- 7:00 Bill Henry
- 7:05 KSPV Sport Special
- 7:15 KSPV Calls for Cash
- 7:20 Organ Portraits
- 7:30 That Hammer Guy
- 8:00 Ed Pettit News
- 8:15 Vocal Visitor
- 8:30 KSPV Calls for Cash
- 8:35 Designs in Melody
- 8:55 Lorraine Green
- 9:00 Designs in Melody
- 9:15 KSPV Calls for Cash
- 9:20 Meet the Classics
- 9:55 News
- 10:00 NuMexer Reports
- 10:02 Monthly Music
- 11:00 Sign Off
- WEDNESDAY A. M.
- 5:59 Sign On
- 6:00 Sunrise News
- 6:05 Syncoated Clock
- 7:00 Robert Hurleigh
- 7:15 Devotional
- 7:30 Dave Button Show
- 7:35 Local News
- 7:40 State News Digest
- 7:45 Dave Button Show
- 7:59 Time Check
- 8:00 World News
- 8:05 Dave Button Show
- 8:14 Weather
- 8:15 Swap Shop
- 8:30 News
- 8:35 Today's Top Tune
- 8:45 Crosby Classics
- 9:00 Flip Flop Show
- 9:25 News
- 9:30 Queen for a Day
- 10:00 Break the Bank
- 10:15 Capitol Commentary
- 10:20 Musical Cookbook
- 10:30 Coffee with Kay
- 10:40 Marvin Miller
- 10:45 Musical Cookbook
- 10:45 Theater Calendar
- 10:47 Artesia School Program
- 11:00 Cedric Foster
- 11:30 Morning Devotional
- 11:30 Showcase of Music
- 11:45 All Star Jubilee
- 11:59 Time Check
- 12:00 Farm and Market News
- 12:10 Middy News
- 12:25 A Tune for Noon
- 12:30 Local News
- 12:35 Free Waring Show
- WEDNESDAY P. M.
- 1:00 Game of the Day
- 3:25 Camel's Scoreboard
- 3:30 Adventures in Listening
- 4:45 Jim's Western Shindig
- 5:00 Bobby Benson

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Real Estate For Sale: Three-bedroom home three years old, excellent condition. Will sell for equity. See at Yucca or phone 1210-J. 47-tfc

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For Rent: Two-bedroom house, unfurnished, with small acreage. \$60 per month. Freeman Agency, 110 S. Roselawn, phone 685. 68-tfc

For Rent: Storage bldg., 52x16 ft., basement 16x16 ft., with adjacent lot 50x75 ft., both or separate, rear of 208 Richardson. Write M. A. Brister, 762 W. Kirk Pl., San Antonio 11, Texas. 87-22tp-108

For Rent: One-bedroom furnished apartment with air conditioner and all bills paid. Phone 552. 93-3tc-95

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For Rent: Furnished apartments and house trailers. \$5 per week and up. Utilities paid, nice clean place, close in, children welcome. 406 N. Fifth. 81-T-F-tfc

For Rent: Small, furnished houses. Inquire 601 S. Second or phone 102. 88-T&F-tfc

For Rent: Five-room furnished house, also two-room furnished house, located 309 E. Mosley, gas, water, and air conditioner furnished. Phone Mrs. Nivens No. 8 during day or 936-R after 5:30 p. m. 93-4tc-96

Miscellaneous For Sale: FOR SALE—Portable, table model electric washing machine, includes wringer, good condition. \$15. Phone 1715-W. 50-tfc

FOR SALE OR RENT—Complete lines of Janssen, Story & Clark and Jesse French, new and used pianos. Payments financed up to three years. Roselawn Radio & TV Service, 106 S. Roselawn. 47-tfc

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STOP! FOR SALE! New and Used Sewing Machines and Vacuum Cleaners Electric Portables \$49.50 up We repair all makes of either WILSON & DAUGHTER 107 S. Roselawn 57-tfc

FOR SALE—Home grown tomatoes. Two and one-half miles east and one-half mile south of city. Phone 088-J4. 93-tfc

FOR SALE—Two male Chihuahua pups, \$15 each. Phone 1294. 93-2tc-94

6A—Wanted: WANTED TO RENT—Three-bedroom house in good location, close to schools, needed by permanent resident. Phone 1251. 89-5tc-93

WANTED TO RENT—Trailer space with bath available, private place preferred, for couple. Phone 1206-M. 92-2tp-93

WANTED TO BUY—A good used one-cement mixer. Contact Bowman Lumber Co. 310 W. Texas phone 123. 91-5tp-95

6B—Will Trade: FOR SALE OR TRADE—Have \$4000 equity in two-bedroom house, close to school. Will trade for building lots, late model car or oilwell equipment. Phone 1573. 76-tfc

FOR SALE—Two-wheel Trailer or will trade for luggage trailer. 1411 Yucca. Phone 1135-NJ. 79-tfc

WILL TRADE new Nechi sewing machine for older machine, preferably portable, as down payment and you take up balance of contract on new machine. Phone 610-J. 93-4tc-96

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Partnership of Clack & Bauman, a firm composed of Victor Clack and Harold Bauman, has been dissolved by mutual agreement as of the 24th day of July, 1954; and all persons are notified that neither of the undersigned has any authority to incur any obligations of any kind against said firm or enter into any contracts or other transactions on behalf of said firm. DATED this 24th day of July, A. D. 1954. VICTOR CLACK, HAROLD BAUMAN. 7/27-8/3-10-17

SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE MALAGA LAND AND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, a dissolved corporation, JOHN D. McEWEN, The following named defendants by name, if living; if deceased, their unknown heirs; JENNIE R. DAUGHERTRY, J. M. DILLARD, T. K. HOLLAND, MARY A. HOLLAND, A. K. CALAHAN, T. CARTWRIGHT, WILLIAM PALMER, FREDERICK J. CRABB, S. O. MILLER, CARL JOHNSON, ANNA MARIA JOHNSON, GEO. L. TRIBLE, JOHN A. HELL, G. W. MOORE, JR., E. V. FRITTS, JOHN G. WRIGHT, G. C. CONE, W. W. HUTTO, Trustee, D. BLACK, Trustee, R. O. McGEE, Trustee, J. A. HARTSHORN, Trustee, E. E. HARTSHORN, Trustee, J. GERLACH, Trustee, Unknown heirs of the following named deceased person: C. W. BEE-MAN, and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFFS, against whom constructive service is sought to be obtained, GREETINGS:

You, and each of you are hereby notified that action has been commenced and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein S. F. WILLIAMS and C. F. BEEMAN are plaintiffs, and you, as each of you are defendants, said cause being No. 14645 on the civil docket of said Court.

The general objects of said action are to quiet and set at rest the plaintiff's respective titles to the property described in the complaint in said cause situated in Eddy County, New Mexico in Section 34, Township 23, South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M.

You, and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 14th day of September, 1954, judgment by default will be rendered in said cause against each of you so failing to appear, and plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

A. J. LOSEE is attorney for plaintiffs and his office address is Carper Building, Artesia, New Mexico. WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court this 30th day of July, 1954. (SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, Clerk of the District Court. 8/3-10-17-24

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATE OF G. R. GRAY, DECEASED. No. 1922

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT AND DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP. THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

EFFIE LEE GRAY, GEORGE W. GRAY, DOYLE EDWARD GRAY, JOHN R. GRAY, CHESTER NEWSOME GRAY, EVA SUE GRAY, JEFFIE LEE GRAY, JOE CLAYMOND GRAY; all unknown heirs of G. R. Gray, deceased; and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in, or to the estate of said decedent, GREETINGS:

Notice is hereby given that Effie Lee Gray has filed the final account and report in this cause, and the Honorable Ed H. Gentry, Judge of the Probate Court has set the 14th day of September, 1954, at the hour of 10:00 A. M. at the Probate Court in Carlsbad, New Mexico as the day, time and place for hearing of any objections to said final account and report, and each of you, by J. M. Jackson, as plaintiff, in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Eddy, that being the court in which said cause is pending, and being Case No. 14637, the general object of said suit being to quiet the plaintiff's unencumbered fee simple title and

Mexico as the day, time and place for hearing of any objections to said final account and report, and the settlement thereof. At the same time and place, the Probate Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of his estate, the interests thereof to the distribution thereof.

A. J. LOSEE is attorney for the administratrix and his office address is Carper Building, Artesia, New Mexico. WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court on this 2nd day of August, 1954. (SEAL) MRS. R. A. WILCOX, Clerk of the Probate Court. 8/3-10-17-24

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF WILLIAM DOOLEY, DECEASED. No. 2010

NOTICE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of William Dooley, deceased, has been filed for probate in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, and that, by Order of said Court, the 25th day of August, 1954, at the hour of 10:00 A. M., at the Court Room of said Court in the City of Carlsbad, New Mexico, is the day, time and place set for the hearing of proof of said Last Will and Testament.

THEREFORE, any person wishing to enter objections to the probating of said Last Will and Testament is hereby notified to file such objections in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the time set for said hearing.

DATED at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this 22nd day of July, A. D., 1954. (SEAL) MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court. By: VERA BROCKMAN, Deputy. 7/27-8/3-10-17

SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to M. O. Rife, Jr., impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: M. O. Rife, Jr., Mina Rife, and Frank E. O'Neill; Unknown Heirs of the following named deceased persons: Lorenzo C. Anthony, Marshall K. Holt, Jay F. Knox, G. U. McCrary, Robert Lee Ramey, Mollie L. Ramey, Samuel Ramey, William Ramey, and Emma Ramey; The following named defendants by name, if living, if deceased, their unknown heirs: Lizzie Sooter, Leonidas W. Martin, Susan Anthony, Antonio Garcia, Mrs. Marshall K. Holt, E. A. Cahoon, O. A. Lundquist, Frank R. Dunlay, Wayland L. Nixon, Viola C. Nixon, E. C. Higgins, Edgar Calfee, Nola Hornbeck, Jos J. Knox, Mrs. Jos. J. Knox, Henry Harper, Mrs. Henry Harper, G. Joseph, Davis H. Joseph, Dr. M. B. Culpepper, E. A. Clayton, S. G. Humphreys, Robert Rehn, Fred F. Harris, Charles F. Dickson, W. A. Scott, Robert B. Rehn (Trustee), Joseph W. Ricker, William T. Holt and Harrison J. Libby (Trustees), and W. C. Lawrence (Trustee); Mexola Petroleum Company, a corporation, Pecos Valley Abstract Company, a corporation, and All Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to the Plaintiff, Defendants, GREETING:

You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you, and each of you, by J. M. Jackson, as plaintiff, in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Eddy, that being the court in which said cause is pending, and being Case No. 14637, the general object of said suit being to quiet the plaintiff's unencumbered fee simple title and

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All persons having claims against said decedent are hereby notified to present the same, as provided by law, within six (6) months from the 10th day of August, 1954, the date of the first publication of this Notice, or the same will be barred.

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BEFORE AND AFTER: Left, the check plot which received no fertilizer; right, plot which received 96 pounds of nitrogen and 67 pounds of phosphorus. Note the height of the barley in comparison to the small signs.



GENE GARRISON, Cuba farmer, stands beside a sign which identifies a 5-acre plot on which extensive tests are being conducted on small grains. The object of the on-farm demonstration is to determine the adaptability of corn, sorghum, and legumes for forage production in the higher mountain valleys of New Mexico, where rainfall is limited. Bernalillo county agent Curtis A. Grimes and the agricultural service department of New Mexico A&M college are also testing chili varieties on another demonstration plot near Albuquerque.

Nitrogen, Phosphorous Boost Cotton Growth on Fanning Farm

Experimental Use Indicates Fertilizer's Use

Use of only recently applied agricultural chemicals apparently is paying off on the Donald Fanning farm at Atoka, southeast of Artesia.

A visit to the Fanning farm this week-end revealed cotton plants which stand chin-high in some sections.

It is further proof that science and chemistry have provided a quick, sure, safe and economical way to provide plants with the food they need for maximum production.

Fanning's 100 acres of cotton was fertilized with 80 pounds of anhydrous ammonia applied before planting.

It was "side dressed"—chiseled in—with 80 pounds of anhydrous ammonia and 80 pounds of 82 per cent liquid phosphoric acid.

The chemicals were furnished and applied by Artesia Chemical Co.

M. A. "Doc" Waters, manager of the firm, said Fanning last year used the chemicals in a small test plot. He was apparently convinced of their worth and decided on a larger application for the 1954 season.

With another month yet to go, it is expected his cotton will approach something like record height before picking.

Fanning attributes the excellent condition of his crop to proper watering as a follow-up to chemical treatment of the soil. Rather than running water over the land, Fanning said, he permits it to thoroughly soak the soil.

Proper watering methods com-



TALL COTTON on Donald Fanning farm southeast of Artesia, treated with phosphorous and nitrogen fertilizer, is viewed by, left to right, John Fanning, Donald Fanning, and M. A. "Doc" Waters of Artesia Chemical Co. (Advocate Photo)

Stink Bugs, Bollworms on Move in State

In his weekly roundup of the insect situation in New Mexico, R. C. Dobson, extension entomologist of New Mexico A&M college says, stink bugs are working over cotton in various sections of the state. The Mesilla and Rincon Valleys are especially hard hit, the entomolo-

gist states. The spider mite populations are still heavy in corn in Valencia and Bernalillo counties and in fruit orchards throughout the state.

Army worms continue to excite considerable comment state-wide. About 4,000 acres of land around Espanola, in Rio Arriba county, are heavily infested.

Cutworms are also present in lawns throughout the state and are causing home owners much concern.

Lygus are moving from cotton to alfalfa and vice versa when the alfalfa is cut. Many producers are

Nitrogen, Phosphorous Boost Barley Yield By 39 Bushels

Nitrogen and phosphorus fertilizers applied to spring barley on the Ed Payne farm near Virden boosted the yield 39 bushels per acre, according to results of an on-farm demonstration released today by Dr. P. J. Leyendecker, head of New Mexico A&M college's agricultural service department.

The spring barley fertilizer demonstration, one of 175 demonstrations set up this year on New Mexico farms and ranches by the agricultural service department and county extension agents, involved tests on four one-acre experimental plots.

Fertilizer was broadcast in the spring just prior to the planting of the Arivat variety spring barley seed at the rate of 90 pounds to the acre. Three of the demonstration plots were fertilized, one received

no fertilizer and served as a check plot.

Plot 1 received 96 pounds of available nitrogen plus 67 pounds of phosphorus. Plot 2 received 64 pounds of available nitrogen and 67 pounds of phosphorus. Plot 3 received 64 pounds of nitrogen and no phosphorus. All four plots were handled in the same manner and received the same number of irrigations throughout the season.

The plots also had the same cropping history for the previous five years, which included three years of cotton and two years of sorghum. Analyses of soil samples taken from the plots before application of the fertilizers indicated that the soil was low in phosphorus and nitrogen.

The final production of each of the plots was as follows, according to Leyendecker: Plot 1, 67 bushels of barley; plot 2, 59 bushels; plot 3, 46 bushels; plot 4 (check plot) 28 bushels.

Calculating the price of the barley at \$1.35 a bushel, the production on plot 1 was worth \$90.45; plot 2, \$79.65; plot 3, \$62.10; and plot 4, (check plot) \$37.80. Deducting the cost of the fertilizer, the net returns from plots 1, 2 and 3 were \$71.35, \$65.90, \$53.40, compared to \$37.00 on the unfertilized check plot.

Thus, the application of the 96 pounds of nitrogen and 67 pounds of phosphorus fertilizers on plot 1 accounted for an additional net return of \$33.55 above the returns on the check plot.

The results of this demonstration indicate that a combination of nitrogen alone, Leyendecker states. The phosphorus seemed to promote grain-filling and hastened maturity about 10 days.

The experimenter points out that while these results cover only one year's experiment, they do indicate that the yield of spring barley planted on land which has been continually devoted to the production of non-legume crops can be increased by the addition of a combination of nitrogen and phosphorus fertilizers.

Cotton Is Having Boom in Apparel Markets in U.S.

Cotton is having one of its biggest

years in history in apparel markets, the National Cotton Council reports.

Retailers throughout the country indicate to the council that consumers trust cotton as they never have any other textile fiber. And they say that there is a marked tendency on the part of the consuming public to rediscover the beauty, comfort, and adaptability of cotton in apparel.

Retailers report also that cotton is increasing in popularity as a year round apparel fabric. This is attributed to better styling and appearance . . . a wider variety of no-torn cotton fabrics . . . improved finishes that enhance cotton qualities . . . and the fact that cotton fabrics are available in a wider range of beautiful colors and patterns than any other textiles.

combined with a program of fertilization using latest chemicals available have made the difference.

Representatives of the U. S. forest service and agricultural research service, experiment station and extension service workers and other speakers will accompany

Fourteenth Ranch Day Scheduled For A&M College

The 14th Annual Ranch Day which features a tour of New Mexico A&M college's ranch and the Jornada Experimental Range, will be held Oct. 11, J. H. Knox, head of A&M's animal husbandry department announced today.

The event, jointly sponsored by the U. S. forest service's Rocky Mountain forest and range experiment station, Ft. Collins, Colo., the agricultural research service, and New Mexico A&M college's experiment station and extension service will highlight progress in various phases of research which are close-

ly connected to present livestock production problems, Knox said.

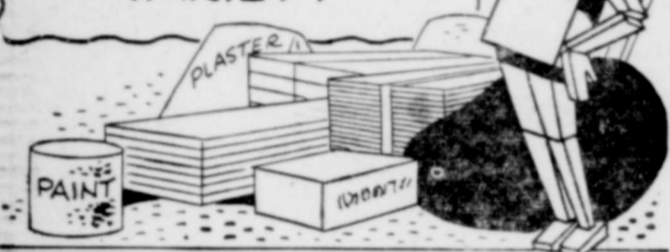
Representatives of the U. S. forest service and agricultural research service, experiment station and extension service workers and other speakers will accompany

ranchers and farmers on the long tour of the two experimental ranches and explain research being conducted at each stop.

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