

CALISTO

made a business trip
week.

L. Clark visited
view, Texas, Sun-

rs. Ed Cass were
Texas, Monday and

Perry was at home
at Queen over the

of Las Cruces spent
r looking after his

and George Beale
night from a short
Cloviss.

Lem Thompson, of
visited at the home
semester Sunday.

and Mrs. Jack Clady
hospital in Carlsbad
a seven pound son,

ms and George Mar-
week end here visiting
ther, W. Leslie Mar-

ay Eaton and Dor-
am and Albert Eaton
the week end here,
ome of Ben Wilson.

of San Angelo, Texas
days here the past
er his farming inter-
wood community.

Mesdames T. C. Bigd,
ri Joiner and Stanley
to Sitting Bull Falls
nt the day picnicing.

eds, president of the
as Co., left the first
Dallas, Texas, where
t time attending to

artin and Mrs. Mar-
to Carlsbad Sunday
nn Polk, who was op-
pendicitis that day
hospital.

iller's mother and sis-
ames J. D. Hudgins
ins, of Carlsbad, spent
on in Artesia visiting
Mrs. Miller.

er returned last week
California, where he
ended visit with his
Crozier who accom-
panied for a longer

olk, of Phoenix, Ari-
accompanied home by
ver, underwent an op-
eration at the Sister's
Carlsbad, Sunday after-

on arrived Saturday
City and occupied the
Christian church Sun-
and evening, and may
permanently. Mr. Em-
panied by his wife.

rs. Roger Durand, of
r residents of this com-
moved to the Lanning
town. Mr. Durand op-
on the C. A. P. ranch
three years, before re-
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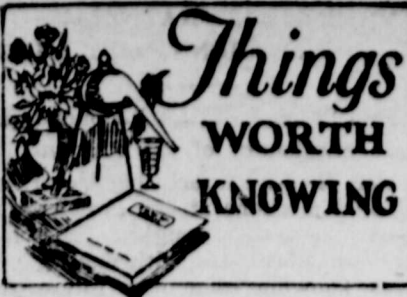
McCrory came down
Saturday to get her
rol, who had been left
and parents, Judge and
McCrory, while the fam-
ing settled in their new
returned to Portales with
Sunday.

Hoover, who was called
weeks ago to see a form-
W. H. Grier, of Cincin-
cently accompanied Mr.
oenix, Arizona, where
will remain a short time
fit of Arizona's winter
re coming to the Pecos
Hoover arrived home
ing.

rs. Robert Henderson, of
California, arrived in
day and plan to make
home here. Mr. Hen-
sociated with C. J. Dex-
illing of two oil wells
ddy county. Two daugh-
and Mrs. Henderson will
Los Angeles until the
school term.

Mrs. S. A. Lanning left
for Wichita, Kansas,
will visit with relatives
ne. Later they plan to
nia, where they will pro-
their home. The Lan-
been citizens of Artesia
years and their many
et to hear of their depart-
Helen Gill, who had been
the past three months as
ousekeeper for Mrs. Lan-
panied them as far as
her way to her home
Kansas.

ds, 100 for \$1.75, on best
ed or plain stock.—The



Things WORTH KNOWING

Its a good idea to incubate a few eggs before the breeding season as a check on the fertility of the flock. Keep some reserve males on hand in case of sickness or accident to the regular breeders, or to replace the males that are not reliable breeders.

Many a cellar is wet because the surrounding ground is flat or slopes toward it. Water in the ground moves much more rapidly downward than laterally, and conditions can be improved by grading the ground to make a smooth, sharp, downward slope extending at least 10 feet from the building.

If you're buying an incubator, get one large enough to hatch all the chicks for home use in 2 or 3 hatches. It takes little more time to care for a large machine than to tend a smaller one and the larger allows for growth of business. Allow about five eggs for each good pullet desired next fall.

Hides should be cleaned before being salted and cured. Clean hides bring better prices, and other things being equal there is less waste and they make better leather. Meat and fat should be removed, ragged edges trimmed off, and the ears split twice. Then wash both sides of the hide with clean, cold water and a brush. Scrub particularly the hair side to remove all dirt from the hair, but be careful when doing this not to scratch or scar the grain. Let the hide drain thoroughly to remove excess water before salting.

Each year many thousands of trees that might be saved are killed by rodents. Resort to bridge grafting if the injury is severe or the tree is entirely girdled. A bridge graft is made by using scions or small limbs to connect the injured areas of bark. Farmers' Bulletin 1369-F on "Bridge Grafting," which can be secured from the U. S. Department of Agriculture Washington, tells how to make successful bridge grafts.

Although the rat, mankind's greatest enemy in the animal world, is probably decreasing in numbers, the farmers and others troubled with these pests should not let up on preventative measures. New buildings should be made rat proof. Close all openings through which rats can enter. Remove all shelter for rats. Dispose promptly of all garbage, trash, and waste on which the rats feed. Destroy the rats with poison bait or traps. Fumigate rat furrows and hiding places with poisonous gases. A small dog trained to hunt rats will often keep down their numbers. Note neighborhood sources of rats, enlist community cooperation for their removal, and work for practical rat-

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The following candidates submit their announcements, subject to the action of the democratic primary when the same shall be held.

For Sheriff:—

- WALTER L. McDONALD
Carlsbad
- A. F. SCHNAUBERT
Carlsbad

For County Clerk:—

- NORMA TOFFELMIRE POWERS
Carlsbad
- RUTH NYE
Carlsbad

For County Supt. Schools:—

- MRS. FRANCES G. DONLEY
Carlsbad

For County Tax Assessor:—

- MRS. RICHARD H. WESTAWAY
Carlsbad

For Probate Judge:—

- MRS. M. O. GRANTHAM
Carlsbad

KILL 181 COYOTES IN JANUARY HUNTS

Biological survey hunters killed 181 coyotes during January, according to a report to the state office at Albuquerque.

They killed 27 bobcats, one mountain lion, three wild dogs and three miscellaneous animals. Total kill was 229.

Two of the wild dogs were killed in Mora county, one in Torrance county.

control ordinances in cities and towns.

Paraffining the sections makes comb honey more attractive to the consumer, and this practice should be followed by beekeepers more generally, the U. S. Department of Agriculture says. It prevents the bees from smearing propolis, or bee-glue, over the tops of the sections, and keeps the sections from becoming dirty and discolored. Paraffin of the best grade and highest melting point should be used. A smooth, thin coat of paraffin, heated to about 185° F. should be applied with a varnish brush to the tops of the sections after they are in the supers and before they are given to the bees. Don't work the brush back and forth, but give it only one sweep down, holding the supers tilted up to an angle of 45°.

WEED AREA POPULAR AS RESULT OF THE IMPROVED HGHWAY

ALAMOGORDO—The Lincoln National Forest continues to grow in popularity according to the annual report of the forest officials, which shows that the Lincoln Forest had over a half million visitors in 1929. Good roads are credited with much of the increase according to O. Fred Arthur, the Lincoln supervisor. The recreational areas near Weed, had 71,440 visitors in the year, made possible by extensive improvement of roads in that section. In former years, this was an almost inaccessible area. The Cloudcroft district also had noted increase with improvement from the west, of the La Luz canyon highway, and the Artesia-Elk, May-hill highway from the east.

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LATE AFTERNOON ON A BUSY DAY — REMEMBERS AN OUT-OF-TOWN LETTER HE INTENDED TO DICTATE THAT MORNING

DECIDES TO TELEPHONE — REFERS TO NEW RED-COVERED BUSINESS DIRECTORY — FINDS NUMBER AND PLACES CALL

*CALL WAS COMPLETED AS QUICKLY AS LOCAL CALL — DECIDES BUSINESS DIRECTORY IS HANDY REFERENCE — RESOLVES TO USE IT OFTEN.

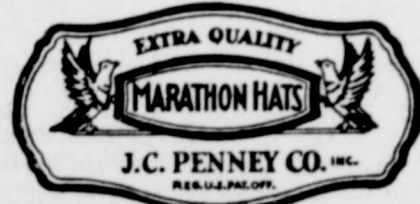
Long Distance is both direct and inexpensive. *Most calls are now completed while you hold the line—almost as fast as local calls. Telephone numbers of all business subscribers in Arizona, New Mexico, and El Paso, Texas, are included in the new red-covered business directory delivered last month.

Various Long Distance station-to-station day rates were again reduced January 1—the fourth reduction in a little more than three years. "Station-to-station" designates those calls on which you will talk with anyone at the called telephone. Evening and night rates were not affected by the reduction.



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The *Headliner* (top) is one of the new, Young Men's Marathons for Spring. It is made of all fur felt, with curl brim, welt edge. It is featured in the new Spring colors.

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The *Times* (center) is really good looking, because it is styled so well. It is made of fine hatter's furs, insuring long wearing qualities. It is beautifully satin lined—the leather sweat and silk band are of high quality.

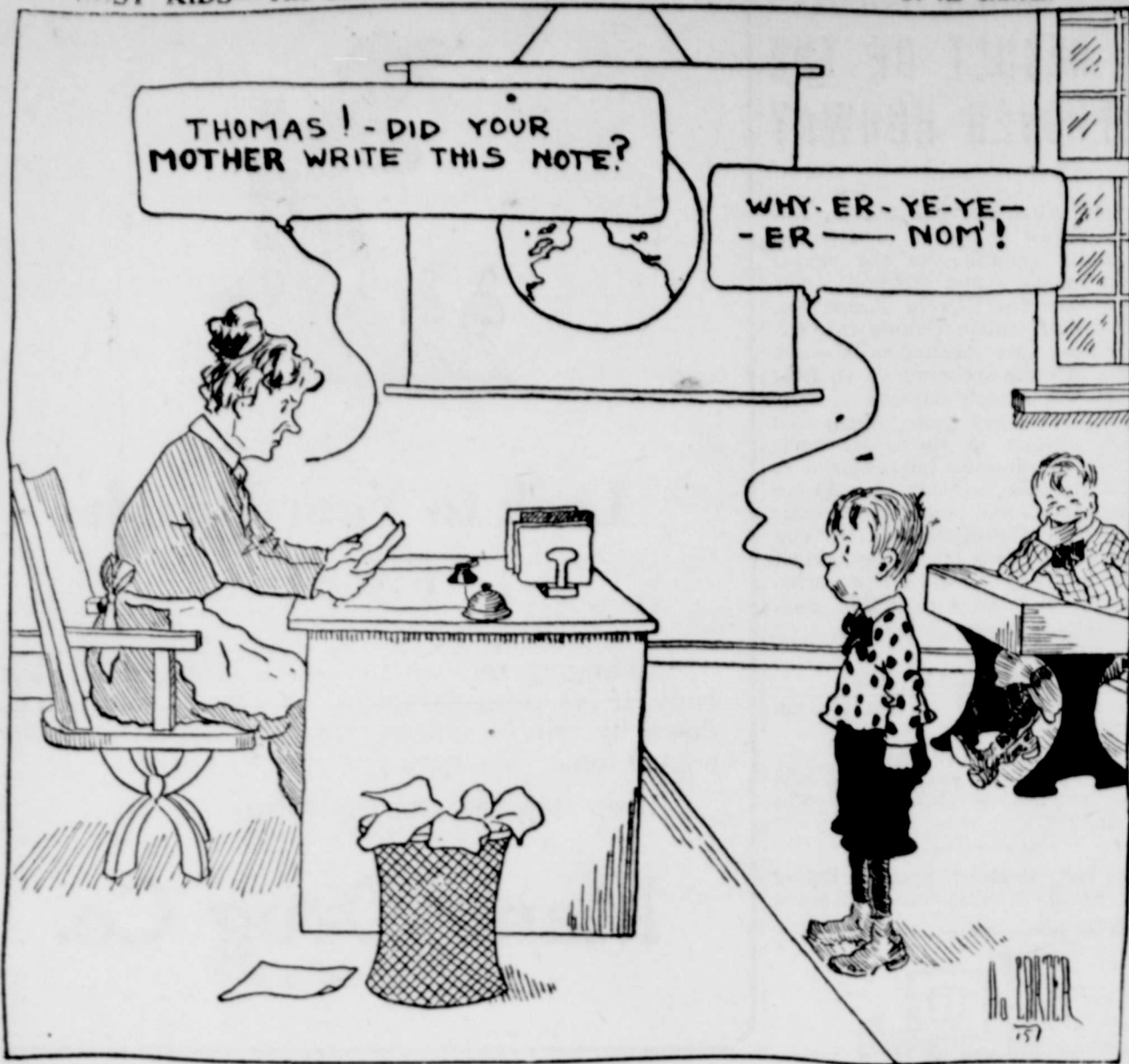
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The *Forecast* (below) is a high grade snap brim Marathon that will be very popular this year. The model is styled to the minute and the colors are just right for Spring.

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WALL STREET JOURNAL SLAMS INDEPENDENT OIL MAN IN EDITORIAL

The Wall Street Journal says that the little man has no business playing the oil game. The attitude of the financial interests of the east is reflected in a recent editorial of the Journal, which is reprinted in full and follows:

"That tariff on imports would help the oil industry in a country which exports more than it imports and produces more than it knows what to do with is a grotesque dream. There is little danger that President Hoover will be misled but there is a chance of imposing upon a congress whose clearest understanding of the tariff is that it has something to do with votes.

"It is conceivable that a tariff duty of one dollar a barrel on crude petroleum would initially make some impression upon the present excessive supply and temporarily bolster a demoralized market. Likewise, it would provide the pretext for advancing the price of gasoline to the consumer where local conditions allowed. But the oil industry is in the very act of demonstrating that low prices for crude is the only real

hope of curbing reckless and wasteful production, voluntary restriction having failed to make headway alone. Nullify one of these measures with a tariff and a rising oil market and the floodgates of domestic production will be re-opened wider than before. So inevitable is such a train of events that the demand for a certain group of oil producers for a tariff is explainable only on the theory of unthinking desperation. Be it noted that it comes from "the little fellows." One who is drowning whether in water or in oil, will clutch at a straw.

"In reality, the proposal to put this part of the natural resources of the United States at the disposal of the world, encouraging other countries to conserve their supplies against a time when our own flush production has passed. So far as it could have any effect, a tariff on oil would operate as an export duty to be paid by domestic consumers to enable producers to dump their excess upon the world markets. For they would have to meet world prices to hold their customers and could only hope to recoup themselves by compelling domestic consumers, if and while they could, to foot the bill.

"There is, of course, every prospect that this pretty scheme would defeat itself. To think for a moment of the almost insurmountable difficulties that have attended the restriction movement the past two years, and the precarious footing on

which the restriction so far achieved still rests is to realize that a tariff-made advance in crude prices would be like pressing liquor upon an inebriate already delirious.

"Much as some of us may dislike it, the only hope for oil stability is further centralization of ownership. Oil lands must pass more and more into hands of corporations able and willing to defer recovery. The cry of the small owner when he is not alarmed by real danger of drainage is that he must realize within his lifetime. He must do that by drilling or take his chances in bargaining with one or two possible buyers for the sale of his holdings.

"His position is not enviable, but a tariff on oil making demoralization relatively permanent offers him worse than nothing."

A man who appeared recently in police court couldn't be persuaded to stop talking. Eventually, however, the judge managed to get in a short sentence.

Meek voice over the telephone: "Doctor, this is Mr. Henpeck. My wife has just dislocated her jaw. If you're out this way next week you might drop in and see her."

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- 1st—Turn your stoves down after temperature of room has reached a point of comfort.
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Call our Service Man to adjust your appliances and demonstrate to you how to adjust them.

Pecos Valley Gas Company

LOCALS

Mrs. E. E. Coll has been severely ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linell were Carlsbad visitors Sunday.

Miss Esther Morgan was at home from Roswell over the week end.

Mrs. Jeff Loring and daughter of Weed were shopping in Artesia Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rude Wilcox motored to Carlsbad Sunday and visited relatives.

The McIntyre family moved Monday to the Widney house on West Main street.

Will Benson left Tuesday morning on a business trip to Lamesa and Lubbock, Texas.

Mrs. Skelt Williams drove to Roswell yesterday for treatment from an ear specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddington Gage spent Sunday in Hope with Mrs. Gage's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Medcalf.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Taylor, of Amarillo, Texas, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dunn, Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Gayle Talbot came down from Hagerman Monday to spend a few days at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. P. Lowry.

Mr. and Mrs. George Parrott, of Plainview, Texas, arrived Tuesday night for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. John McCann.

C. A. Russel of San Angelo, Texas vice-president of the Pueblo Oil Co., spent the week end here looking after the interests of his company.

George Frisch left Tuesday morning to attend the American Waterworks convention, which it in session in Denver, Colorado this week. Mrs. Frisch accompanied him.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Reed, of Santa Monica, California stopped off here, Tuesday for a short visit with Mrs. Reed's nephew, Ray Bartlett and family while en route to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bartlett, at Lincoln, Nebraska.

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Advocate.

LECTURES ON NATIONAL MISSIONS LAST NIGHT

Rev. Ralph J. Hall, of Albuquerque, state missionary of the Presbyterian church gave an interesting lecture on national missions at the Presbyterian church here last night. The lecture was illustrated with moving pictures, showing some very interesting scenes of missionary work in New Mexico.

The new teller's... ended and things were... "What do you mean... exasperated bank... ing us you have had... perience in banking... had a job before?" "Well, you see, I... trembling young man... tised for a man with... Typewriters for... Advocate.

Penn Chinaware Free

We have arranged to give away three Penn Chinaware, now on display at the City Bakery, to the three persons bringing the number of City Bakery Coupons to our

Saturday, March 1st

To the person bringing in the greatest number of City Bakery Penn China Coupons, we will give a 50-piece set of chinaware free, the next number gets the 42-piece set and the third person gets the 13-piece breakfast set.

The Chinaware will be given away Saturday, March 1st, at 2:00 p. m.—holders of coupons should be present.

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GRESS MADE E HIGHWAYS YEAR 1929

The January issue of the Highway Journal, just off the press, is devoted to a resume of the various divisions of the department and their work during the past year.

State highway engineers are busy with the Journal entitled, "The Highway Journal, 1929." He gives a resume of the work done and expended for 1929. This interesting article was expended during the year of \$1,200,000 upon the construction of 5,400 miles of highway. The cost of this work has been estimated at 600 million dollars. The maintenance system for 1929, 105 miles; oil, 3,300 miles; earth, 3,300 miles was expended upon the construction of structures, bridges, guard fences an amount of \$1700 bridges upon the federal systems re-estimated part of this expenditure twenty thousand signs estimated in their original cost of 15 cents each. Five magnetic nails were removed from the highways of New Mexico. The material consisted of a conceivable piece of carpet tack to a horse-drawn wagon. The savings made by the state from the cost of \$10,000.

EM PRIZE WINNER

which took its theme from the poem has been awarded to the Alberta Clark in the Alberta Clark poem contest, held in 1929, it was announced.

of the poem is Miss of Albany, Texas. Other contestants ranged in age from 7 to 72, it was said, and the poem was covered in the contest.

The poem follows:
In, fearfully, we enter
A world incredible, unknown,
In the fancies of the gnomes
In forms and beauty
In stone;
The are pale frost gar-
delight,
Which the sun has nev-
ed,
And chambers of prim-
ed,
Fenced a little space
In;
A frail kind may safely
through,
A maiden, lad and portly
from falling drops of
ew.

folk, nor raise your
re,
Centuries are standing
Jewell Dispatch.

you doing these days,
make in a roundhouse."
at?"

ricated young man in
stood on the curb and
ab.
"Hesh!" he shrieked gay-
into the cushions.
"If, gay boy. Where do
James stuff?" demand-
"This here's a public

well—then it ish Home,
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KIE SAYS—

DON'T SLEEP WELL NIGHTS
IN THE MORNING WITH
BROWN TASTE IN YOUR
MOUTH AND SEE PURPLE SPOTS
IN YOUR EYES, IT IS A
SIGN THAT YOUR SUBSCRIPTION
TO THE JOURNAL IS EXPIRED. SEND US A
RENEWAL MONEY AND
YOUR SYMPTOMS WILL LEAVE



COTTONWOOD ITEMS (Miss Alma Bradley, Reporter)

Mrs. Stewart and son, F. Stewart are spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Gentry.

Miss Camille Horner and friends of Dayton were visiting relatives on Cottonwood Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Vogel of Artesia has been saying with her mother, Mrs. Will Waldrip, who has been ill for the past week.

J. L. Taylor and Clarence Vowell, of Colorado City, Texas are visiting at the home of their relatives, Jim Cullen and family.

Vernon Palmer, who has been visiting his mother and brother in Texas, returned last week and is staying at the John Norris home.

Mr. and Mrs. Huff and children, of Justin, Oklahoma, moved to the Cottonwood community last week, where they will make their future home.

Claude O'Bannon had the misfortune to break his arm last week. He received medical attention at Artesia and is reported to be getting along nicely.

The Cottonwood Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. R. Rogers last week after a business session, refreshments were served by the hostess. The club will meet next with Mrs. Jess Funk, the first Wednesday in March.

The Upper Cottonwood basketball team drove over to the oil field Wednesday to play a game with the oil field team there. Cottonwood won by a score of 15-5. The Upper Cottonwood boys also played Lower Cotton-

wood in a game of ball Friday. The Upper Cottonwood boys of the first team winning with a score of 15-4; and the second team winning with a score of 6-2.

HONOR AMONG

A ruckus had developed between rival sewer construction bosses, and harsh words were flying. "That there ladder belongs to our gang, I tell you!" the first boss belated.

"The eternal hades it does!" the second yelled— or words to that effect. "One of my men stole that ladder from the telephone company with his own hands!"

Red, White, Blue and Yellow carbon paper for tracing on cloth.—The Advocate.

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AMERICAN LEGION NOTES

Last Wednesday evening, February 5, 1930 at the Oddfellows hall the Clarence Kepple post American Legion held its regular monthly meeting, with the largest attendance at a business meeting in the history of the post.

Several new members were reported. Plans were discussed for an American Legion minstrel to be held at some early date. The airport committee reported that the pole with air indicator bag had been erected and in place at the landing field.

The regular meeting place was set as the Oddfellows hall and the regular date will be the first Wednesday in each month. All Legionnaires please note, the regular place I. O. O. F. hall, regular date, each first Wednesday.

The Legion is showing most active signs of life and this has already begun with a great prosperity what

is confidently believed will be the greatest year of the Legion's existence both locally and nationally.

Proud Papa: "Don't you think it is about time the baby learned to say 'papa'?"

Mother: "Oh, no. I hadn't intended telling you who you are until he becomes a little stronger."

"Doctor, do you think the anesthetic will make me sick?"

"No madam," replied the surgeon, "I think not."

But she was not satisfied. "Eut," she continued, "how long will it be before I know anything?"

"Madam," replied the other gravely as he signalled to his assistant that he was ready, "don't you think that is asking a great deal of the anaesthetic."

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HOW FORD METHODS CUT COST OF DISTRIBUTION

*Lower profits in selling save you at least
\$50 to \$75 in addition to the many
savings in manufacturing*

TWENTY-SEVEN years ago the Ford Motor Company was formed to provide reliable, economical transportation for all the people. That original purpose has never changed. The constant effort in every activity is to find ways to give you greater and greater value without extra cost—frequently at lowered cost. This applies to distribution and similar important factors, as well as manufacture.

For the Ford Motor Company believes that its full duty is not only to make a good automobile at the lowest possible price, but to see that there is no waste, extravagance, or undue profit in any transaction from the time the car leaves the factory until it is delivered to your home. It is obvious that hard-won savings in production will be of little value if they are sacrificed later through excessive selling costs.

EVERY purchaser of a motor car has the right to know how much of the money he pays is for the car itself and how much is taken up by dealer charges. If these charges are too high, one of two things must happen. Either the price of the car must be raised or the quality lowered. There is no other way. The money must come from somewhere.

In the case of the Ford, the low charges for distribution, selling, financing and accessories mean a direct saving of at least \$50 to \$75 to every purchaser in addition to the still greater savings made possible by economies in manufacturing. Ford charges are not marked up or increased to cover a high trade-in allowance on a used car.

The profit margin on the Ford car has always

been fair to both the dealer and the public. Within the past three months, it has been possible to effect still further economies. Today, the discount or commission of the Ford dealer is the lowest of any automobile dealer. The difference, ranging from 25% to nearly 50%, comes right off the price you pay for the car.

THE business of the Ford dealer is good because he makes a small profit on a large number of sales instead of a large profit on fewer sales. He knows, too, that the extra dollar-for-dollar value of the car makes it easier to sell and more certain to give satisfactory service after purchase.

Consider also that the Ford car is delivered to the purchaser equipped with a Triplex shatter-proof glass windshield, an extra steel-spoke wheel, and bright, enduring Rustless Steel for many exterior metal parts, in addition to four Houdaille double-acting hydraulic shock absorbers and fully enclosed four-wheel brakes.

If for any reason you wish to buy certain small accessories, you will find that these, too, are sold at the usual Ford low prices. Replacement parts are also available at low prices through Ford dealers in every section of the country.

THESE are important points to remember in considering the purchase of a motor car. They show why it is possible to put so much extra quality into the new Ford and still maintain the low price. They are also the reasons why more than 35% of all cars sold today are Model A Fords.



FORD MOTOR COMPANY

Social Activities

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETING

Americanization month was observed at the meeting of the unit, which was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Cole on Monday afternoon. February with the birthday anniversaries of two presidents is considered by the Auxiliary a fitting month for emphasizing patriotism and national welfare. The program on Monday was given by Rev. Scoggins, an overseas veteran, who spoke upon France giving interesting personal recollections of his stay there, together with a serious and helpful discussion of history and the characteristics of the French people, which control their attitude toward international affairs, and are thus of vital interest to us all. As a part of its Americanization program the unit voted to give two prizes for the best essays written by school pupils this month upon the subject of "Americanization." One prize of \$2.50 will be given to the high school pupil and the other one, also \$2.50, will be given to the Junior high pupil. The winning essays are to be read by the writers to their respective schools on Washington's birthday.

As a part of its child welfare program the unit voted to donate monthly until the close of school to the milk fund for undernourished children. This fund, for which the milk bottle donations are taken, has been providing noon lunches for a few children and milk for a number on school days.

In addition to the children who are receiving the milk free there are a number whose parents are paying for their children's milk.

Following the business session delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Deane, the hostesses for the day. There was a large attendance and a lively interest manifested, which is very promising for the future of the unit. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Frank Seale, the vice president, Mrs. Frank Linell, presided at the meeting.

MRS. CLARENCE CONNER "SHOWERED" FRIDAY

A honeymoon adventure, might fittingly describe the social function given at the home of Mrs. E. T. Jernigan last Friday afternoon for Mrs. Clarence Conner, for secrecy and mystery played a large part in it. Two ladies appeared at the home of Mrs. Conner with the following note—"We are about to start on your belated honeymoon. Won't you willingly allow the messengers bearing this note, to lead you into the strange and mysterious land into which we wish to take you?" Consent being given the messengers, Mrs. E. H. Perry and Mrs. Frank Miller, blindfolded the victim and took her for a car ride. They drove round and round until she was completely bewildered, before they led her to the Jernigan home where a company of friends of her mother, Mrs. Jim Berry, were waiting to receive her. Here a mock wedding was staged which was a ludicrous and mirth provoking affair.

Mrs. Henry Paton, gowned in a marvelous creation, was the bride and Mrs. J. G. Littlejohn in equally modish attire acted as groom. Mrs. M. W. Evans made a charming little ring bearer and Mrs. Fred Brainard and Mrs. Billy Cox bore the handsome six yards long lace curtain wedding veil. Mrs. T. S. Cox was the pompous "cullud" preacher, who read a most impressive wedding ceremony. After the knot was tied the assembled company presented the real bride with a cook book in which each had written her favorite recipes. And then the usual wedding refreshments were served.

After refreshments came another mysterious joy ride blindfolded, which eventually ended at the home of the bride, where there was waiting for her a wonderful "shower" of lovely presents, which ended the afternoon's adventures. In addition to those mentioned as participating there were present Mesdames Berry, Chester Dexter, Charley Martin, Roy Hurd, Lapsley, Reed Brainard, Leonard Jernigan, Scoggins and George Gage and Miss Beth Rogers.

GIRL SCOUT PARTY

The Junior high troop of Girl Scouts, of which Miss Hazel Belle Johnson is captain and Mrs. Reid Brazell, first lieutenant, had a valentine party at the home of Mrs. Brazell last Saturday afternoon. The Brazell home was gay with valentine decorations and the scouts had a most enjoyable time playing a progressive game. Light refreshments, in the valentine colors, were a pleasant part of the afternoon. There were thirty-two scouts present, and they made the occasion tuneful with their peppy scout songs.

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Social Calendar

TELEPHONE 217

FRIDAY

The Methodist Missionary Society will entertain the Presbyterian ladies with a valentine party at the home of Mrs. Dan Elipper at 2:30 p. m.

The Second Night Bridge club will meet at the G. R. Brainard home southeast of town at 6:30 p. m.

The Young Mothers' club will meet with Mrs. Louis Cole at 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

The Second Afternoon Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Beecher Rowan at 2:30 p. m.

The Fortnightly Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Will Linell at one o'clock.

The Pastime Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Jim Haskins in the Phillips Petroleum Co., camp at 2:30 p. m. The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Schoonmaker at 2:00 o'clock and proceed to the oil field together.

WEDNESDAY

The Women's club will meet at the Episcopal parish house at 2:30 p. m. at which time Mrs. M. A. Corbin will give a recital assisted by Mrs. Ralph Henson. Members are privileged to bring one or more guests and all members are urged to be present.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The W. M. U. will meet at the Baptist church at 3:00 p. m. for Bible study.

Methodist Missionary Society meets with Mrs. Feemster at 2:30 p. m.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY DINNER LAST THURSDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Martin celebrated their first wedding anniversary with an informal dinner last Thursday evening at seven o'clock. The dining table was charmingly adorned with carnations and sweet peas and the dinner in two courses was followed by bridge. Covers were laid for Messrs. and Mesdames Lewis Story, Ted Flint, Jack Curry, Joe Hamann and Carl Joiner, Mrs. George Johnson and the hosts.

BRIDGE LUNCHEON

Mrs. Virgil Wells was hostess at a valentine bridge luncheon last Saturday afternoon, entertaining four tables. The colorful valentine decorations were used in the covers of the quartette tables, napkins, tally cards etc., making a pleasing setting for the delicious three course luncheon served by the hostess at one o'clock. The guests of Mrs. Wells were Mesdames E. M. Phillips, John Dunn, Ralph Shugart, M. W. Evans, George Williams, Welton, Stanley Blocker, Ferree, T. S. Cox, Howell Gage, Ben Pior, J. M. Story, Elzie Swift and Lloyd Simon of Maljamar and the Misses Esther Morgan and Ruth Morgan.

HAGERMAN LEAGUERS ARE THE GUESTS OF THE ARTESIA LEAGUE

Tuesday evening in the Epworth League room of the Methodist church the young people from the Hagerman Epworth League were guests of honor at one of the largest social events of the season, a St. Valentine party. More than fifty young people were in attendance and there was not a dull moment from the arrival of the guests of honor till their departure, shortly before eleven o'clock.

A delightful four course supper was served at the ten tables tastefully decorated with valentine colors and favors to the following: Hagerman—Mayre McIntosh, Billy Joe Burck, Marvin Menifee, Dorothy Sweatt, Elwood Watford, Marguerite Watford, Mildred Key, Florence Lankford, Joyce West, Ernestine Langenegger, Valera Menifee, Alton Menifee, Frank Heitman, Wilbur Horsley Watford, Eleanor Hughes, Fred Clark, Grace Menoud, James Lattion, Clyde Pearce, Mrs. C. E. Carter, Mrs. Wirtzel and Rev. Hall; Artesia—Fletcher Hornbaker, Theo. Garrison, Boyd Wright, Turner Smith, Claude Ruby, Mabel Champion, Roy Garrison, Agnes Ann Williams, Ida Wells, Jaunita Denton, Wayne Hornbaker, Burch Crockett, Evelyn Cobble, Elsie Palmateer, Grant Scoggins, Elizabeth Gage, Ruth Graham, Mary Smith, Katherine Filbert, Mrs. Harold Scoggins and Rev. Harold Scoggins and Clarence Crockett and Troy Olds.

The hostesses were: Katherine Filbert, Mary Smith, LaVon Brown, Ruth Graham and Mrs. Scoggins. Boys assisting with the arrangements were: Wayne and Fletcher Hornbaker, Theo. Garrison, Claude Ruby and Turner Smith.

HERRING—BISH

A marriage of interest to both the Artesia and Carlsbad communities and one which was a complete surprise to friends of the contracting parties, occurred Wednesday evening of last week at Carlsbad, when Miss Eunice Herring became the bride of Mr. Glen Bish, of Artesia. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Tozier, pastor of the Carlsbad Presbyterian church, at the Presbyterian manse. Only a few close friends of the young couple, including Mr. and Mrs. Dean Wait and Mrs. Edna Westfall witnessed the ceremony.

Miss Herring is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Herring and has lived in the Carlsbad community practically all of her life. She is a graduate of the Carlsbad high school. Shortly after graduation she served as assistant county health nurse for sometime and was later employed by the Lusk Motor Co., of Carlsbad.

Mr. Bish, who has lived in this section for about three years, holds a responsible position with the Ohio Oil Co. He enjoys a wide acquaintance among the oil fraternity of eastern New Mexico and has made a number of friends during his residence here, who join in extending congratulations and best wishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bish expect to make their home here in a short time.

YOUNG MOTHERS' CLUB

The Young Mother's club met at the home of Mrs. Ben Dunn last Friday afternoon with a good attendance. Mrs. Morrison Livingston was in charge of the program and read an instructive paper upon the vital subject of "Falsehoods Among Children." There was a pleasant social hour and light refreshments were served.

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THE FIRST BRIDGE CLUB

The club was entertained by Mrs. C. Bert Smith at its regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Smith being assisted by her daughter, Mrs. John Lanning, in serving two course refreshments. There were three substitutes, Mesdames Compton, Hartell and Stanley Blocker.

P. E. O. MEETING

The sisterhood met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Jackson last Friday afternoon with a good attendance of members. The business meeting was followed by a social hour of unusual interest and lovely refreshments were served by the hostess.

THE GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL

The Girl Scout Council met at the Central school Monday afternoon and among other items of business formulated plans for a play at the Majestic theater, which will be given Thursday, the 27th.

BAPTIST PARTY

The Baptist ladies gave a party honoring Merle Roody at the home of Mrs. Ben Wilson last Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was spent delightfully in a guessing contest and visiting and delicious refreshments were served. There were about thirty-five ladies present.

GUN CLUB TO BE ORGANIZED

A gun club will be organized Sunday and the meeting place is the golf course where a shooting ground will likely be located. Equipment for the club, such as an automatic clay pigeon trap has already been secured. Organization of the club is being sponsored by M. W. Evans.

THE CHRISTIAN LADIES' ASS'N.

The Christian Ladies' Association held a very interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. Alf Coll last Thursday afternoon. The program was in charge of the missionary department with "The Power of Christ in Service," as the topic. Splendid talks were given upon the countries of China, Africa and Thibet by Mesdames A. L. Bruton, Earl Darst and Jeff Hightower. The musical feature of the program consisted of pleasing vocal and instrumental numbers, Mesdames J. W. Graham and John Lanning rendering a vocal duet and Mrs. Harold Crozier a piano solo, which were much enjoyed. The missionary meeting was followed by a social hour honoring Mrs. Anna Hadley, a former member, during which the hostess served delicious refreshments.

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BOY SCOUT NOTES

The annual meeting of the Boy Scout Council of the eastern New Mexico Area will meet in Roswell, Thursday, February 20th. From all indications one hundred men will be in attendance representing at least twenty towns in the area.

J. P. Fitch, regional scout executive, with headquarters in Dallas, will be present and an effort is being made to have a representative from the national office in New York.

The session will be held at the Masonic temple and will begin at 3:45 p. m. and continue until 8:00 p. m. The afternoon will be taken up in conferences. At 6:00 p. m. the annual banquet will be held and immediately following will be the entertainment and inspirational part of the meeting. From point of attendance and work accomplished it is expected that this will be the greatest Boy Scout meeting held in New Mexico.

Dr. H. A. Stroup, chairman of the local committee has charge of at-

VALENTINE

Miss Juanita Perry Saturday evening, when she entertained a number of the home, 709 Richardson, season of hearts was decorated with valentines which created a most pleasant environment for the guests and cards was the entertainment during the conclusion, deliciously prepared, were served in the home of Mrs. E. L. Perry, who was assisted by Bill Cheney and Mrs. E. L. Perry, who were guests on this occasion. Miss Gray, Elinor Rogers, Mattie George, May Beale, Willard Mitchell, Bill Beale, Arthur Paton, Joe Thomas Kuykendall and

attendance from here and take a good representative meeting.

Wedding Announcements, Engraved or Printed

Announcements

Duly appreciative of the fact that Artesia is a prosperous, growing community, we have purchased the Smokehouse stock and fixtures from H. Q. Haley and will operate under the name of The McAdoo Drug Co., with the addition of a prescription department.

We especially appreciate the good will of the former proprietor and it is our earnest desire that Mr. Ernest Cohen, who is now a member of our firm, will have your continued cooperation and our organization will try to serve the public in such a way that we may have the continued patronage of the Smokehouse customers as well as a number of new patrons.

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HIGH SCHOOL TEAMS WIN-JOYCE FRUIT FIVE LOSES TO LITTMELACS

The Artesia high school boys and girls basketball teams have emerged from a ten day period with a good record. Each team has won two games. In a double header played at the Central gym, Friday evening with Lake Arthur, the Artesia boys won an easy victory, the final count being 40 to 13. The Artesia girls also won their contest by a good margin, the exact score was not secured.

The second double header for the period occurred at the Central gym Tuesday evening, when the locals met and defeated the Hope teams. In the girls contest, the first game played, the Artesia girls took the long end of a 40 to 14 count with the boys game, however, it was a different story, so far as thrills and general interest was concerned, especially in the last quarter, when the visitors staged a determined rally, which came within one point of spelling disaster for Artesia. Artesia led in the first half of the contest by a margin of 17 to 7 and continued in the lead until the first part of the fourth quarter, when three field goals and one free throw ran the count uncomfortably close. The score stood 25 to 24 in the last half minute of play, when the Artesia boys committed a foul permitting a free throw for the visitors, the chance was missed and the game ended a victory for the locals.

Two Games Here Next Week

Interest in high school basketball is increasing as the time draws near for the annual tournament, February 28th and March 1st. Next week two double bills will be played here. On Tuesday, February 18th, the high school regulars and the high school juniors will meet two teams from Carlsbad in a double bill. On Friday, February 21st, the high school boys and girls teams will meet Hagerman in a double header.

Junior Tournament February 22nd. Arrangements are under way to hold the annual junior basketball tournament at Hagerman on February 22nd. Six valley teams are expected to compete in this annual event.

Littlemacs Defeat Joyce-Fruit

The Joyce-Fruit Five lost a hard fought contest to the Littlemac Five of Muscatine, Iowa, at the Central gym last night by a margin of three points. The game was replete with interest and the thrills were many. The visitors led throughout the contest, except for a short time in the third quarter when the locals massed a two point lead. Ransbarger showed the best form of the season and led his team mates in the scoring with a total of 14 points. Lange was high point man for the visitors with 16 points.

	FG	FT	P
Littlemacs (35)	4	2	0
P. DeCamp	7	2	2
Lange	3	1	3
Ray	0	1	1
Flake	0	1	4
DeCamp	14	7	10
Totals			
Artesia (32)	4	6	4
Ransbarger	3	0	1
Bird	1	1	4
Wilkins	0	2	1
French	3	1	3
Rideout	0	0	0
Jackson	11	10	13
Totals			

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Facts About the Telephone

Police telephone boxes are now being installed in and around London.

Public telephone service from the mainland of England to the Isle of Man was inaugurated on June 28, 1929.

Person-to-person long distance telephone service has recently been made available throughout Great Britain.

The French Government plans to dispose of its Syrian telephone system which has always been a military one.

A new French underground telephone cable has been completed recently between Paris, Lyons and Marseilles.

The longest telephone cable in Japan has lately been completed between Tokio and Kobe, a distance of 382 miles.

Of the total of about 23,700,000 telephones in the world, approximately 85 per cent can be connected with any Bell System telephone.

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DRILLING REPORT

Eddy County

R. D. Compton, Vandagriff No. 1, E $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. 33-19-30: Shut down at 718 feet.
 R. D. Compton, State No. 1, NW corner sec. 2-20-25: Drilling below 550 feet.
 F. W. & Y. Oil Co., State No. 57, NE SE sec. 19-19-28: Drilling below 2775 feet.
 F. B. Van Horn, Santa Fe No. 1, SE corner sec. 18-19-26: Drilling below 1020 feet.
 F. W. & Y. Oil Co., Stevens No. 1, NW corner of NE SW sec. 13-17-30: Drilling below 600 feet.
 Jack Dancier, Turner No. 2, NW SW sec. 18-17-31: On production.
 Henderson-Dexter, Arnold No. 1 SE sec. 23-17-30: Running 6 5/8 inch casing to 3250 feet.
 Henderson-Dexter, Greir No. 1, SW corner NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 21-16-31: Drilling below 650 feet.
 Leonard and Levers, State No. 1, NW SE sec. 21-17-29: Producing gas.
 Lockhart and Co., Parke No. 2, sec. 15-17-30: Location.
 Pueblo Oil Co., Russell No. 5 NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 18-17-31: Location.
 Lockhart and Co., Beeson No. 1, NE sec. 28-17-30: Drilling below 4800 feet.
 V. P. Welch et al, State No. 1, SW corner SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 27-17-28: Shut down at 2500 feet.

Chaves County

Cactus Oil Co., State No. 1, SE corner SE SE sec. 14-10-26: Drilling below 1800 feet.
 R. T. Neal et al, Russell No. 1, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 21-14-25: Shut down.
 Warman Oil Syndicate, Blackdome No. 1, in the SE NE sec. 27-13-24: No report.

Lea County

A. D. Morton, well No. 1, in the center of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 32-11-38: No report.
 Barnard Oil Co., Bronson No. 1 SE sec. 28-16-38: Drilling below 4800 feet.
 Cecil Bordages, Jennie Hughes No. 1, center of S $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 27-19-38: No report.
 Continental Oil Company No. 2, Sholes, sec. 13-25-36: No report.
 Continental Oil Co., Meyer No. 1, in the SW NW sec. 28-22-36: Drilling by tools at 3750 feet.
 Curtis Drilling Co., State No. 1, sec. 22-18-34: Shut down at 1200 feet.
 Cranfill and Reynolds, State No. 3-B Lot. No. 9, NE sec. 2-21-33: No report.
 Cranfill and Reynolds, State No. 1-D, NE sec. 3-21-33: Drilling below 1000 feet.
 Cranfill and Reynolds, State No. C-1 NE of SW sec. 16-23-36: Drilling below 1950 feet.
 Empire Gas & Fuel Co., State No. 2-B, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 8-21-35: No report.
 Empire Gas and Fuel Co., Closson No. 1, in the SE sec. 6-22-36: Drilling by tools at 3771 feet.
 Empire Gas and Fuel Co., Lindley No. 2, 2310 feet from the south line and 330 feet from the east line, sec. 14-25-36: Drilling below 1000 feet.
 Fisher-Lowree-Penn, State No. 1, sec. 11-18-36: No report.
 Harrison et al, State No. 1, SWSW Sec. 35-18-38: Location.
 Humble Oil and Refining Co., Lindley No. 3-A, sec. 13-25-36: Location.
 Humble Oil and Refining Co., Koonce No. 1, 330 feet from east line and 2310 feet from north line sec. 14-25-36: Drilling below 1500 feet.
 Magnolia Petroleum Co., Lindley No. 1, sec. 26-25-36: No report.
 Maljamar Oil and Gas Corp., Baish No. 3, in the SE corner NE NW sec. 21-17-32: Location.
 Midwest Oil and Refining Co., Wright No. 6 NW SE sec. 14-19-38: Drilling below 4250 feet.
 Ohio Oil Co., State No. 1, Northrop, SE sec. 32-18-38: Building rig.
 Ohio Oil Co., McDonald No. 1, sec. 15-22-36: Rigging.
 Penn Oil Co., State No. 1, center NE sec. 21-17-36: Drilling below 5100 feet.
 Rector Oil Co., King No. 1, in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 27-25-32: No report.
 Shell Petroleum Corp., McKinley No. 1, sec. 19-18-38: No report.
 Snowden McSweeney, State No. 1, NW corner SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 1-21-33: Producing at 3801 feet.
 Sun Oil Co., State No. 1, 330 feet from east line and 330 feet from north line of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 5-19-38: Location.
 Texas Production Co., No. 1-B, State SW NW sec. 1-21-33: On production.
 Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Co., State No. 1-G, SE SE sec. 24-18-37: No report.
 Walker Oil Corp., Terry No. 2, SW SW SE sec. 10-19-38: No report.
 Texas-Pacific Coal and Oil Co., State No. 3, NE sec. 21-23-36: Drilling below 3590 feet.

NEW COMPROLLER WILL NOT RECIEVE SALARY-IS THE REPORT

SANTA FE—The state of New Mexico will for the first time have a state comptroller who draws no salary from the state, when Rupert F. Asplund takes charge of the office to-day succeeding Gilberto Mirabal who resigned.
 Mr. Asplund said yesterday he will attempt to carry on the job as state comptroller and director of the New Mexico Taxpayers' association at the same time, but does not intend to draw two salaries. If it is impossible for him to fulfill both jobs,

he said he would resign as state comptroller.

He said that he has a plan of putting on a general assistant in the comptroller's office to act under his supervision who will draw the present comptroller's salary of \$4,000. He believes that the work of the Taxpayers' association can be carried on with the assistance of R. L. Ormsbee, now in that office, so that he may adequately supervise both the affairs of that association as well as the comptroller's office.

"I am not in politics and I don't intend to be," Mr. Asplund said. "When I select a general assistant for the comptroller's office I will give preference to a competent republican if I can find one, because the republican party is in power. If, however, I cannot find such a man desirable for this office, I won't hesitate to name a democrat. My idea

is to make efficiency the goal of the comptroller's office." Mr. Asplund has always been a republican personally.

Mrs. Earl Moriarty, of Buena Park, California, who has been visiting her parents at Carlsbad, is visiting Mrs. Stanley Blocker en route home.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dooley of Grand Rapids, Michigan, arrived here the first of the week and will spend a few days visiting Mr. Dooley's brother, William Dooley.

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The following is a ruling of the Comptroller of the Currency:

"The granting by some banks of accommodation in the form of overdrafts is objectionable and cannot be countenanced by this office."

Considerable expense is involved in handling items which are returned unpaid on account of insufficient funds and both the New Mexico Bankers Association and the American Bankers Association have recommended for some time that the Banks make a charge to defray the extra expense. Practically all banks now make such a charge.

The Banks of Artesia have adopted the recommendations of the Bankers Associations and on and after March 1, 1930, a charge of twenty-five cents will be made against the account of the maker, for each check returned on account of insufficient funds.

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THE CHURCHES

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Sunday services at 11:00 a. m.
Wednesday services at 7:30 p. m.
Subject of the Bible lesson for Sunday, February 16, 1930 is "Soul."
In this lesson the following scriptural selection is found: "Acquaint now thyself with Him, and be at peace; thereby good shall come unto thee." (Job 22:21).
Also the following citation from Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, page 273. "Man is harmonious when governed by soul. Hence the importance of understanding the truth of being, which reveals the laws of spiritual existence."
Visitors always welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Fourth and Grand
Rev. John P. Sinclair, Pastor
Phone 249.

Sunday, February 16, 1930.
9:45 a. m., Sabbath School.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon subject: "The King With the Green Eyes." Find him in the Bible? 6:15 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Two groups.
7:00 p. m., popular peoples service. Music by church orchestra and anthem by Junior choir. Sermon subject: "Something God Cannot Do." We say that God is all powerful. Can He do anything and everything? Is He limited?
George Washington said, "It is impossible to govern the world without God. He must be worse than an infidel that lacks faith and more wicked, that has not gratitude enough to acknowledge his obligation."

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Our Bible school continues to grow. For which we are glad. Still there are many who are negligent in their Christian duty. If Christ should come today, what would your answer be? Parents should go to Bible school with their children. Set the good example yourself. If you do not attend some Sunday school on church service can you find fault with your child if he don't want to go? The Lord set aside just one day a week for man to worship him, why not take advantage of this opportunity.
In our Bible school we have classes for all ages being taught by competent teachers.
Visitors are always welcome.
Bible school at 10:00 a. m.
Bible lesson and talk by one of the brethren at 11:00 a. m., followed by the regular communion service.
We urge all members of the church to be present next Lord's day. Invite someone.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH
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"The large church with a warm welcome and a helpful gospel."
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., every Sunday morning. A class for every one and a fine teacher for every class. Last Sunday's attendance was the largest during the conference year. Come Sunday and help the Sunday school to reach even more people with its splendid system of religious education.
The services of the general congregation are being attended by an increasing number each Sunday. Attendance and interest are most gratifying to the leaders and plans are being made by the pastor and officials for a great year of church activity.
Sunday morning at 11:00 a. m. the pastor will preach upon the theme, "Jesus Way With a Fisherman."
Sunday evening at 6:00 p. m. Epworth Leagues. Juniors in Junior assembly room and Senior League in the Epworth League room.
Sunday evening at 7:00 p. m., the pastor will preach upon the theme "A New Aspect of Jesus."
The week of February 24th for five evenings, the standard training school for the year. Courses offered, "A Survey of the Old Testament"—taught by Dr. A. L. Moore; Primary Worship—taught by Mrs. J. C. Ballard, of El Paso and "Evangelism in the Sunday School"—taught by Rev. Harold G. Scoggins.
Many workers from churches of other denominations have signified their intention of taking this training. Any one who is sixteen years old or over is given a cordial invitation to attend this school.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Evangelist Ralph Waldo Emerson of Kansas City, Missouri, who filled the pulpit last Sunday, will again speak at both morning and evening services, Sunday February 16.

Mr. Emerson is spending a few days in Artesia looking over the field, with a view of taking the pastorate.

All church members are especially urged to be present next Sunday and visitors are cordially invited to attend both these services.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Last Sunday afternoon in the church office the official board of the Methodist church met to trans-

act the official business of the church. J. E. Robertson was re-elected chairman; Thomas H. Ragsdale was re-elected secretary-treasurer; Messrs George Frisch, S. S. Ward, E. B. Bullock and T. M. Bradshaw were elected house committee.

Others in attendance were Messrs J. H. Holloman and J. H. Jones and Rev. Harold G. Scoggins.

A survey of the financial situation was made and a budget was estimated.

The board made plans for cooperation with the Chamber of Commerce in their movement to paint and clean up the town by painting the church and making certain necessary repairs to the building. Several hundred dollars has been raised for this work.

A definite plan was made for evangelism. The movement is to begin at once through enlisting all the workers in the Sunday school and in the adult classes in a definite effort to extend the influence of the church by seeking to win to Christ the unsaved of the community and re-inlisting members of the church who have become inactive. And the week preceding Easter the pastor will conduct a series of evening services closing with a great spiritual service on Easter morning.

Last Sunday afternoon the meeting of the official board of the Workers Council of the Methodist Sunday school convened at the call of the Superintendent, George Frisch.

Reports were heard from each of the departments and from the adult classes. The glowing reports indicate that the Sunday school is gaining in efficiency and in attendance. A number of social activities were reported as well as the regular educational activities.

Indications are that all departments are at work in harmony with the plans of the official board and the pastor upon the plans for church wide evangelism.

Announcements were made concerning the standard training school. Those present were George Frisch, T. M. Bradshaw, E. B. Bullock, H. G. Scoggins, Mrs. Keller, Mrs. McCann, Mrs. Scoggins, Mrs. Long, Mrs. Billy Cox, Mrs. Reed Brainard, Mrs. Will Ragsdale and Mrs. Knepple.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

We are glad to see the good interest in all our church work. As spring comes on we shall expect an enlarged attendance. God sends sunshine and rain, makes the grass and flowers and crops grow. Every blessing, whether it be material or spiritual is a gift from His beneficent hand. O, how we appreciate and enjoy His countless blessings. Let us all show to our Maker our deepest gratitude by our loyalty to His church and our consecration to the things He has called us to do. It will be a joy to see you in the services next Sunday.
The pastor will speak at the morning hour on, "Holding to Our Profession." If you are wavering along any line this subject will do you good. You should hear it discussed. At the evening hour Rev. H. C. Murphy, pastor of the Baptist Church at Carlsbad will speak to us. He will bring us a message on "Montezuma, Our College." We should hear and know more about our own school in our own state. Let us come out Sunday evening and hear our school discussed. Brother Murphy is one of our good pastors and we should give him a good hearing. Our choir

and orchestra will bring us some good music. Remember our Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. S. We extend to you a hearty invitation to all our services.

R. PETERSON, Pastor.

ALASKAN MISSIONARY TO VISIT VALLEY

Rev. R. S. Nickerson, Presbyterian missionary from St. Lawrence Island, Alaska will visit the churches of the Pecos valley next week. He will speak at Hagerman, next Wednesday evening, February 19th at 7:30 p. m. The Artesia church will go to Hagerman in a group to attend. Rev. Nickerson will address the Artesia High school students Thursday morning and in the afternoon will speak before the Women's Missionary Society on his work in Alaska. This meeting will be held in the Artesia Presbyterian church at 2:30 p. m.

Rev. Nickerson was a missionary for the Presbyterian Board of National Missions on remote St. Lawrence Island, in the Bering Straits between Alaska and Siberia. He remained there until his health broke and he and Mrs. Nickerson left on the boat which reaches the island once a year. (providing it does reach it!) His story is unique. His beautiful white Eskimo suit makes of him a very picturesque figure. Hear this popular missionary speaker!

At the Lincoln county picnic at Vineland, the rolling-pin throwing contest was won by Mrs. W. H. Upsall, who threw the rolling-pin 67 feet. Her husband won the 100-yard dash for married men.

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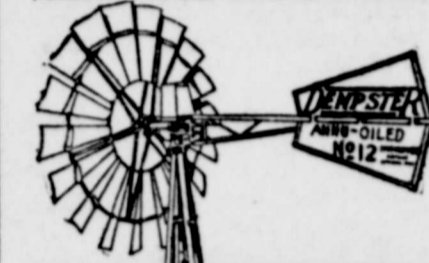
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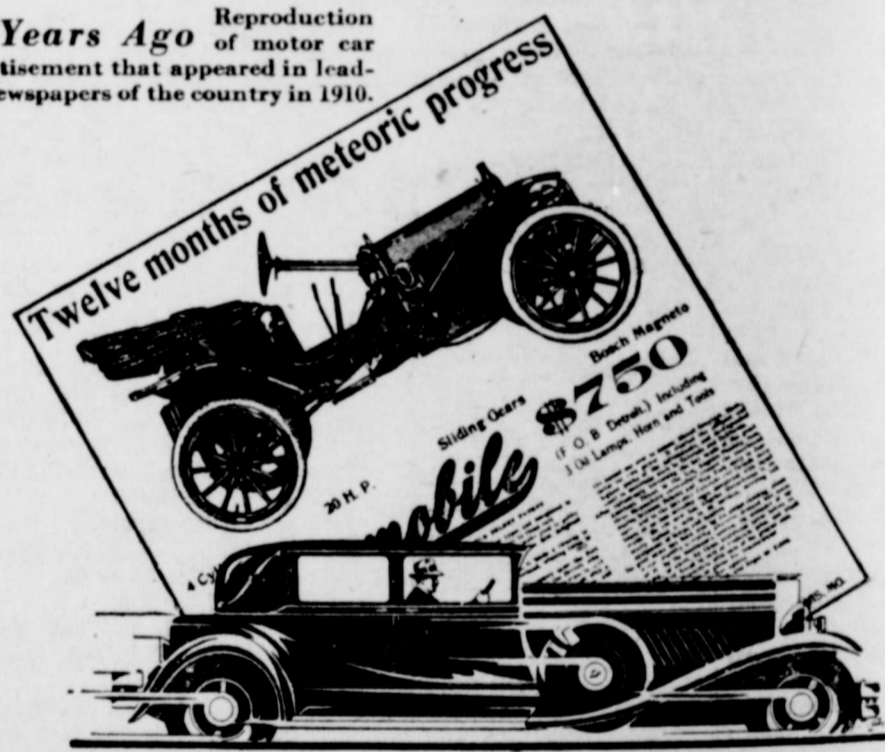
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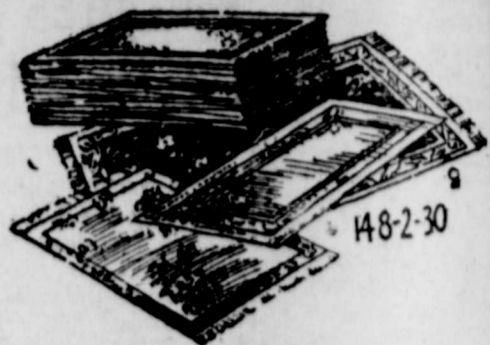


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DOOVER VISITS OFFICE AT CARLSBAD RECENTLY

Hoover, who has been as... his brothers Doctors... K. Hoover, of Artesia... of medicine for sever... established an office... Dr. R. C. Hoover will... e between the Carlsbad... office, in the practice of

LOCALS

of Las Cruces, former... Lake Arthur, spent a... ere yesterday, attending... matters.

rs. Leon Meeks and fam... man spent several days... the past week visiting... y expect to leave short... ornia, where they will... ture home.

er Rowan and son, Ted... last of the week from... as. Mrs. Rowan, who... e weather when she re... been down in bed for... but is able to be up

think he will love me... hen we are married?"... nly! Why, he's just... married women, my

Ribbons—The Advocate

ham's at Lovington Sunday.

W. E. Blanchard of East Grand Plains was in town Tuesday meeting old friends and attending to business.

It has been announced that Lake Arthur is to play Hope in a double header ball game Friday night. Be sure to see the games.

The Rev. Harold Dye filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church. Frank and Ben Frazier rendered an especially pleasing vocal duet.

The pupils of Miss Flora Smith's room enjoyed a nice ice cream cone treat, as an especial reward for good behavior over a certain period of time.

Mrs. Dick Spence, who has been convalescing in Roswell, is now able to return home, but will make frequent trips to Roswell for treatments.

The general merchandise store of J. H. Reeves was broken into and robbed one night last week and a typewriter and several dollars worth of merchandise was taken.

Mr. Parker of the extension department of the State Normal University and Coach Jacobs were visiting schools up and down the valley Tuesday and favored Lake Arthur by a visit.

Miss Velma Borschell held her demonstration in sewing at the home of Mrs. B. C. Moots Thursday afternoon. At this meeting a dress form was made for Mrs. Moots. The next meeting will be held sometime in March.

Mrs. E. C. Latta entertained the members of her Sunday school class at a valentine party at the home of Betty Walden, Wednesday afternoon when a fine time was enjoyed by all present. Mrs. Latta gave each child present a lovely valentine.

Dr. Phillips and Miss Victory, accompanied by the Roswell city nurse were in Lake Arthur last Thursday and inoculated nearly one hundred

of our school children with toxin-anti toxin, the first shot was given last Thursday and a shot will be given each week until three have been administered.

The community was shocked and grieved a week ago Sunday to learn of the death of little Evanola Foster, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Foster. Her death was due to diphtheria. Funeral services were held the following day, Rev. Z. B. Moon, of Artesia, officiating. Burial was made in the Lake Arthur cemetery.

Silas: "Say, Hiram, did it give you a headache when you learned to ride horseback?"
Hiram: "No. Just the opposite."

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Remember above date, that consultation will be free and that his treatment is different.

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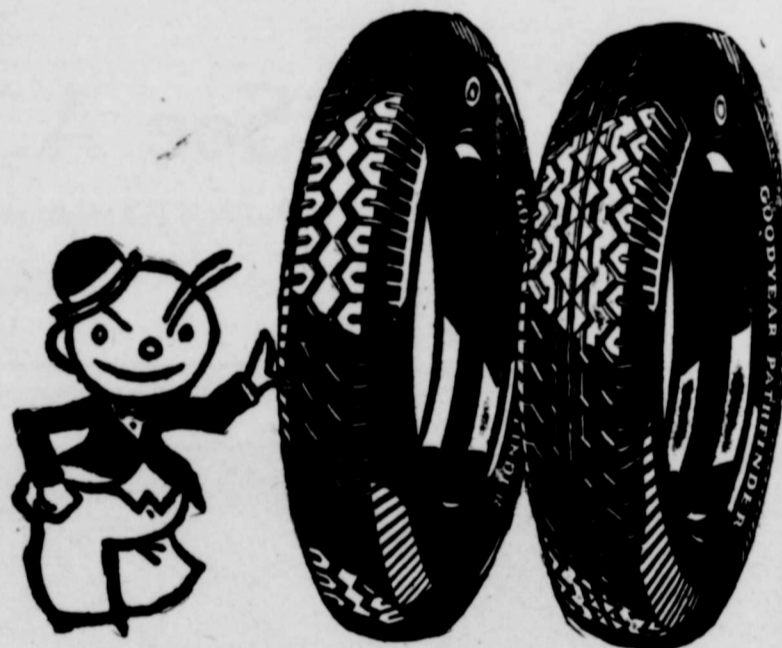
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NOTICE!

It is the wish of the Chamber of Commerce Directors to employ a local man as a full time manager, provided a man with suitable qualifications can be secured.

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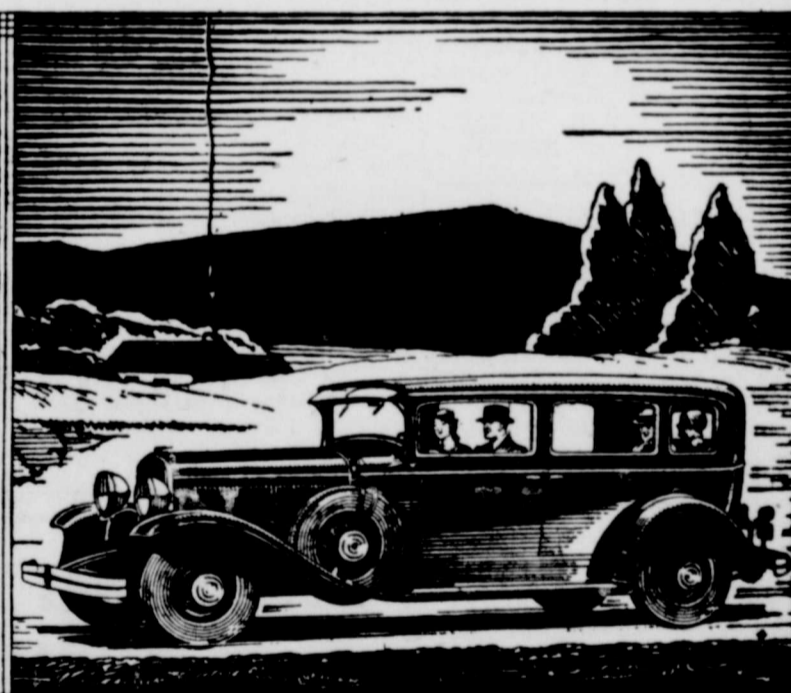
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF EDDY COUNTY,
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF ARTESIA HOTEL COMPANY, A CORPORATION.

BIG JO LUMBER COMPANY, a corporation.

Plaintiff.

Vs.
PECOS VALLEY DEVELOPMENT AND ENGINEERING COMPANY, A CORPORATION, ARTESIA HOTEL COMPANY, a corporation, MAX MERRELL and J. K. WALLINGFORD.

Defendants.

No. 4921.
Notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the Artesia Hotel Company, a corporation that the undersigned was on the 4th day of January, 1930, appointed Receiver of said corporation by order of the District Court within and for the County of Eddy;

And further, that said Court on the 16th day of January, 1930, entered in such receivership proceedings, requiring all creditors of the corporation to make oath to their claims and file same with the receiver at the Citizens' State Bank in Artesia, New Mexico, on or before the 1st day of May, 1930, or be barred from participating in the distribution of the assets of the company.

From a rejection by the Receiver of any claim in whole or in part the claimant may appeal to the Judge of said Court on or before the 10th day of May, 1930, after which date appeals from the ruling of the Receiver on any rejected claim shall stand forever barred.

Claims may be forwarded to and filed with C. E. Mann at the Citizens' State Bank in Artesia, New Mexico.

Given under my hand this January 18th, 1930.

C. E. MANN.

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Receiver.

Department Of The Interior, United States Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M., January 24, 1930.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico has filed in this office its Indemnity School Land Selection List, 9395, Serial No. 041152 for the following land:

Lots 3, 4, 5, Sec. 5; Lots 9, 13 & 14, Sec. 6, T. 16-S., R. 23-E.

The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming the land adversely or desiring to show it to be mineral in character, an opportunity to file their protests against the approval of the selection.

V. B. MAY,
8-5t Register.

ORDER CHANGING
BOUNDARIES OF FELIX
RIVER GAME REFUGE

The State Game and Fish Commission sitting at Santa Fe this 22nd day of January, 1930, and reviewing its previous action in creating Felix River Game Refuge, finds that the boundaries of the said refuge as now constituted to be inadequate, and does hereby declare the following described area:

All of that part of the NE¼ NW¼ of Section 9, Twp. 14-S., Rge. 26-E., N. M. P. M., lying North of the fence which parallels the river on the South side situated in the County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, to be a state game refuge wherein game animals may breed unmolested and restock adjacent hunting grounds, and does further declare that any area contained within the description of the Felix River refuge as originally created and not contained within the description above given, is hereby declared to be eliminated from the said refuge and to be open to public hunting.

BY ORDER OF THE STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION.

E. L. PERRY,
9-1t Secretary.

THIS IS NO BULL—ITS A STEER

Last week E. B. Bullock bought a three year old steer off the range that weighted 1,600 pounds. Mr. Bullock was interested to see just what the feed lot would do to the size of the animal and offered to give a half interest in the steer to any one who would feed him for 60 days. Nobody responded to his offer and the monster was shipped in a car of cattle to market. Mr. Bullock says the steer was in rather poor physical condition.

Red, White, Blue and Yellow carbon paper for tracing on cloth.—The Advocate.

Loose-leaf Binders, Special Ruling and Stock Forms.—The Advocate.

STATE WOOL GROWERS CORPORATION READY TO BE INCORPORATED

The New Mexico cooperative wool marketing corporation will be ready for business as soon as it can be incorporated under the New Mexico laws.

The wool marketing executive committee appointed by the state wool growers association at its final session at Albuquerque Thursday afternoon completed organization details at a meeting Friday morning.

The corporation already has the 50,000 pounds of wool necessary for affiliation with the national marketing corporation assured, G. W. York, chairman of the marketing committee, said.

As soon as the corporation is incorporated it will be ready to sign up all growers who wish to market their 1930 clip through the corporation Mr. York said.

The fee for joining the corporation is \$1 for each 1,000 pounds of wool. Total cost to the grower of marketing his product through the state and national corporations is two and three-quarters cents a pound, it was announced during the convention at Albuquerque.

Floyd W. Lee, of Albuquerque was unanimously re-elected president of the association and Albuquerque was selected as the 1931 convention city at the business session closing the convention Thursday afternoon. Las Vegas was the only other city seeking the convention.

All three New Mexico's national legislators voted against the sugar tariff, it was said at the convention.

The convention voted to give a \$100 prize and loving cup for the best carload of New Mexico lambs at the Denver stock show in 1931, \$100 for the second best carload and \$50 for the third best.

J. L. Lantow, State College, gave the results of reasearch conducted by the college showing that some New Mexico sheepmen are making 20 per cent on their investment, some are losing 20 per cent and the average return is a fraction over eight per cent.

TWO SAW WAY TO LIBERTY IN CHAVES JAIL

Officers Monday were trailing George I. Trott and Everett Howell who at an early hour Monday morning sawed their way to liberty from the Chaves county jail.

Officers said this morning that they were convinced that Howell had been the leader of the plot and had been presented with hack saw blades by a sweetheart who visited him on Saturday.

The men sawed the bars from a west window and escaped, probably about 4:30 o'clock this morning.

Trott was charged with forgery and according to officials was a dope addict. Howell, was arrested at Lake Arthur for selling whiskey and

WE THANK YOU!

The following have renewed their subscription to The Advocate the past week:

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A. L. Sullivan	Geo. Needham
Fagin & Mulmed	F. M. Privett
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NOTICE!

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OIL RIGHTS TO BE TAXED

SANTA FE — Royalty rights on prospective oil production in Lea and Eddy counties are to be taxed, the state commission said Friday.

These rights are selling from \$35 to \$100 per acre, the commission has found after investigating. The amount of assessment will be determined later by the commission.

Since it is probable that oil will never be struck on much of the land on which oil royalty rights have been sold, it is believed the assessment will be comparatively light.

According to information reaching the commissioners 10,000 such rights have already been sold.

was serving 90 days in jail.—Roswell Record, February 10th.



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from one city to another by telephone. Long Distance station to station day rates were again reduced January 1, 1930. Evening and night rates not reduced.



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NATIONAL WATER USERS CONFERENCE

The first national water users conference, sponsored by the American Farm Bureau Federation will be held at Reno, Nevada, February 26 to 28, according to an announcement received this week by President H. L. Kent of the New Mexico A. and M. A. College. The College has been invited to send a representative to the conference.

L. E. Freudenthal, Las Cruces, president of the New Mexico farm bureau, will attend the conference as a delegate from the state bureau. Presidents of the farm bureaus of Nevada, California and Utah will also attend.

The conference has been called to provide an opportunity for farmers in the irrigated districts of the southwest to discuss their problems; to establish contact points of mutual interest and agreement; and to assist the farmers in finding practical solutions to their problems.

National authorities on various

phases of irrigation will present solutions for the problems confronting every user of irrigation water. Among the outstanding speakers on the program at the Nevada conference are: Dr. L. Wood Meade, chief of the reclamation service of the United States department of the interior; W. L. Chapline, in charge of the research work of the United States forest service; Prof. Wm. Peterson, director of extensions at Utah Agricultural College; and Prof. A. C. Cooley of the United States Department of Agriculture.

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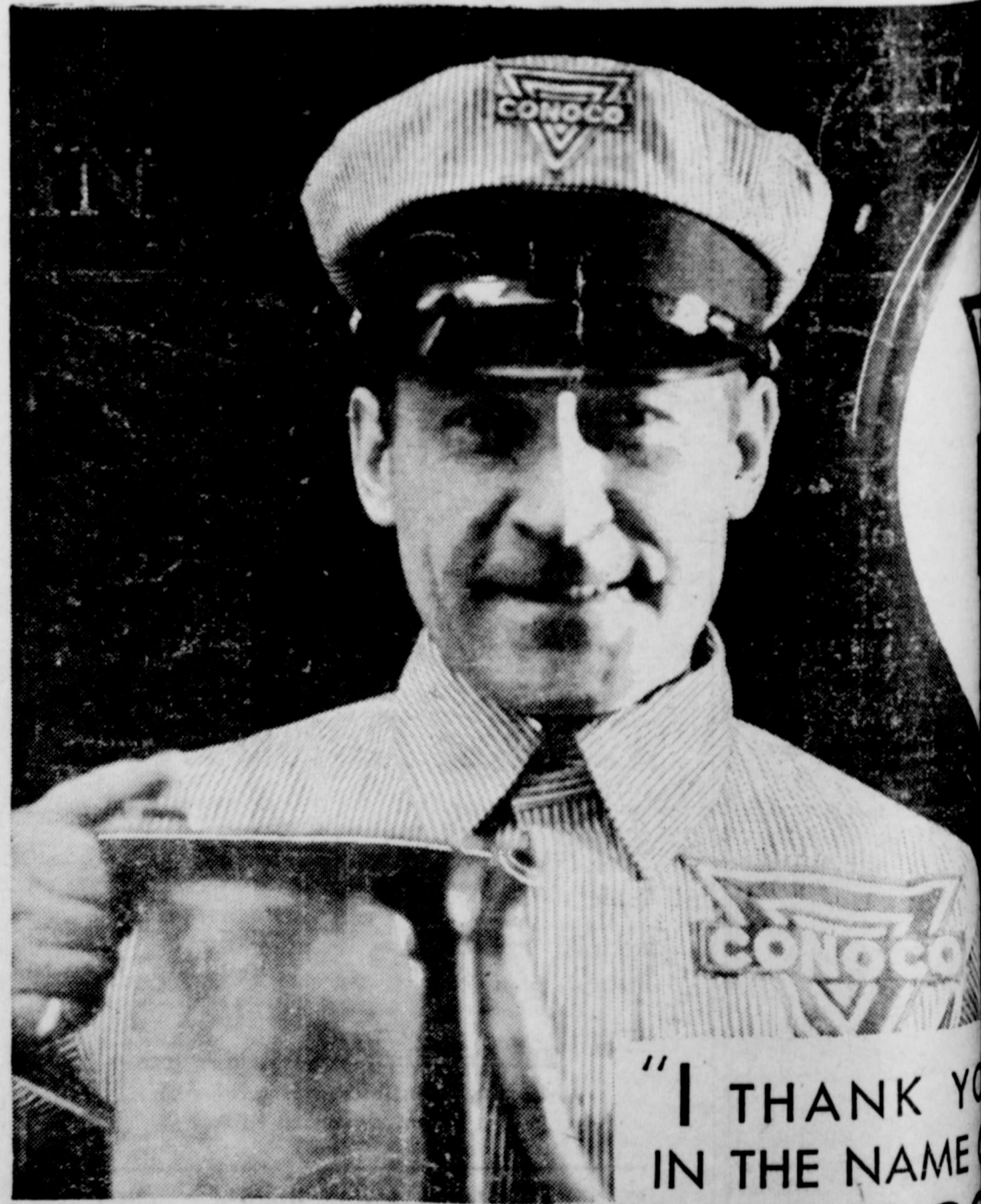
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LING AND HELPING
February 3, 1930.
Warranty Deeds:
 Jose O'Con to Aatarino O'Con
 \$150.00 Lot 20, Blk. 11, Orig. town
 of Carlsbad. Rus McDonald to Z.
 C. Collier \$160.00 Und. ½ interest
 in S½ 29 etc 33-16-21. Creed Thorp
 Sr. to J. Jonas \$1.00 Lot 13, Blk.
 15 Forest Hill Add. to Artesia.
February 4, 1930.
Warranty Deeds:
 L. E. Austin to Ignacia Trujillo
 \$1.00 Lot 12, Blk 3, Roberts Add. to
 Artesia. Guy A. Reed to Barbara
 E. Bindel \$22,500.00 S½SE¼; NE¼
 SE¼ 23; etc 23, 24, 25, 26-24-28 and
 all equity in SW¼ SW¼NW¼ 25
 etc 24-28. W. R.
February 5, 1930.
Warranty Deeds:
 Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Co. to
 Maisie E. Neblett, ex. \$640 Lots
 1 and 2; SE¼NW¼; SW¼NE¼ 6-
 20-25 and \$1,280.00 SE¼SE¼ 2;
 E½E½ etc 11-29-24. Maisie K. Neb-
 lett et al to F. G. Keyes same as
 above.
February 7, 1930.
Warranty Deeds:
 Martin Gomez to Continental Oil
 Co. \$10.00 Lot 11, Blk. 52, Stevens
 Add. to Carlsbad. Pecos Valley
 Trust Co. to Cecil Somerville \$500
 Lot 11, Blk. 80, Lowe Add. to Carls-
 bad. Dover Phillips to Continental
 Oil Co., \$10.00 Lot 13, Blk. 52, Stev-
 ens Add. to Carlsbad. J. M. Phillips
 to Continental Oil Co., \$10.00 Lot 13
 Blk. 52, Stevens Add. to Carlsbad.
 Della Bearup to C. W. Jones \$10.00
 Lot 14, Blk. 100 Stevens Second
 Add. to Carlsbad. Citizens State
 Bank to F. M. Privett \$10.00 NW¼
 SE¼ 19-16-26, and interest in two
 artesian wells.
 In The District Court:
 No. 4938. Petition, in the matter
 of the correction and adjustment
 of assessments and tax matters of
 Artesia Plains Telephone Co., et als.
 No. 4939 Suit to Foreclose. E. J.
 Bates vs. Miguel Martinez, et al
 \$1,828.75 Lot 2, Blk. 53 Stevens Add.
 to Carlsbad; Lot 6, Blk. 13, Orig.
 town of Carlsbad. No. 4925. Lease
 of special guardian, J. S. Ward to
 F. B. Van Horn. In the matter of
 the estates of Rose Huffman and
 Joe Huffman, minors, N½N½ 19;
 N¼NW¼ 20 -19-26.
February 8, 1930.
Warranty Deeds:
 Stephen A. Lanning to A. T. Woods
 \$600.00 Pt. NW¼ 16-17-26.
 In The District Court:
 No. 4940 Divorce. Dorothy Fries
 vs. George Fries.
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EXTENSION TRAIN OF SANTA FE RAILROAD TO BE HERE APRIL 6TH

The agricultural extension train to be run over the Santa Fe lines in New Mexico in April will be known as the New Mexico farm and home special. It will be the final word in carrying information from the research laboratory to the farmers, stockmen and rural home makers of the state. In fact the operation of the train will mark the most recent extension of the well known "direct to consumer" principal of merchandizing.

The New Mexico College of A. and M. A. at Las Cruces is cooperating with the Santa Fe in operating the train. Speakers from the college will certify seed, cotton, grain sorghums, certified seed-cotton, grain sorghums, beans, etc; better livestock types, range management, breeding and feeding of dairy stock, dairy sanitation, breeding and care of baby chicks.

Suitable exhibits of feed, livestock and poultry will be carried on the train in order that the discussions may be well illustrated.

The home economics department of the extension division at State College, is preparing attractive exhibits of improved kitchen equipment and labor saving devices which will be open for inspection in the towns at which the train is to stop. Exhibits of boys' and girls' 4-H club work will also be on display.

The train will consist of eight cars made up as follows: baggage car, horse car for livestock, flat car for speaking platform, equipped with a canopy and amplifier, two stripped coaches, one regular coach for lectures, and two business cars.

Arrangements are being made to have most of the talks given in both English and Spanish. A competent interpreter will be available on the train at all times.

The train will stop at practically every point on the Santa Fe lines in New Mexico. Ample time will be given at each point for an inspection of exhibits before the speaking program. The train will be made up at Mesilla Park, from which point it will be routed to La Tuna for the opening day program, Monday, March 31. A part of the tentative schedule as announced by J. D. Tinsley, agricultural agent of the Santa Fe is as follows:

April 4—Mountair, Willard, Estancia, Encino.
 April 5—Ft. Sumner, Tolar, Melrose, Clovis.
 April 6—Loving, Otis, Carlsbad, Artesia.
 April 8—Lake Arthur, Hagerman, Dexter, Roswell.
 April 9—Elida, Portales Texico.

IN PLANNING CLOTHES
 STUDY STYLE CHANGES

Without doubt there has been a radical change in the style of women's clothes, says Carolyn F. Wetzel of the New Mexico Agricultural College. The knee has become entirely passe'. For several years the spring and fall sewing consisted principally of taking up the skirt another hem width. The change now is not entirely one of doing the opposite for the entire silhouette is changing. The woman who wishes to be well dressed and keep up-to-date should get all the wear out of the clothes she now has, for it seems as if the piece goods manufacturers are getting the upper hand and there will be a decided change. There is a question whether the woman who has tasted of the freedom of the long waist line, of easy corseting and of skirt that does not hamper her movements will be willing to listen to the dictates of fashion and follow in line without a struggle.

It does appear though that the woman who is getting ready to plan her spring sewing must take the following points into consideration:

1. The skirts are longer. For street wear the skirt must come well over the calf of the leg. 14-16 inches from the floor is the accepted length. (Does the reader not remember when that length was in vogue before and how one blushed and said "scandalous?") Uneven hemlines almost touching the floor are permissible only in evening or fancy afternoon dress.
2. The waist line is higher. The normal waistline, instead of an imaginary waist line located at the hip line, is considered better style.
3. We again have gores and flares with us. The Princess and semi-Princess lines are good.

Above all, before planning your spring sewing, study the new fashion books and if you are near stores observe and, if possible, try on the ready-mades. The eye and the mind must become used to the new lines before they can be made with any degree of success or worn with the feeling of well being and of poise that a new dress should give.

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 Add. to Carlsbad. Citizens State
 Bank to F. M. Privett \$10.00 NW¼
 SE¼ 19-16-26, and interest in two
 artesian wells.
 In The District Court:
 No. 4938. Petition, in the matter
 of the correction and adjustment
 of assessments and tax matters of
 Artesia Plains Telephone Co., et als.
 No. 4939 Suit to Foreclose. E. J.
 Bates vs. Miguel Martinez, et al
 \$1,828.75 Lot 2, Blk. 53 Stevens Add.
 to Carlsbad; Lot 6, Blk. 13, Orig.
 town of Carlsbad. No. 4925. Lease
 of special guardian, J. S. Ward to
 F. B. Van Horn. In the matter of
 the estates of Rose Huffman and
 Joe Huffman, minors, N½N½ 19;
 N¼NW¼ 20 -19-26.
February 8, 1930.
Warranty Deeds:
 Stephen A. Lanning to A. T. Woods
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Mrs. Stanley Blocker entertained at her home, at 310 Dallas Street, this morning honoring her house guest, Mrs. Earl Moriarty, of Buena Park, California. At nine o'clock, a delicious two course menu was served from a prettily laid table, lovely with valentine decorations, after which several rounds of bridge were played.

A guest prize was presented the honor guest, and high score prize was won by Mrs. Carl Joiner.

Those who shared the pleasant compliment to Mrs. Moriarty were: Mesdames D. A. Miller, T. C. Bird, Carl Joiner, Jack Curry, John Richards, Leonard Jernigan and Tex Henson.

GUN STOLEN

Ross Conner, deputy sheriff, was rendered helpless so far as defensive arms were concerned Friday while a visitor to Roswell. Somebody needed a gun and took his 45 automatic from his car parked on Main street.

W. E. Goodloe, of Amarillo, general freight and passenger agent for the Santa Fe; C. S. Carnes, of Clovis, superintendent of the Santa Fe's Pecos valley division; C. P. Walsh, of Amarillo, assistant general baggage agent of the Santa Fe and N. T. Jones, of Clovis, trainmaster, spent a short time here this morning visiting with the local business men.

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TELEPHONE MAN TREATS MOTOR WRECK VICTIMS

Instructions in first aid methods, such as are required in the training of employees in the Bell System, enabled H. L. Weaver, a repairman at Santa Ana, Cal., recently not only to relieve the sufferings of a party of injured motorists, but also possibly to save their lives. The accident took place on the state highway where two roads come together. One car skidded on the slippery boulevard and struck another car, overturning it and seriously injuring three persons. While they were lying unconscious in the rain, the telephone man passed. He at once put in a telephone call for an ambulance, and then, using the emergency case with which every line-man's automobile is equipped, he dressed the wounds of the three men and stopped the flow of blood. If it had not been for his timely assistance the accident undoubtedly would have resulted more seriously.

Left over egg yolks have many uses. They are a valuable source of iron and so should always be utilized. They may be hard-cooked in the double boiler, mashed and seasoned for sandwich filling. Raw or hard-cooked egg yolks make a good foundation for salad dressing. Several good egg sauces for fish or meat can be made with the yolks only, and soft custard for dessert is still another use. Pastry trimmings, cut out like cookies, brushed with egg yolk, sprinkled with sugar and cinnamon or sugar and grated orange rind, and baked, make delicious tea cakes.

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Advocate.

The KITCHEN CABINET

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There is only one type of artist whose achievements make every type of society from the earliest to the latest; and that creator is motherhood.—W. Shaw Sparrow.

SOME Dainties

There are appetizers, canapes, hors d'oeuvres (call them by any name, they are as zestful) used to begin or end a meal; but the nicest of all at this season of the year is an appealing one of fruit.

The prettiest of all plate covers when serving fruit is the green leaf of the fruit served. When this is not obtainable other leaves such as apple, plum or any pretty foliage will be acceptable.

Cherries With Orange.—Place a spray of cherry leaves on a glass plate, arrange three or four sections of orange, membrane removed, with three cherries, large, ripe and luscious with stems placed between the sections. Grapefruit may be used and if carefully done may be eaten from the fingers as are the cherries, of course.

Fruit Balls.—Take the pink center of the watermelon, scoop out into balls with a potato cutter, place in sherbet cups, pour over a chilled sauce of orange juice and sugar and top with a sprig of mint; place on a leaf-covered plate.

Strawberry Appetizer.—Now that strawberries are to be had almost any time of the year, from the south, to the northern everbearing, one may have these berries for an occasional dish for the first course. Place a heap of powdered sugar molded in a small glass in the center of each dish. Arrange the beautiful fruit well washed and drained dry, unshelled and with the stems on if possible, around the cone of sugar.

Oyster Plant With Herbs.—Wash and scrape oyster plant and cut into half-inch slices. Cook in boiling salted water until soft; drain, add butter to season, sprinkle with chopped parsley, chives and salt and pepper. Serve hot.

Banana Salad.—Cut out a section on the concave side of bananas to make a boat. Fill with the chopped banana, a bit of pineapple, and orange all seasoned well with french dressing. Lay on a bed of lettuce and sprinkle with paprika. Garnish with berries or cherries.

Nellie Maxwell

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Not a Highbrow Preacher

By JANE OSBORN

MOLLY AYRES stood before her bureau contemplating herself in a mirror that sent back an image somewhat distorted. But Molly was not shocked at what she saw. She had grown used to the imperfections of the mirror. She judiciously dabbed a very little powder on her nose.

The door opened and before she had time to leave her bureau or hide the powder Sally Hayden, her unceremonious neighbor, flopped in upon her. "Where you going, girlie?" she asked.

"I'm not going anywhere," said Molly, covering the powder box and putting it in the top drawer.

"Well, you're a queer kid," rawned Sally. "Prinking when you're going to stay home. Come on in my room. I'm going to do my nails—bring your things and we can do ours together."

"I'm sorry," faltered Molly. "But I'm going to chapel. It's Wednesday night, you know."

"Lordy," was the word that escaped Sally's lips. "Excuse me, but that's not in my line."

"Well, as long as we live in a co-operative boarding house, we ought to go. It seems," faltered Molly. "It's only once a week."

The rapid-fire clang of a gong on the first floor sounded the call for the chapel service and interrupted Sally. Molly hurried off without apologies.

Sally found one of the other boarders to join her in her manicuring session.

"It's funny about Molly," she said. "I knew she was an awful good kid and likes to go to chapel, but the funny thing is that she was prinking for it. Maybe she's vamping the parson."

"That's just what she is doing," replied her companion, "only a country girl like Molly doesn't know how to vamp. Haven't you heard? It's a scam."

Sally said she hadn't heard and her companion continued.

"Well, there's a young fellow from the theological seminary—Jim Granger's his name—that has been preaching here Wednesday nights. Of course Molly went. The girls say he is real swell looking, but, gosh, what's the use of making eyes at him!

"Well, anyway, Molly went and sat right up front and this fellow, he looked at her all the time and couldn't keep his eyes off her. Of course Molly goes every Wednesday, but now she sits in the back. That's just the sort of thing that a girl like Molly would do. But the fellow seems to keep his eye on her just the same."

"Pooh," scoffed the other. "Of course aighbrow like that wouldn't want to marry a poor homeless kid like Molly. But those students are human same's any other fellows. He might want to have a good time with her. Molly's kind o' pretty."

As the weeks passed, Molly's eyes became brighter and the smile on her face was more and more well established. Then Sally dropped the bomb that changed all this.

"Say, be'me tell you, Molly, before it's too late," she said. "You're awful interestid in this young preacher. I know that aighbrow fellow like that, good looking and all, isn't going to marry a little girl like you, even if she is sweet and good and pretty. I'm telling you now so's maybe you won't break your heart over him later on."

These words of wisdom apparently had the effect on Molly. At any rate, when some of the girls planned to go to a certain well-known and historic eating place, famous for its fish dinners, Molly was persuaded to join the party.

"It's funny Molly won't go chapel night," said one of the group.

Another laughed. "Not so funny. That Jim Granger isn't going to preach. Another student's been appointed."

Molly was in something of a daze as she entered the historic old restaurant with the group of six of her companions, and walked as one in a dream as they seated themselves at a table by a window.

The ringleader beamed, laughed and then pressed a few words with the waiter. "Did you lamp our friend?" she asked when the waiter, beaming also, had hurried kitchenward. "He's the swell guy that preached at prayer meeting. He's working his way, he says, and that's how he happens to be here. I guess we'll get extra big portions." Then she looked quickly over at Molly. "Say, he's the one that took such a shine to you, isn't he?"

But Molly merely blushed happily and let her eyes drop by way of answer. For it had already crossed her mind that the gulf that Sally had pictured between them might not be so impossible of crossing after all.

The next evening and the next and the next Jim Granger called at the boarding house after his work as waiter was over. A week later Sally dropped in for a visit. Molly met her in the hall, tried to say something and ended by putting her arms around the other girl's neck and shedding two or three happy tears.

"Jim and I are engaged," she said. "Jim Granger—my divinity student. He isn't aighbrow and he isn't stuck up or anything. He's just every-day Jim and earns money as a waiter. So of course he couldn't hate me very much just because I am only a soda fountain girl."



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William McAdoo, of Carlsbad, president of the McAdoo Drug Co., said yesterday morning that the new institution would be under the management of Ernest Koen, who has purchased an interest in the company. "The McAdoo Drug Co., will be operated as a home owned institution, in fact with the purchase of the Smokehouse, we have become part of the Artesia community and will do our share toward the upbuilding of the community," Mr. McAdoo stated, "and you can count us in on anything that is good for the town," he said. Mr. Haley and family will continue to make their home here, but have made no plans for the future.

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