

Mancher, Wife as Auto Tips Over

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS weekend wave of five high deaths, including those of...



HUNDREDS of square dancers turned out for the big Southeastern New Mexico jamboree Saturday in Artesia, danced to western music in Central school gym.

Disabled Veterans Oppose Hospital Closing Movement

Eight Artesia Disabled American Veterans Sunday joined others in Southeastern New Mexico opposing a move to close certain veterans' hospitals.

The DAV district meeting in Carlsbad elected LaVerne McCombs of Hobbs district commander. He will take office in May.

Attending from Artesia were John S. Simons, Jr., state DAV commander, Leland Wittkopp, V. J. Omelian, Rufus Lee, Ken Jones, Frank Martinez, Albert Paz and W. A. "Bill" Dunnam.

New Natural Gas Price Control Bill Introduced

WASHINGTON (AP)—Another bill to exempt independent natural gas producers from federal price control by the power commission was drafted for introduction today by Rep. Hinshaw (R-Calif.).

Hinshaw said his measure is a duplicate of one submitted last Wednesday by Rep. Harris (D-Ark); is in line with recommendations of the President's cabinet committee on energy supplies and resources, and is designed to make more gas available while protecting consumer interests.

"Since the Supreme Court decision of last June, which placed natural gas at wellheads under federal price controls, there has been a strong tendency to keep the gas within the state where it is produced," Hinshaw said in a statement.

Californians, he said, are almost entirely dependent on natural gas to heat their homes and "it is of the utmost importance for Californians consumers be assured of dependable supplies from other states where it is plentiful."

Legion to Mark Anniversary

Artesia American Legion and Auxiliary tonight will mark the Legion's 36th birthday. Highlight of the evening will be recognition to members who have held continuous memberships for five, 10, 20 and 35 years, Commander C. O. "Cap" Fulton said this morning.

County Students To Get Salk Polio Vaccine

CARLSBAD, (AP)—Plans have been made to inoculate all pre-first and second grade students in Eddy county with the Salk anti-polio vaccine, the local schools announced today.

Date for the first series of inoculations is April 12. The inoculations will be voluntary, according to parents' wishes.

Matusow Defense's Only Witness in New Jencks Trial

EL PASO, (AP)—Harvey Matusow, who says he lied to help the government convict union leader Clinton Jencks takes the same witness stand in U. S. District court to help Jencks get a new trial.

A hearing on Jencks' motion for a new trial opened before Federal Judge R. E. Thomason. Matusow, who defense attorneys said will be their only witness arrived in El Paso last night and went into seclusion. He declined to comment on his appearance in U. S. district court today.

Plane With 14 Hits Mountain

TAPEI, Formosa, (AP)—A U. S. Air Force transport plane carrying 14 persons crashed yesterday in the cloud-hidden mountains of south-east Formosa.

Search planes spotted the wreckage today and reported no sign of survivors. Rescue parties were on the way to the scene.

The C54 was on a flight from Okinawa with five crewmen, nine passengers and a replacement engine for another U. S. Air Force plane stranded in Hong Kong.

Employers Face April 1 Deadline On Tax Forms

Santa Fe (AP)—Information returns must be filed by employers with the state income tax division by April 1, State Revenue Commissioner Mike Gallegos said today.

Schools Seeking Parents' Help In Nose Count

Artesia schools today begin counting youngsters' noses as the annual school census gets underway.

W. G. Short, director of special activities, said a blank for parents to fill out will be given every student now in school who has a brother and/or sister who will be 6 on or before Jan. 1, 1956.

Students also will take blanks to relatives and neighbors who have children approaching school age but do not now have children in school.

Short said, "Parents with a child who will be a beginner in school next fall but do not receive a census blank are urged to call any school or the administration office."

Short added: "In addition to beginners, we need the information which the census blank calls for concerning handicapped children who are of school age but unable to attend school."

The census count is important to schools financially, Short said. A part of school maintenance money is determined by the census.

Late Bulletins

SANTA FE (AP)—The House of Representatives today kept alive Senate-passed legislation S158 purporting to put state funds to work drawing interest after letting banks have the first \$100,000 deposits interest free.

WASHINGTON (AP)—Mrs. Marie Natvig, turnabout witness at federal communications commission hearing, was indicted today on nine charges of lying under oath.

EL PASO (AP)—Mrs. Carlton Hahn, 47, mother of Mrs. Keith Robinson of El Paso, was killed last night and seven others injured in a two-car collision on the Carlsbad highway, seven miles west of the Texas-New Mexico line.

Stamp Collectors To Study Possible Club Organization

A meeting of Artesia stamp collectors has been called for 7:30 p. m. Thursday at the Episcopal church, Rev. Milton Rohane, pastor, announced Monday.

Senate Kills Kindergarten Bill, Blasts State 'Teachers Union'

Docket Heavy As Legislature Nears Finale

SANTA FE (AP)—The 22nd state Legislature, a busy weekend behind it, headed into the home stretch today. Many major problems remained to be decided between now and Saturday's scheduled adjournment sine die.

Both houses held their first Saturday and Sunday sessions, attempting to clear the decks for the last six busy days. The House yesterday passed 32 bills and killed six, disposing of them at the rate of one every 4 1/2 minutes.

Between them, House and Senate passed 45 measures and killed nine. The House completed legislative action on 19 Senate bills. The 13 passed by the Senate included two House measures on which legislative action now is completed.

The weekend brought veto by Gov. Simms of two more bills, making the veto total three, all House bills. The latest dealt with safety precautions on railroad scooters and with 200 persons who appeared to have been injured.

Israel Charged As Aggressor By UN Commission

JERUSALEM, (AP)—Israel has been charged by the U. N. mixed armistice commission as a "brutal" aggressor who deliberated attacked Egyptian forces in the Gaza Strip a week ago.

The armistice group said the bloody assault in which 38 Egyptians and 8 Israelis died violated the 1949 Palestine truce agreement.

The commission's ruling yesterday heightened speculation at U. N. headquarters in New York that the Security Council would vote similar censure against Israel when it takes up the explosive issue again next week.

Youth Burned

Buddy McQuay, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McQuay, was hospitalized Saturday evening with second degree burns. His parents, who operate the Old American dining room, west of Artesia, said he was burned when he threw a half-cup of gasoline on a charcoal fire.

Eddy Cotton Farmers Urged To Release Unused Acreage

Eddy county farm operators Monday were urged to report immediately any portion of their cotton acreage allotment they do not plan to use this year.

E. O. Moore, Jr., chairman of the county agricultural stabilization and conservation committee, said reports are needed now so that unused acreage can be "re-allocated" to other farms in the county.

The deadline is March 31. Moore said the release of any farmer's allotment for 1955 will not affect the 1956 allotments "unless the farm becomes ineligible for an old farm allotment due to non-planting in 1953-54-55."

Eisenhowers Hear Billy Graham Discuss Faith

WASHINGTON (AP)—President and Mrs. Eisenhower heard evangelist Billy Graham preach yesterday that "the problem we are dealing with today is not Communism, not the hydrogen bomb—it's human nature."

This was Graham's only allusion to current affairs during his talk at the National Presbyterian church, of which the Eisenhowers are members.

Graham's sermon—his last appearance before he leaves March 12 for a six-week crusade in Scotland—was on faith.

Largest 1955 Atomic Blast Seen Throughout West

LAS VEGAS, Nev., (AP)—The largest atomic device tested in the 1955 nuclear series exploded today with a pre-dawn brilliance that dazzled observers in New Mexico and other Western states.

The blinding flash of the bigger than average A-wagon startled observers on a mountain peak 55 miles away and lit up skies briefly like an early sunrise over southern California, 250 miles away.

In Albuquerque, Dr. Lincoln La Paz, head of University of New Mexico Institute of Meteorites, witnessed the flash.

He said in his official report: "The flash of the long-delayed A-bomb test in Nevada was strikingly visible at 6:20 P.M. A symmetrical pulse of rose colored light centering in the west northwest expanded very rapidly across the blue gray earth shadow."

"At its maximum, the light flash extended along the horizon from the west point to the similarly colored dawn arch bounding the earth's shadow in the western sky. While the bomb light lasted longer than a flash of heat lightning, its duration was quite short—certainly less than a second."

The detonation from a 500-foot tower, highest ever used in a Nevada test, packed a wallop considerably greater than the standard A-bomb, but its shock apparently bounced on uninhabited areas. Las Vegas, 75 miles from the Yucca flat test site, did not feel the blast.

Hospital Record

Friday Admitted — Virginia Alaniz, 1105 W. Missouri; Mrs. Cecil Vick, 101 S. Twentieth; Jesus Gonzales, Lakewood; Mrs. C. A. Fuqua, Kermit; Mrs. Mary Hardin, Jimmy Porter.

Discharged — Ruth Ann Cox, Dolores Lark. Births — Clinton Lee Thomas, son to Mr. and Mrs. Loy Thomas, born 1:15 p.m., 7 pounds, 2 ounces.

Saturday Admitted — James Banta, 811 S. First; Mrs. Henry Terpening, 813 S. Fourth; Frank Mendoza. Discharged — Mrs. Albert L. Nell, Mrs. Cecil Vick, Mrs. C. A. Fuqua.

Sunday Admitted — Benny M. Coats, 1205 W. Missouri. Discharged — O. A. Smith, Frank Boyce, Mrs. David McFarland and baby.

Dates Changed

Dates for the annual junior class play, "George Washington Slept Here," have been changed to March 29 and 30. The change was made, director Al Stevens said, because of a conflict in dates with Future Farmers of America state judging contests.

State Educators Group Charged With Hindering

SANTA FE (AP)—A bill to allow counties and municipalities to provide kindergartens in the state's schools was killed today by the Senate after a lengthy debate which saw a heavy barrage of criticism fired at the New Mexico Education Assn.

The NMEA had fought the bill since its introduction with representatives appearing against it during committee meetings. The measure was backed by State School Superintendent Georgia L. Lusk.

Proponents of the measure on the Senate floor time and again state their point the bill was merely permissive legislation to allow schools to provide kindergartens if they desired.

The vote by which the bill died was 19-11. Sen. Horace De Vargas (D-Rio Arriba) opened the debate on the bill. He said classrooms were available if necessary by use of service clubs, churches, and other buildings used as civic centers. Taking cognizance of the NMEA's opposition, De Vargas said:

"The NMEA is the major opponent but it is a teacher's union interested only in the teacher. We are interested not only in the teacher but in the child. With kindergartens he will progress more rapidly."

SEN. M. P. CARR (D-DeBaca), who opposed the measure, cited a report which he said came from "the state's tax experts," which said between 24,000 and 25,000 "five-year-olds would be eligible for kindergarten in the fall of 1955."

"If double sessions were operated," Carr said, "having the children attend kindergarten for a half day, 480 classrooms would be needed immediately, at a cost of about five million dollars."

Carr prefaced his remarks by stating the report did not come from the NMEA but he refused to name the framers of the report when DeVargas asked.

SEN. HAROLD AGNEW (D-Los Alamos), staunch supporter of the bill, rose to declare "I have a similar report which came in an envelope marked NMEA in the corner. Perhaps it came from the New Mexico Eastern Assn."

SEN. T. C. JARAMILLO (R-Socorro) fighting for the measure, said some people, "especially the NMEA who oppose the measure, show timidity or fright at expansion of activities for the children of New Mexico."

"There is fright that the money used year after year for increasing salaries of teachers may be thinned out," Jaramillo declared. Jaramillo said the bill was only permissive legislation.

Former Teacher Near Hawaiian Volcanic Blasts

LeRoy Jacobs, former Artesia schools music teacher, is only 75 miles from the scene of vicious Hawaiian volcanic activity.

Jacobs, who taught at Atoka school, is at Kahala, 75 miles from Kapala, where volcanic eruptions have forced evacuations of homes.

Motor Scooters Ordered Parked After Accidents

Two motor scooters driven by Artesia boys have been ordered parked for 30 days by juvenile officer J. D. Josey, Sr.

One boy was ordered to park his scooter for carrying a passenger, Josey said. The other was ordered to put his up for shooting water from a water gun into the eyes of another motor scooter operator.

Both incidents resulted in accidents. Josey last week announced a crackdown on double-riding on motor scooters. The two cases were the first since enforcement of the ruling went into effect.

Advocate Missing?

If your Artesia Advocate is not delivered, call the Circulation Department, No. 7, before 6:30 p. m., for immediate delivery of your newspaper.

New Mexico Traffic Toll

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS Artesia's 1955 Traffic Toll 45

WOMEN AND WHEELS It's Not Your Sex, It's Your Personality

By Mary Lou Chapman

You can make statistics prove almost anything. You could find some to "prove" that women are better drivers than men, or you could prove exactly the opposite.

But we don't want to heat up the old war between the sexes. We don't feel that being male or female affects the way you drive, really. We know some good ones and some bad ones of each kind.

It's not your sex, it's your personality that counts. It's the kind of individual you really are that affects your driving. Some ladies we know just don't happen to be ladies on the highway. They honk at pedestrians and "hog" the road, showing their unladylike nature. And some gentlemen, who can be ever so charming and pleasant at a dance, drive like someone is stepping on their toes when they get behind the wheel of a car. They break speed limits, and generally behave as if they were at a jam session. Invariably, it's only a traffic jam session.

THE NAME'S THE SAME

There is something about the completely anonymous situation of driving alone that makes these ladies and gentlemen think they can get away with murder—and sometimes, that's just what it is. Because the people in the other cars don't know you, it's apparently all right to break all the rules.

Scout Sponsoring Proposal Studied By Church Board

Executive board of Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian church met Thursday morning in the home of Mrs. C. Bert Smith.

Mrs. Norman Stewart opened the meeting, and Mrs. Orvan Gilstrap gave the prayer.

Mrs. Tom Vandiver met with the group and asked that they sponsor a Girl Scout troop. The group did not vote to sponsor a troop but will at a later date.

The meeting closed with a circle prayer and CWF benediction. Refreshments of cinnamon rolls and coffee were served by the hostess to Mrs. N. T. Kelly, Mrs. Bennie Juarez, Mrs. Earl Darst, Mrs. John Gilmer, Mrs. Orvan Gilstrap, Mrs. Albert Richards, Mrs. Norman Stewart, Mrs. C. C. Connor, and Mrs. L. C. Kidd, members, and Mrs. Vandiver a guest.

Dentists running their own practices in the United States average net incomes of \$7,820 a year and doctors \$13,432 before taxes, says the Twentieth Century Fund.

Episcopal Women Hold First of Lenten Programs

St. Paul's Episcopal church auxiliary met at the church Thursday afternoon for the first social program of the Lenten season. No business meeting was held.

The meeting opened with devotions. Rev. Milton Rohane, presented his first program, a discussion of the book, "Under Three Flags," written by Bishop Stephen Neill, a retired bishop of India. Mr. Rohane also gave a history of the work of the Episcopal church in India and interesting stories of Indian religions.

Refreshments of cake and coffee were served by the hostesses Mrs. Jack Shaw and Mrs. James M. Griffin.

The second Lenten program will be held at 2:30 p.m. Thursday at the church.

Mrs. Muncy Is Head of PEO

Mrs. B. N. Muncy, Jr. was elected president of chapter "J," PEO, at a meeting held Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. William Linell with her mother, Mrs. J. C. Jesse, as co-hostess. Mrs. John Gates is the outgoing president.

Other officers elected were Mrs. Verle Allen, vice president; Mrs. Harvey Yates, recording secretary; Mrs. A. J. Losee, corresponding secretary; Mrs. T. C. Stromberg, treasurer; Mrs. Paul Francis chaplain, and Mrs. John E. Cochran, Jr., guard.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostesses to 25 members.

Fourth Birthday Party Held for Vicki Dungan

Vicki Lou Dungan celebrated her fourth birthday anniversary with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dungan, southeast of town on Thursday afternoon.

The birthday cake was pink with a posy in the middle and four small candles. Around the base were small, pink, individual cakes. Cake and ice cream were served. Those present were Laura Lynne and Bobby Williams, Sherri and Donald Dungan, Scotty and Kendall Schrader, Jerri Jo-Duke and Jo Ann Dungan.

Mrs. G. B. Dungan, Mrs. George Dungan, Mrs. R. L. Williams Mrs. Ken Schrader, Mrs. C. C. Westerman, Mrs. B. J. Duke, and Mrs. Dungan, the hostess.

Dee Spraberry Attends Funeral Service in Texas

Dee Spraberry returned home Saturday morning from Wayside Texas, where he was called due to the death of his sister, Mrs. Ada S. Hamble, 71 years, who died at her home on Tuesday, March 1.

Funeral services were at 2:30 p.m. Friday from Wayside Community church, Wayside, Texas.

Mrs. Hall Is High In Friday Bridge

Friday Afternoon Bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Maynard Hall for an afternoon of bridge. Mrs. Hall held high score, and Mrs. M. T. Peters, Jr., held second high.

Refreshments of lemon chiffon pie and coffee were served. Those present were Mrs. Lloyd Foulkes, Mrs. Dewey Donovan

Canasta Party Is Held By Artesia Women at Hotel

A group of ladies were hostesses for a Canasta party Friday evening at Hotel Artesia. Hostesses were Mrs. C. Bert Smith, Mrs. B. B. Thorpe, Mrs. Leona Gott, and Mrs. Nola Marshall.

A St. Patrick's theme was carried out in the decorations. Refreshments of cake with green icing, mint cream, and coffee were served.

Mrs. F. C. Hart was awarded a prize for high score. Mrs. Justice second high, Mrs. Louise Gott low, and Mrs. Jim Berry and Mrs. Cy Bunting, bingo.

The guest list included Mmes Sally Lanning, Leah McDonald, A. F. Mahone, Charles Martin, Jim Berry, Emery Carper, Justice Nelle, Booker, Francis Booker, W. Leslie Martin, Bertha Stahler, Mittie Hamill, Meryl Story, F. C. Hart, M. A. Mapes, Andy Comary, and Dovie Patton and Dave Bunting of Carlsbad.

Also, Mmes. Cy Bunting, Nora B. Clayton, Leon Barker, Louise Gott, Ralph Rogers, Opal Roberts, H. G. Watson, J. A. Richards, C. R. Blocker, Frank Thomas, L. B. Feather, A. T. Woods, D. M. Schneberg, Raymond Bartlett, George Thalman, Bert Bidwell, A. C. Crozier, and H. D. Dunn.

Mrs. Jack Mathis, Mrs. Meredith Jones, Mrs. G. P. Ruppert, Mrs. Clyde Guy, Mrs. M. T. Peters, Jr., and Mrs. Hall.

Boston's Beacon Hill section is so named because in early days a beacon was maintained on the hill to be lighted as a warning of approaching danger.

Columbus established the first Spanish colony on the mainland of the New World in what is now Panama in 1502.

Pat Euliss Is Sorority Pledge

(Special)—Canyon, Tex., Miss Pat Euliss of Artesia, N. M., has been pledged by Phi Gamma Nu, national business sorority, at West Texas state college. She is one of 12 girls who have been pledged by the organization this semester.

Miss Euliss, a freshman, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Euliss of 1010 W. Quay, Artesia. She is majoring in business. She was also initiated this semester into Mary E. Hudspeth honor society for freshmen and sophomores.

President Spends First Night in Gettysburg Home

GETTYSBURG, Pa. (AP)—President Eisenhower slept here last night in his new farm home.

It was his first overnight stay, and it was a matter of community as well as presidential pride.

The Gettysburg Times, for example, sent flowers to the Eisenhower place on the edge of town and its lead story said in part: "Other presidents have slept in Gettysburg, including the martyred Abraham Lincoln, but none slept on their own property. President Eisenhower becomes the first president to do so."

Construction of the house started more than a year ago and workmen are still putting finishing touches to the interior. It is only partly furnished.

But the president decided yesterday he had waited long enough. So he and the contractor, Charles H. Tompkins, of Washington, motored to the 189-acre farm to check further on construction details and to spend the night.

From the White House, Eisenhower brought pillows, sheets and

Easter Seals Campaign to Open Thursday

The 1955 Easter Seal campaign in New Mexico and throughout the nation is scheduled from March 10 to Easter Sunday, April 10, according to Charles C. Broome of Albuquerque, president of the New Mexico Society for Crippled Children and Adults.

Easter Seals will be mailed to more than 150,000 residents in the state, beginning on March 9.

Crippled children's colorful messenger, the 1955 Easter Seal, is oblong in shape this year. It displays a white lily, symbol of the Easter Seal society, on a pink background. A bright blue ribbon imposed on the lily says, "Help Crippled Children."

Over 90 per cent of the funds received in this annual drive in New Mexico for local children, Broome said. The remaining per cent supports a nationwide program of education, direct care and research including the Easter Seal Research Foundation.

The campaign is held simultaneously by 1,500 affiliates of the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults in the 48 states, District of Columbia, Alaska, Hawaii and Puerto Rico.

New Mexican's Story Appearing In Harper's

William Eastlake, a New Mexican who is regarded by the editors of Harper's Magazine as an extraordinarily talented new writer, is setting in the March issue of Harper's.

The story, entitled "The Machine Men," describes a dramatic encounter between an outcast scientist working for the American Government at Alamogordo.

He lives at East Lake Road, Cuba, N. M.

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State Tourney Albuquerque Thursday

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Artesia eager and anxious high school basketball teams-victors of a flock of weekend upsets-congregate in Albuquerque this week for the climactic prep week for the state tourneys.

Artesia, defending champions, will meet the Wagon Mound title-holder Carlsbad, surrounded by a string of vicious upsets, at the weekend to move into a position to defend their titles in the tourneys.

The two tourneys kick off Saturday night at 7, with a three-game slate to go in each of two rounders. The other first rounders will be played Friday morning.

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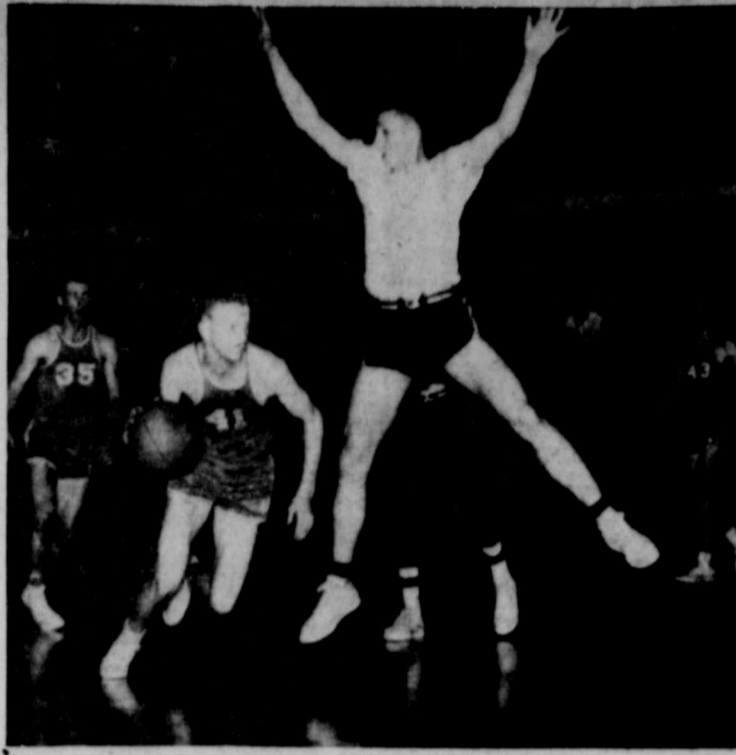
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NELSON MOORE drives in for another two points for Artesia in Friday night district 4 A game with Carlsbad after feinting Carlsbad player out of position. Johnny Riddle (35) and Jimmy Shipp (43) prepare to follow Moore in for rebound. (Charles Shortt Photo)

Travelers Draw Idle Week, Play Wings March 14

No games are scheduled for Artesia Central Valley Electric Travelers this week.

CVE has only one home game remaining on its schedule. It will be a National Industrial Basketball League contest with the Akron

After that game CVE will play Goodyear Wingfoots next Monday. Lowry Air Force base in two games in Denver Thursday and Friday, March 17 and 18. It will then enter the western AAU tournament in Denver.

shot four minutes and five seconds before the half ended for Hobbs' first field goal.

The Eagles ended the half with a total of only three good floor shots and were behind by a 41-26 score. Carlsbad held a 64-47 margin when the third period was over.

High pointer for the game was Carlsbad's Willmore with 26 points on eight field goals and 10 free throws. Floyd Donham led the Eagles with 20 points totaled on six field goals and eight free shots.

Although most of Panama's people live in Colon or Panama City, the country has some primitive tribes that live much as they did before the first Spanish settlers landed.

Recent tests indicate that auto drivers who have had no accidents usually have better vision than those who often run into trouble.

Floyd Economides To Enter Spring Training Camp

Floyd Economides, popular 1954 Artesia NuMexer catcher left Artesia Sunday for spring training with Oklahoma City.

Economides and his wife, Belle, will spend a week in Homer, La., before reporting March 14.

Oklahoma City, a Texas league club, will hold spring training at Alexandria, La.

Economides had been employed at NuMex refinery since end of the 1954 season. His wife had worked in doctors' offices and the Artesia General hospital laboratory.

"We've enjoyed our stay here—we may come back to live here," Economides said shortly before he left. "If baseball doesn't pan out for me this year, we may come back to make our home here. We like Artesia a lot. We appreciate everything everyone has done for us. Artesia really made us feel at home."

Reports will be given on the all-state Texas convention held in Dallas, attended by Mable Baker, Vesta Goodlett, Boots Hanson and Gladys Vaughan of Artesia.

Social Calendar

Monday, March 7
Sunrise Rebekah lodge No. 9, IOOF hall, birthday supper, 6:30 p. m., meeting, 7:30 p. m.

American Legion Auxiliary, Veterans Memorial building, covered-dish supper, 6:30 p. m., meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Artesia Hairdressers Assn. meeting at Vogue Beauty shop, 7:30 p. m.

Mary Griggs chapter of Daughters of American Revolution, meeting in home of Mrs. Lee Francis, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday, March 8
Order of Eastern Star, Masonic Temple, covered-dish supper, 6:30 p. m., meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Xi Iota chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, meeting in home of Mrs. John Simons, Jr., 7:30 p. m.

Lioness club, meeting at Hotel Artesia, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, March 9
Lakewood Extension club, special meeting at the home of Mrs. M. A. Sinclair, 916 Bullock court, 2 p. m.

North Eddy County Cancer Society, meeting at staff room of Artesia General Hospital, 2 p. m.

Group 4 of Christian Women Fellowship of First Christian church meeting in home of Mrs. Hollis Grissom, 401 S. Ninth St., 7:30 p. m.

Thursday, March 10

Homemakers Circle of First Baptist church, an all day meeting in educational building with a covered-dish luncheon, 10 a. m.

Christian Women Fellowship of First Christian church group meet at 2:30 p. m. as follows:
Group 1 in the home of Miss Lina McCaw, 801 W. Quay; Group 2 in home of Mrs. J. W. Bradshaw, 1112 S. Roselawn and group 3 in home of Mrs. C. V. Miller, 1106 Yates.

Mary Gilbert Circle of Presbyterian church, meeting home of Miss Alyce Erickson, 307 W. Dallas with Ella Stowe co-hostess, 7:30 p. m.

Wesleyan Service Guild, meets home of Mrs. W. A. Dunnam, 7:30 p. m.

Friday, March 11
Executive board of Pecos Valley Westminster Fellowship meets in Brainard parlor.

MMM class party for members and friends with a covered-dish supper Fellowship hall, 6:30 p. m.

Host couples Mr. and Mrs. Norris Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ward.

Artesia Shipmates of the Marines, meeting home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Durham, 906 Hermosa drive, 7:30 p. m.

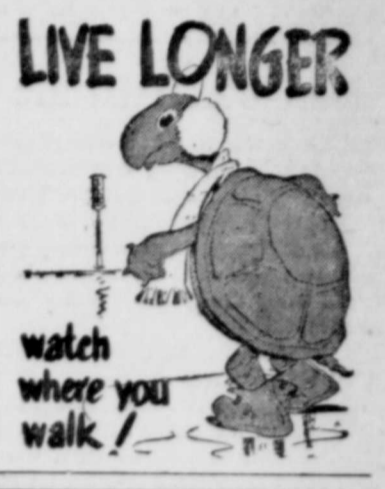
Ancient peoples believed that building bridges over rivers afforded supernatural spirits which could be appeased only by human sacrifice.

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Everett have returned from Albuquerque where they visited their son Jerry, a student at the University of New Mexico. Jerry made the honor roll the past semester and is majoring in chemistry.

Mrs. T. A. Southard and daughter Norma Jo spent the weekend in Portales, visiting Mrs. Southard's sister who is ill, they also visited their son and brother, Bill, a student at Eastern New Mexico university.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Collins of Collins Grocery have been confined to their home, 806 Bullock, with the flu the past week.



Cavemen Prep For State Cage Meet Opener

The Carlsbad Cavemen were making ready for the state tournament at Albuquerque Monday after winning the district 4-A crown Friday and Saturday in tournament play at Roswell.

Coach Ralph Bowyer's defending state champions drubbed Artesia 71-61 and beat the Hobbs Eagles 76-69 Clovis, in an overtime scrap Friday, swept over Artesia's Bulldogs 65-62 to take third place.

The state tournament opens Thursday with a night session in Albuquerque and runs through Saturday night. Carlsbad will defend its title first against Albuquerque. Semi-finals will be played Friday and the championship game is scheduled for Saturday.

The Bulldogs grabbed an early 19-13 lead over the Cavemen Friday to end the first quarter of that tilt. Carlsbad came back in the second period and went ahead 23-22 on a field goal by Joe Willmore. But the up-and-down fight found the Bulldogs on top 32-31 at halftime after Nelson Moore landed a field goal.

The Cavemen pulled up to stay in the third period on a field goal by John Harrell. Artesia edged within one point of the Carlsbad squad on a 45-46 score in the period, but when the final quarter began the Cavemen held a 52-47 lead.

Jerry Cranford paced Artesia in that game within 17 markers on two floor shots and 19 free throws, with 32 points.

Clovis and Artesia were even-up Willmore lead the Carlsbad team with 12 points at the end of the first period but at the halftime he Wildcats were on top 34-28. Artesia tied up the match 34-34 on two free throws by Cranford. The lead moved back and forth from that point on with the Wildcats holding a nervous 46-45 lead when the third ended.

The overtime period started with a 58-58 score; broken when Cranford made two free throws; Wildcat Lindy Lanier tied it up again with a field goal. The rest of the game was a raft of fouls and free throws with the Wildcats coming out on top.

Cranford again led his team with 20 counters on five field goals and 10 out of 10 free throws. Bob Martin paced the Wildcats with 19 points on six floor throws and seven free throws.

In the story-telling Carlsbad-Hobbs game the Cavemen rolled up 20 points in the first period while the Eagles made five free throws. Edwin Bryson sank a long

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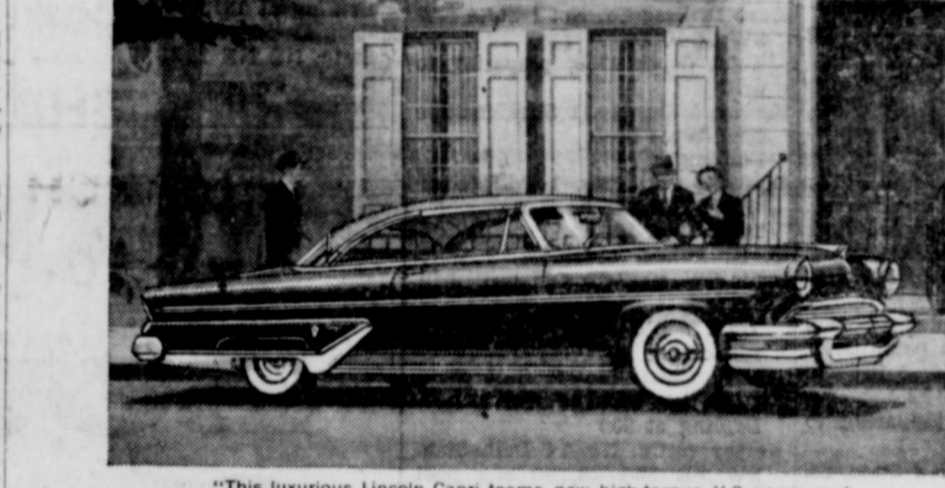
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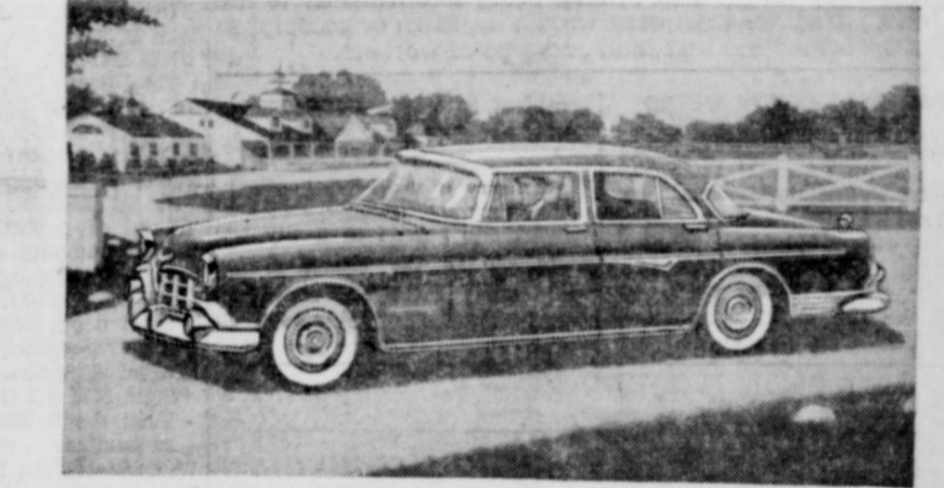
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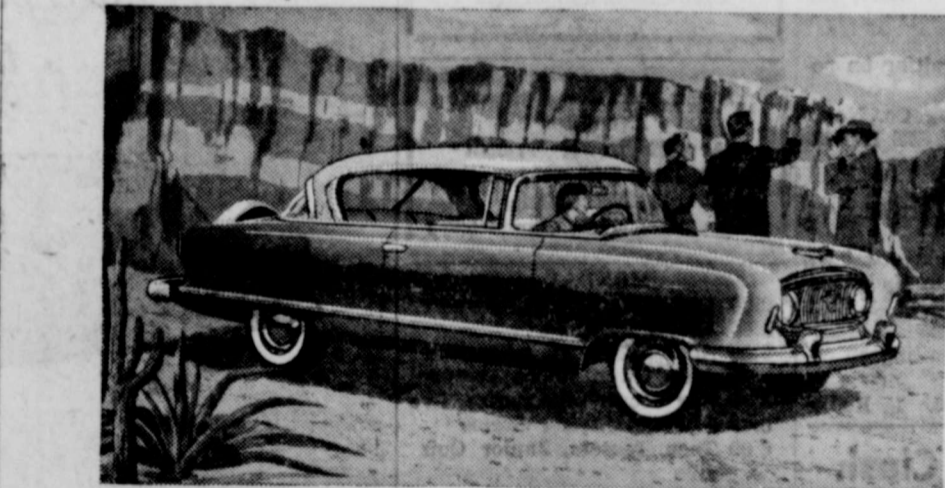


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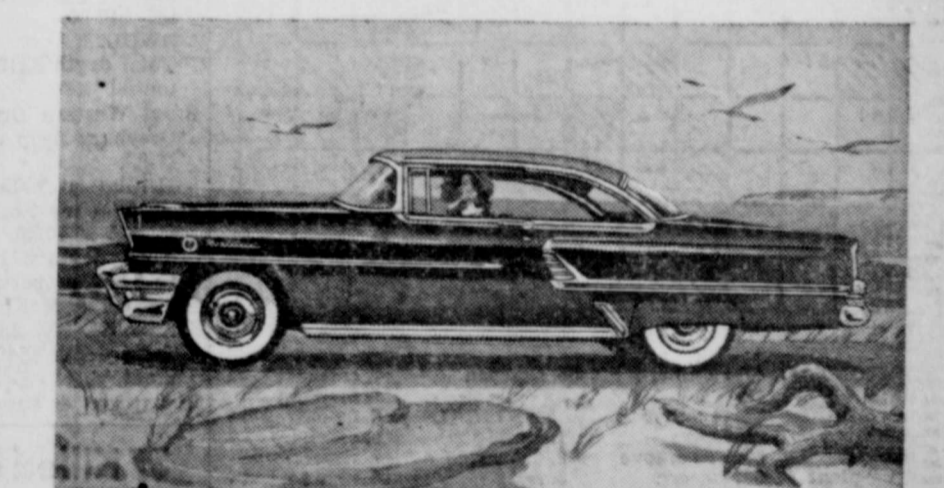


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IN THE MATTER OF PRODUCING CHAMPION DIVERS MIKE KNOWS NO EQUALS - WAS DIVING COACH OF THE LAST TWO OLYMPIC TEAMS - HIS BUCKEYE DIVERS HAVE WON THE BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIP 17 OF THE LAST 18 TIMES AND 16 OF 19 IN THE N.C.A.A.

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Santee to Run Texas Relays

WESTIN, (AP)—Wes Santee, the American miler, will be back in the Texas Relays in April for his first 1955 outdoor bid for a record.

Santee, thrice a star of the big here, advised Director Clyde Field that he would return. The colorful Kansan, who anchored the Jayhawks to a world record in his last appearance at the Texas Relays in 1953 and 1954. In his appearances here he has been a member of nine winning combinations, seven of which finished meet records.

1940, one farm worker in the United States could produce on the food for 77 people, on the average. Today, with shorter hours, man produces enough for 18 people.

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Change in Attitude

THERE HAS BEEN a great deal of talk in the past few years regarding the need for a change in attitude of employees. Prior to this there was talk for a quarter of a century regarding the changing of the attitude of employers.

There are a good many people today who have the right attitude and who do a fine job in their work. They are in the work they like, they place that first, and they are highly successful.

There are many others, however, in a field of work which they do not like but they are there because it pays the best and their interest and desire is money.

When we place money first we usually do not do the best job that we can do or that we should be doing.

It is true that few of us have sufficient money on which to live and are able to get along without pay. It is human nature to want to earn as much as possible. Yet there are those today in some chosen field because that is where they want to be. They are there not because they can make the most money, work shorter hours, or do as little as possible but because they have a satisfaction in their work and they enjoy their work to the fullest.

We sometimes think that perhaps the old fashioned family doctor was so successful because he loved medicine and he was not much concerned about making money. He gave of himself freely and of his time and his ability. His first concern was his patients not whether he would get paid for his call. They were a great group of individuals.

Many of us today are more concerned with making money than we are with enjoying our work, giving what the job requires, improving and producing all that we can.

And we perhaps, are to blame for the attitude that prevails today and in this instance we mean adults. We have failed to impress on youngsters that although money is pretty important in these days and times there are still other things which are more important.

We actually believe a change in the attitude that prevails among too many working today would result not only in better employees and doubtless result in them being worth more and earning more but they would find a greater happiness in their work.

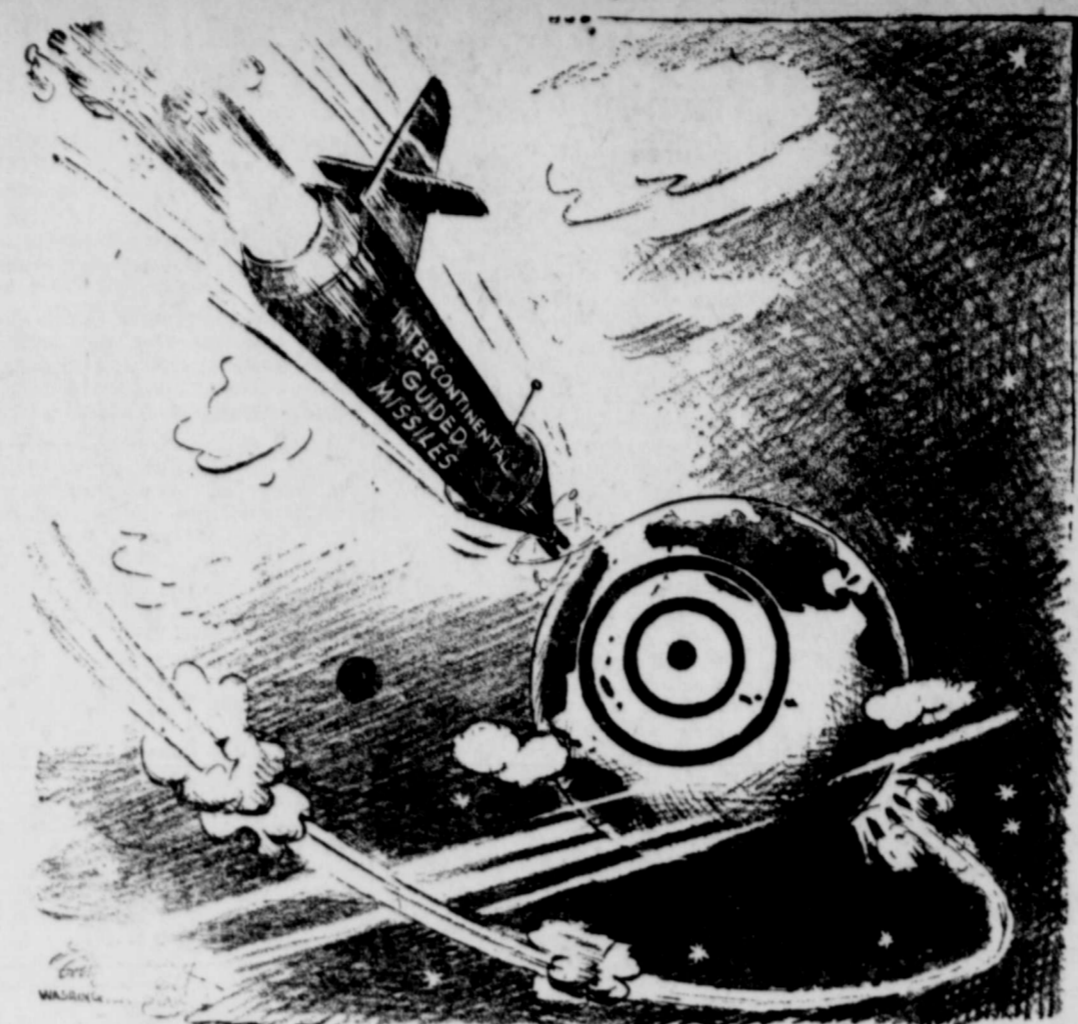
Certainly an attitude of only being concerned as to the pay on a job rather than what we can do, learn or accomplish has not provided the best kind and type of workers.

POWER PLANT PLANNED

HOBBS (AP)—A. R. Watson, executive vice president of Southwestern Public Service Co., says construction of an eight million dollar power plant, capable of handling needs of a city of 125,000 will begin this fall 12 miles west of Hobbs. The plant, to be named for Jack Cunningham, company president, is to have a 96,000 horse power capacity.

It took six people on farms to support one person in a city 100 years ago in the United States while today there are about six city people for every person on the farm.

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Eddy County Oil Report

NW NE 27-20-31 Drilling at 6397
Red Lake Oil Co. No. 21 State, NW NW 27-17-28.
Total depth 1960, swabbing W. N. Price No. 2 State, NW NE 35-18-27.
Drilling at 1731
W. N. Price No. 2 Pure State, NE SW 35-18-27.
Drilling at 1874
Burnham Oil Co. No. 4 Vandeventer, NW NE 22-18-28.
Drilling at 2324
Carper Drilling Co. No. 7 Robinson, SW SW 25-16-31.
Location.
Everett D. Burgett No. 1 Pure State, NW SE 15-21-27.
Total depth 561, preparing to test
Moab Drilling Co. No. 1 State NW SW 16-16-29
Total depth 1750, preparing to drill
Kersey & Co. No. 1 Sheldon-State NE SW 14-18-28.
Drilling at 1482
Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1 Eddy State "AG" NW NW 36-26-31.
Drilling at 1040
O. H. Randel et al No. 2 State, SE SW 19-17-31. Old well drilled deeper.
Total depth 3055, preparing to run casing.
Nix & Curtis No. 2 Gulf State, SE NE 35-18-27.
Drilling at 930
Kersey & Co. No. 14 Delhi-State, SW SE 32-17-28, Artesia pool.
Total depth 485 waiting on casing.
to 2300 preparing to Sandfrac.
Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. No. 20 Keel State NW SW 13-18-28.
Total depth 2942, preparing to re-Sandfrac.
W. C. Welch No. 1 MRY State, SE NW 35-17-28.
to 2300 preparing to Sandfrac.
S. P. Yates No. 2 Gulf State, SW NE 26-18-28.
Total depth 2878, preparing to re-Sandfrac.
R. J. Jones No. 4 Gates, NW SW 26-18-30.
Drilling at 1192.
Southern Union Gas Co. No. 11 Vandagriff, NE SE 5-17-28.
Drilling at 2200
Kersey & Co. No. 5 Thompson-St., NE SW 20-17-28.
Total depth 1890, set whipstock at 1770
Burnham OH Co. No. 7 State, SW SE 2-17-30.
OWD
Total depth 3212, waiting on potential test.
Great Western Drilling Co. No. 2 Graybury deep unit, SE NE 13-17-29.
Drilling at 7000
R. R. Woolley No. 16 Arnold "A", SE SE 22-17-30.
Total depth 3211, plugged back to 3168, preparing to Hydrofrac
Plummer & McKinley No. 3 Gulf State SE NW 23-18-28.
Total depth 2546, waiting on cement.
Richardson & Bass No. 1 Rodke

NEW MEXICO WEATHER

Partly cloudy south today; otherwise fair today, tonight and Tuesday. Warmer east today. A little warmer over state Tuesday. High today 50-60 north, 65-70 south. Low tonight 20-35 north, 35-45 south.

PAPER TO BE REVIVED

PORTALES (AP)—Publishers Marion M. Stinnett and G. K. Greaves of the Portales Daily News plan to revive the Portales Valley News next Friday. The Valley News, a weekly, began publication 30 years ago and suspended publication 20 years ago. The publishers said they plan to cover Roosevelt county completely with the two papers.

V. S. Welch No. 1-X Resler-State, SW SW 3-18-28, Artesia pool.
Drilling at 1315
Malco, Resler & Yates No. 125 State, NE NE 23-18-28, undesignated pool.
Drilling at 1260



TAKING PART in Radio Book Quiz Saturday were third graders from Artesia schools. Left to right seated are Charles Mauldin, Susan Daniels, Marilyn Joy, Carrie Klerekooper; standing, Jake Harper, Jerry McCarter, and John Schneider. (Leone Studio Photo)

Held by Jordan



JORDAN authorities will release Grace Shevel (above), 22-year-old Chicagoan who was arrested with two students as they visited the border village of Beit Safaa, according to word from U. S. Vice Consul John Sabina, who visited her in Jerusalem. Miss Shevel, in Israel for a year, has been working as a dietician at the Hadaassah hospital and studying at Hebrew university. (International)

Matusow—

of the International Union of Mine, Mill, and Smelter Workers. At the 1954 trial Matusow self-described former Communist turned FBI informer, swore that Jencks was a member of the Communist party. Matusow also said that Jencks conspired with Mexican Communist organizers to cut off copper production for American forces in Korea. Matusow was the only government witness who linked Jencks with Communist activities after the NLRB affidavit was filed. A jury found Jencks guilty and Judge Thomason sentenced him to five years in prison. He has been free on bond pending appeal.

CAMPBELL SELECTED

Las Cruces (AP)—The Dona Ana county Democratic party has elected Pat F. Campbell chairman to succeed Ivan McQuire of Hatch who resigned two weeks ago because of ill health.

The U.S. birth rate has exceeded 24 per thousand people for the past nine years.

PICKED FOR MAYOR

El Paso (AP)—W. T. Misenheimer has been nominated mayor of Paso by the city's Democratic party by 11,049 votes compared to 5,464 for his opponent, Dan DeNominated with the political corner for aldermen were incumbents Ernest Ponce, Hal Dean, Tom Burnham and a new figure, Richard Fletcher.

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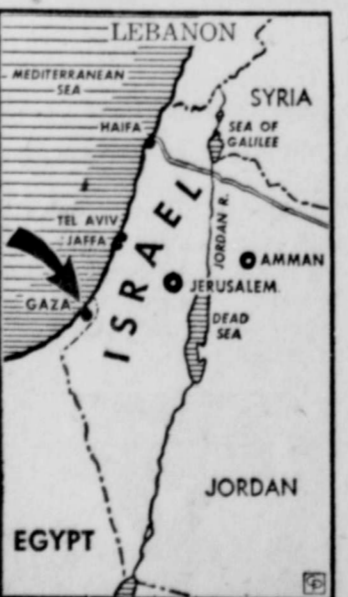
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7:30 Mr. District Attorney
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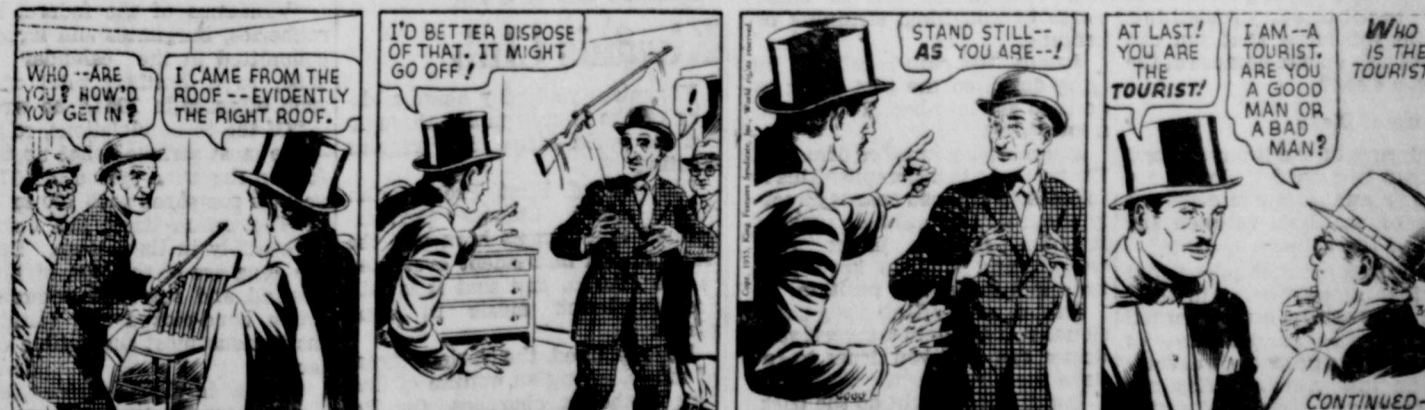
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Comic Opera Players Final Mutual Concert Attraction

The Comic Opera Players will perform "The Telephone" by Gian Carlo Menotti and "Trouble in Tahiti" by Leonard Bernstein at Senior high school auditorium March 21 as the final program in the 1954-55 Artesia Mutual Concert Assn. series.

Comic Opera Players are in their third trans-country tour under direction of David Shapiro, its musical director and founder. Shapiro's first tour—when he took the Comic Opera Players out with Menotti's "The Old Maid and The Thief," was the realization of a dream and an ambition. Opera in the United States, he is convinced, should be in English. It should be good theater and exciting to see and hear.

Therefore, in his choice of selections of this present tour he has sought out the operas of two contemporary composers who have each conquered Broadway, U.S.A.—Menotti with "The Consul," "The Medium" and more recently "The Saint of Bleeker Street" and Leonard Bernstein with "On the Town" and "Wonderful Town."

David Shapiro was born and educated in New York City, receiving a B.A. degree from Columbia and doing graduate work there in music before serving four and one-half years in the United States Army. After doing his stint in the Pacific Theater of Operations, and having risen through the ranks from private to captain, he returned to civilian life eager to make music.

He did—in many ways—including, conducting opera, symphonic programs, accompanying singers, dancers, with orchestra and in recording for Columbia and Decca records. He is assistant conductor and tour manager of the Little Orchestra Society of New York, and as a solo pianist, he has gained a reputation in many fields of musical endeavor.

Southwestern Public Service Presented Award

For outstanding performance in alerting the public to the needs for adequate electrical wiring, the Southwestern Public Service Co. of Amarillo, Tex., has been presented with a top "Community Service" Award by Look Magazine.

Southwestern lighting specialist, Tom Lynn, was on hand in Chicago to receive the trophy award from Look's Chicago Vice President, Fred Bauer, who made the presentation at the 12th Annual Conference of the National Adequate Wiring Bureau.

Southwestern shared top honors for the Look Community Service Award in the utility field with the Connecticut Light and Power Company of Berlin, Conn. Each firm received an identical trophy.



DON E. ENDAHL, Spokane, Wash., president of Kiwanis International, presents his organization's Pledge of Rededication to President Eisenhower as representative of the people of America. The Pledge of Rededication reaffirms Kiwanis' determination to serve the individual community, and the nation. It was made at the time of Kiwanis' 40th anniversary.

How You Rest at Night May Cause a Backache

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

MOST of you are well aware that you can develop a severe backache by straining too hard in trying to lift or carry something. But did you know that you can also get a backache because of the way you sleep?

Rupture of Disks

A rupture of the intervertebral disks can be caused while you are asleep or awake. These disks are pieces of cartilage between the bones of the spine.

Sometimes patients report that they first noticed pains in their backs upon arising after a normal night's sleep. Examination of these patients probably will show that an intervertebral disk has been displaced. Such a dislocation might be caused by the way you sleep. If you constantly sleep on one side with your back curved considerably, one of these disks might be forced out of its normal position. Then you've got a backache.

However, you are more likely to rupture a disk by performing some physical exertion, such as lifting a heavy load. A blow to your back can also cause a dislocation. When this happens suddenly, you will have a sensation that "something gave away" in your back, and pain follows almost immediately, sometimes

passing downward into one of your legs. The pain is both severe and continuous, and is made worse by coughing, straining or bending.

Usually, the pain is relieved by lying down, so the best thing to do is to get into bed. You'll need a lot of rest.

The mattress must be firm, and the best way to accomplish this is to place several bed boards directly under it. This will help prevent it from sagging under your weight, and tend to keep your back in a more rigid position.

Stretch your affected leg occasionally. If the pain is severe, your doctor can give you drugs to relieve the discomfort.

Enough rest might do the trick, with no further treatment required. But if there is any indication of pressure on the spinal cord, surgical treatment might be needed.

QUESTION AND ANSWER
T. K.: The muscles in my arms constantly ache. Is there any way to relieve this condition?

Answer: Aching in the muscles of the arms may be due to excessive exercise, to some circulatory disturbance, to arthritis, or to some disorder affecting the nerves.

Careful study by your physician is needed to find the cause before treatment could be suggested.

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C of C Speaker Urges Faith To End Fears

If you believe, your fears disappear.

Delbert Downing, Midland, Tex., Chamber of Commerce manager, gave Artesia's annual C of C banquet goers something to believe in Friday night.

Nearly 900 attending the chamber's biggest annual get-together heard Downing declare "We must believe in certain things, then declare to ourselves and to the world 'In these things I do believe!'"

"To conquer fear today, find God said. He spoke following formal ceremonies in which Paul L. Frost, manager of Central Valley Electric Co-operative, Inc., became the Artesia C of C's 1955 president.

Cecil Waldrep, retiring president and Artesia insurance man, presented the gavel of office to Frost. Installed to serve with Frost were Tom Sivley, vice-president; C. E. "Chili" Currier, treasurer; and board members Charles Baldwin, Robert Bourland, T. E. Brown, Sr., William Bullock, Clyde Guy, Ralph Hayes, G. E. Kaiser, Charles K. Johnson, C. C. Nelson, Howard Stroup, Cecil Waldrep and Neil Watson.

RETIRING BOARD MEMBERS presented awards for service were Stanley Carper, A. C. Sadler and W. M. Siegenthaler.

Introduced by Artesia C of C Mgr. Paul Scott, Downing began his talk with homespun humor that captivated Artesians and their guests.

But he spoke convincingly and knowingly of faith, of man's need to find God in these times.

A search for truth is the way to find faith, he said. That search will reveal, for instance, the man has learned more about things than his fellow man.

"It will also reveal," he said, "we know more about merchandise than merchandising. Merchants support a town—they believe people should trade at home."

Yet "this trade-at-home idea" is a two-way proposition, Downing declared. "The women of Artesia read the same Ladies Home Journal as women in Albuquerque, Roswell, Dallas, Chicago. They want the 1955 models, too, not 1954's."

THE SEARCH FOR TRUTH has revealed to science how to find oil-bearing faults beneath the earth, he said. It also has revealed there a giant fault under the Red Sea which, referring to the Biblical incident, could have moved aside the waters so that a man might walk on dry land across the sea.

This search also reveals God's master plan for mankind, for nature. Edison was successful, Downing said, because he did not fight nature — that master plan — but lived with it. Nature gave up some of its secrets to him.

Truth also reveals there are those who trade on fear today, and those who live in fear. "We're afraid," Downing smiled, "of our bosses, war, the internal revenue department, Russians Communists in the United States, taxes."

"Why, the Communists will never take over the United States," he laughed, "because there's too much confusion. How could they take over their first objective—the police? They'd have to take over every police department in the country, and the deputy sheriffs, and the State Police—we have no national police. How could they take over the land? Anyone who has ever bought a 100 by 40 lot and gone through the abstract knows how hard it is to get just that little piece of land."

One way to conquer those fears is through faith—in God, in oneself, in neighbors and community — and as we increase our faith, fear lessens," Downing reiterated.

He added: "We don't find God by going straight up, as some who proclaim their faith the loudest would do. We find faith in God on our own level."

History of Church Music Is Told Kiwanis Club

Kiwanians yesterday heard a history of the church music throughout the world during their regular meeting.

Director of First Presbyterian church music, Charles Cox, explained that a rams horn was the first musical instrument ever used in the church, and that it is still used in church music in some places.

He explained the various types of music, giving an outline of Eastern Orthodox churches, the Roman Catholic, and the Greek Orthodox church services and music.

He said John Wesley is credited with introducing music into services and publishing the first hymnal, plus founding the first Sunday school. He concluded by saying a study of music points out its relation to the church, practices and many other things or events of the day, when the particular composition was written.

Guests for the meeting were Jim Johnson, Jack Isaacs, Lester Snow and Jack Fuquay of Roswell; Charlie Barley of Hope and Dave Muhlestein of Artesia. Junior Kiwanian was Freddie Sanders.



DISTAFF member of the famous Lesselli Marionettes, Ellie Heath, displays some of the wonders of puppetry to an interested youngster. Lesselli production will appear tomorrow afternoon.

Marionettes to Give Tuesday Production of 'Ali Baba'

Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves a tale from the Arabian Nights, will be presented by Lesselli Marionettes at 4:15 p. m. tomorrow in Senior high school auditorium.

Tickets are priced at 35 cents for children, 50 cents for adults. They are on sale at all schools.

In five scenes six successful marionette characters, including Ali Baba; Cassim, his miserly brother; Morgiana, Cassim's slave girl; Zobeide, Cassim's wife; a robber chief; Shorty, the chief's right-hand man; and a donkey will unfold this oriental tale of intrigue.

Children will be taken to the top of a mountain not far from Ali Baba's home. While Ali Baba and his donkey hide behind a rock, they hear the robber chief and his assistant use two magic words "Open Sesame" to open a rock into a fabulous cave glittering with jewels and gold.

In scene two, Ali Baba finds himself in difficulty. In search for a means to measure the wealth he has been able to take from the cave for his own use, he borrows a measure from Morgiana, Cassim's slave girl, into which has been poured some honey by Cassim's suspicious wife.

When the measure is returned with a gold piece sticking in the honey, Cassim and his wife are very excited and are able to get from Ali Baba the location of this cave. Inside the cave, Cassim is surprised by the robbers who vow to catch Ali Baba and get back from him the riches he has taken from their stolen treasure.

It is only Morgiana's distrust which saves Ali Baba from his brother's fate for the robber chief comes to Ali Baba's house seeking a place to lodge overnight and a place to put his mules which are loaded with jars of oil. But, of course, in each jar there is hidden one of the robber's accomplices. Morgiana discovers the hoax and pours boiling oil into each of the jars.

Having dispensed with the accomplices of the robber chief, she then follows him into the dark night with a dagger. When Ali Baba learns what danger Morgiana has faced to save his life, he grants her freedom from slavery in gratitude for her loyalty.

Pravda Challenges Churchill View On Atom Power

MOSCOW, (AP)—Pravda took issue today with Prime Minister Churchill's claim of U. S. minister Britain to stop harboring American air bases or she would find herself a prime H-bomb target.

The Communist party newspaper blasted Churchill as an "atom bomb waver" and said his House of Commons speech on nuclear weapons this week would only deceive the wilfully gullible.

"The Soviet people have achieved such success in the production of hydrogen weapons that the U. S. A. has already shown it is lagging behind on certain points," Pravda declared.

The article said British ruling circles were neglecting their country's security by permitting U. S. Air Force bases there.

Hoover Declares Bank Robberies Reaching Crisis

WASHINGTON, (AP)—FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover said today an increase in bank robberies has reached "feverish proportions."

He said a new development has been entry into the field of the lone wolf operator and the amateur, with the latter sometimes acting on sudden impulse.

In a signed editorial in the March issue of the Bureau's Law Enforcement Bulletin, the FBI director urged concerted action by banking institutions, law officers and the public.

"Violations of the federal bank robbery, burglaries and larcenies committed in the calendar year 1950, as a startling total of 517 such offenses in 1954," he wrote.

"Of the three violations, robbery—the most serious—shot up threefold in the same period to 307 last year as compared with 100 in 1950.

"The crime itself has changed perceptibly in its pattern. During the gang era of the '30s, highly organized and seasoned veterans of crime hand-picked and victimized institutions most susceptible to attack.

"Today in sharp contrast, every banking-type institution is a potential target. The bank robber list

'DIVORCED' FROM BROTHER, WEDS



MARGARET ANNE HUGHES, the Hereford, England, girl who married her brother and had two children by him, is shown in London with British army Cpl. Donald Anderson, 23, awaiting March 3 marriage. She and her brother Geoffrey became separated early in life due to an adoption, met in later years at a dance, fell in love and married. A chance acquaintance led to discovery they were brother and sister. The marriage was annulled, and she fled to London where in Hereford "Everyone's talking was so miserable." She met Anderson in her hotel and he proposed two days later.

Married English Brother, Sister Discover Relation

LONDON, (AP)—A 24-year-old English woman who unwittingly wed her brother and bore him two children before they discovered their relationship was honeymooning today with a new husband.

Margaret Anne Hughes was married secretly yesterday to Army Cpl. Donald Anderson, 23, at London's St. Cuthbert's Church. The Rev. C. L. Gage, who officiated, said the couple was wed by

ordinary license after a legal opinion that Margaret's marriage to her brother Geoffrey was void.

Margaret and Geoffrey were orphaned in 1934 while small children. They were raised separately and did not meet again until 1948.

Margaret had been adopted by a family named Stanham and carried that name.

The two were married in 1951. Their first child, Robert, is now 2, and their second, Michael, is 5 months.

"Soon after Michael's birth," Margaret told reporters last month, "a woman told me my real name was Hughes and that Geoffrey is

my brother. I went at once to the registrar of births. He looked at the records and to my horror found that the woman was right. Geoffrey and I parted immediately."

In Saudi Arabia, the air scooped for the ventilation of railroad passenger cars are put on the roof rather than underneath as in the United States, because blowing sand clog them when they are on the ground.

In the United States, auto scrapped in 1925 averaged less than 22,000 miles of total travel while those scrapped in 1945 averaged 61,000 miles.

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