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BIRD STRUTS STUFF TO WIN THE VALLEY GOLF TOURNAMENT

In the annual Pecos valley golf tournament, which came to a close at Carlsbad Monday, T. C. Bird of Artesia defeated Ed Amone of Roswell by a score of 151 to 153. Both players showed brilliant form in the championship flight. The runner up in this flight was tied between Mr. Amone and Claud Ferris of Carlsbad and was scheduled to be played off later. In the second flight Max Rody of Carlsbad took first with 169 and Robert Marquess with a score of 171. In the third flight Charles Mills and C. R. Nichols, both of Carlsbad tied with a score of 192. In winning the championship flight, Mr. Bird shot below par.

Players attended the tourney from Artesia, Roswell and Carlsbad.

CARLSBAD STORE IS ROBBED OF \$2,573.09 MONDAY MORNING

Robbers Enter The Joyce-Fruit Store And Knock Knob From The Office Vault—Loot Mostly In Checks.

The second major robbery to occur at Carlsbad in recent weeks was reported Monday by the officials of Joyce-Fruit Co. Sometime after 3:00 o'clock Monday morning burglars entered the front door of the store and knocked the knob off the office vault. Entrance was made into the store by unscrewing the lock on the front door and then sliding the door to the vault. Approximately \$2,573.09 in negotiable securities was taken. Most of the amount taken was in checks, a report reaching here stated.

The robbery was discovered by F. C. Hart, employe of the grocery department Monday afternoon. Nothing else in the store was molested and evidence points to the fact that the robbery was the work of professional yeggs. F. C. Montgomery, manager was out of town when the robbery occurred and could not be reached for a statement Monday. It was understood that the loss was fully covered by insurance.

DR. PUCKETT AT CENTRAL SCHOOL

Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health officer will be at the Central school each Tuesday during the fall season. Next Tuesday Dr. Puckett expects to inoculate several pupils against diphtheria. Dr. Puckett states that he will also administer toxoid to pupils under school age, where parents seek this protection. Dr. Puckett has requested The Advocate to make this announcement in as much as he has had a number of inquiries from north Eddy county in recent weeks.

REVISED FIGURES ON EDDY REGISTRATION GIVES TOTAL OF 6,342

The total registration in Eddy county is given as 6,342 with the tabulation of all precincts completed. There was an error in the totals with three boxes estimated in last week's Advocate.

The registration by boxes is as follows:

Queen	32
Lakewood	100
Carlsbad	2,682
Otis	306
Hope	380
Malaga	324
Artesia	1,669
Cottonwood	294
Dayton	158
Loving	397
Total	6,342

GAGE BUYS LAMBS

Howell Gage yesterday consummated the purchase of 2,300 lambs bought from Kenneth Oil-liver, receiver for the South Springs Cattle Co. Mr. Gage plans to leave the lambs at the South Springs ranch for the present.

Cotton Yield Up On Forecast

FARMERS AGREE ON PRICE OF 40 CENTS FOR COTTON PICKING

Cotton growers of this section in a second meeting Monday evening at the City Park, agreed on a price of forty cents per hundred pounds to start the cotton picking season this year. The matter of fixing a picking price was deferred at the first meeting held in the Artesia hotel lobby Saturday afternoon, due to the fact that a representative turn out of farmers was not secured. It was the opinion of some farmers attending the meeting that a 45 to 50 cent price should be fixed for the picking season, but the majority of farmers felt that it would be wise to set a price of forty cents per hundred owing to the uncertainty of the market and increase the picking price as the market advanced, if an advance occurs. The tentative scale agreed on was a five cent advance in the picking price for every 100 points advance in the cotton market. The picking price of forty cents is based on eight cent cotton.

The farmers attending the meeting at the City Park agreed that an occasional meeting would be wise in the event of a radical change in the market outlook. They also agreed to notify their ginners in case of an advance in the picking price. The ginners will be asked to keep posted on the picking price and pass the information on to any farmer.

SIX NEW TEACHERS ON PUBLIC SCHOOL FACULTY THIS YEAR

Enrollment of the Artesia public schools reached 898 Tuesday afternoon, Superintendent W. E. Kerr announced yesterday morning. The number enrolled is about twenty-two short of the corresponding period of last year, but may be on par with last year's record at the end of the week.

Six new teachers are among the faculty members in the schools this year. They are: Charlotte Klyng, home economics and general science; Lucile Forsyth, commercial; Bertha Richards, fourth; Virginia Puckett, first; Alma Thompson, music.

The complete faculty is as follows:

HIGH SCHOOL
W. E. Kerr, superintendent; T. C. Bird, principal and science; J. Clark Bruce, social science; Myrtle Burrows, mathematics; James L. Allen, manual training and athletics; Edna Drury, Spanish and Latin; LaVon Brown, English and library; Katherine Peterson, English and history; Charlotte Klyng, home economics and general science; Lucile Forsyth, commercial.

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
Linna McCaw, principal and mathematics; Mrs. Leone O. French, English; Eugene Mansfield, hygiene and geography; Lucile Rowley, history; Anna May James, reading.

CENTRAL SCHOOL
Lucille Morris, acting principal and fifth; Amy Williams, fifth; Beulah Strang, fourth; Bertha Richards, fourth; Nellie Hamann, third; Mary Woods, third; Elsie Palmer, second; Jean McDon-ald, second; Merrill Bradley, first; Kathleen Newman, first; Virginia Puckett, first.

HAMILTON WELL PLUGGED
Another abandoned well has been successfully plugged on the Hamilton farm west of Lake Arthur. The crew of Myron Bruning had considerable difficulty in getting into the hole. Among other things found in the hole was a lost bail-found in the hole was removed the er. After this work was soon plugging operations were finished. The rig of Mr. Bruning has been moved to the D. S. In place on an abandoned well on the Martin farm. The Hamilton well was the fourth one plugged by Mr. Bruning in the Cotton-wood and Lake Arthur area.

The Government Forecast Is 4,000 Bales Higher Than Month Ago—The Market Drops About 100 Points.

The cotton market dropped approximately 100 points this morning on the government forecast released at 10:00 o'clock. This morning's estimate was 11,310,000 bales, representing an increase of 4,000 bales over the forecast of a month ago, when an estimated production of 11,306,000 bales was given. The cotton condition given in today's report was 56.6 and the September ginnings were given as 865,232 bales.

The New York October market opened this morning at 9.10c and closed just before the report was issued at 9.25c. The October market reopened after the report at 8.15c. The December market opened at 8:21-25c.

The present forecast, even though it gained over the August report is lowest since 1923 when an actual yield of 10,140,000 bales was harvested. The crop of 1921 with an actual yield of 7,954,000 bales was the smallest crop harvested in thirteen years. The yields showed a gradual increase to 1926 when a crop of 17,977,960 bales was harvested. Last year's yield almost equalled the 1926 figure with 17,092,772 bales gathered.

COTTON PICKING MEETING CALLED

The Artesia Cotton Picking Association has called another meeting for Friday evening at 7:30 at the City Park for the purpose of discussing wages for pickers and to secure a uniform price for picking. Representatives of the association say that it is the desire of the organization to secure an equitable wage scale where both the picker and the farmer can live. It is hoped that a large attendance can be secured.

BIDS ON 16 MILES OF HIWAY OILING CALLED

DENVER, Colorado — Contract for oiling 16 miles of the Hondo-Mescalero project on the El Paso highway west of Roswell, N. M., went yesterday to Heafey-Moore Company of Oakland, California, on a bid of \$67,765.80 opened by the U. S. Bureau of public roads.

LEGION TO ELECT OFFICERS

H. W. Clady, post adjutant of the Clarence Kepple post American Legion of Artesia calls attention of ex-service men to the regular meeting of the post which will occur at the City Park, Wednesday, September 14th. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected. All members invited to attend.

SCATTERING RAINS FALL OVER EASTERN SLOPE THIS WEEK

Threatening weather continues today as we go to press. A slow mist fell for about an hour this morning bringing the total precipitation for the storm period to approximately half an inch. Should the moisture continue it will bring the leaf and boll worm into the cotton field. Farmers generally do not anticipate a late growing season for cotton such as was experienced here last fall.

Old timers are predicting an early winter season this year. Present indications point to the fact that we may experience a rather severe winter also. Spotted showers continue this week with cooler weather. Tuesday noon a slow rain began to fall and continued at intervals for more than an hour. The precipitation at this time measured .33 inches or almost a third of an inch. Tuesday's rain however, covered only a small strip of territory, extending north to the county line and one a few miles below town. Light showers fell over the range east of the river and threatening weather continued yesterday.

With the moisture now in evidence, fall grass is practically assured. The timely rains are expected to cut the feed bill of both the cattle and sheep man this winter. The rains however, have held up the beginning of cotton picking.

DILLON TO BE G. O. P. CANDIDATE IF PARTY WANTS HIM

Former Governor Richard C. Dillon of Encino will be a candidate for the republican nomination for governor of New Mexico, according to the Roswell Dispatch of Monday.

Governor Dillon served two terms, four years, as governor of New Mexico, having the distinction of being the only New Mexico governor since statehood who has occupied the executive mansion a second term.

In a letter to Dr. A. L. Dillon of Clovis, chairman of the Curry county republican central committee, the former governor said: "A good many people have been to see me and after considerable thought and conversation, I have decided to leave it up to the convention should they choose to select me as a candidate for governor," his letter read.

Four men are now being prominently mentioned in New Mexico in connection with the republican nomination for governor, Prager and Jaffa Miller of Roswell, brothers, United States District Attorney Hugh Woodward and Richard C. Dillon.

It was during the term of office of R. C. Dillon as governor of New Mexico that A. A. Jones of Las Vegas, democrat, and senior senator from New Mexico, died and Bronson Cutting was appointed by Governor Dillon to fill the Jones unexpired term in the United States senate.

MANY FAMILIES ARE GIVEN WELFARE AID BY LOCAL PEOPLE

Fred Brainard, who has served as supervisor of the welfare relief work, submits an interesting report this week. The welfare work covers all of 1931 and up to the present time. In 1931 the greatest number of families aided occurred during the month of August when sixty-six families were given relief. The next highest month was December with sixty-four families aided. An average of thirty-four families per month were given aid during 1931. The number of transients given relief in 1931 were 164.

The present year has been the hardest one thus far. In February of this year 151 families called on the welfare committee for funds. Funds began to run short in May and June of this year and numerous requests for aid were turned down, although in the first nine months of the present year an average of seventy-two families were aided. In the same period 425 transients were given aid. No funds will be given families where members of the families are able bodied until after the cotton picking season has ended.

Mr. Brainard submits an estimate of the number of families to be aided from now until the close of the year. These estimates by months are:

September	25
October	40
November	50
December	150

There was no expense attached to administering relief work this year. Expenses by months ran as follows:

January	\$ 405.08
February	430.94
March	322.00
April	184.18
May	51.45
June	132.57
July	47.98
August	49.65
Balance on hand Sept. 1.	120.21

The following receipts were received by the welfare committee:

City funds	\$ 225.00
Private funds	1,139.06
County funds	300.00
None	none
State funds	40.00
National agencies	40.00
Other funds	40.00
Total	\$1,744.06

Miss Elizabeth Sievers came in yesterday from San Francisco, California to visit her sister, Mrs. Tom Hefflin.

INTER-CITY ROTARY MEET TO BE HELD CARLSBAD CAVERNS

Plans are underway for an inter-city meeting between the Rotary clubs of Roswell, Carlsbad and Artesia, in the Carlsbad Caverns soon, C. J. Dexter, president of the Artesia Rotary club announced here this week. About fifteen representatives of the Rotary clubs of the three cities met at the Artesia hotel Thursday evening and started preliminaries for the meeting which will probably occur the first week in December. The valley clubs have wired an invitation to Clinton P. Anderson, international president with headquarters at Albuquerque and as soon as Mr. Anderson can be heard from the date will be definitely set.

Ross Malone of Roswell is chairman of the arrangements. The presidents of the three clubs compose the committee which will arrange the details of the meeting.

FIRST BALES IN TWO COMMUNITIES GO IN ON THE SAME DATE

First Bale Ginned Here Brings Nine Cents A Pound—Ten Bales Are Ginned In This Trade Area To Date.

The first bale of cotton ginned in the Artesia trade territory was brought in Friday by W. T. Haldeman. The cotton was grown on the Haldeman farm east of town and ginned Friday afternoon by the Alfalfa Association gin. The bale of seed cotton weighed 1,290 pounds and from this amount a turn out of 460 pounds was ginned, which was better than a thirty-five per cent lint.

The bale was placed on Main street after being ginned. The first bale of Mr. Haldeman's was sold to the highest bidder Monday and was purchased by A. P. Mahone of the Dr. Pepper Co., at a price of nine cents per pound. The bale was ginned free of charge, which together with the premium paid by Mr. Mahone made a substantial prize for the first bale.

Continued wet weather has interfered with the start of the picking operations. Two or three gins half now be running at least half time with fair weather. Seven bales had been ginned by the association gin here yesterday afternoon.

Cottonwood's First Bale

The first bale to be ginned by the Cottonwood Gin Co., was grown by Van Bartlett on the Winan's farm just west of Hagerman. The bale was brought in Friday by Mr. Bartlett and ginned Tuesday. B. Bernal living on the A. D. Hill farm on the Cottonwood was close behind Mr. Bartlett with two bales. Of the three bales ginned up to date at Cottonwood, a turn out of thirty-five per cent has been secured.

DEMOCRATS TO SET CONVENTION DATE IN SANTA FE TODAY

Preconvention committee meeting conversation was at a premium last night at Santa Fe as members of the democratic state central committee gathered for a meeting today.

None of the party leaders who arrived on the scene ahead of time were prepared to state what they thought might develop at the meeting which is being held, M. L. Barker, state chairman said, to select the time and place of the state convention and the apportionment of delegates.

Comment on possible candidates for governor and other state offices seemed to have been relegated to the back corners and no one would indicate on what date the convention would be held. It has been rumored that the convention probably will not be held until after the republicans meet in Albuquerque September 22, but this was not a certainty.

Last night the executive committee of the state league of young democrats met in executive session to discuss plans to be presented to the state capitol committee today.

Santa Fe Seeks Rate Reduction On Cotton

Makes Application To Cut Freight Rate On Cotton 17 Cents A Hundred—Growers Here Hopeful Of Cut.

The Santa Fe railroad has made application with the inter-state commerce commission to reduce the freight rates on cotton shipments from the valley to gulf ports, it was announced Saturday. The Santa Fe seeks to reduce the freight rate seven cents, from ninety-five cents, the present rate to seventy-eight cents. The proposed reduction is to apply on short notice and will be effective from all Pecos valley points on car load lots. Many cotton growers are certain the reduction will be made. The new rate will save the farmers of this trade area approximately \$11,000. Five cents of the reduction will be absorbed by the Roswell compress and twelve cents will be absorbed by the Santa Fe, since the present rate includes the compress charge.

Announcement of the application for reduction of freight rates over the Santa Fe followed closely the reduction announced at El Paso last week. El Paso growers will also get a seventy-eight cent rate. The lower freight rate which will apply at El Paso is largely through the efforts of W. R. Squires, manager of the Southwestern Irrigated Cotton Growers Association. Mr. Squires had arranged to ship the El Paso project cotton through Old Mexico to a seaport town and save approximately the same freight charges as by rail from El Paso under the new rate.

Fred Brainard, manager of the Chamber of Commerce is investigating the possibilities of hauling cotton from here to Lovington and shipping from that point. Trunkers have agreed to haul the cotton from here at 15 cents per hundred it is understood. Mr. Brainard had not been able to obtain the rate from Lovington at the last report, but in the event it is low enough, some sort of arrangement may be worked out to haul cotton to the Lea county seat in the event the Santa Fe reduction is not made.

STATE TO RECEIVE \$44,290.66 UNDER THE FEDERAL LEASE ACT

New Mexico under the federal mineral leasing land act will receive \$44,290.66. Warren R. Graham, state treasurer, said recently last year the state received \$61,278.27.

The money is derived from mineral leases administered by the federal government, Graham said, and will be divided between the state School of Mines and the state rural aid school fund.

The state School of Mines will receive \$15,000 and the rural aid school fund the balance under a division of the fund made by the last state legislature.

EDDY COMMITTEE NAMED

Selection of the 31 county emergency employment committees has been completed by Gov. Arthur Seligman's state emergency employment commission, Ralph E. Davy, state labor commissioner and secretary of the employment commission said Tuesday.

Eddy county's committee is composed of C. R. Vandagriff of Artesia, Mrs. Joe Wertheim and Victor Minter, Carlsbad. Mr. Vandagriff is chairman of this committee and will look after the unemployment in north Eddy county.

DRAINS CRANK CASE

The meanest trick of the week is reported by N. M. Baird, agent for the Pueblo Oil Co. Monday night someone drained the crank case of the company's new Chevrolet and left the plug out. Tuesday morning Mr. Baird started to the oil field and got as far as the Oasis when the bearings were burned out.

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WE HAVE AVERAGE INTELLIGENCE

Residents of larger centers, who have occupied a rather influential position at some period in life, often err in their judgment of people living in the smaller towns and the rural communities. Underestimating the intelligence of the people of smaller communities is not a fault confined to those from larger population centers, but is often committed by those who have an exalted opinion of their own importance.

In the more than nine years the writer has been connected with The Advocate, he has witnessed some amusing experiences originating from an overworked ego. In a few instances, strangers seeking to impress the natives with their importance have been disappointed because the newspaper did not see fit to herald their arrival with a streamer headline. In an occasional instance they have assumed that nonchalant attitude and rearing back with the thumb in the vest so to speak and have looked the part. "Now that I am here, just what concessions does your community propose to make if I should stay?"

Shortly after the arrival of the writer in Artesia, a so-called oil operator, who was seeking to promote development on a shoe string, took us for a ride, over his holding west of the river. His idea was that the Chamber of Commerce should finance his wild-cattling adventure. Outside of the finances he thought he ought to get from the Chamber of Commerce and the publicity from The Advocate, he was not interested in either organization. Incidentally the oil he hoped to get is evidently still in the earthen storage. At least we have not seen any of it.

Another man who blew into town a few years later had a pet project he wanted the progressive citizens to put over at a cost of \$2,500.00. The town might have been able to draw one per cent a year on the investment, but we doubt it. He was also disappointed because his name did not appear in black type every time he turned around.

Another former resident thought he was doing the community a big service in running a business here. His services were so valuable he reasoned that when he was arrested for bootlegging he pointed to his connection and demanded and got a suspended sentence.

The older we grow the more we are impressed with the apparent lack of public spirit on the part of a number of citizens, who never take a hand in any community enterprise except those which promises to bring individual profits.

EXCESSIVE TAXATION

"We have demanded a lot of service from our government, which we can no longer afford. We have allowed, and indeed encouraged the politician to reward political services to himself personally, and to the party generally, by a place on the public payroll and we have done this largely because we have been told, and believed, that somebody else, and not ourselves, is paying our tax bills for us. Don't let us 'kid' ourselves any longer with this delusion—the only people who don't pay taxes are dead ones."—Benjamin Rush, President, Insurance Company of North America.

And here's a tip for the students who are going away to college. The commercial world has little use for the student who spends so much on his college education that he feels obligated to start at the top when he finally graduates and seeks a place in business. The business world is pretty well overloaded with vice-presidents and executives. It has not been many months ago since the Chase National Bank of New York cut the number of vice-presidents from seventy-five to six and the bank is functioning just the same.

A cotton pickers union is the latest wrinkle to make its appearance in the valley according to reports. There are unions and more unions and one side arraigned against the other. There is a bunch of tom cats in our neighborhood and we would not be surprised to hear of the tom cats forming a union since they have already had a number of reunions.

Looks like the New Mexico Dental Board has the dental profession "sorter sewed up," in New Mexico. Recently it has been revealed that the board meets when it feels so inclined, which is a good way to keep the number of practicing dentists to the minimum, since to practice dentistry in the state, an applicant must pass the board examination.

An Artesia minister speaking to the students Sunday said, "In order to do something you must be something." And we might add the matter of "being something" involves the application of a lot of common sense principles, which are much easier acquired during youth.

Laugh uproariously at least three times a day, says a French physician if you want to stand up against hard times. That's good advice, of course, but we never were strong for laughing when we didn't have anything to laugh at. Besides people always get suspicious of you when they note you laughing at nothing.—Exchange.

It's funny that these candidates who are out trying to save our country and homes never did anything about it until they wanted an office. Maybe that's one reason why the average voter does not take the politicians seriously.

About ninety-seven per cent of those who enter business fail eventually according to statistics, but still we have those with us who think they can get rich cutting prices.

"We are suffering today from the limitations of human nature. The remedy lies within man himself."—L. D. Gammans in the September Rotarian magazine.

Full fledge prosperity will soon be here if the candidates can fulfill one-tenth of what has been promised.

PICKED UP ON MAIN

Here's a good one that has been the rounds and we finally swiped it.

To the preacher life's a sermon.
To the joker it's a jest;
To the miser life is money,
To the loafer life is rest.
To the lawyer life's a trial,
To the poet life's a song;
To the doctor life's a patient
That needs treatment all along.
To the soldier life's a battle,
To the teacher life's a school;
Life's a good thing to the grafter,
It's a failure to the fool.
To the man upon the engine
Life's a long and heavy grade;
It's a gamble to the gambler,
To the merchant life is trade.
Life's a picture to the artist,
To the rascal life's a fraud;
Life perhaps is but a burden
To the man beneath the hod.
Life is lovely to the lover,
To the player life's a play;
Life may be a load of trouble
To the man upon the dray.
Life is but a long vacation
To the man who loves his work;
Life's an everlasting effort
To shun duty, to shirk.
To the earnest Christian worker
Life's a story, ever new;
Life is what we try to make it—
Brother, what is life to you?

This week's best newspaper headline, "Farmer's to Reelect Hoover."

You fellows who are borrowing your neighbor's Advocate will just have to handle it more carefully if you expect it to go the rounds. When the depression is fully over and we get a few more of you who admit you ought to be on the subscription list, then we'll order better paper so that you can send it back to kin folks in Arkansas.

We heard of a fellow who wanted to get even with himself for making some bad investments, so he married his mother-in-law.

Women used to sing at their work but you can't do much singing with a cigarette between the lips.

Girls used to take a big Saratoga trunk filled with clothes when they went visiting but now all they take is a change of garters.

STRANGE STORY OF HUGE METEORITE

E. A. Wilkerson, and Jim Wheeler returned to Hagerman Sunday with a weird story of a large meteorite which fell in Lake McMillan about 12:30 Sunday morning.

The two Hagerman men were fishing on the east side of the lake, when the ball of fire appeared in the heavens, traveling rapidly in an arc. They thought for a moment that the meteorite would fall upon them, but it fell approximately two miles north in the shallow portion of the lake. The men say that the country became light as day, and the houses in Lakewood stood out in clear relief. The meteorite fell directly between them and the Dayton refinery, throwing a huge spray of water into the air. Then, they heard a hissing, rumbling, crackling noise which reverberated along the bluffs.

Wilkerson and Wheeler maintain that the light from the falling body was brilliant for perhaps thirty seconds.

Meteorites striking the surface of the earth are very rare. They consist in the first place of fragments of metal and stone, attracted by the earth's gravity, and are usually about five hundred miles high, when they first become visible. The friction of the air causes them to burn, and most of them are entirely consumed before they strike the ground.—Hagerman Messenger.

Several Artesia parties were also on the lake at this time, however they were on the west side of the lake and were unable to tell exactly where it fell.

GOVERNOR WONT HELP SON

Governor Arthur Seligman of New Mexico said in El Paso Saturday that his son, Otis, who was indicted Friday in connection with an alleged shortage of \$72,694 from the First National Bank of Santa Fe, will have "to take his medicine."

"I don't plan to help him in any way," said Governor Seligman. "I wouldn't help him any more than I would the other nine former bank employees who were indicted with him."

Of the shortage, \$25,941 was reported by an auditing committee to be in the accounts of Otis Seligman. This sum was made good by the governor.

Governor Seligman is president of the bank. His son was the cashier.

Governor Seligman came to El Paso in an attempt to drive across the state of New Mexico from Colorado to Texas from dawn to dusk. He failed to do it because of an auto breakdown.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

George and the South Seas

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

GEORGE ABBOTT was a very much engaged young man. His fiancée, pretty Sarah Makepeace, had her own loving ways of occupying his evenings and his office hours were frequently punctuated by telephone calls arranging to meet him for lunch or downtown after work on this errand and that. And because George really loved her and knew in advance what a capable, thrifty little wife she was some day going to be to him, he never thought of protesting that her apron strings were a bit fraying.

Never, that is, until that memorable night when they real alone to one another a fascinating story of the ever alluring South seas.

When George had kissed Sarah good night three times, he turned slowly homewards. Thoughtfully, too. For the first time it struck him that there were distant lands to be seen.

He neither was free to go, nor had the money, as far as that went. Both he and Sarah, who gave music lessons in between being engaged to him, were saving every possible cent towards a nest egg on which to marry.

When George reached his home, he found slipped under his door a white envelope addressed to himself in handwriting only faintly familiar. Curiously, he opened it and read the letter that was enclosed.

"My dear nephew"—so read the letter—

"I'm not dead yet nor thinking of dying. But I'm playing the dead aunt to my heirs. That is, I'm giving away now what you'd probably get later, each one of you. Please spend it to gratify some secret wish."

Attached to the inner sheet by a wire clip was a folded check for \$2,000.

It was significant that George did not at once telephone the good news. In a way, it made their marriage an immediate possibility and surely one would expect an engaged young man's secret desire would lie in that direction.

On the contrary, several days went by and still George said nothing to Sarah of the windfall. If he appeared distraught the very next time he saw her, she gave no outward sign of noticing the fact.

To tell the truth, George was an enigma to himself. Here for months he had been longing to marry Sarah and now, at the instance of a silly yarn dealing largely with beating surf and honey-colored moons and dusky maidens, he was yearning to take a little trip all by himself and postpone settling down for a year or two. His unexpected legacy seemed to render legitimate this desire, yet how could he explain to Sarah?

The obvious thing to do would be to get married and then, if he must blow the money in such a way, make the journey in Sarah's company. He loved Sarah, he was insanely jealous if Sarah looked sidewise at anyone else, and yet—how he wanted this last mad fling of irresponsible youth all by himself!

Suddenly he made up his mind to get it over with. He opened his mouth, shut it, cleared his throat and was about to speak when Sarah, laying down her work, leaned forward and regarded him. "George," she said solemnly, "I've something to tell you. It's hard to say, but—well, I've changed my mind about settling down. I'd like to go somewhere, do something, see somebody—"

"See somebody—" echoed George, feeling as if the bottom of things were falling out.

"Yes," nodded Sarah, and into her eyes came a faraway ecstatic expression. "Sometimes I dream of distant lands where the off-shore surf beats on the coral reefs, where honey-colored moons rise out of a velvet ocean, and strong, bronzed men in spotless suits, white helmets and Victoria crosses on their chests—"

"Sarah!" by this time George had risen. Then, with an effort to swallow his indignation, "Just how would you do all this?" he asked.

"Well," said Sarah, "I've nearly a thousand dollars I was saving to wards the house and—"

"And you'd use that!"

"Perhaps when I came back" said Sarah gently, "I'd not mind marrying you. But first—oh, I want one last fling!" Rising, she threw her slender arms towards the ceiling.

Then she found herself seized and her arms falling, fell on George's shoulder.

"Sarah," he was saying sternly "Enough of this nonsense! I've just been left \$2,000 by an aunt who isn't dead yet and we are going to be married at once. Tell me you do love me!"

So Sarah told him she did love him. What she did not tell him was that any girl knows when her lover has something on his mind and intuition plus some guesswork will soon help her discover what it is.

Three weeks later, George's aunt received a letter.

"Dear Aunt: "Your welcome gift made possible a trip to Niagara falls, a lovely little blue runabout, and first payment on a five-room bungalow." (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.) (WNU Service.)

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

MAYOR WALKER RESIGNS

NEW YORK.—Mayor James J. Walker resigned Thursday and simultaneously announced he was submitting his case to "the people who made me mayor, of the city of New York."

Declaring the question had reached this stage: "Shall I permit myself to be lynched to satisfy prejudice or political ambitions," the mayor sent a single sentence resignation to City Clerk Michael J. Cruise.

"I hereby resign as mayor of the city of New York, the said resignation to take effect immediately," the letter said.

This action by the mayor came after fourteen months of legislative investigation which reached its climax at a hearing in Albany before Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt, who was considering charges preferred by Samuel Seabury, counsel of the Haofstadter legislative committee. The sessions before the governor had been scheduled for re-suspension Friday.

With the letter of resignation was made public over his signature a 1,700-word formal statement in which he indicated, but did not definitely state that he might seek vindication at the polls. Political leaders considered it certain, however, Walker would run again.

After characterizing the hearing before Governor Roosevelt as "a travesty, a mock trial, a proceeding in comparison to which even the practice of a drum-head court martial seemed liberal," Mayor Walker concluded:

"Why then continue before him when there is another forum open to me? To that forum, the people of the city of New York, I leave my

case in the spirit of true democracy conscious of the recititude of my official acts and with a faith in the fair judgment of my fellow citizens.

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LOCALS

Mrs. M. C. Lee of Lakewood was shopping in town Saturday.

Fred Spencer of El Paso, Texas spent Saturday and Sunday in Artesia.

Judge J. W. Dauron of Lakewood was visiting friends here Saturday.

Curtis Hill, Roswell attorney was attending to business matters here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Archer and Mrs. Alta Linell are visiting in southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson and children spent Sunday at the Artesia Sacramento camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walker and children returned from a short visit in Albuquerque.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Speck and son, Ed, spent from Saturday until Monday in El Paso, Texas.

Fred Spencer of El Paso, Texas spent the week-end here looking after business interests and visiting friends.

Mrs. R. E. Griggs of Kirksville, Missouri came Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sangster.

Mrs. Stanley Blocker, Miss Harrison and R. J. Kirkpatrick of Dallas, Texas made a trip thru the Caverns Friday.

Noble Littlejohn of Kilgore, Texas spent Saturday here visiting friends, en route to Roswell to enter the Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Metz Heald of Abilene, Texas, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Flint went thru the Carlsbad Caverns Friday.

Mrs. W. S. Williams and son, Woodrow, came in from the ranch near Caprock, Saturday after spending the summer there.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bach and children spent the week in Pampa, Texas with Mrs. Bach's sister, Mrs. Harry Wilson and family.

C. R. Bernard, superintendent of the Lake Arthur schools, suffered an attack of ptomaine poison the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Emmert of La Place, Illinois and Miss Dawn Hornbaker made a trip thru the Carlsbad Cavern Saturday.

Miss Wilma Robinson left Monday for a month's visit with her grandmothers, Mrs. G. L. Gray and Mrs. Lucy Robinson of New Bloomfield, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Arnold and little daughter, Janet, of Roswell spent the week-end here visiting Mrs. Arnold's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Rowan.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bildstone spent the week-end in Las Vegas, visiting with Mrs. Bildstone's mother and brother, of Denver, who met them there.

T. J. Donahue formerly of Meadow, Texas will manage the Lake Arthur gin this year. Mr. Donahue recently moved his family over from Meadow.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglas, Misses Mary McCaw, Mollie King and Elva and Wren Barker, spent the week-end and Monday above Weed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Moots and family of Chicago arrived last week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Moots and family of Lake Arthur.

Jim Jackson came down from his ranch near Mayhill last Friday and was accompanied home by his aunt, Miss Cora Rogers, who will spend a couple of weeks there.

Clarence Smith returned Saturday from Topeka, Kansas where he has been a patient in a hospital for the last two months. He also visited his mother at Richland, Kansas.

Mrs. M. I. Palmer and daughters, Misses Gladys and Neva, Mrs. Pete Louissena and daughter of Roswell spent Thursday here visiting, Mrs. Luvena Beck and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hornbaker and children and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Emmert of La Place, Illinois went to Roswell Sunday evening to hear the Girl Evangelist, Miss Ora Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Vines of Los Angeles, California arrived here Friday for a visit with Mrs. Vines' brother, H. W. Ross and family, living north of town. The visitors plan to spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Ross and family of Lakewood. Mr. Vines who is stationed at Los Angeles is a messenger mail carrier on the Southern Pacific.

Great Things Hoped of Exploration in Mexico

Egyptology carries its devotees back to a profound antiquity in comparison with which all the remains of Mexico seem almost modern. But Egyptian history is known and written, while not only the history but also the ethnology of early Mexico remain mysteries. For example, the Quiche of Guatemala and the Maya of Yucatan, whose great temples and cities may appear similar to the uninitiated, were in reality distinct peoples, and they both had languages which seem wholly unrelated to the language of the Aztecs of Mexico. It is not wide of the mark to assert that "Mexicology" if such a word may be coined, is still in its infancy despite the remarkable discoveries and erudite studies of the savants. The gold-greedy Spanish conquerors were ever searching for El Dorado, the city of gold. There were plenty of Aztec legends of such a city, but the rapacious explorers seldom found anything more golden than the mud pueblos of the Zuni and Hopi in the desert north, or the crumbling and ungolden ruins in the jungles of the south.

"Ghastly" Joke Enjoyed by Renowned Scientist

Steinmetz was usually very chivalrous and respectful toward women, but there was one trick he delighted in playing on them, wrote Jonathan Norton Leonard in "Loki, the Life of Steinmetz." He had part of his establishment lighted with the same mercury vapor lamps which made things hideous in the conservatory. Near a doorway he placed a full-length mirror. When any girl came to the house whom Steinmetz suspected of being proud of her looks, he would carefully maneuver her to the doorway and turn on the mercury lamps. The expression on the girl's face never failed to delight him. Reflected in the mirror, she would see herself with ghastly green skin and dark purple lips—rather as if she'd been dead for two weeks. Steinmetz said this proved everything was relative.

Words in Languages

Probably the languages considered the most expressive are those that contain the most words in actual use. An article by Dr. Frank Vizetelly in the World Almanac states that the reputable English language contains about 700,000 words, nearly half of which are words of scientific terminology or obsolete and archaic words. Unabridged English dictionaries contain from 400,000 to 500,000 words. The German word-book, according to Doctor Vizetelly, contains about 300,000 words and Grimm's German dictionary 150,000 words; Littré's French dictionary, 210,000 words; Petrocchi's Italian dictionary; 140,000 words; Dahl's Russian dictionary, 140,000 words; Carlos de Ochoa's Spanish dictionary, 120,000 words.

"Care" for Seasickness

Of old writers, one of the pleasantest is Fynes Morison, who traveled over Europe at the end of the sixteenth century, and has much to say about seasickness: "Let him often eat Pomegranates Quinces, Corianders prepared, and such meats as are sharpe, and comfort the stomack, and let him drink strong Wines, and sometimes hot Waters, but sparingly, and let him dip a piece of bisket in his Wine And to restrain the extremity of vomiting, till he be somewhat used to the Sea, let him forbear to looke upon the waves of the Sea, or much to lift up the head."—London Times Literary Supplement.

The Five Ages of Man

"Daddy, I know how to do every thing," said the little boy of five. "What I don't know isn't worth knowing," said the young man of twenty. "Well, anyway, I do know my own trade A to Z," said the man of thirty-five. "There are very few matters, I am sorry to say, that I am really quite sure about," said the man of fifty. "I have learned a bit, but not much since I was born; but knowledge is so vast that one cannot become wise in a short lifetime," said the man of sixty-five.

Glass Collectors Puzzled

There is no distinguishing mark by which all Sandwich glass can be identified. A little boat-shaped salt-cellar is generally accepted as the earliest of Sandwich salts. This has the imprint "B and S Glass com" on the stem, "Sandwich" or "pany" on the bottom, and "Lafayette" on each of the side wheels. If the Sandwich works had continued the practice of marking all their pieces there would be less difficulty now about the probable source of bits of glass claimed as Sandwich.—Washington Star.

Little Used Language

A book was recently printed in a language that is spoken by only 300 people. It is a version of the British Gospels prepared by the British and Foreign Bible society for the use of the Worrora, a tiny tribe of Australian aborigines.

Advocate Want Ads Get Results

SMALL FLAT



"So you've been up to see the Browns. Is their new flat very small?" "Well, they've got to exchange all their statuettes for bas-reliefs."

Dayton Items (Contributed)

School began September 5th, with Miss Frankie Wailes, teacher.

The Rev. Beck of Chillicothe, Texas held a meeting here on Sunday and Monday nights.

Olan King suffered a badly sprained shoulder received in the ball game played Sunday afternoon.

Miss Bonnie Rowland of Atoka has been visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. V. A. Hunt for a few days.

Sam Ellison has moved into one of the houses on John Fanning's place and will pick cotton for Mr. Fanning this fall.

Quite a number of changes have been made at Dayton recently. Gordon Sterling has moved into the residence recently occupied by Arthur Kinder and Mr. Kinder has moved into the north part of town and Oscar Kinder into the east part of town. Mr. Callan has moved into the house vacated by Oscar Kinder and Leonard Sherbit is now occupying the house lately vacated by Mr. Sterling.

Here Is Simple Way to Avoid Nervous Trouble

In one of his addresses, Dr. Charles H. Mayo said: "Every other hospital bed in the United States is for mentally afflicted, insane, idiotic, feeble-minded or senile persons. That's worry. It is worry that breaks down the brain, not work as such."

In this connection we are reminded of the prescription which a physician gave to a highly nervous patient whose life was made miserable by a constant procession of fears and forebodings. The physician sealed the prescription in an envelope, told the patient to take it home, to treat it confidentially, but to use it freely in as large doses as was necessary. This magic seven-word prescription which has worked wonders with many people read: "The things you fear most never happen."—From How to Live.

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TERRACE ON CONTOUR LAND FOR GOOD CROPS

Terraced and contoured crops are showing the best possibilities in eastern New Mexico says G. R. Quisenberry of the New Mexico State College. The severe drought in some parts of this area have brought out the value of holding all the moisture that falls on the fields. In some areas no rain has fallen for thirty or forty days, yet there are excellent prospects of good crops on terraced and contoured land while while adjacent fields are almost a total loss.

Terracing requires some work in addition to the regular field bed preparation the first year, therefore many farmers have hesitated to start it on this account. Contouring requires no additional outlay and either alone or with terracing pays big dividends as indicated by eastern New Mexico crops this year.

One of the most outstanding demonstrations in this work lies adjacent to Mosquero, where two farmers, separated only by a road have tilled their lands similarly. However, the one who terraced and contoured his land has an excellent crop of corn while the other, a good farmer but with unterraced land, has exceptionally poor prospects. This one demonstration is arousing much interest and causing many farmers to request help of the county agent in laying out their fields for contouring during the coming winter.

Eastern New Mexico has about 75,000 acres of terraced and contoured land. With the difference in yield this year as a result of poor moisture conditions, the acreage will, no doubt, be greatly increased.

FORMER WASHINGTON BALL PLAYER HERE

Si Garber, of Enid, Oklahoma, former member of the Washington Senators of the American League will be here for the remainder of the ball season. Mr. Garber, a member of the Washington Senators in 1916 has also seen service with a number of minor leagues and has assisted in coaching baseball in a number of schools. Mr. Garber told an Advocate reporter that he contemplated coaching the Artesia junior baseball nine during his stay in Artesia. In his first appearance here Labor Day, September 5th, Mr. Garber pitched the Artesia All-Stars to a 7-3 victory over the Cottonwood All-Stars in a game played at Brainard Park.

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Social Activities

HONORING MRS. YATES

Mrs. Martin Yates entertained with a bridge party Saturday afternoon in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harvey Yates. A lovely guest prize was presented to Mrs. Yates and high score went to Miss Jean Wheatley and low to Miss LaRue Mann. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Stanley Blocker in serving an ice course to the following guests: Misses Jack Ward, Evelyn and Ethelyn Cobble, Margaret Frisch, Jean Wheatley, LaRue Mann, Ruth Bigler, Mary Jackson, Frances Harrison of Dallas, Texas, Virginia Goodell, Wilma Robinson, Louise Compton, Nelda Wilson, Emily Woods, Mrs. Carl Folker and the honor guest.

CHASE-BROWN

Friends of R. Lee Brown will be interested in the announcement of his marriage to Miss E. Mae Chase, which occurred Wednesday, August 17th at Selby, South Dakota. Mrs. Brown is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chase and was formerly a teacher. Mr. Brown is the son of Mrs. Nancy Brown, having lived in South Dakota for the past twelve years and is foreman of the Chapel Brothers Horse ranch at La Plant, South Dakota where the couple will make their home.

IDLEWHILE BRIDGE CLUB

The Idlewhile Bridge club met with Mrs. Ralph Shugart Tuesday afternoon. Light refreshments were served to the members and the following guests: Mmes. Hollis Watson, Howard Williams, N. M. Baird, Lloyd Simon, Chester Dexter, E. T. Jernigan, M. G. Schulze, Lewis Story and Jesse Morgan.

SWIMMING PARTY

The Junior Department of the Methodist church had a swimming party at the Wood's pool Monday afternoon followed by a picnic supper at the church with the following teachers in charge: Mmes. Reed Brainard, John McCann and Miss Evelyn Cobble.

NAZARENE MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING

The Nazarene Missionary Society had an all day meeting and covered dish luncheon last Friday at the home of Mrs. Clarke Wilde with a good attendance. The morning was spent in canning tomatoes for the use of needy families during the winter and the afternoon session was spent in a study class on "India."

SURPRISE PARTY

Fred Cole gave a surprise bridge party last Friday night for his wife in honor of their anniversary. An ice course was served by the host to the following guests: Messrs. and Mmes. T. C. Bird, Stanley Blocker, Willis Morgan, Leslie Martin, Charley Martin, Landis Feather, Wm. Linell, the honor guest and the host.

BEG PARDON

In the write up last week of the Burgess-Rogers wedding, the name of Russell Rogers was inadvertently used instead of Robert Rogers. It was Robert and not Russell who was married and we take this occasion to beg the pardon of both Russell and Robert and the indulgence of our readers.

BAPTIST SOCIAL

The ladies of the Baptist church gave a social at the church building Friday evening, entertaining all of the church membership. After a social hour in which a number of games were enjoyed, home grown cantaloupes were served at a mode.

SECOND EVENING BRIDGE CLUB

The Second Evening Bridge club met with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Brainard last Friday evening for seven o'clock dinner. Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Gates were guests of the club.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Thursday Bridge club met with Mrs. Kay Lydie last Thursday afternoon, after a three months' vacation. Mrs. George Williams and Mrs. Margaret Ellis were guests of the club. Mrs. Williams won high score and Mrs. Albert Glasser second high.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved—The Advocate.

She Was in the Marrying Mood

By M. AMES

DORA closed the door of her tiny apartment with a bang. Not that there was anyone inside to care whether the door closed gently with a soft swish, or whether it slammed lustily with a spattering of plaster. Dora had the grace to grin to her self.

"I know I'm in a temper and all because it's the only Sunday in the week and I haven't a single solitary thing to do, and I hate spring and I hate the city and I wish I were out in our pasture at home looking for Mayflowers with Harry Bell, so there!"

Three months before Dora Bennett had left her up-state home and come down to make her fortune in the city. That's the reason she had given Mr. Cooper at the store. But her real motive was to forget in the hubbub of new surroundings a certain Harry Bell whom for many years she had considered "her property."

Harry had suddenly become intrigued by a new school teacher. Not that Dora appeared to mind. Of course not. Hadn't she herself said to Harry, "Why don't you take Miss Pickwick to the dance Saturday night, and I'll stop in after we close up the store?"

That's what started everything. Dora was too proud to fight, and here she was all alone in the wonderful city with a good job, envying Harry and Miss Pickwick at a country "sugaring off." It was just too bad about her. That is why she slammed the door.

Even the day spent at her favorite museum failed to dispel her black mood. Everywhere something reminded her of home.

At last when a guard shouted at her "to keep away from those curtains," she turned on her heel and dashed from her one-time haven.

"I can't stand it, I can't," she muttered in an abandonment of self-pity.

Slowly the tears, as if of their own accord, rolled down her cheeks and misted her sight.

On through the blur of wet eyes she wandered, turning this way and that, just walking and crying.

"Well, I am a baby," she decided at last, wiping her eyes.

Only then did she take note of her surroundings. It was already dusk and she found herself in an unknown part of the city, dark and deserted.

As she walked on vainly trying to place the locality, two men obviously the worse for drink approached.

"Hello, baby, wanna come on a nise lil' party?"

Dora's unhappiness turned to sudden fear, as the man reached as if to grasp her arm.

"Come on, Bill, don't let that lil' chicken get away from us. We need some nice lil' woman to make whoopee with us."

Bill, thus addressed, being bolder than his companion, though more silent, advanced and slid his arm around Dora's waist.

Dora shrieked, and turning quickly gave Bill a sudden push which sent him reeling unsteadily toward the gutter. Then she ran!

Behind her she could hear the stamp of uncertain feet on the pavement, and cries of "Come on, Bill, can't you see she's only play-ling?"

Faster she sped till her heart pounded in her throat, and her ear drums seemed to burst—long after her lonesome assailants had wearied in the race.

Rounding a corner, she found lights again, and nearby a familiar drug store.

With a sigh of relief, she unlatched her door and entered the snug haven of her one room and bath. The telephone was ringing violently.

Still breathless from her mad run she picked up the receiver.

"Hello, hello," she answered pantingly.

Faintly from afar off, through a jumble of wires, came a dear familiar voice.

"Dora, darling, I can't stand it a minute longer. I thought you wanted to go to the city and I wouldn't try to stop you. But three months is long enough. Won't you please come home?"

"What about Miss Pickwick? faltered the eternal feminine that was Dora.

"Don't you know, dear, I was only trying to get you to pay some attention to me? And you had to run away. Honest, I haven't seen her since you left. Please come home tomorrow, and let's get married the day after."

Dora clung weakly to the receiver, but her voice was steady. "You're a silly boy, darling, and maybe it's a silly thing to be doing, but I can't help saying yes in great big letters, because I feel exactly in the mood."

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Relativity

Sonny's cousin had a large white rabbit which went by the somewhat name of Alexander, a cognomen which pleased and delighted the smaller boy. When he was out with his mother the other day, and she chanced to remark: "There goes Mrs. Alexander," his reaction was immediate. "Why I know her! She's a rabbit!" he exclaimed.

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff made a trip to Carlsbad Tuesday.

Miss Edna Page left Sunday for Las Cruces to enter State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McLane of Lakewood were shopping in town yesterday.

Miss Lucy Thomas of Roswell was here Sunday, guest of Mrs. F. W. Hinrichsen.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Buford moved into the George Williams house Saturday.

Miss Elaine Feemster spent the week-end with Miss Juanita Bowman in Lovington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dunn and children spent the week-end in Portales visiting relatives.

Olin Woolridge came from Roswell Friday and will spend the winter with his sister, Mrs. Irma Kite.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Graham have moved from the Oasis into Mrs. Nancy Eipper's tenement house.

Bill Yates returned to Las Cruces Sunday after a visit with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. H. Q. Haley.

C. C. and Roy Pior left Monday to visit their mother, sister and other relatives in Los Angeles, California.

Miss Agnes Ann Williams came down from Elk Tuesday to resume her studies as a senior in the high school.

Mrs. John Gage and children came down from Elk the last of the week and will remain in Artesia during the school term.

Misses Beulah Strang, Mary and Minnie Woods have moved into the old Jacobson property at the corner of Second and Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Horne and sons, R. E., Jr., of Carlsbad and Charles of Roswell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Byrd.

Mrs. G. B. Dungan and daughters, Mrs. Wes Oliver of Delta, Colorado and Mrs. Herman Green spent last Friday in Roswell, guests of Mrs. Homer Dunagan.

The Rev. J. C. Owen, secretary of the New Mexico Baptist Association occupied the pulpit at the First Baptist church Sunday morning.

Among Roswell visitors Friday were: Mmes. Charles Morgan, S. B. Barnett, Paul Clewell, Effie Wingfield, Sadie Wilson, Mary Grimm, and Miss Marjorie Wingfield and Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Williamson are here from El Paso, Texas and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Bishop. On Monday the Bishops, Williamsons and A. M. Tarbet spent the day at Lake McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, former residents of Artesia arrived this week and will spend a few days visiting friends and relatives at Artesia and Hagerman and looking after property interests.

Mrs. Dallas Holmes and children left yesterday for their home in Pampa, Texas, after a few days visit with Mrs. Holmes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jonas. On Monday they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Roady and children, Mrs. Bert Jackson and little son of Trinidad, Colorado and George Little of Burlington, Kansas came Saturday to visit Charles Roady and family, Merle Roady and family and Mrs. Calvin Dunn and family.

A telegram was received here yesterday from Dr. A. C. White at Hot Springs, conveying the information that the condition of Senator Z. B. Moon was serious and that it would be necessary for him to go a hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton returned Saturday from a three day visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Prude on the Prude ranch near Hope. While there the Girl Scout leaders and the Elza White party stopped at the ranch and spent two days. Mr. and Mrs. Prude served the scouts a sumptuous dinner and all went to Cripp tank where they saw a round-up and branding, something new to a number of the scouts. After leaving the Prude ranch the party went on to the Bates ranch for a barbecue. Among the scouting party were: Daddy Elza White, Miss Mary White and Miss Shain, national executive of the Girl Scouts from New York, who came to New Mexico to make the trip with them.

WE THANK YOU

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

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DAISY PARTY

The third daisy party was held at the home of Mrs. R. G. Knoedler yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Gail Hamilton and Mrs. Ralph Shugart entertaining with Mrs. Knoedler, Miss J. J. Shugart gave a reading and responded to an encore. Contests were held and the guests were served a salad course with daisy favors on the plates. Those present were: Mmes. McCroxy, Rex Wheatley, V. L. Gates, Willis Morgan, Walter Douglas, Albert Glasser, Warren Collins, G. R. Brainard, Jim Montgomery, R. L. Paris, W. E. Kerr, Ray Bartlett, Charles McConnell of La Harpe, Illinois and Miss Emma Clarke.

Exercise of the Veto Traced to Roman Law
The use of the veto power by an executive of a state has an origin which has been traced back as far as the old Roman state when the tribunes, by using the word "interdictio," which means "I interdict," halted the legislative acts of the senate.

As far back as 1642 the veto power was recognized in Poland by law, any member of the imperial diet being able to block legislation by proclaiming the Polish words which mean in substance "I do not allow."

The king of England has the power of veto, but it is a power to which recourse has not been taken for generations, the last instance on record being in 1707.

The Constitution of this country also provides for the veto, but the President's power to veto is limited in that it can be overridden. The veto by President Jackson of the bill to recharter the Bank of the United States is one of the first on record.

Adding Machines For Sale or Rent—The Advocate.

REPUBLICAN PRECINCT MEETING

A meeting of the Republicans of Precinct No. 6, will be held September 16th, Friday, at 3:00 o'clock at the offices of William Dooley on east Main Street, Artesia, for the purpose of electing 20 delegates to the Republican County Convention to be held at Carlsbad September 17th at 2:00 p. m., to elect delegates to the Republican State Convention and to nominate candidates for county offices.

S. E. FERREE, Precinct Chairman.

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Dedicate "Lincoln Youth" Bronze



Secretary of Agriculture Arthur M. Hyde (top), who will deliver principal address at dedication in Ft. Wayne, Ind., on September 16 of the Lincoln National Life Foundation's massive bronze, "Abraham Lincoln, the Hoosier Youth." Dr. Joseph R. Sizoo, pastor of the Washington, D. C., church where Lincoln worshipped, another speaker at the impressive dedication ceremonies. Right—front view of the statue, created by the noted sculptor, Paul Manship, which portrays the Emancipator as a youth of 21.

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

10:00 Bible school.

11:00 a. m. preaching. Subject: "A Balanced Winter Program."

The young people of the church are all called together in the church at 6:30 p. m. for a very special conference. Plan to be there on time.

W. B. McCROY, Pastor.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH

Rev. Harold G. Scoggins, Pastor

"The large church with a warm welcome and a helpful gospel." 9:45 a. m. Sunday school. George Frisch, superintendent. J. E. Robertson, leader of worship.

Sermon theme: "Christ and a Racketeer." 6:30 p. m. Epworth and Junior Leagues.

7:30 p. m. evening worship. Dr. N. L. Linebaugh will preach and hold the fourth quarterly conference.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

613 W. Main Street

10:00 a. m. Sunday school.

11:00 a. m. Sunday service. Subject of the Bible lesson for Sunday, September 11, 1932 is: "Substance." Golden text John 6:27.

7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening 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. Pete Loving, superintendent.

11:00 a. m. morning worship. Sermon: "The Word of God."

6:30 p. m. young peoples' meeting.

7:30 p. m. evening service. Sermon: "The Power of the Word of God."

7:30 p. m. Wednesday, prayer meeting.

3:00 p. m. Thursday, Ladies' Bible class.

FARMERS PREPARING TO PAY GOVERNMENT

WASHINGTON, D. C. — More than a million farmers in all parts of the country are preparing now to discharge their direct debts to the federal government.

A total of 507,635 of them have borrowed \$62,202,204.50 from the government through the department of agriculture and the reconstruction finance corporation and all loans are due November 30.

Meanwhile, the government is still collecting on its 1931 feed, seed and fertilizer loans, the repayment to date totaling approximately 60 per cent of the total outlay last year.

The agricultural department also is making up its mind about what to do with the 250,000 odd bales of cotton it accepted as collateral for last year's loans at eight cents a pound.

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LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Ben McLarry and family were visitors at J. M. Norris' home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Schulze were visitors at the D. Ohlenbusch home Sunday afternoon.

Rupert McCasland of White Face, Texas was a business visitor in Lake Arthur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Garner and daughter of Artesia were visitors at the W. L. Bradley home Sunday.

Miss Gerline Flowers left Monday for Las Vegas, where she will enter the Normal University this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Bivens and family attended the Baptist missionary meeting at Roswell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Simms motored to El Paso, Texas Saturday. They were accompanied by Miss Alma Bradley who will attend State College at Las Cruces.

Messrs. Redmond and Ray Pate motored to El Paso, Texas last week to get Miss Mozell Pate, daughter of Redmond Pate, who will attend school here this fall.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. will give a special program Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock. A short playlet, "Farmer Brown's Conversion," will be given. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Senior class organized on Tuesday with the following officers: Lois Huff, president; Ella Ohlenbusch, vice-president; and George Miles Murphy, secretary and Supt. C. R. Bernard, sponsor.

The Junior class was organized Tuesday and the following officers were elected: Vernell Thomason, president; Gertrude Bradley, vice-president and Wilma Walden, secretary and Mrs. R. F. Beasley was chosen a sponsor.

A surprise birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ohlenbusch Tuesday night in honor of their son, William and Miss Lois Bivens and Wilma Walden. Games were played until a late hour, after which the guests were served with iced watermelons.

LOOT FROM VAULT

MAY RUN \$200,000

CHICAGO—A partial check of loot taken from safety deposit boxes of Kock and Co., by a gang of master cracksmen Sunday indicated shortly before noon Tuesday that the robbers got between \$150,000 and \$200,000.

Holders of the 197 boxes rifled sorted over the piles of securities, documents, jewelry and other valuable cast aside by the robbers and calculated their losses.

WILL SUE ON GADGETS

SANTA FE—Attorney General E. K. Neuman and John Q. Adams assistant, left Tuesday afternoon for Denver to file suit against the Schwyder Trunk and Manufacturing Co., to recover money paid by the state for automobile gadgets.

The suit will ask repayment of \$22,800 on the ground the license certificate containers do not meet legal requirements.

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ROSWELL MAN NAMED

Lake J. Frazier of Roswell has been named judge advocate of the New Mexico department of the American Legion. J. W. Neely, departmental adjutant said Tuesday at Santa Fe.

The following committee chairmen have also been appointed: J. W. Neely, Santa Fe, American Legion state service officer; John

J. Emmons, Gallup, membership; Artuh H. Gallup, Espanola; department of child welfare; F. M. Garcia, Albuquerque, Americanism chairman; Dan Redenbough, Belen, athletic director; R. P. Fullerton, Santa Fe, Boy Scouts; Withers Woolford, Santa Fe, editor New Mexico Legionnaire; Fred Feasel, Albuquerque, national defense; W. L. Carbine, Ft. Bayard, citizens military training camp; and Dan Vaughn, Roswell, employment.

A Warning

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attorney: L. REESE, Jr.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Lary went to Clouderoft Tuesday.

Mrs. J. S. Sharp has been quite ill during the past week.

J. D. Hardin who has been ill with typhoid fever is convalescing.

Mrs. A. L. Curry of Willard was here Tuesday visiting friends.

Dorris Ransbarger left Wednesday for Albuquerque to enter the University.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Darnell will occupy the Dr. Clarke home this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Lary made a trip to Ft. Sumner, Vaughn and Mountainair Sunday.

R. D. Compton and son, Kenneth, left yesterday for a short trip to Lubbock, Texas.

Ernest Harp left Wednesday for State University at Albuquerque to take a post graduate course.

Mrs. Chas Ransbarger returned Monday from a month's visit to relatives in and around San Angelo, Texas.

Dr. Lura L. Hinshaw was in Santa Fe Monday and Tuesday attending a meeting of the state osteopathic association.

Mrs. Nola Naylor and brother, Harold drove to Lubock, Texas Sunday and returned Monday. Harold went to see about entering Lubbock Tech.

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

Mr. and Mrs. John Prude came in from the ranch near Hope Monday and with Mr. and Mrs. Parker, formerly of California, now of Roswell were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Welch, Van Welch, Jr., and little Tommy Welch returned Saturday from a two days' visit with Tommy's mother, Mrs. Wendell Welch in El Paso, Texas.

Mrs. J. H. Myrick came to spend the winter with her niece, Mrs. Roscoe Kile. Her son, Byron accompanied her and will leave next week to work for Z. B. Moon in Littlefield, Texas.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Miss Catherine Clarke, John and Laurence Clarke will leave Saturday for New Orleans, where John and Laurence will continue their studies in Loyola University. Mrs. Clarke and Miss Catherine will remain with them this winter.

Mrs. E. L. Perry and daughter Miss Juanita of Troup, Texas arrived Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Buford. They were accompanied by Mrs. Carl Joiner and baby of Arp, Texas and Miss Nina Gray, who returned home after several weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Joiner.

MARKETS

Kansas City Livestock

AS CITY—Cattle, 7,500; 1,000; beef steers and market not fully established; mostly heavy about steady; in between in liberal supply; bids early top 1,200 lb steers strictly choice; bulk to medium steers eligible \$3.75; other killing classes steady best fed heifers 7.50.

4,000; direct 480; fairly uneven; top 4.25 on 190-220; 180-270 lbs 4.10 to 20; 350 lbs 3.90 to 4.10; bet- 140-70 lbs 3.75 to 4.10; 3 to 3.50; stock pigs around 3.00; killing classes top native lambs 5.75; grades mostly 5.50 to 7.5.

Boston Wool

TON—The volume of trading in the wool market is not as large as it was during the past few weeks, but manufacturers continue to take over large quantities at firm prices.

combing 64s and finer wools are selling at 42-cent basis, and strictly 56s bring prices in range 42s scoured basis.

New York Cotton

YORK—A moderate volume of business and rather irregular fluctuations in cotton here today was attributed to unevenness in preparation for today's crop report.

prices closed steady, unchanged; higher; October 8.92; December 9.07 to 08; January 9.14; 9.22 to 23; May 9.34 to 37; 9.44. Spot quiet; middling

TYPEWRITERS

Woodstocks, Coronas, and others. Rebuilt in all other at The Advocate.

Gone—But Not Unforgotten



LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, N. Mex., August 29, 1932.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ned Martin of Dayton, New Mexico, who on October 3, 1927, made homestead entry No. 033863 for SW 1/4, W 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 12, T. 19-S., R. 24-E., and on February 1, 1929, made additional homestead entry No. 037211, for N 1/2, N 1/2 SE 1/4, Section 15, Township 19-S., Range 24-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3 year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. Mex., on the 14th day of October, 1932.

STORY OF NEW MEXICO SALES OLD BUT INTERESTING

WASHINGTON—The final retail distribution report for New Mexico has just been issued by the bureau of census presenting statistics compiled in connection with the census of distribution. The report shows 4,191 retail stores in New Mexico with net sales, in 1929, of approximately \$120,000,000.

MA FERGUSON GAIN

DALLAS, Texas—Partial tabulation of official returns Saturday increased the lead of Mrs. Miriam A. "Ma" Ferguson to 3,334 votes over Governor R. S. Sterling in their hotly contested democratic gubernatorial nomination race.

On the basis of a virtually complete unofficial count made after the democratic run-off primary, Mrs. Ferguson lead her opponent by 2,337 votes. In most counties the official returns differed only slightly from the unofficial figures. In Gregg county, however, Mrs. Ferguson gained 620 votes. In Montgomery county Sterling gained 287 votes.

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

14,168 VISITORS AT CAVERNS IN AUGUST

There were 14,168 people who visited the Carlsbad Caverns during the past month. August 1929 led all other corresponding periods since 1924 with a total of 27,791 visitors. The geographical distribution of the visitors during the past August is as follows:

Table listing visitor counts by state: Arkansas 94, Alabama 65, Arizona 230, California 590, Colorado 330, Connecticut 16, Delaware 3, Florida 46, Georgia 40, Illinois 168, Indiana 84, Iowa 56, Kansas 371, Kentucky 20, Louisiana 189, Maine 5, Maryland 12, Massachusetts 27, Michigan 59, Minnesota 14, Mississippi 62, Montana 8, Nebraska 35, New Hampshire 1, New Jersey 53, New Mexico 1,215, New York 100, North Carolina 39, North Dakota 1, Ohio 92, Oklahoma 1,756, Oregon 13, Pennsylvania 104, Rhode Island 1, South Carolina 6, Tennessee 60, Texas 7,752, Vermont 5, Virginia 8, Washington 13, West Virginia 17, Wisconsin 61, Wyoming 7, British Columbia 4, Canada 3, Czechoslovakia 1, District of Columbia 27, England 4, Germany 2, Hawaii 3, Ireland 1, Jamaica 1, Mexico 34, Panama 1, Spain 1.

DOOLITTLE IS SPEED MAKER

CLEVELAND.—In the gathering dusks of the sun's eclipse, Major James H. Doolittle last week mounted the airplane speed throne of the world by flashing four times over a three kilometer course at an average speed of 293.193 miles an hour.

The former air corps ace, piloting a stubby plane that has earned the title of the "Flying Silo," surpassed an eight-year-old mark, the existing record of 278.48 miles an hour set December 11, 1924, by Warrant Officer Bonnet of France. Doolittle carried no barograph as he made his spectacular flight and his record therefore must remain unofficial and uncertifiable. Had he carried a barograph the instrument would have been calibrated by the National Aeronautic association and the homologated by the Federation Aeronautique Internationale in France, world governing body of sporting aviation.

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LOCALS

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hagan McCaw Thursday. Rude Wilcox and son, George and M. A. McLean made a trip to Pinon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Runyan of Lower Penasco spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Dunn. Miss Opal Martin returned Sunday after spending the week in Clovis, guest of Mrs. Lake Martin.

Pat Reilly sustained a broken rib in an accident Saturday and at the last report was resting well. A. R. Day of Queen was shopping in town Tuesday. Mr. Day reports the range good in his section of the country.

Mrs. Tex Polk and daughter, Miss Glenn, left Sunday for Abilene, Texas for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Polk. Teyton Emmons left Friday for Denver, Colorado after spending the summer with his sister, Mrs. Martin Yates and family.

George Wilkins left Monday for Hatch, where he will teach this year. Mrs. Wilkins will teach in Lake Arthur again this year. Mrs. Nancy Wolf returned to her home in Mexico, Missouri Monday, after a visit with Mrs. W. H. Batterton and Mrs. Ed Willingham.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clayberg of Kansas City, Missouri are visiting at the home of Mrs. Clayberg's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Flint and family. Mr. and Mrs. Emery Carper, and son, Stanley Carper, and daughters, Miss June Carper and Mrs. Frances Hunter and son, spent Sunday at Bent and Cloudcroft.

Mrs. Edward Welsh returned Sunday after accompanying her mother-in-law, Mrs. Laura Welsh to Youngstown, Ohio who will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. William Mead and Mr. Mead. Otice Brown and son, Horace returned Thursday from St. Louis, Missouri. Mrs. H. J. Kiel of Springfield, Missouri came with them and will visit her son, Joseph Hamann and Mrs. Hamann for some time.

O. K. Hearte, Jr., came Saturday from Pasadena, California and was a guest of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Evans until Monday, leaving that day for Roswell to resume his studies at the Military Institute. Miss Sue Flint left yesterday for Albuquerque to enter State University. Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Flint, who recently came here from San Antonio, Texas will remain on the Flint ranch southeast of town for the winter.

Mrs. W. L. Massengale and daughter, Miss Mary of Mendenhall, Mississippi have been the guests of Mrs. J. Edward Gage of Pinon, for the past fortnight. Miss Catherine Kintz of Dunken was also a visitor at the Gage home.

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Kiss Mary Louise

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

AND it will be a great treat for me to see you all again. Give Mary Louise a kiss and ask her if she remembers her 'Cousin Warren.' Mary Louise's mother looked up from the letter she had been reading aloud and smiled at her pretty daughter curled up in the chair opposite.

"I guess," she said, "that Cousin Warren has forgotten just how big a girl you have grown!" "And who?" asked Mary Louise. "Is Cousin Warren?" "Well, to begin with, dear, he isn't really your cousin. He's the son of a very dear friend of mine. At the time of her death Warren came to us for a little visit. He must have been—well, about sixteen at that time and you were five or six. He let you tag around after him and was much more friendly to you than boys of that age usually are to little girls."

"And now," mused Mary Louise, "he must be—why, nearly thirty years old! Oh, I guess he's so old that it's quite all right for me to be accepting a kiss from him!" If Mrs. Sumner smiled inwardly at Mary Louise's calm assumption that thirty years spelled a privileged age, she gave no sign. Certainly Warren would seem mature to her daughter compared to the crowd of youngsters with whom she ordinarily traveled. Perhaps, had she known all that was going on in the mind of her daughter, she would have been alarmed, for the young woman, as she listened to an account of Warren's life, had arrived at a singular conclusion.

As a starter, she would borrow Trixie Horton's lipstick, Janice Robert's nephew shell-tint rouge, and Clara Brayton's "How To Behave In Society." She would read up on a couple of the latest plays, a few of the more sophisticated magazines, and shorten her sports skirt another inch. A kiss to Mary Louise indeed!

Warren Wayne looked about him with interest as he got down from the train. Then he sent an inquiring look toward the knot of people gathered on the platform.

Suddenly, something drew his eyes over to a small car, and at that instant a slender hand waved at him.

Hurrying over, he saw a dashing young thing evidently sure that he was the person for whom she was waiting, although he himself was by no means certain. "Are you, by any chance, Mr. Wayne?"

"I'll say I am!" he replied promptly, looking curiously at the scarlet-lipped, black-lashed girl. "I am Mrs. Sumner's daughter," drawled Mary Louise. "Please stow away your luggage in back and hop along in. I fancy the station man will see to your trunk."

She swung away up the main street, one hand carelessly on the wheel, with an air that would have distinguished a sportier model of car than the flivver she was driving. So this was his old friend, Mary Louise! Well, well, well! Then he gave himself up to picking out old landmarks along the way.

Meanwhile, of what was Mary Louise thinking? She was, for one thing, wondering just what her mother would say when she saw her. She had not yet had that back-door exit, merely calling out a good-by to her mother who sat on the side porch. And then she was also thinking that thirty was not as ancient as she had imagined. And nobody had thought to mention the fact that Warren was handsomer than her favorite movie star of the moment.

She wished, just a little, that she had left the make-up business alone. Mrs. Sumner came down to meet them. "My dear boy," she cried, and took Warren in her arms much as she had when he had come to her, motherless, years ago. Then she caught sight of her daughter. Just for an instant words seemed to fall her. Then, "Goodness gracious!" she exclaimed. "Have you been rehearsing again for that silly play? Do run upstairs and wash your face or Warren will never believe you are the same sweet little girl he used to let beat him at croquet!"

Warren stayed all summer. One day, near the end of his visit, he took Mrs. Sumner aside for a little talk. Afterwards, he hunted up Mary Louise and found her busy with her sewing out under the trees.

"I asked your mother," he said gently, "if she ever gave you the kiss I sent you. She said she hadn't and gave me permission to give it to you myself. You see, the girl I sent it to was the one I have always carried with me."

Opening the back of his watch, he disclosed a faded little snapshot of a curly-haired child that looked out at one with lovely, steadfast gaze. "And even if she had grown taller," he went on. "I see in her so much of that same darling little girl. Do you think you could ever care to accept that kiss? How about it, Mary Louise?"

And Mary Louise slipped into his arms as if she had always belonged there.

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HIGHWAY PROGRESS REVIEWED BY MACY

Total of 117.6 miles of federal aid highways were constructed during 1931 in district No. 2, it was announced at Roswell Saturday by Glen D. Macy, district highway engineer.

A total of 1,612.2 miles of federal aid roads are being maintained in this district, Mr. Macy said, an average of 140 men being employed on maintenance.

Of the 117.6 miles of roads constructed in district No. 2 during 1931, 46.5 miles were graded and drained and surfaced; 52.3 miles oiled and 1.9 miles concreted, it was announced.

Construction for 1931 in district No. 2 which includes the Pecos valley embraced the following projects: 24 reopened, Roosevelt county, 10.8 miles, graded, drained and surfaced; 83-A, Eddy county, 8.3 miles, graded and drained; 83-B, Eddy county, 10.4 miles graded and drained; 120, Lincoln county, 9.2 miles, graded and drained; 131-A, reopened, Eddy county, 1.9 miles, concrete.

Roosevelt county, 137, reopened 4.3 miles, oiled; 138, reopened, Roosevelt county, 15.2 miles, oiled; 142-B, Roosevelt county, 12.3 miles, graded and drained; 142-C reopened, Curry county, 7.9 miles, oiled; 142-D, Curry county reopened 6.3 miles, graded, and drained; 162-A reopened, Chaves county, 14.2 miles, oiled; 164-A, reopened Chaves county, 6-1 miles, graded, drained and surfaced.

New Mexico had 296 miles of its highways surfaced during 1931, the bureau of public roads reported at Washington. Colorado's total was 391 miles.

Nearly 35,000 miles of state highways were surfaced last year, bringing the total now surfaced to 242,700 according to the Associated Press.

The total mileage of state highway system is now 328,942 miles the bureau said, of which 96,341 have high type surfaces.

TWENTY-FIVE ACRES PUT IN WINTER LETTUCE ON CARLSBAD PROJECT

Twenty-five acres of land in Carlsbad project is in process of planting to head lettuce for maturity in the middle of November, when market prices are expected to be more favorable than in other sections of the year. Several acres of asparagus will be planted also. School children provide themselves with considerable spending money by picking the asparagus that grows wild on the irrigation ditches and there is no doubt that the cultivated asparagus will be grown at a profit.

313,000 FISH PLANTED

More than 313,000 fish were planted from the federal fish hatchery east of Dexter during the months of July and August, T. F. Nelson, superintendent of the hatchery announced Saturday.

The fish were all black bass with the exception of 54,000 broom Mr. Nelson said and a large percentage of the fish were planted in public waters of New Mexico.

Operation of the hatchery has been practically concluded for this year, Mr. Nelson said, and now work is to start getting the ponds in shape for next season. Experienced fish men have declared that this hatchery has made a most remarkable showing for its first year of operation.

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INTERIOR DEPARTMENT WILL CUT EXPENSES

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Returning from a six weeks' tour of the west, Secretary Wilbur Saturday went to work on a stack of accumulated business, including budget estimates for the next fiscal year, which he said would be reduced as much as practicable.

The interior department was cut \$10,000,000 this year, altho its \$45,000,000 appropriation in the regular supply bill was augmented \$17,000,000 in subsequent acts, all for Hoover dam. Secretary Mills, however, has yet to rule whether \$10,000,000 of this available is available.

UNIVERSE EXPANDING 11,000 MILES SECOND

LOS ANGELES, California — Expanding with an apparent observed explosive force of 11,000 miles a second, a rate calculated to have doubled every 1,400,000,000 years, the universe may not have increased in size more than

thirteen times in 100 years. This was the result of a presentation by Dr. H. P. Robertson, associate professor of mathematical physics at the University of California, at the meeting of the Mathematical Society of the University of California at Berkeley, Sept. 10.

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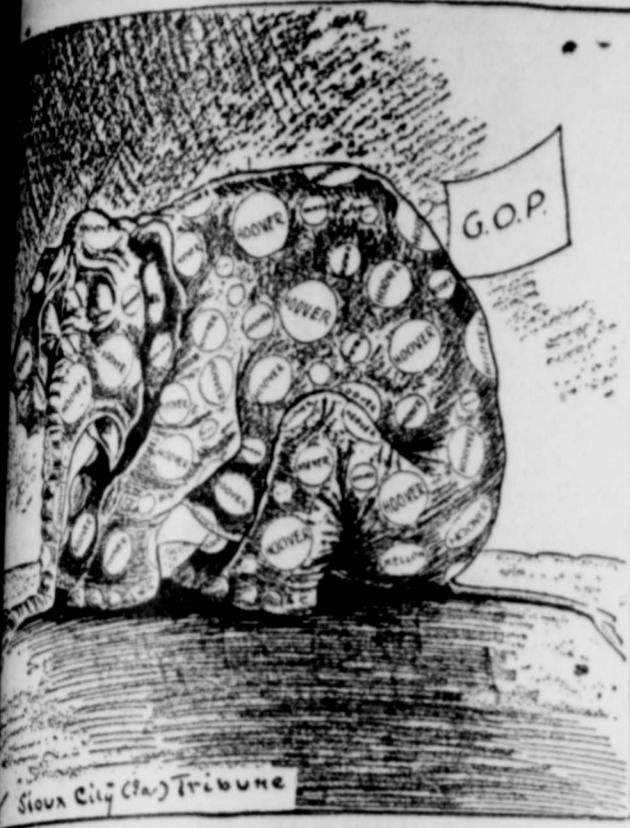
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SHORT SUBJECTS

Ironclad

The British Warrior, the first ironclad, was launched December 29, 1860; length, 380 feet; breadth, 58 feet; plate 4 1/2 inches thick; tonnage, 6,170; cost, \$2,000,000.

Roman Plumbing

Two thousand years ago, in the reign of Augustus, the first Roman emperor, nearly every private house in Rome had its own water supply drawn from the main by lead pipes.

Cigar Band's History

Visitors to Cuba visit a rich tobacco growing country. They learn, too, that Cuba introduced the band on cigars.

Near Thing

Surgeons of White Plains, N. Y., sewed up a razor wound in a negro's heart and gave him an even chance of surviving.

Nebraska Spread Far

The original territory of Nebraska extended from the Missouri river to the Rocky mountains and contained the states of Nebraska, Kansas, North and South Dakota, and parts of Colorado, Montana and Wyoming.

Accurate Timepiece

One of the world's most accurate timekeepers is an electric clock controlled by a vibrant crystal in a New York laboratory.

Sound Never Duplicated

The action of throat muscles in speaking, which has been recorded by a new apparatus, has led its inventor to believe that no spoken sound has ever been uttered twice in identically the same way.

Sahara Largest Desert

The Sahara has an area of about 3,500,000 square miles. The Great American desert, extending from the United States into Mexico, has an area of approximately 1,050,000 square miles.

Jerusalem's Area

The city of Jerusalem is on a quadrangular plateau one-half mile square, surrounded on the three sides by deep valleys.

Impounded Teeth

When a Southwark (England) man defaulted on his time payments on a set of false teeth the court ordered that the molars be kept in the courthouse safe until the payments were made.

Small World in 1400

In 1400 the then known world extended from the British Isles to the little-frequented Far East, north to the Scandinavian peninsula and south to the north coast of Africa.

Patterned by Nature

Circassian walnut grows in the Caucasus where the weather conditions are so rigorous as to gnarl and twist the wood fibers into beautiful patterns.

Summing It Up

Whatever channel the mind sets itself in, the life will follow; for it is invariably true that the life always follows the thought.

Guarding the Vatican

The pope requires a small army to guard the Vatican, and for centuries past Swiss guards have been employed for the purpose.

Temples Not Lasting

Chinese temples are rarely very old. Being built of wood, they have not had the lasting qualities of marble and granite.

Islands in a Cluster

In the Philippine archipelago there are more than 7,000 islands with an area of a tenth of a square mile or more.

Deluded

A pessimist often is an optimist who thought he could get something for nothing.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

World's Postage Stamps

There are approximately 65,000 varieties of stamps of the different countries of the world.

Active Ignorance

There is nothing more frightful than an active ignorance.—Goethe.

MUSICAL CLARA



"Clara seems to be very fond of music." "Yes, indeed. You'll always find her at the piano when her mother is washing the dishes."

PAY REFUNDS ON 'GAS' TAX

SANTA FE.—Payment of gasoline tax refunds to farmers and others who do not use gasoline upon the streets or highways, was started last Thursday Juan N. Vigil, state comptroller said.

The refunds from the five-cent gasoline tax were authorized by the 1931 state legislature but have been delayed pending two years of litigation during which time the legality of the law was tested in the courts of the state and even the United States supreme court.

Mrs. Adolph P. Hill, state gasoline tax collector, said Thursday she had on hand applications for refunds totaling approximately \$36,000 and said she expected to disburse the entire amount before the end of this week.

The first voucher made out Thursday amounted to \$1,225.36 and covered thirty-six applications including one submitted by Lieut. Governor A. W. Hockenull of Clovis.

Some of the applications have been outlawed, Vigil said, because they were notified within the four months limit set by law. All applications must be in the hands of the gasoline tax collector within four months after the gasoline has been purchased.

FREAK OF ECLIPSE

CHICAGO.—Air mail pilots reported that automatically operated airway beacons turned on and flashed for several minutes last week during the eclipse. Sensitive mechanisms that switch the beacons on at sunset and off at sunrise were affected by the partial disappearance of the sun.

TOLLE NAMED BY N. M. E. A

Vernon O. Tolle, superintendent of schools at Lordsburg, has been appointed executive secretary of the New Mexico Educational association to succeed Paul L. Fickinger, resigned, the executive committee of the association announced.

Tolle has been in educational work in New Mexico for the past six years. He served as principal of the night school and Third Ward school in Albuquerque from 1926 to 1930 and left that position to go to Lordsburg. He was also chairman of the elementary section of the state educational association for two years and was elected vice-president of the association last year.

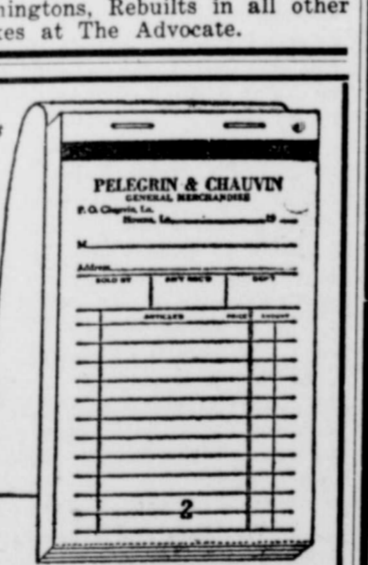
U. S. EMPLOYEES ARE FORBIDDEN TO TALK ABOUT VETS' BONUS

WASHINGTON.—Government employees and their families are prohibited from expressing publicly their views upon the soldiers' bonus under new regulations promulgated by the civil service commission.

Chairman Campbell said recently this subject had been included in the list of taboo political questions, even though there is no line drawn on it this year between the two major political parties.

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FOUR HIGHWAY BIDS TO BE OPENED 19TH

Bids on four federal highway construction projects included in the highway department's \$3,000,000 highway construction program will be opened September 19, W. R. Eccles, chief highway engineer said Saturday at Santa Fe.

Advertisements for bids on the following projects were sent to all contractors last week.

Grant county: 17.1 miles between Hurley and Deming, grading, draining and minor construction work.

Eddy county: 18 miles between Carlsbad and White's auto camp, oiling.

Roosevelt county: 12 miles north of Portales toward Clovis, oiling.

Harding county: 17.5 miles between Roy and Mosquero, grading draining and minor construction work.

Eccles said that word had been received from the federal bureau of public roads that the highway commission's federal aid emergency highway program had been approved with but a few exceptions and that the bureau of public roads would inform the commission of those exceptions within the next few days.

Meanwhile the commission, Eccles said, will not announce its complete program until the changes suggested by the bureau of public roads are made.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS

Twelve births and three deaths were recorded by S. E. Ferree, sub-register for the Cottonwood, Atoka and Artesia districts for the month of August. Births were recorded to Mr. and Mrs. John L. Briscoe, son; Mr. and Mrs. P. Alvarez, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Burr G. Sanders, son; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Fine, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. M. Vaca, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Bennes Morrion, son; Mr. and Mrs. Elvy M. Proctor, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Samara, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Otto Beaty, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. William E. Daniels, twin sons; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Peden, son.

SPECIAL \$1.75

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

SUSPEND FIELD MAN FOR NOT REMITTING

SANTA FE.—E. R. Baca, field man for the motor vehicle department who also recently reported he was robbed of \$600 at Gallup, was suspended by Juan Vigil, state comptroller here last Thursday.

Vigil stated that Baca had failed to comply with the state law requiring money collected by field men be remitted in twenty four hours.

Other field men with the department were warned of a similar fate unless the law were strictly complied with.

YOUR EYES TAKE CARE OF THEM EDW. STONE

United States Public Health Service Carlsbad, N. Mex., August, 31, 1932. ARTESIA DAIRY, Artesia, New Mexico. Dear Sir: Sanitary inspections of your dairy and laboratory tests of your milk that have been made in the past indicate that you are actually producing grade A milk.

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LIVESTOCK FARMS RANCHES REACH PEAK

number of ewe lambs retained will be much smaller this year than last in actual head and also a smaller proportion of the lamb crop than last year. In this event, the decrease in the marketings from the twelve states this year would be less than the decrease in the lamb crop.

Cattle Marketing

The marketing of cattle and calves from the seventeen states west of the north and south line of the Missouri River, during the five months, August to December, (inclusive), will be somewhat larger than during the same months in 1931, according to the report issued by the Department of Agriculture.

Except for limited areas in the northern great plains, fall ranges and pastures and prospects for winter ranges are much better than a year ago, and hay and feed grain production generally will be short larger this year than last.

In many of these states, operating expenses during the past year were materially increased due to the necessity of purchasing additional feed and increased shipments to cover borrowings for these purchases are generally indicated.

Because of the relatively low market prices for cows, it is generally indicated that the marketings of cows will be restricted and calf marketings will be relatively large and steers and yearlings are expected to be closely marketed.

Sleep And Lambs

Shipments of sheep and lambs from thirteen western sheep raising states were considerably smaller during the last four months of 1931 than in the corresponding period of this year.

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First Hobo—Say, Pard, wouldn't it be great of youse could git all de eat an' drink youse wanted by 'st pressin' a 'lectric button? Second Hobo—It shore would of I had somebody ter press de button for me.

Reports from a large number of sheep producers and of other states show a considerable variety of opinion, both within and between states. The preponderance of opinion seems to be that the

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LOCALS

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Standard yesterday.

Miss Ella Lee Crockett is here this week from Hope visiting Mrs. George Gage.

Mrs. Ruby Joplin has been here this week from Olton, Texas visiting her brother, Jake Jackson and wife.

The Destree family who have been visiting Mrs. Destree's sister, Mrs. Alvin Payne have gone to Roswell to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Compton expect to leave Saturday for Denver, Colorado to take their daughter, Louise, who will enter Colorado Women's College this winter. They will be accompanied by Miss Dorothy Sweet of Hagerman who will also attend the College and Mrs. Margaret Ellis who will visit her uncle.

Miss Beulah Strang arrived Saturday from her home in North Dakota to resume her duties as teacher in the schools. At Denver, Colorado, Miss Virginia Woods who recently graduated as a nurse from a Denver hospital joined Miss Strang and at Las Vegas the young ladies were joined by Miss Woods' sister, Miss Mary Woods, a student in the Normal University summer session.

MUST HAVE PERMITS

Before a property owner can build or repair a business house or dwelling within the city limits of Artesia, it is necessary to secure a permit at the City Clerk's office. There is a city ordinance to the effect that one must have a permit to build or repair a building either in the residential section or business district. This ordinance is being rigidly enforced and this article was written by the request of the city officials, who wish to set at rest any information to the contrary.

SANTA FE FREIGHT DEPOT AT ROSWELL ROBBED MONDAY NITE

The Santa Fe freight depot at Roswell lost \$1,200 to \$1,200 in merchandise through the robbery Monday night according to word from Roswell yesterday. No arrests have been made.

Java Far in Lead

Peru first showed the world the value of cinchona trees which yield quinine, but now 97 per cent of the world's quinine supply comes from Java.

Ornamental Tableware

Knives and forks that look like gold, but are much more durable, have been produced by a British manufacturer, using an alloy of aluminum and copper.

Nerve-Shattering

No wonder Presidents age quickly. Take the way you are affected by back-seat driving and multiply it by 120,000,000.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Altogether Animal

Silk is purely an animal product, since it is a secretion from silk worms, or the larvae of silkworms, from which they spin their cocoons.

Frogs and Toads

The intimate association of frogs and toads with water earned for them a reputation among primitive peoples as custodians of rain.

Summing It Up

Character is formed by the formation of habits, and habits are but the persistent repetition of certain acts.

No Good for Him

A soft answer may turn away wrath, but never an insurance agent.—Chicago Evening Post.

The Law Is Reason

Reason is the life of the law; nay, the common law itself is nothing else but reason.—Coke.

Science at Fault

Communicable diseases cause about 15 per cent of the deaths in the United States.

"Boy Lincoln" Evolved From Survey of Lincoln Statues

It required an exhaustive survey of all the Lincoln statues in the United States and Europe before the Lincoln National Life Foundation, Fort Wayne, Ind., could find the type that would be new and best-suited to its Indiana surroundings. The completed bronze—heroic in size—it rises on its plinth and pedestal to a height of 24 feet—and classical in feeling, portrays the Emancipator as a youth of twenty-one when he departed from Indiana after a residence of 14 years. It will be formally dedicated on the plaza of the Lincoln National Life Insurance company's building at Fort Wayne on September 16.

"Since Lincoln had spent his youth from his seventh to his twenty-first year in the state of Indiana, it was our thought," said Franklin B. Mead, author of the outstanding brochure of Lincoln statues, who conceived the idea of giving the world for the first time a monument in bronze revealing Lincoln as he appeared in his boyhood days in Indiana, "that our statue should not be in the proverbial style of the bearded Lincoln in double breasted frock which is in danger of becoming hackneyed, but should present the maturity of boyhood when his mind and personality were just becoming a man's. Consequently we commissioned one of the greatest sculptors in the world, Paul Manship of New York, to create a statue of this type. This was to bear the inscription, 'Abraham Lincoln, the Hoosier Youth.' "It is necessary to enumerate and classify the portraits erected to

WATER MELON CONTEST

A water melon contest has been arranged by J. K. Williams at the Bullock corner Saturday night beginning at 8:30. A water melon contest for Artesia is somewhat of a novelty, but Mr. Williams believes that it will attract a number of out of town visitors. Among the features of the contest is a melon eating contest for the boys and girls. Melons will be sliced and eaten "negro fashion" without the aid of the hands. A seventy-five or eighty pound melon will be given as first prize in this event. There will also be a melon eating contest for the bachelor and maiden and a singing contest for

Lincoln in America, if the work of Mr. Manship is to be set apart from former efforts. Illinois leads with nine, then follow New York, five; District of Columbia, Kentucky and New Jersey, three each; California, Nebraska, Ohio, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin, two each; Connecticut, Iowa, Massachusetts, Michigan and Washington, one each. The absence of Indiana in this list becomes very conspicuous when it is remembered that Lincoln spent 14 of his formative years in the Hoosier state.

"The consideration of atmosphere has had much to do with the decision that the Manship bronze should portray Lincoln the Youth as he emerges from the Indiana wilderness at the age of twenty-one. It is appropriate that the bronze statue of Lincoln erected in the state of Indiana should present 'Lincoln the Hoosier.'"

"The site to be occupied by a memorial is another influence which has determined the character of some of the more recent reproductions of Lincoln. An attempt to place upon historic ground which visualizes the Lincoln of that time has been put forth. Urbana, Ill., where Lincoln practiced law on his regular itinerary, has given us 'The Circuit Rider,' Springfield, Ill., has placed in front of its state house the Lincoln of 'The Farewell Address,' and Dixon, Ill., has welcomed again 'Lincoln the Soldier.'"

"Most of the memorials of the former president portray him during the days of his administration, and they have become known as the 'bearded Lincolns.' It is well known that he did not grow a beard until after his nomination to the presidency. The Manship bronze focuses attention on an hitherto unappreciated phase of the Emancipator's life—the formative years he spent in Indiana—tremendously important years, in view of his later accomplishments."

the boys and girls with suitable prizes given in each event. There will also be a prize given the oldest man or woman attending Saturday night's contest.

COMMUNITY SERVICE TALK AT ROTARY

The Rev. H. G. Scoggins gave a talk on "Community Service," at the luncheon of the Artesia Rotary club Tuesday. The Rev. Scoggins paid tribute to the service rendered the club by Miss Catherine Clarke, as pianist and who is leaving soon for New Orleans. Visitors at Tuesday's luncheon included Herb Smyrl and Milt McMakin of Roswell.

Given Polish Honor

The ambassador of Poland, Tytus Filipowicz, decorated Mrs. Woodrow Wilson with the Grand Cordons of the Order Polonia Restituta at a ceremony held at the embassy of Poland in Washington. This high decoration was bestowed upon Mrs. Wilson as the latest mark of gratitude for the influence of the great war President of the United States in the unification of Poland.

Imaginary Lovers

Some of the well-known lovers in literature, not real people are: Ben-Hur and Esther, Darby and John, Aucassin and Nicolette, Lancelot and Guinevere, Tristram and Iseult, Bassanio and Portia, Hamlet and Ophelia, Evangeline and Gabriel, Hiawatha and Minnehaha, Orpheus and Eurydice, Paul and Virginia, and Pyramus and Thisbe.

Daddy Lion Deserts Home

In a Field museum exhibit showing mountain lions at home, no male lion appears with the mother and her kittens in the den, for curators explain that the male lion deserts his home while the babies are young, returning only after the young lions are partly independent.—Chicago News.

Molecules Found Room

A small bottle which had been pumped almost perfectly free of air was recently explored, and in the bottle were still 77,000,000,000,000 molecules of oxygen, 288,000,000,000,000 molecules of nitrogen, and smaller quantities of other gases.

Importing Plants

The practice of introducing valuable plants from foreign countries is at least as old as Queen Hatshepsut who ruled Egypt about 1570 B. C., for an expedition which brought foreign trees into Egypt during her reign is historically recorded.

Languages That Live

The Breton and Welsh languages are by no means dead tongues, each being spoken today by more than a million people. The Celtic family of languages has also several other living members—Irish, Scotch, Gaelic and Manx.

Winning in the "Stretch"

"Garrison finish" is a hairbreadth finish, whereby the winner comes from behind to win at the last moment. It is so called because Garrison, a well-known American jockey, usually won his races in this fashion.

Products in Kinship

Naphtha and gasoline are both petroleum products. They are both solvents, fuels and illuminants. Naphtha is intermediate between gasoline and benzine, and consists largely of heptane, called also Danforth's oil.

Could Not Buy Cathedral

The cathedral of Notre Dame in Paris was sold, during the revolution, to a private individual for \$1,600, but the purchaser was unable to raise sufficient capital and the purchase fell through.

Height of Slave Trade

The period during which the greatest number of slaves were introduced into this country from Africa was 1804-08, the last four years before prohibition of the slave trade by congress.

Planetoid's Value

The tiny planetoid Eros, only about twenty miles in diameter, is valuable to science in determining more accurately the distance of the earth from the sun and stars.

Strength of Habit

In the great majority of things, habit is a greater plague than ever afflicted Egypt; in religious character it is a grand felicity.—John Foster.

Watchers and Workers

Even the man who watches the clock does more work than the man who watches the thermometer.—Hamilton (Ohio) Evening Journal.

More Out of Work

Yet if all were good and wise, who would care for the unemployed doctors, lawyers and preachers?—San Francisco Chronicle.

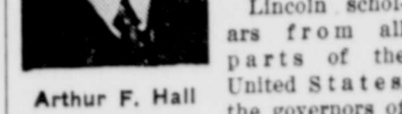
Mind Runs Wild

A man often thinks he is speaking his mind when he is merely too excited to mind his speaking.—Washington Star.

HYDE, SIZOO TO DEDICATE NEW LINCOLN STATUE

Notables to Attend Unveiling Ceremonies in Fort Wayne on September 16.

FORT WAYNE, IND.—Dedication of America's newest Lincoln shrine, a bronze statue of "Abraham Lincoln, the Hoosier Youth," created by Paul Manship, noted sculptor, and erected here by the Lincoln National Life Foundation, will be dedicated with most colorful ceremonies Friday, September 16.



Arthur F. Hall

Lincoln scholars from all parts of the United States, the governors of Kentucky, Indiana and Illinois, surviving members of the Lincoln family, Civil War veterans who heard or saw Lincoln and scores of other distinguished men and women have been invited as special guests.

Secretary of Agriculture Arthur M. Hyde will be the principal speaker and deliver the dedication address following the unveiling of the heroic bronze located on the plaza of the Lincoln National Life Insurance company building. Among the other speakers will be United States Senator James E. Watson and Dr. Joseph R. Sizoo, pastor of the New York Avenue Presbyterian church, at Washington, D. C., which Lincoln attended while president. A presidential salute of 21 guns by U. S. artillery will be fired following the unveiling; Lincoln's favorite hymn will be sung by Cyrena Van Gordon, famed grand opera star, and patriotic music suitable to the occasion will be played by the Fort Wayne American Legion band, one of the country's most famous bands.

To Broadcast Ceremonies.

The ceremonies, which will start at 11:30 A. M., central standard time, will be broadcast over the National Broadcasting network on its National Farm and Home Hour with outlets in 47 of the principal cities of the country.

Following the dedication, a reception and luncheon will be held for the notable guests, presided over by Arthur F. Hall, president of the Lincoln National Life Insurance company. A history and description of the Manship bronze will be delivered by Franklin B. Mead, who conceived the idea of a statue of Lincoln as a Hoosier youth. Other speakers, most of them Lincoln authorities, are expected to include Judge Henry Horner, Ida Tarbell, Dan Beard, Governor H. G. Leslie of Indiana, Governor Louis L. Emerson of Illinois, Governor Ruby Laffoon, of Kentucky, and Dr. Louis A. Warren, Director of the Lincoln National Life Foundation. Old timers of Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Ohio will speak of "Lincoln as I Remember Him."

Works Four Years on Statue.

The statue, which depicts Lincoln as a smooth faced Hoosier youth of 21, was erected in commemoration of the 14 formative years of the Emancipator's life which were spent in the Indiana wilderness. Paul Manship, the sculptor, in collaboration with Dr. Warren, spent four years in research and the mechanics of modeling the statue. The bronze represents the boy Lincoln leaning naturally against the stump in the simple costume of the frontier. As was his custom, he has a dog by his side, typifying his love for animals, an ax symbolizing him as the rail splitter and in his hand a book signifying inspirational thought. On each face of the pedestal is a group of heroic figures in medallion form, representing some of the qualities for which the name of Lincoln stands—patriotism, justice, fortitude and charity. The heroic statue, classical in feeling, rises on its pedestal and plinth to a height of 24 feet.

When Mr. Manship was given the task four years ago he was told to produce an outstanding creation of art which would be one of the recognized monuments of the world. He made a trip through the country of Lincoln's youth, the Ohio river and reminders of the old ferry boat days and glimpses of the Kentucky homestead of his childhood excited the sculptor's imagination. No pictures of Lincoln as a boy were available, as the Emancipator did not have a photograph taken until he was 37 years old. This made the sculptor's task more difficult.

"Lincoln the Dreamer and Poet."

"The desire to represent the young Lincoln as a dreamer and poet," said Mr. Manship, "rather than the rail-splitter, was uppermost in my mind. These qualities were selected as being most important in view of the greatness of Lincoln's later accomplishments and without which the idealism and clarity of his future would never have been possible. The stories of his youthful physical prowess and his active backwoods life gave him a magnificent physique. His ax tells the

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story of his rail splitting days. The book symbolizes his intellectual faculties. We know of his friendship for animals, but here his relationship to the dog would symbolize rather a greater feeling of human sympathy and protectiveness which were among his conspicuous characteristics."

After completing his research Mr. Manship started actual work on the statue in May, 1929, spending six months in Paris and six in his New York studio. From the enlargements of the model the cast was made in Brussels, Belgium. The completed statue arrived here this summer, when it was assembled and erected in time for the dedication

to 25 cents with a maximum of \$5 for every chapter in the book. The maximum fee for was abolished.

It was announced that 249 members of the station.

AUGUST GASOLINE TAXES

Santa Fe—Gasoline collections for the month totaled \$209,303.11 as with \$275,598.60 for the month a year ago. W. Graham, state treasurer, yesterday. Collections for month in 1930 totaled \$

CARLSBAD GETS G. P. A. CONVENTION IN 1933

Raymond B. Stamm of Albuquerque was elected president and Carlsbad was selected as the 1933 convention city Tuesday at the close of the annual meeting of the New Mexico Game Protective association at Las Vegas.

W. A. Losey of Hagerman was elected vice-president and Guy Reed of Carlsbad; D. W. Smith of Tyrone; Ellis Bauer of Santa Fe, John T. Smith of Gallup and N. G. Van Sickle of Las Vegas were selected as members of a board of directors.

The association passed a resolution requesting the state game and fish department to close streams to all fishing where the owners of property through which the water runs post is against fishermen.

The purpose behind the resolution, its sponsors said, is to discourage the posting of streams against the public.

Membership fees were raised

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