

# Artesia Advocate

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## ALLEGED RING OF CAR THIEVES MAY BE UNCOVERED SOON

Sheriff Walter McDonald at Carlsbad, Friday arrested two men giving the names of R. L. Dolson and Marion Fetters, both of Roswell, charged with theft of an automobile. Two cars were stolen in Roswell last week and from information given out at Roswell, officers are investigating the possibility of an organized gang of thieves. When arrested the men were traveling in a Ford sedan alleged to have been stolen at Canyon, Texas.

## LEGION-AUXILIARY REPRESENTATIVES TO CONVENTION AT RATON

Artesia is well represented at the American Legion and Auxiliary convention which is being held at Raton this week. Those who left yesterday are: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Linell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linell, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clady, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McGonagill, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sinclair, Mrs. Albert Richards, Mrs. Earl Darst, Mrs. Charles Morgan, Mrs. Fred Cole, Mrs. Myron Bruning and the Rev. and Mrs. Harold G. Scoggins.

## J. F. HOGAN MEETS DEATH IN PLANE ACCIDENT FRIDAY

## Extended Navy Search Fails To Locate Bodies Of Hogan and Companion After Plane Crash On Pacific Coast.

John F. Hogan, age 21, son of Mrs. Gertrude Hogan, manager of the Artesia Credit Bureau was killed in a plane crash off the Pacific coast Friday, according to word received here. Details of the crash which cost the lives of two navy seaplane pilots, are meager. Mrs. Hogan said here yesterday that she read of the accident in a newspaper, but had heard nothing from the navy department. Young Hogan was a pilot on a navy seaplane. Five were on board the plane when it dropped burning into the ocean, about twenty miles from Delmar, California. Three of the crew are reported to have been rescued by another navy plane. A navy crew is searching for the bodies of the two lost pilots. Mrs. Hogan said she expected to hear from navy officials most anytime.

## ATTENDS ROAD MEETING

Fred Brainard, manager of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce drove to Roswell yesterday afternoon and attended a meeting called for the purpose of discussing ways and means of improving the highways to the various points of interest in the Sacramento mountains. After Mr. Brainard informed the assembly of what had already been accomplished in the proposed improvements, the discussion was turned to some proposed improvements from YO crossing to Elk. The Roswell Chamber of Commerce has agreed to cooperate in an effort to secure road work on this section of highway 83 under the relief act.

## GARAGE ROBBED

The Pecos Valley Garage suffered another robbery Monday night when robbers entered the office and took an electric fan and a small amount of cash from the cash drawer. No other items were missing, an early check Tuesday morning revealed. Entrance into the office was evidently made through an open window.

## FOREST SERVICE OFFICIALS TO BE HERE

Fred Arthur of Alamogordo, district forest supervisor and Frank C. W. Pooler of Albuquerque, regional forester are expected here Saturday afternoon, presumably for a conference with the Chamber of Commerce on road matters.

## QUARTERLY MEETING WAS POSTPONED

A quarterly meeting of the Eddy county commissioners court, scheduled to have occurred Monday at Carlsbad was postponed.

# Rotary Assembly Friday

## RURAL SCHOOLS MAY NOT OPEN SESSION UNTIL NOVEMBER 1ST

There is a possibility that rural schools over Eddy county will not start this year until November, H. R. Rodgers, county superintendent said here Tuesday. This arrangement will permit rural pupils to aid in gathering the crops and will not interfere with the usual closing in the spring in the event the school term is cut short. The school budget for the rural schools this year is based on an approximate 100 per cent tax collection and if the tax payments are slow, it may necessitate a shorter term, possibly seven or eight months. Definite announcement of the length of rural school term is expected to be made within a few weeks.

Mr. Rodgers has been holding a series of meetings over the rural districts of the county, to discuss problems with the patrons. The majority of the patrons, he said are in favor of the "pay as you go method."

## BUYING MUCH DYNAMITE

Three carloads of dynamite—72,000 pounds of it—are being purchased by the U. S. forest service regional office.

## CROP IMPROVEMENT ASS'N. SELECTS IT'S OFFICERS 1932-33

At the fifth annual meeting of the New Mexico Crop Improvement Association, which took place during the Farm and Home week, Thursday, July 28, the following officers were elected.

For president, Fred Nelson of Roswell, was re-elected; C. C. McCowan of Tres Piedras was elected to the office of vice-president and G. R. Quesenberry was retained in the office of secretary-treasurer. The directors from the different local associations were re-elected with the exception of Dona Ana and Eddy counties. J. W. Newberry of Las Cruces was elected director of the Dona Ana county local and J. Ogden of Loving is the new director for Eddy county.

The New Mexico Crop Improvement Association was organized in September, 1928, with an enrollment of 25 members. This membership has increased until in 1932 there are 295 members distributed over 17 counties of the state.

The purpose of this association is to better the agricultural conditions of the state by producing a higher class adapted seed of known variety, quality and germination.

## FIRST VALLEY MELONS TO MARKET MONDAY

The first cantaloupe shipments to leave the valley were shipped out at Carlsbad Monday from a packing shed of the United States Fruit Distributing Co. Regular shipments will be made in the shipments of the next few days. The crop of melons on the project is about ten days or two weeks earlier than the crop in north Eddy county.

## Number Visitors Expected To Arrive Today—Clubs Of District To Have Hundred Percent Representation.

Seventeen clubs of the forty-second district, Rotary International will have a 100 per cent representation, it was announced here this morning. The Carlsbad club will endeavor to have a 100 per cent attendance record at the assembly Friday and Saturday. Roswell will have fifteen or twenty members in attendance and possibly 100 per cent, depending on the arrangements perfected today. Other clubs in the district, including four from Texas will have from three to five representatives, in addition to the visitors.

Several Rotarians and Rotary Anns are expected to arrive today. Clinton P. Anderson of Albuquerque, president of Rotary International plans to drive in today with his secretary, Miss Rose Wandell and niece, Miss Marjorie Smith. The young ladies plan a trip thru the Caverns before their return. A. O. Bowden, of Silver City, governor of the forty-second district Rotary International is also expected among the early arrivals today.

The high lights of the assembly are: Luncheon Friday at noon, at which time Clinton P. Anderson, International president will address the assembly; banquet Friday night; breakfast for the secretaries of the various clubs and breakfast for the club presidents Saturday morning. Farewell dinner Saturday noon.

A drive over the irrigated section will be made Friday afternoon. If you have a car available to transport visitors, phone Fred Brainard at Chamber of Commerce.

The following program for the district assembly of the 42nd district, Rotary International, has been received from Governor O. A. Bowden at Silver City and is:

- FIRST DAY—AUGUST 5th
- 8:30—Registration.
- 9:30—Singing.
- 9:40—Membership acquaintance.
- 9:50—General statement by Governor.
- 10:15—Charlie Andrews, El Paso: Just how does a club organize and function under the aims and objects plan?
- 11:00—Questions, Answers, discussion.
- 11:30—Andy Williams, Las Cruces: Club service as a means of fitting men for service.
- 12:00—Questions, answers, discussion.
- 12:30—Luncheon on roof garden. Clint Anderson: The Four Way Challenge of Rotary. Carl Hagland: Vocational thought for Rotary.
- 2:00—Singing.
- 2:10—The Responsibility of the Individual Rotarian in Vocational Service, Dan Kelley, Santa Fe; "Mac" McBride, Las Cruces; Mickie Cunningham, Deming.
- 2:40—Questions, answers, discussion.
- 3:00—The application of the ideal of service by Rotarians and Rotary clubs to Community Needs, "Mac" McWhirter, Mountainair; "Sandy" Chilton, Las Cruces; A. G. Tozer, Carlsbad.
- 3:30—Boys work as a permanent investment, John Clark, "Mac" McAdams, Sander-son; D. N. Pope, Roswell.

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## COMPLETION MADE AT HOBBS--SCOTT GETS OIL IN KAISER NO. 1

Local oil interest for the past twenty-four hours has been centered on the Kaiser No. 1 of W. A. Scott in the NW SE sec. 7-18-27, Eddy county, which yesterday developed ten or twelve feet of saturated lime at 1,005 feet. The break is said to have given up quite a bit of free oil, but whether or not it is of a commercial quantity could not be learned last night.

Only one completion has been recorded in the eastern oil area during the past week, this being the Turner No. 29 of the Midwest Refining Co., NW 1/4 sec. 34-18-38, which is standing with the hole bottomed at 4,180 feet. Connections were made yesterday.

There is some interest in the wildcat activity in the north and eastern portion of the state. Cranfill Brothers have materials on the ground to start their Hammond No. 1, in sec. 15-5-3, Curry county. Actual drilling on this test may not begin until October 1. The Landowners Oil Co., McAdoo No. 1, sec. 16-1-2, DeBaca county, is reported running six inch casing at 5,014 feet.

Daily allowable of the Hobbs pool was reduced 4,500 barrels beginning Monday, August 1, State Land Commissioner James F. Hinkle announced at Roswell. Mr. Hinkle said the reduction had been agreed upon by the producers and operators of the Hobbs pool.

The daily allowable of the Hobbs pool for the last fifteen days of July has been 29,500 barrels from 159 wells and 136 units. The daily potential of the field, according to the last proration report is 1,005,658 barrels.

The Midwest Refining company remains the largest potential producer in the Hobbs pool, with a daily potential of 143,953 barrels. The Shell Petroleum corporation is the second largest producer with 127,069 barrels.

## THE VALLEY GINNERS AGREE ON SAME RATE ESTABLISHED IN 1931

The cotton ginning rate in the Pecos valley will remain the same as last year, it was learned last week, following a meeting of valley ginner here. It was understood that the gin representatives meeting here agreed to the former rate of 30 cents per hundred for ginning seed cotton and also the former charge of \$1.25 per bale for bagging and ties with a 25-cent fee per bale for yardage and insurance.

It was reported that the ginner conference was called after the state corporation commission had sent all valley ginner a rate schedule, requesting the ginner to agree on a stipulated price to save a hearing by the commission.

Approximately twenty-four gins will be affected by this order. Gins in the lower valley will be in operation by September 1st, but the season here is not expected to start before the 10th or 15th of September.

## WHEELER TO BE HERE

Arrangements have been completed for the visit of H. N. Wheeler, chief lecturer of the United States forest service, who will give an illustrated lecture at the Majestic theater on August 20th, beginning at 1:00 p. m. There will be no admission charge. The visit of Mr. Wheeler is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Wheeler, who is making a tour through the southwest has had more than 25 years of work with the U. S. forest service as forest ranger, forest supervisor, public relations officer and chief lecturer.

He has held the latter office for ten years, during which time he has appeared before audiences in every state in the union. His lecture as a dramatic portrayal of life in the national forests and their problems, illustrated by slides and anecdotes drawn from his personal experience.

## OVER 800 VOTERS ARE REGISTERED DURING FIRST DAYS PERIOD

More than 800 voters were registered here during the first two days of the registration period, Friday and Saturday. Including the names of the voters who voted in the last election, more than six hundred names were added to the polling list in district B, west of Roselawn avenue. The names of five hundred and thirty-three voters registered in the last election were added to the polling list with about 100 new names. The number of new names added in district A, east of Roselawn was not learned. Two places of registration will be opened each Saturday during August. Residents of district B, whose names do not appear on the registration books will register at the Artesia Auto Co., office and those in district C, will register at the Nobby Cleaners.

It is our understanding that in districts with less than 100 votes, alternate Saturdays will be used for registration days, beginning with Saturday, July 30th.

Every voter should see that his or her name is on the registration books, otherwise you will not be permitted to vote in the general election.

## HIGHWAY DEP'T. WILL COOPERATE IN ROAD WORK TO ASSEMBLY

## \$95,000 Road Funds For Highway From Mayhill To Methodist Assembly With Forest Service.

The State Highway Commission is planning a new type of road from Mayhill to the Sacramento Assembly, it was announced at Santa Fe last week. The new road project was discussed at a meeting of the highway commission last week, which was attended by Fred Brainard, manager of the Chamber of Commerce. The construction to be undertaken includes the building of a state highway from Mayhill to the Denny Bridge and across to the Sacramento Methodist Assembly site by the way of Weed. The route to be improved is approximately eighteen miles in length and will cost about \$95,000, the cost divided as follows: \$75,000 to be expended on six miles of road from Mayhill to the Denny bridge and \$20,000 from the Denny bridge to the assembly site.

The state highway department will cooperate with the forest service in the construction of the road, which is in the Lincoln National Forest. Partial plans for the project were discussed at an informal conference of the highway commission with A. R. Palen, district engineer of the bureau of public roads and Frank W. Pooler, regional forest director.

It is understood the forest service plans to spend about \$250,000 on forest roads in New Mexico as a relief measure.

The Chamber of Commerce has to its credit a splendid accomplishment in an effort to secure additional repairs on the mountain roads to the Sacramento Methodist Assembly site. It was largely through the visit of Fred Brainard, manager of the Chamber of Commerce and Rufe Wallingford of the Artesia hotel that the highway commission agreed to reconsider the proposal to cooperate with the forest service in repairing the road from Mayhill to the assembly site. Messrs. Brainard and Wallingford also made a personal visit with Frank C. W. Pooler, regional forester at Albuquerque, who agreed to cooperate on the project.

Mr. Brainard said yesterday that he was hopeful a plan might be worked out to get additional road work on the western portion of highway 83 leading to the hills under the emergency relief measure.

## PLANTS FISH

Thirty-eight hundred cat fish seined from a tank northwest of Roswell last week were planted in the Chaves county public waters under the supervision of the state game department. Four thousand bass were taken from the federal hatchery at Dexter and transported to the Elephant Butte lake a the same time.

# Walker And Tarrant Are Given Pen Sentences

## Judge Patton Metes Out Stiff Sentences To The Men Who Shot Hagerman Deputy Sheriff—Others Sentenced.

Judge Harry L. Patton of Clovis, presiding at a special term of Eddy county district court at Carlsbad yesterday meted out stiff pen sentences to Eugene Walker, age 20 of Pinon and W. H. "Buzz" Tarrant, age 27, of Pinon. Both men pleaded guilty to a charge of robbery with a dangerous weapon. Walker was given twelve years in the state penitentiary and Tarrant was given a sentence of seven to eight years in the pen. Walker and Tarrant were arrested last April after they had shot and taken a car from Jim Williamson, Hagerman deputy sheriff a mile north of here. After taking the car Tarrant and Walker fled to Pinon and were captured six miles west of Pinon on April 19th after an all night search. Tarrant and Walker were also implicated in the Lumber Co., at Elida a few days previous.

Two men, charged with robbing the vault of the Peoples Mercantile Co., at Carlsbad on July 17th were also sentenced. W. E. Bush, age 32 of Garrison, Kentucky was given a pen sentence of from two to three years for breaking into and entering a store at night time. Cecil Miller of Lawrenceburg, Kentucky was given a sentence of two to three years also for breaking into a store at night time.

J. W. Boting was given a suspended sentence on charge of uttering a worthless check. A sentence of four to five years was suspended on good behavior.

## TESTING PLACER ACREAGE

William Dooley, president of the Ranger Mines, Inc., and Howard Stroup left here last week to spend a week or ten days in the Caballo mountains, testing out placer gold claims with a view to starting development soon. A machine recently purchased by the company for panning the materials found will be used and mining operations started as soon as the most likely looking acreage is tested.

## MRS. S. E. ROGERS DIES SATURDAY MORNING

Mrs. Sarah E. Rogers, age 87, passed away at the home of her daughter, Miss Cora Rogers, Saturday morning near 1:20 a. m. Her going was peaceful just as though she had fallen asleep. She had been in frail health for a number of years and for the past five years had been an invalid.

The passing of Mrs. Rogers marks the death of another north Eddy county pioneer. Mrs. Rogers first moved to the Lakewood community and after living there seventeen years moved to the Artesia community where she has since resided. When a young woman, Mrs. Rogers united with the Christian church while living in the state of Illinois. She had remained faithful to her church since that time. One of the outstanding characteristics in her life was the patience and cheerfulness with which she endured affliction.

Funeral services were conducted in the First Christian church at 4:00 o'clock Monday with The Rev. Harold G. Scoggins, pastor of the Methodist church officiating. Burial was made in the Woodbine cemetery.

Surviving Mrs. Rogers are four children, three sons, Charles Rogers of Artesia; W. H. Rogers of Carthage, Missouri; S. D. Rogers of Hastings, Nebraska and a daughter, Miss Cora Rogers of Artesia. Thirteen grandchildren and thirteen great grandchildren also survive her.



CLINTON P. ANDERSON President Rotary International

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HOME TOWN LOYALTY

What are you going to do for your home town during the coming year? Are you going to throw it down, or are you going to keep it on the up-grade? One hears much about the small towns being killed by the cities, but few small towns were really killed in this manner.

DUE FOR AN AIRING

Most of the petty "graft" and the cheap little tricks which members of congress employ to augment their salaries are going to get a full airing in this year's congressional campaigns.

Some of our so-called "big shots" in the national congress are always trying to get a little free publicity by giving an opinion on some so-called national calamity. Such utterances are designed to get votes and the opinions expressed are carefully weighed for their effect on individuals and organizations who are fighting for some special cause.

New Mexico editors generally are of the opinion that the politicians and not the people are running New Mexico. And of course this isn't news to the old timers. The editorial department of the New Mexico Publishing Co., owners of three papers on the east side of the state recently held a press conference to develop a more aggressive editorial policy.

The republicans have won only through organization and the hunk that republicanism is synonymous with prosperity. Let's organize now and start from scratch. They (the republicans) will fall before they reach the tape.—James Joseph Tunney, ex-pugilist and present democratic campaign worker.

The cost of living over the United States has been reduced twenty percent, according to a department of labor bulletin. This reduction which is not proportionate to the reduction in wages, notably the day laborer, and is one reason why many people can't make ends meet.

The riots, fights and bread lines at Washington are bad of course, but we've had so much to do looking after the bread line at our own home that we've had no time to worry over the troubles of the national capitol.

Ten aliens are leaving the United States to every three admitted, according to the immigration service. So the depression has accomplished something after all.

Reviewing the past four years American finance, we have come to the conclusion that there are lots of people who can't stand prosperity.

Mayor Walker says his life is an open book, but we bet there are pages in the book that would make the ordinary fellow blush.

Don't take your worries to bed with you; you need all the sleep you can get to dispose of them tomorrow.

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PICKED UP ON MAIN

Experts have figured that if every man in the United States were financially equal, we'd all be working three months a year for the government to help pay the government expenses.

We saw a man the other day, who did not have to go to the seashore to get a coat of tan. He was wearing a mail order suit.

A farmer friend has sold his radio, and just as the campaign is starting—but he has a bull.

A confounded pussyfooting pueblanemous, who borrows his neighbor's paper referred to The Advocate as "our little paper."

Artesia Advocate, Artesia, N. M. Gentlemen:

I have planned a little bridge party and am worried about what kind of decorations to use. Also I am worried because my husband does not like to play bridge. What shall I do?

WORRIED ONE,

Answer: There is a moral issue involved in playing bridge under the glare of electric lights, which we could not satisfactorily answer, however, we might suggest a system of red and green lights, arranged in such a way as to let the women take turns in talking, thus eliminating a lot of confusion. There is not much hope for a man who does not like to play bridge. Two remedies are effective, either use patience and teach your husband to play bridge or administer prairie dog poison, your county agent can give you the proper formula, if you choose the latter course. Sometimes it is surprising how quick the men will learn. We recall a local instance, Bunny Flint, who had a hard time getting the fundamentals, but now Bunny is right up next to Ferguson in playing contract.

A little confidential information: A merchant informed an Advocate ad solicitor the other day that he had nothing to advertise. Of course it was only logical that the ad solicitor concluded that he had nothing to sell, but imagine the solicitor's surprise when he glanced around and found the merchant's shelves fairly well stocked with the usual line of dry goods. Afterward, the solicitor learned from a confidential source that the merchant had planned to keep his dry goods in a museum and show his grand children what folks were just before the last period of republican prosperity. Moral: Read The Advocate closer.

Judge McCrary says the only reason he doesn't play golf is because the other golfers might get the impression that he was staging a flag tournament all by himself, since his shirt tail would be out most of the time.

Two hunters who had chased a wild cat to a clearing were terrified to see the beast jump through a window of a cabin from which the sound of a woman's voice had just been heard.

Outside, apparently unperturbed, sat the husband. "Is your wife in there?" yelled one of the hunters. "Yeah." "Good heavens, man, get busy! A wild cat just jumped through the window!" "Well, let him get out the best way he can. I got no use for the critters, and dang'd if I'm goin' to help him."

Can you explain this one? Why is it that a woman blushes when she sees a man's shirt tail out, when the same woman can go to the bathing beach and smile at her sister women with less than three square feet of clothing on.

Lecturer—Can any of you girls tell me what makes the Tower of Pisa lean?

Stout Student—I'm sure I don't know, or I'd take some of it myself.

But it was Levi whose faith in eternal punishment was greatly strengthened by adversity.—To an infidel he said—"If dere is no hell, vere is pizness gone?"

"I hate women without any reason." "I like 'em that way."

A Scotchman lay dying in a London hospital and the doctor told the nurse to give him anything he wanted. She asked him what he would like and he said: "I wad like to hear the bagpipes afore I dee." A piper visited the ward and played a tune. The Scotchman recovered but all the other patients died.

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GETTING READY



Mother—Willie, run and tell papa that dinner is most ready. Willie—Pop's just gone over to the drug store after some of those new dyspepsia tablets to be on de safe side.

LOCALS

Taylor Ross of Lakewood was trading in town Friday.

Miss Alice Ruth Williams of Hope was in Artesia Saturday.

Ed Bryant of Carlsbad spent a short time here Monday attending to business matters.

Mrs. F. W. Sewell of Hobbs was in town Thursday en route to Denver, Colorado for a two week's visit.

Mrs. Dow Rowe of Roswell spent last week here, guest of her brother, Herman Green and Mrs. Green.

Mrs. Earl Bigler and daughter, Miss Ruth Bigler returned home Thursday from a two weeks visit with her mother in Albuquerque.

Mrs. E. L. Perry and daughter, Miss Jaunita, of Tyler, Texas came Saturday to visit with her daughter, Mrs. M. T. Buford and Mr. Buford.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jernigan and daughter, Jeannine of Hobbs, spent from Thursday until Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Jernigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Terpening and children, Mrs. Hester Terpening and children, spent Sunday in Dexter, guests of Mr. Terpening's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Terpening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merkin and her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Aulsbery of Campbell, Missouri spent Sunday at the Silver Fox farm and at Cloudcroft.

Mrs. Ferris Arnold and little daughter, Janet, of Roswell spent from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Rowan. Miss Aline Rowan went home with her and returned Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Bolton, Miss Ina Cole, Miss Vivian Reeves, Herman Cole and Buford Gray visited Miss Gladys Cole at the hospital in Carlsbad Sunday. Miss Ada Duncan, who has been a patient in the hospital, came home with Miss Ina Cole Sunday and on Monday went to her home at Hope.

Miss Jennie Beth Bishop expects to leave Saturday to attend the convocation of the Delta Sigma Epsilon sorority at Buffalo, New York, August 10th to 13th. Miss Bishop is president of Nu chapter at State Teacher's College at Silver City. She will be accompanied on the trip by Miss Myrtle Whitehill, librarian of the College and also counselor of Nu chapter. They expect to visit New York City, Washington and other eastern points before the return.

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HEALTH COLUMN

Conducted by Dr. J. R. Earp, Director, New Mexico Bureau of Public Health.

NIGHT AIR DANGEROUS

Among the popular superstitions collected by Doctor Bowden of Silver City there is one, according to report, which says that night air is dangerous. No doubt this belief is properly classified as a superstition and yet, when malaria is about, it is true that night air is dangerous; unless it comes to us through a fine mesh of cotton or wire. For, borne on the night air, the female anopheline mosquito seeks its meal of blood. To protect ourselves and our children from her malaria bearing bite we cover our windows with wire screens (no. 16 mesh), our doors with screen doors which should be covered. Even the chimney top must be covered with wire screen. Reprint no. 1153 from Public Health Reports, April 22, 1927, tells how to screen houses against mosquitoes. When the house is properly screened remember to stay inside after sunset. And be sure to pursue to a relentless death every mosquito that you find inside the house. We have now seen two ways of preventing malaria. The parasite in the human body can be killed by the proper dosage of quinine taken at the right time. We can keep away from the mosquito that carries malaria from the sick to the well. The mosquito lays its eggs on water and then the eggs hatch into larvae which live in the water. Recently mosquitoes laid so many eggs in the tanks which hold water for the city of Gallup that the water became full of "wigglers" and some of the citizens were quite alarmed. These "wigglers" were mosquito larvae. Next week we shall discuss some of the ways by which these "wigglers" may be destroyed so that they may never grow up to be mosquitoes themselves.

250,000,000 VISIT PARKS

More than 250,000,000 persons have visited the nation's parks and monuments since 1916, according to reports from the United States division of parks. The number has increased each succeeding year with the exception of one, when the world was at war.

HE GETS LOTS OF AIR

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HIS FATHER'S ASSES FOUND BY SAUL. History teaches us that in the olden days there were few asses that could talk intelligently; in our modern time many human beings make themselves believe they can do as well as their olden day ancestors. For instance: A gentleman of years, white whiskers to his waist, was walking along the highway. He was met by three young men just out of college. One said: "Let's have some fun out of Santa Claus." They stopped before the aged man and one of them said: "Hello, Abraham." The old man said not a word. "Hello, Isaac," said another. Yet no response. "Hello, Jacob," said the third. "I am neither Abraham, Isaac nor Jacob," replied the old man. I am Saul, son of Tish, looking for my father's asses, and I think I have found all three of them." The college dudes passed on.—Author unknown.

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### HOPE ITEMS

John Phillip Bush was in from the Mule Shoe ranch Sunday.

Miss Maye Payne is a guest at the Prude ranch this week.

Miss Sylvia Dalgron arrived in Hope Saturday to open the Shelton Cafe.

Tommie McCullie of Las Cruces was a guest at the Fite ranch last week.

The Rev. John Klassen, who is conducting a meeting at Otis spent Saturday at Hope.

Miss Roberta Chambers has been visiting during the past two weeks with Mrs. John Klassen.

Mrs. Cliff Longbothem of Seminole, Texas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Miller.

Mrs. A. A. Lane of Lake Arthur has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. O. V. Moore this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bynum and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bynum of Artesia.

Mrs. Miller and daughter, Miss Fay, and son, Ray, of Mayhill were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Teel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Murphy and daughter, Josephine, returned from Albuquerque, where Mr. Murphy has been attending the University of New Mexico.

Miss Mary Louise Cole entertained friends at her home Saturday evening. Guests were: the Misses Anna Akorn, Marjorie Johnson and Claborn Buckner, J. B. Blakeney and Joe Plowman.

Miss Margaret Williams, who has been attending the State University at Albuquerque returned to her home here Tuesday. Miss Williams will be an instructor of the Cottonwood schools this year.

Dr. O. E. Puckett of Carlsbad was in Hope attending to business Monday. He was accompanied by his daughter, Edna and Miss Anetta Overman of Amarillo, Texas, who is visiting Miss Puckett in Carlsbad.

Adults of the Methodist church held their monthly social at the church Thursday evening. The devotional services conducted by Mrs. O. V. Moore were followed by a recreational period after which light refreshments were served.

Miss Ruth Turner who has been visiting here left Friday for her home at Los Angeles, California. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Mary K. Turner, and sister, Peggy, who will visit there during the next two weeks.

Fred Russell and son of Altus, Oklahoma are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Russell. Fred Russell is a brother of Harry Russell. All of them accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Will Kellar spent Tuesday visiting in Cloudcroft.

Thirteen members of the Mission church attended the Sunday evening closing services of the evangelistic meeting which was being held at Cottonwood. Because of the damage done Thursday by a strong wind to the tent in which the meeting was being conducted, services were brought to a close Sunday evening.

The Epworth League attended the fifth Sunday meeting held at Hagerman Sunday by Pecos valley leagues. The program for the afternoon was given by the Artesia League. A light lunch was served at the gymnasium. The Hope League with a perfect attendance of eighteen, and with twelve young people from other churches of Hope, won the League banner, for the third consecutive time.

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### SMALL CUT CORPORATIONS

SANTA FE—There will not be a very great reduction in corporate values, Chief Tax Commissioner Byron O. Beall says, but that which does occur will be attributed largely to declines in mining properties.

The commission will not be able to announce the corporate values until it completes the mining hearings on August 8th in Colfax county with the St. Louis, Rocky Mountain and Pacific.

County budget hearings were resumed Tuesday at Santa Rosa. So far the commission has visited twenty counties. No budgets will be finally approved until after the commission completes its tour on August 27.

Torrance county will be the only county to have a higher budget, Beall said.

### REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE TO MEET LATTER PART OF AUG.

Carl P. Dunifon, republican state chairman, after a series of conferences at Albuquerque, Monday announced that a meeting of the republican state central committee will be held in Santa Fe the latter part of August to set a time for holding the state nominating convention and to fix the apportionment of delegates.

Dunifon said the exact date of the meeting had not been decided upon, but would be announced later.

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### LOCALS STAGE ONE CLUB GOLF TOURNEY

A number of Artesia golfers engaged in a one club golf tourney Sunday, playing two rounds. Golf balls were given as prizes for the first, second, third and fourth places. Local club members hope to be able to stage a flag tournament soon. By flag tournament is meant that each player is allowed a given number of strokes. As the player finishes his strokes, he sets up his flag, the player, making the most progress around the course wins.

Sunday's results follow:

B. Spencer	43	39-82
Linell*	44	41-85
Bird*	44	41-85
Morgan	47	51-98
Burch	52	48-100
Hunter	51	49-100
Bildstone	51	50-101
Bigger	50	52-102

\*—Tied for second place.

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### CROP SHOWS INCREASE IN U. S. EIGHT PER CENT

Lamb crop of the United States, according to the report issued by the Department of Agriculture, increased eight per cent over on January 1, 1932, and 8.6 per cent over on January 1, 1931; and 86.6 per cent over on January 1, 1930. This was the smallest lamb crop shown for the year since 1914, while the percentage was the largest.

The number of ewes one year old and over on January 1, 1932, was 2,745,000, or two per cent larger than on January 1, 1931, there was a heavy death loss of ewes in western states before lambing time, so that the number of ewes lambing time was considerably smaller this year than last.

Contrary to the opinion held by some that the Boy Scout office in Roswell has been closed, it is officially announced herewith that the Scout Office is not closed and has not been closed and does not propose to close. The opinion that the office was closed was due to the fact that the office secretary was released for several weeks in the interests of economy. The office is open every day in the interests of "More and Better Scouts".

### SCOUT NEWS

The water camp conducted by eastern New Mexico area, Boy Scouts of America closed last Saturday and was pronounced an unqualified success by the scouts and officials who attended. Fifty five scouts and five officials were enrolled in the four day camp held at Lake Van Dexter.

A Mexican Boy Scout troop was organized in Roswell last week. The scoutmaster is Efringo Lueco, a former member of troop 5. The troop will meet for the present, at the Methodist Church in Chihuahua. The charter members of the troop are: Isbrael Melendez, Alfonso Pena, Pete Franco, Conrad Larrina, J. C. Trujillo, Lupe Gonzalez, Gus Garcia, Ped Carmona, David Olivarez and Richard Pena.

This is the only Mexican troop in the area. There is also a Negro troop in Roswell.

Wayne Rowland is here visiting relatives for a few days. Gordon Sterling is in the mountains holding a revival this week. Miss Veta Daniel expects to leave for Texas the last of the week.

### Dayton Items (Contributed)

Oscar Kinder and family have moved back to Dayton from Cottonwood.

Mrs. Pior of Artesia held services at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

Dayton won a ball game from Lower Cottonwood Sunday. The Score was 8-6.

Revival services will begin at the Methodist church next Sunday night. The Church of the Nazarene expects to help conduct the meeting. Everyone invited.

### CAVERN VISITORS

Cavern visitors for July 1932 numbered 11,985 people from forty-seven states and fifteen foreign countries. Totals for the month of July in other years were:

July 1924	341
July 1925	338
July 1926	2,009
July 1927	6,881
July 1928	8,523
July 1929	15,649
July 1930	20,137
July 1931	17,172
July 1932	11,985

### EIGHT BILLS MEET WITH APPROVAL OF TAX ASSOCIATIONS

Eight of the nine bills recommended by the sub-committee as a legislative slate were approved by the State Federation of Taxpayers associations at Santa Fe Saturday.

The proposal to do away with the soldiers' exemption January 1, 1933, one of the bills recommended by the sub-committee, was stricken from the program on which legislative action is to be asked by the federation. It was decided to pass the question of all exemptions, including that granted heads of families, until the regular session of the legislature.

First among the recommendations placed before the federation by Ira S. Specker, Albuquerque, chairman of the drafting committee, was that Governor Seligman be asked to call a special session of the legislature.

Nine bills were recommended by Specker, including a revised sales tax, to constitute the legislature program. The committee made no recommendation as to the proposed overhauling of the tax assessment machinery. The committee, Specker explained, determined to leave the question as to whether it should be added to the program up to the federation.

The nine bills presented by the committee:

1. Retail sales tax.
2. Reduction of salaries of county officials and employes 10 per cent, limitation of the cost of feeding county prisoners to actual cost but not to exceed 40 cents if five or less are confined, 35 cents if there are more than five prisoners; reimbursement of mileage for privately owned cars to 8 cents.
3. Abolishing of county board of appraisal.
4. Relieving of delinquent taxpayers for 1931 and prior years of the payment of excessive penalties and, if they pay up within a year after the passage of the bill, permitting them to pay the actual taxes plus 6 per cent interest.
5. Putting eight-hour day into force for all state, district and county offices.
6. Providing that 75 cents a day paid for keep of federal prisoners be turned over to county treasury and for reimbursement of sheriff according to terms of proposal No. 2.
7. Making appropriation to pay gasoline tax refunds.
8. Abolishing of office of juvenile attorney.
9. Revised general appropriations bill.

Aside from the question of exemptions, Specker estimated this program would save \$3,000,000 a year.

The sales tax, explained by Tom Popejoy of the state university, in its changed form, provides for a rate of 1 per cent on the gross cash receipts of the "last transaction" on all consumable merchandise and professional services.

The sales tax brought out the most lengthy discussion of the forenoon.

Banks, mutual building and loan association, farm and ranch produce, wages and salaries are exempted.

Administration of the tax is placed in the hands of a state sales tax commissioner and registration of all persons subject to the tax is required. A "small fee" is to be charged for registration.

Payment of the 1 per cent tax is to be made monthly.

"This tax is intended to be passed on to the consumer," said Popejoy.

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# Social Activities

## BARBECUE-DANCE

Mr. and Mrs. John Prude gave a barbecue and dance at their ranch thirty-five miles south of Hope last Saturday evening. When the guests arrived Saturday evening, all kinds of barbecued meats were waiting for them. Dancing followed the supper with music furnished by an orchestra composed of Messrs. Brewer, Inman, Bush and Mark Brewer of Hope. At twelve o'clock the guests were served with a midnight luncheon followed by dancing until daylight when breakfast was served. The guest list included: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton, and daughter, Miss Pauline, Miss Nell Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, Mrs. Lewis Story and children all of Artesia; and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kimbrough of Lovington. Mrs. John Rowland and little daughter, Litt Prude, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Prude and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Watts, William Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hardin and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Means, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Cole, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Altman, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Bunting, Cy Bunting, Mr. Woods and two sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Riley and Elmer Schrier, all of Hope. Mrs. Devenport, of Wichita Falls, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis of Pinon.

## BRIDGE-DANCING PARTY

Mrs. Beecher Rowan and Mrs. Jeff Hightower entertained with a bridge and dancing party last Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Rowan's house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rowan and daughter, Aline Merle and Miss Aline Rowan of Los Angeles, California. Punch and sandwiches were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Brainard, and daughter, Mrs. William Knorr of Ft. Wayne, Indiana, Messrs. and Mrs. J. J. Clarke, R. D. Compton, S. E. Ferree, F. G. Hartell, Earl Bigler, Albert Richards, John Richards, C. R. Blocker, Willis Morgan, T. C. Bird, Stanley Blocker, W. E. Flint, Carl Bildstone, Mark Corbin, L. B. Feather, C. E. Speck, and L. W. Jernigan, Martin Yates, Jr., and Ferris Arnold of Roswell, Misses Catherine Clarke, Louise Compton and Messrs. John and Lawrence Clarke, Melvin Jernigan, Kenneth Compton, Jack and Rex Knorr of Ft. Wayne, Indiana, Mark Corbin, Jr., St. Clair Yates and Teyton Emmons of Mexico, Missouri, and the hostesses and their husbands.

## PARTY ON THE RUIDOSO

Mrs. Nancy Eipper entertained a company of Artesia people at with a party at her cabin on the Ruidoso last Friday evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Glasser, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gillespie and daughter, Irene, Mrs. Ruby Dunn and sons, Charles Preston and Clyde, Mrs. Grover Kinder and daughter, Miss Natalie Filbert.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Rude Wilcox gave a birthday supper on the lawn of her home Monday evening in honor of her son, George's fifth birthday anniversary. A birthday cake and candles of pink and white was the center of attraction. Those included in the guest list were: Barbara Wheatley, Charlene and Rosemary Martin, Billy Welsh and Jimmie Wilcox.

## CONTRACT BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Richard Attebery entertained the Contract Bridge club last Wednesday afternoon. Delicious refreshments were served to the following members and guests: Mmes. Hollis Watson, H. A. Watson, Lloyd Simons, Howard Williams, N. M. Baird, C. R. Blocker, Albert Richards and Frank Seale.

## YOUNG MOTHER'S CLUB

The Young Mother's club met with Mrs. Kay Lydia last Friday afternoon. Two games were played in which Mrs. Boone Barnett won the prize in one game and Mrs. John Dunn in the other game. Mrs. Reed McCaw was a guest of the club. Lovely refreshments were served.

## MARRIED BY REV. HILL

A. M. Pedan and Miss Nellie Blyen both of Artesia were married this morning at the office of the county clerk, by Rev. C. C. Hill, who was called in for the occasion. Members of the county clerk's staff were witnesses.—Roswell Record, Monday.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved—The Advocate.

## Social Calendar

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### FRIDAY

The Nazarene Missionary Society will have an all day meeting and covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. Clarke Wilde. The day will be spent in sewing.

The Cemetery Board will meet with Mrs. Reed Brainard at 2:30 p. m.

The Local Rotary Anns will entertain the visiting Rotary Anns at a bridge party in the roof garden of the Artesia hotel at 3:30 p. m.

### MONDAY

The Auxiliary meeting will be held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. J. M. Story at 2:30 p. m. instead of today.

### TUESDAY

The Idlewhile Bridge club will meet with Mrs. J. H. Jackson at 2:00 p. m.

The First Afternoon Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Jeff Hightower at 2:30 p. m.

### WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Lloyd Simons will entertain her Contract Bridge club at 2:00 p. m.

### THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Presbyterian Aid Society will meet at the church at 2:30 p. m.

### FAREWELL PARTY

The Junior Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church gave a picnic supper in the park Monday evening for John Muma, Jr., who is leaving for Houston, Texas with his parents to make their home. The Endeavorers who gave the party and their guests are: Ruth Hamilton, Helen Meredith Gates, Carolyn Seale, Delores Mayrhofer, Charles Mack Knoedler, Ollin Woodside, Bert Bryan, Jr., Harvey Burgess and the honor guest, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler and daughter, Frances, Mrs. Gail Hamilton and daughter, Mary Ann.

### PICNIC

A crowd of young people had a picnic supper on the Reser farm Tuesday evening followed by an outdoor dance on the cement foundation east of town. Those included in the crowd were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Langston, Mrs. Langston and daughter, Miss Margaret of El Dorado, Arkansas, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jernigan, Misses Catherine Clarke, Dolly Cooper, Abbie Durand, Helen Holmes, Messrs. John and Lawrence Clarke, Ben Williams, Jack Stagg, Herman Cole and Melvin Jernigan.

### BRIDGE PARTY HONORING MMES. PERRY AND TACKETT

Mrs. J. M. Story entertained with a bridge party on Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. E. H. Perry of Tyler, Texas and Mrs. W. H. Tackett of Troup, Texas. Seated for bridge and an ice course were, besides the honor guests: Mmes. James Nellis, Jim Berry, E. M. Phillips, Ralph Shugart, Arba Green, J. H. Jackson and M. W. Evans.

### STUDY CONTRACT CLUB

Mrs. R. D. Compton entertained the Study Contract club at her home Monday at one o'clock luncheon. Mmes. Mark Corbin and Carl Bildstone were guests of the club.

### FIRST EVENING BRIDGE CLUB

The First Evening Bridge club met with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dexter at their apartment in the Artesia hotel for seven o'clock dinner Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. John Richards were guests of the club.

### BRIDGE O' MONTH CLUB

The Bridge O' Month club met with Miss Catherine Clarke last Thursday afternoon. Miss Clarke won high score and Mrs. J. Harvey Wilson second high. Lovely refreshments were served to the members and one tea guest, Mrs. Harold Scoggins.

### ICE CREAM SOCIAL

The Methodist Missionary Society gave an ice cream social in the park last Friday evening. A large crowd attended and the Society received a nice sum for its treasury.

## BRIDGE ANNOUNCES MARRIAGE OF MISS VIRGINIA EGBERT

Announcement was made of the marriage of Miss Virginia Egbert and Mr. Howard Whitson, which was solemnized in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma on the 18th of April Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Carl Bildstone entertained with a bridge party. The marriage was made known to the guests by small certificates of marriage. Mrs. Whitson was presented with a guest prize and Mrs. Willis Morgan won high prize at bridge. Mrs. Whitson is an accomplished musician having taught violin in Artesia the past several years and is well known to all of the younger set. Mr. Whitson is owner and manager of the Artesia Laundry and Cleaners. Mr. and Mrs. Whitson will be at home to their many friends in the Whitson apartments.

After several rounds of bridge the bride's cake was cut and light refreshments were served to the following guests: Mmes. Mark Corbin, Joe Clayton, J. J. Clarke, T. C. Bird, Willis Morgan, Stanley Blocker, J. Harvey Wilson, W. E. Flint, Leslie Martin, and Misses Catherine Clarke and Ethel Bullock, and Mrs. Frank Miller, tea guest.

## SLUMBER PARTY

The D. Y. C. club gave a slumber party last evening at the home of Miss Virginia Goodell. The members played bridge and danced followed by the serving of ice cream. This morning breakfast was cooked out, south of town to which guests were invited, who were: Misses Helen Holmes, June Carper, Abbie Durand, Margarita Langston, Pauline Vandevere, Inez Knowles of Hot Springs, Juanita Perry, and Messrs. Melvin Jernigan, Wallace Gates, Lawrence Clarke, Harold Naylor, Burch and Carl Crockett, Joe Ballard, Orville Gray, Leon Clayton, Doris Ransbarger, Donald Burch, Leonard Vandevere, Tom Hefflin, Sebron Beale, Charles Brown, Marlin Traylor, Jimmie Keith of Goree, Texas and Laverne Memier of Lubbock, Texas.

## HONORING MISS MUMA

The Senior Christian Endeavor gave a watermelon feast on the Presbyterian lawn Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Margaret Muma, who is leaving for Houston, Texas with her parents to make their home. The members and guests were: Mrs. Jim Montgomery, who has charge of the Endeavor Society, The Rev. and Mrs. McCrory, Misses Jean Wheatley, Avie Clowe, Virginia Gates, Thelma and Hannah Bell McCaw, Mary Louise Paris, Lorita Hill, Dawn Hornbaker, Messrs. Johnnie Bill Collins, LaDean McCrory, John Gates, Jesse Carl Paris, Mark Corbin, Jr., Wayne and Fletcher Hornbaker, Jack and Rex Knorr of Ft. Wayne, Indiana.

## BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wright of Lakewood were hosts at a birthday dinner Sunday, honoring the birthday anniversary of their daughter, Miss Alene Wright. Twenty-three were present. Included among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Young, son, and daughter, George and Berthaferal, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. McLarry and family of Lake Arthur.

## DORCAS CLASS

The Dorcas class met with Mrs. Kay Lydia yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Roy Langston as co-hostess. A short business meeting was held in which the class planned a picnic for next Tuesday. After the business meeting a social hour followed. Light refreshments were served.

## SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. C. Bert Smith was the surprise honoree, Monday at the Artesia Sacramento camp, when the whole camp gave a party in honor of her birthday anniversary at La Grande, the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Evans.

Mrs. Cornett and son, William accompanied by her father, Mr. Neely and sisters Misses Sarry and Lorena Mae Neely, all of Arizona arrived Tuesday for a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley and family. Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Wheatley took the visitors to the municipal beach at Carlsbad and last night enjoyed a picnic supper on the Wheatley lawn. Additional guests at the supper were Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Gates and family and LaDean McCrory. This morning the visitors left for home going by way of the Carlsbad Caverns.

C. M. Cole and Buford Gray drove to Carlsbad yesterday to bring home Miss Gladys Cole, who has been in the St. Francis hospital following an appendix operation. Mrs. Cole who has been with her daughter, returned with them.

Children's school clothes made to order 5 to 12 years, 35c to 50c. Mrs. Glenn Yarnell. Leave orders with Mrs. W. L. Batterton, Vogue Beauty Shop. 31-2tp

## LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Wink Hardin of Hope were Artesia visitors Monday.

Stanley Carper returned Sunday from a few days stay on the Ruidoso.

J. H. Bridgman of Hope was here Monday attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. McLean and family returned Sunday from a trip to Brownwood, Texas.

C. E. Mann and daughters, Lela Bess and Janice made a trip through the Carlsbad Cavern Sunday.

Mrs. J. K. Wallingford and daughter, returned Wednesday from a stay at their cabin in Cloudcroft.

Miss Nolie Stevens left for El Paso, Texas Sunday to spend the month of August with her brother, John Stevens.

Mrs. John Lanning came down Sunday from the Sacramento camp with Mr. Lanning and is spending this week at home.

Mrs. Van Welch, Sr., returned home Sunday from Robinson, Illinois, where she made an extended visit with relatives.

Mrs. Keith McCrary and children of Roswell spent from Saturday until Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. G. U. McCrary.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Anderson and daughter, expect to leave Sunday for a visit in Brush and Monte Vista, Colorado.

Mrs. J. S. Langston arrived Monday from El Dorado, Arkansas for a visit with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Langston.

W. C. Martin drove up to the Sacramento camp Saturday with his family who will spend some time in the Martin-Blocker cabin.

Misses Helen and Myrna Yeager left Saturday for Pinon where they will spend the month of August on Miss Helen Yeager's claim.

Miss Mary Jane Williams visited several days in Albuquerque last week with her sister, Miss Margaret Williams. Miss Margaret Williams who has been attending the University of New Mexico the first semester returned to her home in Hope this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley McLean left Tuesday for their home at Dimmitt, Texas after a few days visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Rowan. Other house guests of the Rowans, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rowan and daughter, Aline Merle, and Miss Aline Rowan of Los Angeles, California and Mrs. Bruce McLean of Dimmitt, Texas, expect to leave for their homes Saturday.

## LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Box and family moved to the Artesia community Saturday.

P. J. Peters of Hope is a visitor in the Kingston home for several days this week.

Shorty Irving of Pampa Texas, was a visitor at the Ben McLarry home, Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Fern Russell and Mrs. Moss Spence were visitors at the home of Miss Ola Roberts Tuesday.

Mrs. K. A. Bivens who was reported to be seriously ill last week was improved at the last report.

Mrs. Merle Porter left Tuesday for her home in Dexter after spending several days here with her sister Mrs. D. A. Goode.

Misses Pauline Russell and Wilma Walden are spending this week at East Grand Plains visiting with Miss Charly B. Brown.

Buster Johnston who has been spending the last few weeks with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hedges, returned to his home in Portales Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nihart, Mrs. B. C. Moots, Mrs. John Haven and Mrs. J. B. Crook were in Roswell Saturday to attend the Womans Club council meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Donher of Las Cruces arrived Monday night and will occupy the home of Mrs. W. A. Hams. Mr. Donher is the agricultural teacher in the local school.

A most delightful newspaper social was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Williams Saturday night. After several hours of entertainment refreshments were served to about fifty guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Brewer of Bailyboro Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Cox of Muleshoe Texas, visited Saturday with the parents of Mrs. Brewer and Mrs. Cox. Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Williams, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bryan and grandson of Pasadena California who have been spending the past week with her mother, and other relatives here, last Thursday and will continue their trip on to Colorado Springs where they will visit with relatives.

The Baptist revival meeting which began here Sunday Sunday, was opened with a large attendance. The Rev. Mayfield of Las Cruces and the Rev. Dye of Hagerman have charge of the preaching and Frank Frazier has charge of the singing.

## Democrats Have—

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Those present said no second choice was discussed at the meeting in the event that the governor refuses to run. The meeting was held behind closed doors. The statement given out after adjournment, telling of the action with reference to the governor, said the vote for the resolution was practically unanimous.

Mayor David Chavez of Santa Fe, brother of Congressman Chavez, was reported to be the "only fly in the butter." His stand was said not to be openly hostile, but to be that he would support the governor if the governor would cast the party loose from "bipartisan influence."

Attendance was restricted to those invited by the sponsors, all administration leaders.

For a time former Congressman Albert G. Simms was being mentioned as a possibility for the gubernatorial nomination on the republican side. Now, however, the fact has come out that his brother, John, has come out openly, the belief is that Albert has no aspirations in that direction.

There have been no announcements on the republican side. That however, is the way the game is usually played in New Mexico. The office seeks the man, or should seem to, in the view of New Mexico politicians. John Simms' admission that he wants the nomination is a rare exception. So there is nothing abnormal in this situation.

The depression is to be reflected in the campaign this fall. Sentiment has been expressed on both sides of the fence to make them short. Dunifon's statement of his plan to summon the state central committee late this month indicates that the G. O. P. at least, is in accord with the idea of a short, snappy campaign. It is believed the republican campaign for the state ticket may not exceed 30 days, the month of October.

State Chairman Dunifon is quoted as having stated recently that he did not wish to hold the state central committee meeting until United States Senator Bronson Cutting could be present. The senator is in the east, recovering from his recent illness.

In the meantime, Hoover clubs are being organized under the leadership of former Senator H. O. Bursum.

State Senator Tom Hughes of Albuquerque, one of the Dick Dillon boosters, believes a short campaign would be fine if his candidate is nominated. "If Dick Dillon is nominated," Hughes said, "two weeks will be plenty for a campaign. Everyone in the state knows him."

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GISSLER OPEN  
W. T. Gissler and son have opened the Gissler market in the building formerly occupied by Sy's Cafe. The building has been renovated and the market is located on the west side, the east side probably be occupied as a...

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TAXES

The tax story: The other day Ed was visiting in a town. Upon starting to work he discovered that the family car was to be a habit with him. He stopped at a filling station and bought five gallons of gas. He discovered that we pay the bill—which seems to be with Ye Ed's pocket. He wrote a check for the gas, and while praying for the check, another thing came to be a habit with him. Then he believed it was to be thinking. Out of the cent purchase, twenty cents for taxes, namely fifteen cents for state and federal tax and for check tax, this latter really making the purchase so far as we were concerned of an eighty-cent tax. On top of the personal property tax, a driver's license tax. That thought made us so doggone mad we decided to smoke a cigarette over our aggravation. When we pulled out the first thing to stare us in the face was the federal revenue stamp on the top and the stamp on the side. That so blamed mad we thought of making up a friend in that at one time had the reputation of excellent beer. The thought of the malt tax and the beer would be bitter. So we came home and post card informing us it to pay our poll tax. Thus rather taxable evening. Miller, for the past seven years, manager of the Peoples company, at Carlsbad, took over the duties of general manager of the Crawford hotel in Carlsbad.

NEED NEW REVENUE TO WIPE OUT DEFICIT

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Ending the first month of the new fiscal year with a deficit of \$263,290,620, government officials Tuesday looked to the first flow of miscellaneous revenue from the new billion dollar tax bill to reduce the shortage.

The first returns under the new revenue act were due yesterday and soon will begin to trickle into the treasury. They will not be large at first for they will cover only the nine days of June.

Under the law the tax collected by manufacturers, banks and other agencies must be reported to the international revenue bureau by the end of the month following that in which it is received by them.

The deficit for July, while \$62,000,000 larger than for the same month last year, contained some bright spots.

One reason for the increase was \$100,000,000 devoted to the veterans bonus fund.

General expenses of the government were materially smaller than in July a year ago. Reflecting the first effects of the economy bill they amounted to \$198,773,771 as compared with \$246,546,350 in July 1931.

The public debt continued its upward climb, but it was less than a \$125,000,000 increase after having gone up nearly \$3,000,000,000 in the past year.

ANNOUNCES A NEW CERTIFIED LUBRICATION FOR MOTOR CARS

A new system of motor car lubrication, one that eliminates guesswork, has been announced by Clyde Guy of the Lowrey Keyes Auto Co.

The system, known as "Texaco Certified Lubrication," includes a complete line of Texaco oils and greases specially developed for automobile lubrication, together with a system of checking, employee training and special equipment.

The use of the new Texaco Check-Chart, prepared with the assistance of every automobile manufacturer in the industry, insures complete and scientifically correct lubrication for the entire chassis and motor of every American-built passenger car.

"Nothing is more important in passenger car lubrication than that every single lubrication point should receive the proper kind and amount of lubricant at regular intervals," says Mr. Guy.

"Naturally, every attempt is made to see that no lubrication points are overlooked while a car is on the grease rack. But the number and variety of cars on the road today make it almost impossible to prevent a certain amount of guesswork. Unless a man knows every detail of every car, it is difficult to make sure that nothing has been overlooked—that every grease fitting and bearing has had attention.

Insures Absolute Accuracy "The new system we have just adopted is known as Texaco Check-Chart—the Automotive Lubrication Encyclopedia." It practically puts a factory-trained lubrication engineer at the elbow of the man who is going over your car. It points out to him all lubrication points and the kind of lubricant for each one and leaves no room for his possibly making a mistake.

"This 'Texaco Check Chart System' consists of a book of big, legible lubrication charts, including the very latest as well as models several years old. The charts were carefully prepared in collaboration with factory service engineers and are absolutely correct in every detail.

"Every point on the car requiring lubrication is numbered and located by an arrow on the diagram of the chassis. Opposite each arrow is given the name of the part and the correct Texaco lubricant for use, these recommendations having been made after careful study and investigation by Texaco engineers.

How System Operates "When your car goes on the grease rack the operator turns to the proper chart, checks it with the serial number on the car to insure absolute identification. Then, starting with No. 1—usually the light front spring bolt—works right around the car, treating each point in order and missing none.

"The charts show the capacities of crankcase, transmission and differential. Even the inflation pressure and the capacity of the cooling system are plainly indicated on them. Not a single important factor has been overlooked in their preparation.

"So, as the life and service of a motor depend on the care and thoroughness with which it is lubricated," concludes Mr. Guy, "we now have an Automotive Lubrication Encyclopedia that enables us to guarantee a lubrication job to be as complete and efficient as it would be done at the factory where the car was built."

HELD ON MAIL CHARGE ALAMOGORDO — Albert L. Smedley, arrested by postal inspectors in Tularosa on charges of defrauding mail order houses by purchasing merchandise and tending fraudulent checks in payment, pleaded guilty before U. S. Commissioner Tom Charles and was bound to federal court under \$1,000 bond.

Plate and 100 genuine engraved cards, either plain or paneled. —The Artesia Advocate.

My Clodhopper Husband

By ALICE C. MEYER-WING

ANNIE MAY BROWN was our village beauty, and as if that were not enough, she married the best "catch" of the county, Frank Fenton, the Junior partner of the law firm of Fenton & Fenton.

Not only did she marry this handsome young attorney, but she went away on a long honeymoon trip. Surely the gods were kind to this first bride of our crowd, and we watched the train out of sight, and saw the last flutter of Annie May's handkerchief.

To me this was especially an anxious thought. I was half in love with a young farm hand, Simon Akers. This was the day of the term "clodhopper," used in ridicule of the now honored calling of agriculture, and a hired "hand" was especially despised.

The jeering of my friends was often trying. "If you had a beau like that, 'Amelia,' one of them said as the train disappeared—'but wouldn't your clodhopper loom up in patent leathers?'"

It was a cruel comparison. I was shamed. Life was cheating me. But I married Simon. We went West to grow up with the country and, incidentally grew prosperous. The aunt, who had given me a home when I was an orphan babe, had died, and with her went the last link connecting me with the home people, but the newspapers had begun to tell the world about the political rise of Frank Fenton. And again there came to me the old feeling of having been cheated.

Later there were stories of Fenton's connection with bribery charges and political scandals.

In the midst of it my husband suggested that we take the trip we had so often planned. "We can afford it, honey," he said, "and we've waited long enough. We'll go to Washington and New York—all the places we've dreamed about. On our way back we'll stop at the little home town. Some of our old friends are still there, and I love the little place, honey. It gave me my wife. Remember how I used to walk three miles to see you, after I had plowed all day? We would sit, without a word; but when it was so dark you couldn't see my cowhide shoes, I would reach over and take your hand and remark that it was a fine evening. Remember?"

I remembered.

One of the places we had always wished to visit was the one large city of our home state. We had a delightful week of shopping and sight-seeing there, and boarded the train for our continued trip in a happy mood.

Other passengers were coming in. One was a pale, well-dressed little woman whom the porter conducted to a section a little in front of us, on the opposite side of the car. I found myself studying her. Her profile reminded me of some one I had known.

The unguarded tones of two young girls in back of us reached me: "They think she's on her way to the capital to see her scamp of a husband. A reporter in the depot told me she came in on the midnight train. She isn't well, and the people say she is grieving herself ill."

"He hasn't been home for months," continued the indignant young speaker, "and it is rumored that there is another woman."

We had traveled an hour, probably, when I heard her gasp. The girls sprang up. "It's Mrs. Fenton!" one of them said.

"Mrs. Fenton!" I exclaimed, rising. Could it be—yes, it was—Annie May.

She knew me instantly and smiled through her pain. "My heart," she said faintly. "I must go back to the city and telegraph my husband."

I looked at Simon. He understood. "We needn't hurry, honey," he said. "We'll go back with her if you wish."

At midnight, her husband, the "Honorable" and very elegant, Frank Fenton arrived.

"Frank," she cried, as her husband appeared. "Come here, dear. We need you, the children and I." She struggled up and put out her hands.

Her husband stood at the foot of the bed aloof and cold, stripped of his glamour, his real self revealed.

Again I made a comparison of the two men—Frank Fenton and Simon Akers—and it was my last. The scales had fallen from my eyes and I knew at that moment that the cheated woman lay suffering before me.

"So you thought to follow me," Fenton sneered. "Well, the sooner you know that I shall never return to you, the better. Divorce proceedings are in the hands of my lawyers and the woman I shall marry next time—"

There was a slight shudder, a moan from the figure on the bed. The physician looked up calmly. "You will not need a divorce," he said.

Simon led me gently to our own room. I put my arms around his neck and touched, reverently, with plain, weather-stained face, with my lips. "Thank God," I said brokenly and fervently. "Thank God for my clodhopper husband."

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THE CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

6th and Quay Streets 9:45 a. m. Bible school. C. O. Brown superintendent.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ARTESIA

Rev. F. B. Howden, Jr., Rector. Services held every Sunday evening except the First Sunday in the month at 7:30 p. m. The church school meets at 5:00 p. m. Holy communion, second Monday of each month, and at other times as announced.

COTTONWOOD CHURCH

Rev. John Klassen, Pastor Sunday school every Sunday at 10:00 a. m., I. H. Burgess, Superintendent. Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Social 2nd Tuesday evening of each month. Everybody invited to attend, you will be welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Fourth and Grand 9:55 a. m. Sabbath School. 10:55 preaching service. 6:15 p. m. Christian Endeavor. W. B. McCrory, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

613 W. Main Street Sunday services at 11:00 a. m. Wednesday services at 7:30 p. m. Subject of the Bible lesson for Sunday, August 7, is: "Spirit." Golden text 1 Corinthians 12:13. Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m. meeting at which testimonials of healing are given. Visitors always welcome.

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Grand and Seventh Bomer B. Gist, Minister 10:00 a. m. Bible study. 11:00 a. m. morning worship. Sermon: "The Christian Warfare." 7:00 p. m. Young Peoples' class. 8:00 p. m. evening worship. 7:45 p. m. Wednesday, prayer meeting. Lesson: fifth chapter of Ephesians.

NO SERVICES SUNDAY AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

The Rev. Harold Scoggins, pastor of the First Methodist church announced there would be no church services Sunday, due to the absence of the pastor. The Rev. Scoggins, who is departmental chaplain of the American Legion will be in attendance at the Legion convention at Raton, the latter part of the week. He will go as guest of the Legion with expenses paid.

FEEDS 1400 PEOPLE ON \$12.00

Starting only with an idea and a love for humanity, a chubby, smiling priest in El Paso, Texas is saving 1,400 persons from starvation with a daily expenditure of \$12.00 says a press dispatch. The priest is The Rev. Petronius Zagni, pastor of Sacred Heart church. Daily he feeds 1,400 persons, more than 300 families—and feeds them well. He has opened a soup kitchen in an old protestant church on south Kansas street.

There is one noonday meal. The poor come with their buckets and one plate and get a hearty, nourishing meal to take back to their houses.

The menu consists of: beef, stew, squash, peas, beans, vermicelli, corn and tomatoes, sliced cucumbers, bread, milk and watermelon.

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COTTONWOOD ITEMS

Hobart Hall of Roswell was visiting with Cottonwood friends yesterday.

Miss Ruby Rollin spent a few days last week with Miss Minnie Opal Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Parker, Mmes. Tom Terry and Rambo motored to Carlsbad Tuesday.

Quinton Rodgers of Carlsbad, son of Superintendent and Mrs. Rodgers is visiting at the Tom Terry home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard have returned from a visit with the parents of Mr. Howard in the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Malone have returned from a two weeks' fishing trip to the northern part of the state near the Colorado line.

The Hutchinson family formerly of Miami, Florida, known as the Arizona Ramblers, gave a play at the Lower Cottonwood school house.

Mrs. Wilburn Ayers of Chaves spent last week visiting her brother, W. H. Rambo and Mrs. Rambo.

Mrs. J. A. Clayton and daughter of Hobbs were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry of the Cottonwood the past week.

Misses Margaret and Eloise Brown of Abilene, Texas and Mrs. Catherine Sullivan and family of Hillsboro, this state, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Brown of the Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rambo of San Francisco, California arrived last week for a visit with his father, W. H. Rambo and Mrs. Rambo. After a trip through the caverns the visitors left for Ft. Worth, Texas accompanied by Mr. Rambo for a brief stay with relatives, returning here Sunday.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Johnson were hosts last week at a dinner served in honor of Mr. Johnson's mother, who was ninety years old. Mrs. Taylor of the Pearson Bros. farm shared honors with Mrs. Johnson at the dinner to which a number of friends were invited.

A number of friends gathered at the Rambo home Tuesday evening to hear a musicale given by the Arizona Ramblers and Jim Smith of Lake Arthur and Walter Knowles of Cottonwood. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Glen Yarnell and family, Miss Richardson, sister of Mrs. Yarnell, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Parker, and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Burke and family, Mrs. M. S. Brown and daughter, Katherine

LAWLESS BODIES BE KEPT OUT OF DISTRICT

WASHINGTON.—The District of Columbia commissioners Saturday ordered police to prevent the entry into Washington of all organized bodies or groups who cannot prove a lawful purpose in coming to the capital.

A copy of the instructions sent to Chief of Police Glassford was telephoned to the governors of Virginia and Maryland this afternoon.

Word has been received here from the Internal Revenue department that revenue stamps are not required on oil leases.

A PRISON FARM IS WANTED BY WARDEN SWOPE

SANTA FE—Establishment of a prison farm of some 3,000 acres under irrigation in order to provide wholesome employment for the growing prison population is recommended by Warden Ed Swope in his annual report to Governor Seligman.

"The increase in population very clearly indicates that it will be necessary to find useful employment for the inmates," the report reads.

During the 20th fiscal year the prison population increased from a daily average of 597.3 to 599.3, or 57, the report shows.

Despite the increase, expenditures of the institution increased only from \$161,257 to \$162,493, Mr. Swope says.

Several improvements were made during the year, including construction of a new cell house for women, construction of a woven wire fence around the prison grounds in front of the main building, laying of sidewalks, building a tool house and other minor construction.



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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

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

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, for itself and as trustee for Joyce-Pruit Company, a corporation; L. P. Evans; Kemp Lumber Company, a corporation; Continental Oil Company, a corporation, Southwestern Public Service Company of Artesia, New Mexico, a corporation; Triangle Oil Company, a corporation; and E. B. Bullock, Plaintiff, Vs. C. P. SLAUGHTER; ZENOBIA (MATTIE ZENOBIA) SLAUGHTER; SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY of Roswell, New Mexico, a corporation; G. C. BAKER, trustee; THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Kaufman, Texas, a corporation; C. B. HARTON, trustee; and MRS. W. A. TAYLOR, Defendants. No. 5375.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a decree of foreclosure and order of sale made in the above entitled and numbered cause on the civil docket of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein the First National Bank of Artesia, New Mexico, for itself and as trustee for Joyce-Pruit Company, a corporation; L. P. Evans; Kemp Lumber Company, a corporation; Continental Oil Company, a corporation; Southwestern Public Service Company of Artesia, New Mexico, a corporation; Triangle Oil Company, a corporation; and E. B. Bullock, is plaintiff and C. P. Slaughter, Zenobia (Mattie Zenobia) Slaughter, Southwestern Public Service Company of Roswell, New Mexico, a corporation, G. C. Baker, trustee, The First National Bank of Kaufman, Texas, a corporation, C. B. Harton, trustee, and Mrs. W. A. Taylor are defendants, to which decree and order of sale reference is hereby made for the particulars hereof, I, Margaret Phillips, heretofore appointed special master in the above entitled cause by said district court, and having been ordered to sell the herein-after described real estate, shall expose and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the First National Bank of Artesia, New Mexico, on Wednesday, the 24th day of August, 1932, at three o'clock p. m., of that day, all the right, title, interest, claim and estate of the defendants C. P. Slaughter, Zenobia (Mattie Zenobia) Slaughter, Southwestern Public Service Company of Roswell, New Mexico, a corporation, G. C. Baker, trustee, The First National Bank of Kaufman, Texas, a corporation, C. B. Harton, trustee, and Mrs. W. A. Taylor in and to the following described real estate situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The north half of the northwest quarter, and the north half of the south half of the northwest quarter in Section Twenty-one, Township Seventeen South and Range Twenty-six East, except the railroad right-of-way, and that part of said described land, if any, west of the railroad, being about three and one-half acres excepted. The purpose of said sale is to satisfy a judgment against the defendants C. P. Slaughter and Zenobia (Mattie Zenobia) Slaughter and in favor of the plaintiff in the sum of \$3,212.77 as principal and interest with interest thereon at the rate of 10% per annum from the 24th day of May, 1932, until paid, and for the further sum of \$318.83 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the said 24th day of May, 1932, until paid, and cost of suit. Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$3,293.09 Total amount of attorney fees due on date of sale 323.11 Clerk's cost 7.50 Sheriff's fee 1.50 Cost of publication of notice of suit 56.12 Special Master's fee 10.00

Total amount due on date of sale not including cost of publication of this notice \$3,691.32 Dated this 19th day of July, 1932. MARGARET PHILLIPS, 29-4t Special Master.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS Sealed bids will be received for roofing Artesia Central School Auditorium, with 28 gauge standing seam, galvanized iron roofing. Bids will be received up to August 5th, 12:00 o'clock noon. Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. BOARD OF EDUCATION, Artesia Municipal School District No. 16. By LINNA A MANDA, 30-2t Secretary.

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, July 15, 1932.

NOTICE is hereby given that Gus Cavender of Lake Arthur, New Mexico, who, on July 20th, 1927, made Stock Raising Homestead Entry, No. 032513, for NE 1/4 SE 1/4, W 1/2 SE 1/4, E 1/2 SW 1/4 and Lot 18, Section 6, Twp. 16-S., Range 24-E., and NE 1/4 Section 12, Township 16-S., Range 23-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 30th day of August, 1932. Claimant names as witnesses: John F. Runyan, Artesia, New Mexico, Horace McCormick, of Lake Arthur, N. M., Jessie I. Funk, of Lake Arthur, N. M., William Waldrop, of Lake Arthur, N. M. V. B. MAY, 29-5t Register.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DR. J. D. BEWLEY, Deceased, MAUDE A. BEWLEY, Administratrix. No. 584.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Maude A. Bewley, Administratrix of the estate of Dr. J. D. Bewley, deceased, has filed her final report as Administratrix of said estate together with her petition praying for her discharge; that Mrs. M. O. Grantham, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, has set the 19th day of August, 1932, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m. at the court room of said court in the city of Carlsbad, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing objections, if any there be, to said report and petition.

THEREFORE any person or persons wishing to object to the approval of said report are hereby notified to file their objections with the Probate Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the date set for said hearing. Signed and dated this 13th day of July, 1932. (SEAL) RUTH S. NYE, 29-4t County Clerk.

NEW MEXICO IS GIVEN RICHLY PUBLIC ROADS

SANTA FE.—New Mexico's federal aid ratio has been changed by Secretary Hyde, which grants the state the entirety of its \$1,905,000 emergency relief allotment and permits the state to proceed with the full summer road construction programme of \$3,086,000.

The programme utilizes the above emergency relief money. \$1,121,000 regular federal aid and \$175,000 domain money. The contracts will specify a minimum wage of 35 cents an hour for unskilled and fifty cents an hour for skilled labor, with a thirty-hour week.

No sub-contracting will be permitted without written approval of the state highway engineer. Preference is required for local labor, with ex-service men with families as first choice, heads of families, non-service men second choice; single ex-service men third preference and single non-ex-service men fourth preference. Contractors cannot charge employees more than 25 cents each per meal.

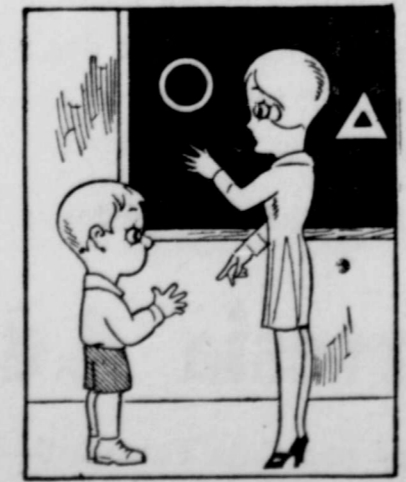
PREPARATIONS FOR STATE GOLF TOURNAMENT

CLOVIS.—As intensive conditioning of the new municipal golf course nears completion, Clovis golfers are making elaborate preparations to entertain New Mexico amateur golfers in the annual state championship tournament to be held here August 25-26-27-28.

More than 100 golfers from virtually every club in the state are expected to compete in the tournament. Large groups of golfers from nearby west Texas cities who are planning to follow the championship play will make the galleries the largest the association has even known.

Plate and 100 genuine engraved cards, either plain or panelled.—The Artesia Advocate.

IN BUSH LEAGUE



Teacher—Eddie, give me a description of the buffaloes. Eddie—Can't. I don't know much about that team.

SHORT SUBJECTS

Snakes in Hibernation Snakes seek fissures among the rocks in which to hibernate during the winter months. Although during this period of inactivity they can stand considerable cold, temperatures at or below the freezing point are quite likely to kill them. They seem to have an uncanny instinct of selecting their winter shelters at points that will not fall below the danger line in temperature.

Prized Food Fish The pompano belongs to the Jack family and is one of the most prized of the world's food fishes. The name is taken from the Spanish pompano, meaning grape leaf, which the outline of the fish resembles, when viewed from the side. It attains a length of one foot and a half, a weight of two or three pounds, and has white flaky flesh. It is a favorite in Creole cookery.

Prolific Fish It has been computed that a single pair of codfish or eels, released in the ocean at the beginning of the Christian era, would have been able by now to fill the oceans solid with living fish, with enough individuals left over to fill up all the lakes and flowing streams. Oysters could do still better, for in a few centuries they would fill up the oceans.

Problem of Bacteria The question has been asked, if bacteria divide every 30 minutes, how many bacteria will there be in 24 hours, starting with one? Assuming all live and continue to divide in two for this period, the doubling process repeated 48 times will result in the production of over 281 trillions of bacteria (281 followed by 12 ciphers).

Geological Eras The five great eras of general geological history are, beginning with the oldest: Archeozoic, Proterozoic, Paleozoic, Mesozoic and Cenozoic. The last two are the ages from which most of the geological and paleontological fossil formations have been found.

Monkeys Gather Coconuts Monkeys are being taught in parts of the East Indies to gather coconuts. Proprietors of coconut plantations say that the four-legged helpers are more industrious than native workers and gather nearly twice as many as a professional gatherer.

After They Are Married Nothing gives a young man who thought his sweetie would go through life with her arms around his neck a greater shock than discovering how quickly she takes up back-seat driving after they are married.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

English Civil War Sad Palm Sunday was March 29, 1643, the day of the battle of Towton, the most fatal of all the battles in the Wars of the Roses. It was estimated that more than 37,000 Englishmen were slain.

Running From the Wolf An Ottawa trapper says that an able-bodied man can overtake and capture a wolf in eight hours, despite the fact that most of the able-bodied men we know would be running the other way.

Pleasant Deception "The public sometimes insists on being deceived," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown. "It is always easier to believe a pleasant fiction than to face a discouraging fact."—Washington Star.

War and Nicotine Regarding the habit and fashion of smoking, it is an interesting fact that since its first introduction any great war has been followed by a great increase in the habit.

Costs Little to Make The value of the materials in a paper dollar and the cost of labor in making it are not equal to much more than one cent, as it is merely a printing operation.

Costly "Beauty Baths" It takes eight gallons of special oil to give each of the elephants in the London zoo its annual "beauty bath."

Not in First Class Blackbirds are classed as song birds, but neither the crow blackbird nor the redwing has a very striking song.

Foolish Reasoning It is in the nature of foolish reasoning to seem good to the foolish reasoner.—Eliot.

Cheerful Thought Life is full of uncertainties, even for those who fear the worst.—Boston Transcript.

Words Words, like nature, half reveal and half conceal the soul within.—Tennyson.

In a Nutshell The winter has its own secret joy, for it holds the spring in its heart.

CAUSE OF BREAK



"How is it you don't speak to Bess any more?" "She won three of my engagement rings from me playing bridge."

LOCALS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Briscoe, a son, Monday morning.

Mrs. W. W. Vaughn was a business visitor from Dexter Saturday.

Supt. H. R. Rodgers and family of Carlsbad were in town Saturday.

Clifford Long and family moved into the Christmas house on west Dallas street Monday.

E. A. Hannah drove up to the Sacramento camp Sunday to spend a few days with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Flint spent Sunday in the Sacramento camp, guests of Col. and Mrs. A. T. Woods.

Miss Reda Faye McKnight of Roswell, left for Albuquerque on Monday after a fortnight's visit with Miss Jewel Cavin.

Carl Gallagher of Albuquerque regional manager of the federal crop loan organization spent a short time here Friday on an inspection tour.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mount, Mrs. John Richards and John Lanning spent Sunday at Smith Haven in the Sacramento camp, in honor of Mrs. Smith's birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Bruce McLean and son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charley McLean of Dimmitt, Texas came Sunday for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Rowan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Muncy and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, went to Elkins, Saturday and returned Monday. Miss Muncy remained with her grandparents, and expects to stay the rest of the summer.

Roscoe Kile, crop loan field agent for Eddy and Chaves counties, Col. A. T. Woods, County Agent W. A. Wunsch and W. D. Bales both of Carlsbad were among the Eddy county residents to attend the federal crop loan meeting at Albuquerque Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris of Hobart, Oklahoma are expected today to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reeves on the Harve Muncy ranch. A friend, Claude Priggel of Oklahoma City is accompanying them and after a few days stay here, he will go on to El Paso, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gage and family came down from the Runyan ranch Friday and stayed until Sunday, visiting with her brother, C. V. French and family of Durant, Oklahoma, who is here visiting his mother, Mrs. W. S. French and family. On Sunday Mrs. French entertained with a family dinner in honor of her son and family.

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LEGION NEWS

POST TAKES ADVANTAGE OF THE DEPRESSION AND BUILDS ITSELF A HOME

The depression created an opportunity for the Arthur L. Peterson Post 27 of The American Legion, Long Beach, California, to build a home, and other posts will be interested in how it was accomplished. In many cities the municipal authorities are tearing down old school buildings, halls, etc. When Long Beach completed a new municipal auditorium, the old wooden structure was condemned. The post got permission to use as much of the lumber as would be necessary to construct a Legion home. It got a long term lease on a piece of city property for \$1 a year. It also had 400 members out of work, the 1931 membership being 1,200.

A Legionnaire architect drew up the plans, the post treasury had \$1,200 in a building fund, and the members had the right kind of Legion spirit. Deals were made for material without much cost and the payment terms remind one of the war debts. Each member of the post was asked \$10 or two days' labor. Carpenters and other craftsmen responded, some of them to work regularly for \$3 a day, \$1 being in cash and the other \$2 to be paid when and if funds are available. Members who had not been able to pay their 1932 dues were issued membership cards after two days work. After four weeks volunteers were still reporting for work, and members who did little before except pay their dues are taking an active interest.

SURVEY IS COMPLETED

The Bonita river hydrographic survey, made under contract order in connection with the suit of the Southern Pacific railroad to adjudicate water rights on the Bonita, has been completed by State Engineer George Neel and is on file in his office. The survey, made under a \$10,000 legislative appropriation, was started under the administration of former State Engineer Herbert Yeo and completed under the present administration.

"There is a certain amount of luck in bridge," says a writer. A good deal depends on a good deal.

So you want to be my son-in-law? Not at all, Mrs. Jones, but I do want to marry your daughter.

GRAHAM PURCHASES \$214,000 HIGHWAY DEBENTURE ISSUE

SANTA FE—State Treasurer Warren Graham Thursday bought \$214,000 of the second block of highway debentures, which the purchasing syndicate was unable to sell.

The block was \$250,000. The treasurer, however, is unable to sell the debentures, himself until the bond company's contract expires August 28th.

In the meantime the company has exclusive right to market the debentures, which they will purchase from the state at par and accrued interest.

"Did you go to the seashore with your family?" "No," replied Mr. Growcher. "Somebody had to stay at home for the rest of the folks to send post cards to."

LIFE INSURANCE CLAIM SMALL FOR THE YEAR

Life insurance claims New Mexico during 1931, \$1,015,899.37 according to annual report of State Superintendent Max P. For 1930, the total was \$29,050—the high mark.

Wedding announcements or engraved—The Advocate

EXCURSION By bus from Artesia to Albuquerque and Santa Fe return \$12.15 Exceedingly low rates. Call 18 for information.

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THRIFT Thrift and get up and get, characterized the pioneers of the west. Thriftiness to them was a state of mind. To their untiring efforts and foresight we owe many comforts that we now enjoy. They were the trail blazers, laying the foundations for many of our most important community centers. These pioneers had one thought in mind... to conquer. The old timers had many qualities that the younger generations can well afford to emulate, they planned the future carefully and were prepared to meet and did meet many financial crises. History repeats itself. The younger folks can learn much from their earlier ancestors. Thrift diligent application and a bank account has proved man can conquer adverse circumstances. The same principles applied will hasten the return of normal times today. Regional Clearing House No. 3 of the New Mexico Bankers Association BEING COMPOSED OF THE FOLLOWING BANKS: FIRST NATIONAL BANK Artesia, New Mexico FIRST NATIONAL BANK Hagerman, New Mexico LEA COUNTY STATE BANK Lovington, New Mexico BANK OF COMMERCE Roswell, New Mexico FIRST NATIONAL BANK Roswell, New Mexico CARLSBAD NATIONAL BANK Carlsbad, New Mexico FIRST NATIONAL BANK Carrizozo, New Mexico



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MESCALERO INDIANS STILL BELIEVE IN WEIRD OLD CUSTOMS

The Mescalero Indians believe in witchcraft says Martha Fall writing in the El Paso Post.

John L. Mixon, missionary who works with them, says that the Indians haven't changed fundamentally in the last 2000 years.

Soon after an Oklahoma Indian woman went to visit relatives at Mescalero, a man died. The Indians concluded that she had "witched" him.

The woman thought the Indians in turn would witch her. She begged Mr. and Mrs. Mixon to protect her.

"We gave her food and locked her in a room," said Mixon. But as we took her up the steps to her room a cat came down. The woman said the Mescalero Indians had sent the cat with a spirit in it to witch her.

"The next morning she was gone. We found her in the desert, lying on roots and berries. She was running away from witching. She died from fear and exhaustion."

Mixon says he gained the confidence of Indians by not laughing at their beliefs, which to them are logical.

Some of the burial rites still practiced: When a baby dies the cradle is broken in two.

Mourners are hired after every death. Face powder is sprinkled over the body and a mirror is buried with the body.

"In the past, when twins were born, the mother killed one or both of them to hide her sin," said Mixon. "I don't know if they still believe in the superstition."

Medicine men are in demand. The chief of medicine men is David Fatty. Fatty has four sons—but two of them don't like the last name and have changed it.

Wierd, barbaric music is heard when the Indians hold the Horned Spirits dance. While dancing they believe themselves to be horned spirits.

If one Indian happens to recognize another Indian during the dance he must not admit it—for it is a sin to admit that one of the dancers is anything but a horned spirit.

In a little white church the Indians gather on Sundays to hear Mixon tell of the White God.

In the distance the tom-tom of an unorthodox dance throbs its primitive appeal. Stolidly the Indians sing hymns, listen to the sermon—then pass out of the chapel and walk toward the barbaric sounds in the distance.

Indian girls make their own dolls—and dress them in clothes the Indians wore before the white man came.

Boys like fishing, horse-back riding, baseball and swimming. Physical softness is considered a sin.

"Sometimes the day after a baby comes into the world the mother is up and working," said Mixon.

Despite the fact that many Indians own automobiles and have means to build homes, most of them prefer tepees to houses.

They say they can't keep warm in a house.

CONFERENCE ON FIVE-DAY WEEK

WASHINGTON.—Ways of increasing the use of the five-day week in industry and of spreading employment among a larger number of workmen were sought Monday at conference with cabinet members by a group of New England leaders.

Preliminary to a discussion with President Hoover recently, the New Englanders conferred with secretary Lamont at the commerce department and later with Secretary Doak at the labor department.

The chief executive, resting at his mountain retreat on the Rapidan River named for the cabinet members to act for him until his return to the capital. He has promised to meet with the delegation.

SINGING AT MAYHILL

The Sacramento Mountain Singing convention will meet at Mayhill Sunday, August 14th, to celebrate the eighteenth anniversary of the convention. General singing will be the order of the day until 10:00 a. m., then classes will enter with special songs until 12:00 m. when a basket dinner will be spread.

In the afternoon general singing will be held until 1:15 o'clock, a business session at 1:30 o'clock. The old timers program will last until 2:30 o'clock. From 2:30 to 4:00 o'clock extra special songs will be sung.

LOCALS

Bert Muney, Jr., returned home Monday from a visit with his grandparents at Elkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green spent the week-end in Portales, guests of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Stinnett.

The Rev. and Mrs. Homer Gist returned this week from a two weeks' outing in the mountains and will occupy his pulpit Sunday at the Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Carper and daughter, Miss June Carper spent from Friday until Sunday on the Ruidoso with Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Petty and family of Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joyce Finley of San Antonio, Texas are spending a couple of weeks, guests of Col. and Mrs. A. T. Woods, who are occupying the bank cabin in the Artesia Sacramento camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Wilson of Roswell spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilson. Ben Wilson, Jr., accompanied them home and is spending the week there.

Calvin Terpening, son of Mrs. Hester Terpening had the misfortune to break his arm near the elbow Monday, while playing at the farm home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Schneider.

Mrs. Effie Wingfield, president of the Rebekah Assembly returned last Wednesday from an official inspection trip of the Estancia, Albuquerque and Clovis lodges. Mrs. M. W. Evans accompanied her on the trip.

Mrs. Lester Hinrichsen of Hagerman was here Tuesday visiting her husband's mother, Mrs. F. W. Hinrichsen. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. A. L. Thompson and Miss Ethel Wamble of Hereford, Texas.

Ellis Carter of the Carter-Houston Dry Goods Co., of Plainview, Texas and James A. King, general manager of Joyce-Fruit Co., of Lubbock, Texas, spent a short time here Tuesday going over business matters.

Col. and Mrs. A. T. Woods returned Sunday from the Sacramento camp. Miss Emily Woods and Miss Ruth Scott went up to the camp Saturday and returned home with them. Misses Virginia and Mary Catherine Woods remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. W. S. French and daughter, Miss Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. French of Durant, Oklahoma and Mr. and Mrs. George Gage made the trip through the Carlsbad Cavern Monday. On Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Gage returned to their home on the Runyan ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Johnson and Mrs. C. B. Franklin of Roswell visited the J. C. Floore family Sunday afternoon. They were en route home from Carlsbad where they had been to see Mrs. Paul Bomer, who is dangerously ill, with little hopes for her recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Merchant and two children of the Merchant ranch in the Capitan mountains came down Thursday and stayed until Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Merchant. Mr. and Mrs. Merchant accompanied them home to spend a few days.

Mrs. Floyd Center and two children of Ft. Worth, Texas arrived Tuesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pearson on the Cottonwood. Miss Alma Pearson who has been visiting Mrs. Center for some time came home with her. Mrs. Oscar Pearson and Mrs. Clarence Pearson met them in Hobbs.

Bernard Pos and son, W. J. Pos, of Bryan, Texas, stopped in Artesia Friday, while on their way home after a visit to the Carlsbad Caverns. Mr. Pos will be remembered as having lived in Artesia some twenty years ago and built the house next door, now owned by Gus Hoagland.

Mrs. Albert Turner and daughter, Miss Ruth, who have been visiting at the Turner ranch near Hope for a couple of weeks, left here Thursday for Los Angeles, California, where Miss Turner has a position. Miss Peggy Turner accompanied them as far as El Paso, Texas, where she will visit until the return of her mother, who expects to visit in California for a couple of weeks.

SEN. MOON OUTLINES POSITION ON TAX EXEMPTION SALES

In response to his position on a state sales tax, the exemption granted tax payers and other issues which may come up before a special session of the state legislature, if called, Senator Z. B. Moon, outlined his position on these matters in an article written for The Advocate yesterday morning. The article:

I have had many inquiries in regard to my position upon the repeal of the soldiers' exemption, the exemption now granted to home owners and the sales tax bill, and through your paper, I desire to outline my position on the three bills.

The first two come under the same head. There is represented in these two exemptions, to-wit, the soldiers' exemption and the exemption to heads of families, something like twenty million dollars worth of property which has a revenue bearing income for tax purposes of about seven hundred thousand dollars. I am opposed to the bill which seeks to deprive the soldiers of their exemption and the heads of families of their exemption for the following reasons:

It would not at this time furnish any immediate relief because the corporations have paid ninety-three per cent of their taxes and their income is fixed by rates fixed by the corporation commission and the interstate commerce commission so that they can make a profit on their service rendered but there is no commerce commission or any other agency which can fix it so that the farmer and the cattleman and the sheepman can make a profit, and that class of tax payers have only paid fifty-four per cent of their taxes which is all that they are able to pay under the existing circumstances and to pass this bill would be to increase the delinquencies of the small tax payer and lighten the burden of the corporations.

As to the sales tax, I favor the principals of a sales tax provided that that sales tax reaches all consumers and that there are no exemptions. I would not support a sales tax in the special session of the legislature which will create more money to be spent, but I will support a sales tax that is equitably based upon the following principles:

First, that all public utilities, such as telegraph, telephone and gas companies, and common carriers such as railroads, truck lines, pipe lines and everything, pay a sales tax and that that sales tax be absorbed in the overhead of the companies just mentioned and not passed on to the consumer. The reason for my position there is that we pay the same for service today that we paid when yearlings were \$40.00 a piece and cotton was 20c a pound. They are making the same ratio of profit on the service rendered that they have made and they should absorb this sales tax on the commodities that they sell.

The second condition that I would impose would be that a special session of the legislature enact a sliding scale salary reduction on all county officials beginning with, we will say, a man who is drawing \$1,000.00 a year, reduce his salary possibly one percent. A man who is drawing \$2,000.00 a year, take something like \$500.00 off his salary. A man who is drawing \$5,000.00 a year, take about fifty per cent off his salary and these reductions will not be as heavy in comparison as the reduction of the earning powers of the farmer and the cattleman and sheepman and for the business man in New Mexico. In other words, I feel that no man should make a dollar at the expense of the state in times like these.

And another condition that I would impose before I would support a sales tax, would be that there must be a corresponding reduction in property taxes. In other words, if the sales tax brings in a million dollars, there must be a million dollar reduction in property taxes.

If all those conditions are met, I am favorable to the passage of sales tax, otherwise, I would not be favorable to it.

DEMOCRATS BOOST SELIGMAN FOR RENOMINATION

SANTA FE.—Gov. Arthur Seligman was endorsed by a meeting of administration democrats at Santa Fe Monday for renomination for governor on the democratic ticket this fall.

LOCALS

Bert Sinclair was down this week with a truck load of peaches.

Walter Amstutz left Sunday for Amarillo, Texas on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. John Muma and family moved this week to Houston, Texas.

Jimmie Keith of Goree, Texas came last Thursday and is visiting friends here this week.

Miss Margaret Newman of Carlsbad is spending a few days with Miss Berthaferal Young.

L. D. Gelwich returned Saturday from Oklahoma where he has been for the past three months.

Theo. Garrison of Dexter is spending the week visiting his sister, Mrs. Roy Pior and Mr. Pior.

Walter Jones and family have moved into the Ben Pior house on the corner of 5th and Richardson.

Andy Anderson is taking his vacation from the Palace Drug store and left yesterday for a trip east.

Mrs. Margaret Ellis and daughter, Guinevere returned yesterday from a visit with Mrs. Lawrence Wilde at Weed.

J. C. Floore went to Roswell Tuesday to spend a few days visiting with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kranz.

Mrs. R. E. Horne who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Howard Byrd has gone to Carlsbad where Mr. Horne is located while working on the Cañon road.

Mrs. Arda Raht of San Antonio, Texas came in Sunday to visit her aunt, Mrs. J. P. Lowry. Mrs. Raht has been attending summer school at Ft. Collins, Colorado.

Wm. Knorr arrived yesterday from Fort Wayne, Indiana coming for his family who have been visiting Mrs. Knorr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Brainard this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Pior and son and daughter, drove to Mineral Wells, Texas the first of the week. Mrs. Pior and daughter will remain there for about a month. Mr. Pior and son returned Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. William Duke, of Ft. Worth, came in yesterday and visited at the homes of Mrs. L. W. Feemster and Judge G. U. McCrary, en route to the Carlsbad Cavern. Mrs. Duke will be remembered as Miss Margaret Lee, daughter of Charles Lee, former superintendent of Pueblo Oil Company. The Lee family now live in San Antonio, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Wilson and daughter, Miss Beulah Mae Wilson of Shreveport, Louisiana accompanied by their daughter-in-law of Natchitoches, Louisiana have been visiting Mr. Wilson's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hollomon. Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Wilson of Carlsbad have also been here visiting this week. Mr. and Mrs. Hollomon accompanied them on trips thru the Caverns and the mountains.

ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

A road crew has been making some road repairs on highway 83, in the YO crossing section, which have added materially to the general improvement of the western route.

CHRISTMAN HERE

James Christman arrived in Artesia this morning from Allentown, Pennsylvania, coming thru in a cabin plane. Mr. Christman plans to return in a few days with his family.

MARKETS

Grass Cattle KANSAS CITY—Around 1,400 western grass cattle offered. Killing classes slow, but fully steady. Several loads common to medium western steers \$3.50-\$5.75, medium 1221-1233 weights \$5.25-\$5.75, medium 1109 lbs horned Kansas grazed Texas steers \$5.50. Most grass fat cows \$2.10-\$3.00.

New Orleans Cotton NEW ORLEANS—Spot cotton closed quiet, 10 points up; sales 14, middling 5.85.

AUGUST 15 LIMIT FOR SPECIAL SESSION OF NEW MEXICO SOLONS

Whether there will be a special session of the legislature is expected to be determined by August 15.

That date was set as the limit for the unofficial referendum of legislators, to ascertain whether they will support any part or all of the taxpayers' legislative program, by the Federation of Taxpayers association, Saturday afternoon after a committee had learned Governor Seligman's views on the question.

For the most part the taxpayers went home from Santa Fe with the feeling that a special session was likely. Ordinarily it would be a difficult matter to get the consent of a majority of each house; but, in this case, they pointed out there are a score or more of local associations scattered over the state, each made up of influential citizens in their communities, who will undertake to win the legislators over to their way of thinking.

Rupert F. Asplund, chairman of the committee sent by the federation, which was meeting in the supreme court room, to interview the governor, informed the meeting, as to the chief executive's attitude. The governor, he said, felt that only one proposal on the federation's program required a special session—that to reduce the salaries of county officials and their deputies. However, he understood the governor to say that if the consent of the majority of each house could be gotten to support all or part of the federation's program, he would summon the law-makers into session.

Rotary Assembly—

(Continued from first page)

4:00—Questions, answers, discussion.

4:15—Singing.

4:20—Rotary as a force in world understanding, Charlie Barber, others.

4:50—Questions, answers, discussion.

5:00—District Problems.

5:30—Recess.

Bridge for ladies at 3:00 and 5:30 p. m. on roof garden of Artesia hotel.

After work on Friday, cars will be available for a 30 to 45 minute drive to see irrigated sections around Artesia.

8:30—Dance on roof garden of Artesia hotel.

SECOND DAY—AUGUST 6th

8:00—Breakfast for presidents to discuss administration problems, Charlie Graham, El Paso, presiding.

Breakfast for secretaries to discuss administration problems, Claude Simpson, Roswell, presiding; Charlie Lambe, of Albuquerque talking.

9:45—The value of music in a Rotary club and demonstration, Charlie Andrews, El Paso; Harry Adams, Santa Fe.

10:00—Exemplification of model club assembly.

10:45—The Rotary Foundation.

10:55—The 1933 International convention.

11:05—Our next district conference.

11:20—The publications of R. I. and of clubs.

11:35—The international secretariat.

11:50—The governor's contact with clubs.

12:15—Questions, answers, discussion.

1:00—Farewell luncheon on roof garden of Artesia hotel. Hunter Metcalfe, Marfa, Being a Rotarian in 1932.

2:15—Adjournment.

HONEY KORN SHOP SOLD

W. E. Ragsdale has sold the Honey Korn shop, west of the Royal Cafe to B. E. Hammond. Mr. Hammond took charge of the establishment this week. He plans to continue to operate the confectionery with and melon and milk stand. A more extended announcement will be made next week.

ATTEND WATER CAMP

Six Boy Scouts of troop 29 attended the water camp at Dexter from July 27th through the 30th. Two local scouts, Osborn Keller and Tony King, won merit badges on scouting. Scouts attending were Osborn Keller, Tony King, Ernest Hannah, Harry Godell, Laurent Gorden and Dick Burnett.

ROTARY HAS 100 PERCENT

The Artesia Rotary club had a 100 per cent attendance at the luncheon Tuesday. The luncheon program consisted of discussing the coming district assembly program. Phil Baker of Sweetwater, Texas and Dr. O. E. Puckett of Carlsbad were the only visitors.

Calling Cards, 100 for \$1.75, on best grade paneled or plain stock. —The Advocate.



A. O. BOWDEN of Silver City, District Governor 42nd District, Rotary International

GIRL SCOUT CAMP IN THE SACRAMENTOS OPENED SUNDAY

The Girl Scout camp in Bear Canyon in the Sacramento mountains opened Sunday with some eighty scouts from Illinois, Idaho, California, Oklahoma as well as Texas and New Mexico attending. Girls from the Artesia troop, Misses Jean Wheatley, Avis Cloop, Helen Meredith Gates and Lela Bess Mann had planned to attend the first period, but they received word from the camp director, Miss Mary White of Roswell, that the camp would not be able to accommodate them until the last period. The attendance at camp is the largest in history. Eighteen experienced staff members have been at Camp Mary White the past week making preparation for this wonderful outing.

Camp Mary White, which is one of the nicest and largest Girl Scout camps in the United States is situated in one of the most picturesque parts of the mountains, near the Elza White summer home, Mr. White having donated the land for the camp site, and in whose daughter's honor the camp is named.

The camp is built on the rustic design, having a large recreation hall and hospital, with the homes of the girls during their stay, erected on the English style of Girl Scouting. The kitchens are large out of door fireplaces.

The camp staff has been carefully selected by Miss White and represent Girl Scout camping to the far ends of the United States. Girl Scouts who attend this camp are indeed fortunate for the many advantages they receive as well as the fun they have during the session. The camp is run on what is known as the unit system, which means that the scouts are divided into groups according to age and experience. Each group living in a separate unit, arranging its own program and cooking its own meals. The whole atmosphere of the western country is being carried out in the camp. Each unit is known as a ranch, having a ranch boss, who directs the activities of the group.

Miss Mary White, known as the "foreman" McCullough of Roswell, commissioner and business manager of Camp Mary White, is in charge of the "highways" cause of the fact that the people of their many titles are "swangler," horsemanship counselor, "Forder" for the swim instructor; "caller" for the or in charge of the folk "fence rider" for the and many others.

In addition to the previous courses a general course for the leaders conducted during the period July 31st to August 10th, Girl Scout leaders registering the second period, August 28th, two courses will be conducted, a troop program experienced leaders and director's course for professional Girl Scout leaders interested in themselves for this popular profession. Mrs. Roos and Miss Alice Green from New York and Mrs. the Girl Scout national conducting these courses. Alice Mulkey, of Amarillo, Roswell director, and the national field staff, in the camp assisting in ship training.

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