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## Budgets For Schools Fixed At A Meeting Last Monday

### Sales Tax is Expected to Supply \$84,124 to Rural Schools; Carlsbad Gets Biggest Increase in the New Budget.

The budget for Eddy county rural schools will be practically the same for another year, according to John Shearman, member of the county board of education attending the budget meeting at Carlsbad Monday with R. H. Grissom, state budget auditor, in charge.

The budgets submitted are subject to the approval of the state tax commission. No increase was made in the general fund of the rural schools, but a slight increase was made in the direct charge to cover repairs, supplies and new equipment. The schools this year will get six mills from the twenty mill levy, aside from the state apportionment fund, the remainder of the revenue will be furnished from the sales tax. Eddy county will get almost three mills or .0288 from the sales tax.

Last year the rural school budgets totaled \$175,442. This year, with a six mill levy, \$54,535 will be produced if tax collections run as high as ninety percent. The state apportionment fund is \$36,783 which with the six mill levy total \$91,318, leaving \$84,124 to be produced by the sales tax. Total revenue from the sales tax over the state is expected to be \$2,923,857. Eddy county is listed as the eighth county in producing this revenue.

Supt. W. E. Kerr, who attended the budget hearing, said there would be practically no change in the budget for the local schools over last year. A slight increase was made in the direct charge fund to care for some repairs and improvements. The Carlsbad city schools probably had the largest increase in the current budget. Supt. W. G. Donley of Carlsbad will add eight more teachers to the Carlsbad faculty another year to care for the increased enrollment.

R. H. Grissom, state school budget officer, headed the group at the meeting Monday which included Vernon Tolle, New Mexico Education association executive secretary; Manuel Baca, of the state taxpayers association; J. E. Owens of the Santa Fe railroad, and Dr. Douthett of the state public health bureau.

### POPPY DAY MAY 26TH

Plans have been made by the American Legion Auxiliary to have the annual "Poppy Day" sales on May 26th, which is the last Saturday before Memorial day. A canvass of both business and residential district will be made. The public is asked to cooperate in helping to make this day a success.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sarvey Tuesday.

## CARLSBAD BARBER IS STABBED SUNDAY

Fredrico Munoz, Carlsbad barber, was in a serious condition at a Carlsbad hospital after a stabbing fracas shortly after 9:00 o'clock Sunday night.

When a physician reached Munoz he had lost a considerable amount of blood and was very weak. The physician stated that he believed Munoz would recover.

Officers are looking for a man who Munoz is said to have stabbed him.

This man is said to have chased Munoz a considerable distance and then to have stabbed him in the left shoulder. He was taken to La Caverna hotel where Sheriff Walter McDonald was called.

John Plowman, Hope sheepman, was trading in town Monday. Mr. Plowman, who drove his sheep to the Sacramento river area, says he has had a poor lambing season.

## OIL MEN WANT THE THOMAS MEASURE TO CONTROL OIL FLOW

Local oil operators are supporting the Thomas bill one hundred percent, aimed to control the production of crude oil. This bill now in the hands of the committee, provides for the orderly development of crude oil, under federal supervision under a joint agreement with the state. This measure, if passed, will result in a unified and effective system of stabilizing production.

Operators point out that the fact that the so-called hot oil producers in east Texas are fighting the bill, is sufficient evidence some sort of regulation is needed. Hopes are held that the Thomas bill may become a law before the close of the present session of national congress.

## CHANGE IN SCHEDULE OF THE NORTH BOUND PASSENGER TRAIN

News has been received here of a change in the schedule of the north bound Santa Fe passenger effective May 20th. The north bound passenger will leave Carlsbad at 11:00 a. m., arrive here at 11:55 a. m. and arrive at Clovis at 4:20 p. m. The change in the one way schedule was made necessary by the fact that the Santa Fe has cut several hours running time from its No. 9 train, on the main line running from Chicago to Los Angeles. The new schedule will enable passengers to make connection with the west bound train No. 9 at Clovis.

C. O. Brown, agent, said yesterday he had received no official information about the new change. Announcement of the change in the Santa Fe's schedule both on the main line and this division was made at Amarillo, Texas, Tuesday.

## OVER ONE MILLION DOLLARS GIVEN TO FOUNDATION FUND

WASHINGTON—A million dollar check was received by President Roosevelt yesterday and turned over to Georgia Warm Springs foundation for the relief of infantile paralysis victims.

The check totaling \$1,003,030.98 to be exact—represented the proceeds from the hundreds of Roosevelt birthday parties held throughout the country last January.

Surrounded by trustees of the Warm Springs foundation and sponsors of the parties in the east room of the White House, Mr. Roosevelt announced the trustees would set aside \$100,000 for a nation-wide study of infantile paralysis.

### TO THE WATER USERS AND CITIZENS OF ARTESIA

Each one of you have no doubt noticed a variation in water pressure and volume discharged from your water bibs during the week just past, and have wondered just what it was all about.

The water department has been at work taking proper care of your water works equipment in the cleaning and repainting the interior of your standpipe and we greatly appreciate your patience with us in regard to water service, as we found it very difficult to maintain the uniform pressure you have all enjoyed since your standpipe has been installed.

The painting job has been completed and the standpipe will be placed into service again in the next day or two, also you will perhaps notice a slight taste to the water you have not noticed before, as we shall chlorinate the first tank full of water as a safety measure, but do not be alarmed as no harmful chemicals will be used, so do not hesitate to use the water freely for all purposes.

Again thanking you for your patient endurance of interrupted service, we are at your service, GEO. FRISCH.

### REEMPLOYMENT OFFICE OPEN AGAIN

The Artesia Reemployment office is again open with Miss Frances Johnson in charge. Miss Johnson will supervise the work of this office three days per week from 9:00 to 12:00 m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Miss Lillian Hefflin is expected home for a week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hefflin. She is a student at the Draughon's Business College at Lubbock.

## FIVE NEW LOCATIONS MADE--SEVERAL NEW PRODUCERS FINISHED

### Jal is Hot Spot of Area Now; To Deepen One Well After Test and One to Try Nitro After 2nd Acid Test Fails.

The Jal district in southeastern Lea county is the hot spot of the oil area at the present time with three new locations made by the Continental Oil Co. Two other locations were staked in the Hobbs field. Continental Oil Co. has made a location for its A-13 No. 1 Sholes, SE sec. 13-25-36, its A-13 No. 2 Sholes, also in the SE sec. 13-25-36, and for its B-13 No. 3 NW sec. 13-25-36. The Repollo Oil Co. has also located its No. 3 Grimes in the NW sec. 28-18-34, and the Skelly Oil Co. has located its Turner No. 2 in the NW sec. 34-18-38.

Four wells have been tested in Lea county during the past week. The Continental Oil Co. has drilled in two wells. These include the Continental Oil Co., A. E. Meyers A-1, sec. 8-21-36, which was drilled to 3830 feet and completed for 39 barrels per hour flowing open. Preparations are being made to deepen this well. Continental Oil Co., Sholes No. 2-E, sec. 13-25-36, has been completed for twenty barrels, flowing through two-inch tubing with 3,500,000 feet of gas at 3325 feet.

General Crude is making a drill stem test on its Cushing No. 1 in sec. 23-24-36, from a total depth of 3311 feet. The Farnsworth B-29 of the Standoil Oil and Gas Co., sec. 7-26-37, tested 12,500,000 feet of gas from 2898 to 2960 feet. Total depth of the Farnsworth is 2980 feet. The Barnsdall Oil Corp. is preparing to shoot its Forest No. 1, sec. 24-25-36, with nitro glycerin after failure to obtain results from a second acid test. Total depth of the well is 3325 feet.

Texas Company, J. S. Lee No. 1, sec. 14-20-34, is still waiting on pipe line connections. Texas Company, Moberly No. 2, sec. 8-25-37, is flowing 60 barrels per day. Activity among the other Lea county wells includes: Repollo Oil Co., Stephens No. 1, sec. 13-25-36, drilling below 650 feet. Shell Petroleum Corp., 2-B State, sec. 33-18-38, waiting on cement at 296 feet. Atlantic Production Corp., State 2-B, sec. 8-21-36, waiting on water. Continental Oil Co., A. E. Meyers A-17 No. 3, sec. 17-21-36, derrick up. Tidewater Oil Co., Coleman No. 2, sec. 17-21-36, waiting on cement at 2885. Gypsy Oil Co., State No. 1, sec. 8-21-36, rigging. Noble Drilling Co., State No. 2, sec. 24-18-37, cemented casing at 212 feet.

The only Eddy county well reported this week was the Stovall and Marshall, Mellvain No. 1, sec. 6-25-27, drilling at 2,000 feet in salt.

### FERA REPRESENTATIVE HERE

Miss Mary B. Perry of Santa Fe, field representative of the FERA for New Mexico, spent Tuesday here arranging preliminaries connected with the new relief organization. Plans have been started to employ a county project manager and a social worker with the ultimate objective of making the needy self-sustaining.

### MISS PERRY SPEAKS TO ROTARIANS ON TUESDAY

Miss Mary B. Perry of Santa Fe, state representative of the FERA, was the principal speaker at the luncheon program of the Artesia Rotary club and discussed some of the phases of the work the FERA would undertake under the new plan.

### LAMBING IS NEARLY FINISHED--RANGES IN POOR CONDITION

Sheepmen of this section have practically finished the lambing season with good results. Some have secured a crop of eighty percent and better; others have made a lower average due to poor range conditions. April moisture did not bring the range condition up to the expected standard and where sheepmen moved sheep to the range with the expectation of plenty of green grass and weeds, disappointments have resulted.

The newly born lambs are making a rapid growth.

## POLICE COURT

Monday afternoon was a busy day in the Artesia police court with four defendants pleading guilty to various charges. Officers Vermillion and Floore arrested five people on the following charges: C. King, on charges of being drunk and disorderly. King was fined \$5.00 and costs after pleading guilty before Judge Ballard as charged. Babe Mann, charged with being drunk and disorderly, plead guilty and was fined \$5.00 and costs. Salvador Alanis, charged with possession of contraband whiskey, fined \$100.00 and costs. Mrs. Ethel Ables, charged with possession of contraband whiskey, fined \$100.00 and costs.

C. H. McCauley arrested here Saturday night and lodged in the city jail, was held on charge of the theft of an auto at Lubbock, Texas, in 1932. McCauley was taken to Lubbock Monday by Lubbock officers.

## TRANSIENT LABOR PROBLEM IS SERIOUS FOR WELFARE BOARD

The Artesia Chamber of Commerce and the local welfare office is experiencing increasing difficulties in keeping transient labor at a minimum and in balancing the transient and local labor. During the past week, we understand, more than six transient laborers have been employed on farms in this vicinity. The employer rarely seeks information as to whether or not the employee is local or where the employee is from. A large influx of transients have descended on the local welfare board recently and have created a problem. In some instances the prospective employee secures groceries until the job materializes.

Transient labor should not be employed unless the employer is in position to care for the laborer and his family after the employment period has passed. The welfare board has only a limited amount of funds which may be exhausted if care is not exercised.

Stress has also been placed on the announcement that the welfare board or reemployment office is in position to furnish any type of labor needed. The supply of local labor available is more than ample to care for calls during the busy farm season.

Closer cooperation is necessary if the reemployment problem is not to become a serious one. Call the welfare board at the Chamber of Commerce office if in need of labor.

## GENERAL NEWS BRIEFS

### Five Bills Dead

Five enactments of the special session apparently are dead as the result of remaining on the governor's desk unsigned past the constitutional limit which he previously said expired Friday. They were the lottery bill, two measures concerning bonding and accepting grants by the deaf and dumb school, a bill protecting the rights of Elephant Butte project and the eight-hour law repeal for the Las Vegas insane asylum workers.

### Santa Rosa Asphalt Plant Badly Damaged by Fire

SANTA ROSA—Fire started by flying sparks from a welder's torch completely destroyed the storage bin and crushing and mixing plants of the Santa Rosa Rock Asphalt company at the edge of the city early Saturday. The damage was estimated at \$30,000.

Firemen fought the blaze for several hours. Two men were slightly burned.

### Will Not Yield \$3,000,000

SANTA FE—The sales tax will not yield the three million dollars expected, Clinton P. Anderson said here Friday on his return from Arizona where he has been studying that state's tax.

Arizona realized \$67,000 the first month, he said, and now after 10 months has only reached \$119,000 a month. Anderson said the rate was lower in Arizona, being one and a half per cent, but the volume of business was greater. Anderson would not guess what the New Mexico tax would yield up to the first of May.

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## NEW MEXICO COTTON ALLOCATION 60,480 BALES FOR 1934-35

### Ninety-Three Percent of Eddy County Cotton is Under Contract--Tax of 50 Percent Placed on Cotton Not Exempt.

STATE COLLEGE, N. M.—New Mexico will be permitted to grow and market 60,480 bales of cotton tax free during the crop year 1934-35 under the provisions of the Bankhead bill which was recently signed by the president, according to the agricultural adjustment administration.

The act provides that the amount of cotton which may be harvested in the United States during the crop year 1934-35 and marketed exempt from the payment of the tax is limited to 10 million bales of 500 pounds net weight.

Contracting producers will receive tax exemption certificates in an amount approximately equal to the normal production on the acreage permitted under their contracts, depending upon the percentage which each grower has agreed to reduce his acreage. However, if a contract signer produces on his planted acreage more cotton than his allotment, the excess cotton will be subject to the tax.

Cotton producers who have not signed contracts will make application to county committees and receive an allotment upon approximately the same basis as those participating in the adjustment program. It was emphasized at the agricultural adjustment administration that while it would be impossible to determine exactly the allotment of individual producers for some time, the reduction sought by the Bankhead bill is near 35 percent of the average production of the five-year base period. The existing county production control associations will be utilized in making necessary adjustments in the individual allotments.

The Bankhead act places upon the bureau of internal revenue the duty of collecting the tax of 50 percent of the market value of cotton which has no exemption certificate.

Ninety-three percent of the cotton in Eddy county is under contract to the government enforcing a reduction of 37 percent as based on a five-year average. W. A. Wunsch, county agent, said Saturday.

Those under contract will receive a rental on their land which is withheld from production during this year and also during 1935.

The seven percent who did not sign contract will be forced to reduce their crops approximately 35 percent without being paid a rental.

The county committee which has charge of the approval and signing of contracts is composed of W. D. Bales, Walter Craft and M. W. Evans.

### MANN DRUG TAKES KELVINATOR AGENCY

The Mabie Lowrey Hardware Co., distributors for the Kelvinator electric refrigerator, announced yesterday that the local agency had been placed with the Mann Drug Co. The Kelvinator was previously handled by the McClay Furniture store, but was discontinued because this firm could not devote the time required for sales and service of Kelvinator.

The Mann Drug Co. will serve as distributor of the Kelvinator in addition to the Norge. Joe Hamann, who has recently opened headquarters at the Mann Drug Co., will specialize in repairing both electric refrigerators and radios.

### COMMISSIONERS SIT AS BOARD OF EQUALIZATION ON MONDAY

The Eddy county commissioners court met at Carlsbad Monday and sat as a board of equalization to hear complaints relative to tax valuations. There was only three protests filed on alleged excessive valuations, one from north Eddy county, one from Carlsbad and one from a non-resident.

While no estimate is available on corporate property, it is indicated that there may be a slight increase on other classes of property. All current bills were paid up to the first of May.

## GUY CHEVROLET CO. ROBBED OF \$408 AND WATCH THURS. NITE

A robber or robbers entered the garage of the Guy Chevrolet Co. sometime Thursday night and took about \$408.00 in money and an Elgin watch from the office safe. Entrance into the garage building was made through a rear window by breaking a 10 by 14 inch glass pane. The robber used tools found in the garage shop to knock the safe knob. The job was done while a light burned in the front office, the robber wrapped his tools in cloth to deaden the sound and evidently hid behind the office furniture while in the process of knocking the knob.

One man was arrested and placed in the city jail and is being held for investigation.

## WATER PATRONS TO PAY THE SALES TAX ON WATER BILLS

SANTA FE—Municipally owned utilities must assess the state sales tax, according to an opinion Monday by the attorney general's office.

The question was raised by Roswell on its water sales. The opinion Monday held that the tax was assessable on the business, except where it is sold to the state or other tax exempt body.

Assistant Attorney General Frank Patton Saturday afternoon held that the liquor stamp tax and the sales tax both were applicable to liquor. One is a private tax and the other an excise tax, he said. "Until this matter has been tested," he wrote Byron O. Beall, chief tax commissioner, who asked the opinion, "it is our suggestion that your department make an effort looking toward the collection of both taxes."

No definite plans had been formulated here for the collection of the sales tax on water rents, however, Mayor Hollis Watson said that if other municipalities over the state collected the tax on water rents, the same rule would be applied here.

## FIVE COUNTIES HAVE FILED APPLICATIONS FOR 368 CROP LOANS

Applications for emergency federal crop loans continue to come in rapidly. G. V. Clayton, field supervisor for this district, announced yesterday. The time for making these applications was extended from May 1st to 15th. So far in the five counties, a total of 368 applications have been filed and 301 checks received by the farmers.

Distribution of the applications and checks by counties follow:

County	Applications	Checks
Eddy	117	103
Chaves	150	119
Lincoln	64	59
Otero	20	11
Lea	17	9
Totals	368	301

### LUMBER YARDS TO CLOSE ON SATURDAY AT NOON

Beginning June 1, both the Kemp and Bib Jo Lumber companies will close at noon Saturday. This action conforms with the closing hours of other lumber yards over the valley.

### LAKE ARTHUR LAD HURT

J. B., son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Doyle of Lake Arthur, was painfully, but not seriously, hurt Tuesday afternoon when hit in the forehead by a swing. He was brought here for medical attention.

### TELEPHONE CASE APPEALED

At a special called meeting Saturday night, the Roswell city council voted to appeal what has been referred to in legal circles as the precedent making decision recently handed down by Judge Colin Neblett of Santa Fe in the federal district court for New Mexico whereby the city of Roswell was denied an enjoining order to force the removal of the equipment of the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company from the streets, public highways, and alleys of the city of Roswell.

The appeal will be taken to the U. S. court of appeals, and O. O. Askren, Roswell attorney, has been retained by the city on the case with Howard Buckley, Advocate Want Ads Get Results

## Baccalaureate Services To Be Held Here Sun. Evening

### The Rev. F. B. Howden to Deliver Sermon—Junior High Commencement is May 16 and Senior High Exercises May 17.

Baccalaureate services for the graduating class of the Artesia High School will be held at the Methodist church Sunday evening, May 13, at eight o'clock. The following program has been arranged:

Processional—High School Orchestra.  
Hymn—Congregation.  
Invocation—The Rev. Erwin G. Benson.  
Scripture—The Rev. A. C. Douglas.  
Announcements—Supt. W. E. Kerr.  
Offeratory, Violin Solo—Ann Neubeiser.  
Chorus—High School.  
Baccalaureate Sermon—The Rev. F. B. Howden, Jr.  
Hymn—Congregation.  
Benediction—The Rev. A. C. Douglas.  
Recessional—High School Orchestra.  
Members of the Senior class are:

Casper Fulton, Mattie George, Woodrow Williams, Ernest Hannah, Jr., G. C. Denton, Ada Kennedy, Martin Yates, III, Lynn Shelton, Ethel Cave, Cecil Holeman, Leonard Vandever, Laura Bullock, Roy Angell, Gladys Thompson, Charles Brown, Thos. Hoffman, Farrell Vanclue, Emery Champion, Dawn Hornbaker, June Carper, Glenna McLean, Frank Clowe, Bennie Juarez, Dorothy Kuykendall, Cara Mae Marable, Dennis Bivins, Peggy Brainerd, Leonard Walker, Earl Schneider, Donald Fanning, Loreta Hill, Lillie Mae Miller, Margaret Douglas, Laura Belle McCaw, Marshall Rowley, Leon Chambers, Richard Hnulik, Carney Heard, Lamar Johnson.

We also learn that the high school and junior high school commencement programs have been moved up one day. The junior high school graduates will present an operetta "The Tea House of Sin Loo" at the Central school auditorium on Wednesday evening, May 16th, and the high school commencement program will occur on Thursday evening, May 17th.

### AUDIOMETER TESTS

Mrs. Edith Hardy, county health nurse, with Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health officer, Tuesday started audiometer tests among the pupils of the local schools. The purpose is to test the hearing of pupils and determine the number with defective vision. Tests so far have been very satisfactory according to Mrs. Hardy.

The testing instrument was loaned by the New Mexico Health Department and as many schools as possible will be visited before it is necessary to return the instrument.

## WALLINGFORD HEADS N. M. HOTEL ASS'N

J. "Rufus" Wallingford, Artesia hotel manager, was elected president Monday of the newly organized New Mexico Hotel Men's association, meeting in Albuquerque.

Other officers selected at the close of the one-day convention were: Hugo Seaberg, Raton; Howard Farmer, Clovis; Carl Eklund, Clayton, vice-presidents.

Executive board: J. P. Murphy, Albuquerque; Guy W. Nickson, Roswell; Nat Gammon, Lordsburg; Miers C. Johnson, Carlsbad; D. D. Murphy, Albuquerque; J. J. Clark, Silver City; Thomas Doran, Las Vegas; David Cole, Santa Fe; William Randles, Tucuman, and Harold C. Miller, Carlsbad. The association named a code committee and drew up other plans for operation of the organization within the state.

Twenty-eight hotel men from over the state attended.

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### THE SALES TAX

Representative Greaser of Quay county, the Albuquerque Journal and others who are political minded are raising much political "whoopie" over the unjustness of the sales tax. At the same time Representative Greaser graciously offers to sacrifice himself on the political altar by stepping forward as a candidate for governor to save the state from our monstrous tax system. As a candidate for governor, Mr. Greaser has no constructive program to offer, all of his political fodder consists of destructive criticism to bait the ignorant.

The sales tax wasn't supposed to convert New Mexico into a land of Utopia. It has its faults just like any other system of taxation. But when the old system breaks down, what is to be done? This is the question the voters of this section will ask Mr. Greaser and other anti-sales tax radicals, when they come asking for support during the general election.

The ad valorem tax failed to supply revenue needed in a crisis because property was a liability rather than an asset and further because ownership of property is too restricted in a state that has a liberal exemption law and where about three-fourths of its area is either owned by the state or the federal government.

The politicians tell us that liquor, oil and potash ought to be made to supply revenue needed to keep the schools open, but so far the Lane liquor law has been a sore disappointment, all of the rosy pre-campaign estimates to the contrary. Oil is already taxed one hundred and twenty-five percent, according to authentic estimates, and potash, a new industry for southeastern New Mexico, pays its portion of the ad valorem tax and in addition, both the oil and potash industries pay two percent, while other minerals are required to only one-fourth of one percent under the present sales tax law. Yet so far as we know, both oil and potash operators pay the sales tax cheerfully, believing that it is the logical revenue producer, if properly administered.

A resident of Eddy county tells of one school district where seventy pupils attend school and only two patrons are taxpayers. There are numerous salaried people living in practically every community in Eddy county, who own no property, but who are glad to pay the sales tax to support a government that affords them both protection and a common school education for their children. These and other examples may be cited in support of the sales tax now being tried in about twenty-two states.

Instead of giving ear to aching of some office seeker, it is high time the intelligent citizen do a little constructive thinking for himself. For several years it has been plain to numbers of people that the idea of trying to support a Lincoln on a model T income isn't in the cards and that the way to lower taxes was to spend less.

### HUNTING CRIMINALS

It is heartening to note that both the government and the people are taking a renewed interest in tracking down its public enemies, the gangsters and criminals. These characters through their years of experience in organizing and equipping themselves so far have had officers at a serious disadvantage. They have taken advantage of the public apathy to build one of the strongest clans the nation has attempted to stamp out and in addition the criminals have up to now had the benefit of much subtle sentiment.

A \$5,000 reward has been offered for the capture of Dillinger, public enemy No. 1. The average citizen, however, aware of the character of Dillinger, has no desire to put forth any effort for this reward. He knows how dangerous it may be. Dillinger is more dangerous than any rattlesnake that ever crawled the range. If and when he is captured, he will have the benefits of red tape and legal mesh, whereas the snake is usually executed without any delay. He had already been responsible for the death of several men, including federal agents, but the federal government at the present time cannot even strike back. It must look to the state in which a federal agent is killed to mete out punishment for Dillinger if he is captured. Furthermore, the government is also at a disadvantage in the matter of equipment for fighting its enemies. It is only recently government agents and officers have had the benefit of anything in the nature of a bullet-proof vest, a bullet-proof windshield, or even an airplane.

The problem is not one of the federal government alone, but of every community and hamlet of the United States. Cities and communities, with a rare exception, are under-policed and the officers and under-equipped.

Furthermore, the public should be awakened to the fact that officers are not born, but made, through years of service and experience. If we expect the maximum service from our police force, regardless of where we live, this service must come from men trained in their duties and men who know something about the ways of criminals.

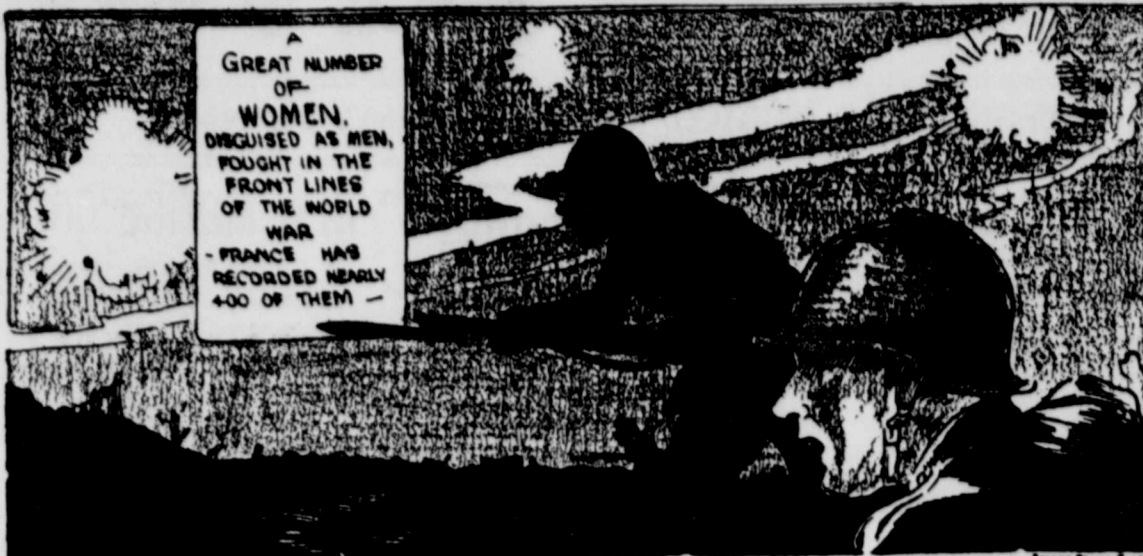
### CO-OPERATION

It ain't the bolts nor rivets,  
Nor the ship that is on the way,  
But the close co-operation  
That makes us win the day;  
It ain't the individual  
Nor the company as a whole,  
But the everlasting team work  
Of every bloomin' soul.

Parents had better be careful about how they instruct their children about writing to Santa Claus for a little sister or brother, or they'll be receiving one of those laboratory babies.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

The humiliating thing about it is that the youth who thinks he knows more than his parents, so often does.

## Odd—but TRUE



### PICKED UP ON MAIN

Paul Otts, city clerk, hopes the fish will see the light now that he has rigged up a new line with three hooks and a light between the three hooks so the fish can see how to bite. This may be a good idea, provided the light is not a red one.

Coach Allen has found a new use for his tennis racket. Since he quit playing tennis he uses his racket to strain potatoes with.

A wizened little Irishman applied for a job loading a ship. At first they told him he was too small, but finally they gave him a trial. He seemed to be making good, so they gradually increased the size of his load until he was carrying a 300-pound anvil under each arm. When he was half-way across the gangplank it broke and Pat fell in. With a great splashing and spluttering he came to the surface.

"Trow me a rope!" he shouted, and again sank. A second time he rose to the surface.

"Trow me a rope!" he shouted again. Once more he sank, but rose struggling.

"Say!" he sputtered angrily, "if one uv you shpalleens don't hurry up and trow me a rope I'm goin' to drop one of these things!"

There was a young lady of Cheddar  
Whose complexion grew redder  
and redder,  
And the cause, if you please,  
Was the strong Cheddar cheese  
Upon which her relations had feddar!

Two spiders met on a dusty cornice.

"How are you getting on?"

"Terribly. It is heart-breaking with their vacuum cleaners and energetic housemaids—I am always disturbed. How are you?"

"Very well. I've made my home in an offertory box in a church."

Under the constitution every resident is entitled to own a dog. On the other hand the housewife is entitled to have a flower garden, but the two don't mix very well.

We heard of these fellows who could hit the bull's eye every shot, either in a speech or with a gun, but usually somebody has to pay for the bull.

A Quaker went to war.

He was reluctant about going to war, but he went.

In a great battle he was brave as any man could be.

Coming up to the enemy's lines, he called out to an enemy soldier, "Friends, 'tis unfortunate for thee, but thou standest just where I am going to shoot."

And then he blazed away.

When the colored couple were being married by the clergyman and the words, "Love, honor and obey" were spoken, the bridegroom interrupted.

"Read that again, suh. Read it once mo' so's de lady kin ketch de full solemnity ob de meanin'." I've been married befoh.—Exchange.

A minister married a couple.

"How much?" said the groom.

"Whatever you think it's worth," said the minister.

The man hesitated, fumbled,

### HEALTH COLUMN

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

**Mother's Day**  
What shall Mother's Day mean in 1934? Shall it be just an occasion for flowers and candy and a flutter of congratulatory osculation? Or shall we give it a real significance? Shall we make it a rallying ground for those who would do something lasting for New Mexico mothers?

A mother's dearest treasure is her baby. Could we make it a little safer for babies in New Mexico, how much enduring happiness might we not bring to our homes! This state has the highest infant death rate in the nation.

Your county health officer and public health nurse will tell you how—will help you. But you must help them too. This year New Mexico is spending \$35,000 less on its health services than it spent last year—a reduction of 18 percent. There was a depression. What about next year? Shall we determine on Mother's Day that the mothers and their babies shall be the first (not the last) to be lifted out of the depression? Will you see that your county commissioners know what you wish?

"Information for Expectant Mothers" is published both in English and Spanish by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. "Prenatal Care" is a very valuable pamphlet put out by the Children's Bureau of the U. S. Department of Labor in English only. Either of these pamphlets may be obtained from your county health department or from the State Bureau of Public Health at Santa Fe.

### NO CHANGE IN 1933 INCOME TAXES

SANTA FE—Amendments to the 1933 income tax law, adopted by the special session of the legislature, will have no effect on 1933 incomes, Byron O. Beall, chief tax commissioner, stated Thursday. The amendments will govern income tax payments for the current year, but these payments are not due until April 15 of 1935, Beall said.

### SUMMER USHERED IN ON MAY 6TH

Real summer weather was ushered in last Sunday, the warmest day of the present season. The high temperature registered for the day was 99 degrees with a fifty degree minimum.

then handed him fifty cents. The minister was a good sport. He fumbled, hesitated, then counted out twenty cents in change.

An Irishman, who was an eligible bachelor, visited a widow in his district every evening and had tea with her. A friend suggested that he should marry the lady.

"I have often thought about it," he said, "but where should I spend my evenings then?"

Bunny Flint, star salesman for the State Oil Service, is working out a new device for extracting the sales tax out of the Scotch population. He is using a product from the new compound plant, which he says will help.

### FISH STOCKED IN WATERS OF PECOS VALLEY BY STATE

Carrying on the work of replenishing the supply of fish in New Mexico waters, the state game and fish commission has authorized the placing of 2,500 brood crappie in the public waters of the upper Pecos valley.

### EIGHT COMMUTATIONS SIGNED BY GOVERNOR

Eight commutations were signed by Governor Hockenull Saturday. Claude Deane, sentenced from Chaves county to 71 to 79 years, got a commutation to a minimum of 15 years.

Jose B. Romero, Taos, sentenced to 20 to 50 years, to 10 years. Ernesto Apodaca, Dona Ana, sentenced to 50 to 60, to 19 years and two months.

Norman Akin, Roosevelt, sentenced to 25 to 30 years, to 14 years and 8 months.

Jonas de Arman, Otero, sentenced to 3 to 4 years, to 1 year and 10 months.

Eustacio Mata, Catron, sentenced to 3 to 5 years, to 1 year and 7 months.

Bernardo Padilla, San Miguel, to 40 to 50 years, to 15 years.

Manuel Sena, Bernalillo, from 6 to 8 years, to 1 year and 10 months.

Adding Machines For Sale or Rent—The Advocate.

### DR. GAINES

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### NEWS BRIEFS OF THE CHAMBER COMMERCE

"As Your Chamber of Commerce Is So Is Your City"

The Chamber of Commerce has assumed the responsibility for the administration, office space and clerical work for the local re-employment division of the Eddy-Lea-Chaves district and has placed a clerk in the office each day in the week from 9:30 to 12:00 in the morning. Office space has been secured in the Bullock building located south of the Artesia hotel. The room has been renovated and furniture installed. We ask the consideration of the public in this matter of reemployment. We want every eligible unemployed man in the vicinity to see that his name is registered in order that our locality shall have its full representation on work projects. Please do not use the building as a loafing place, but come, ask your questions, read the bulletin boards and make room for someone else.

A garden project of eleven acres on the A. T. Woods farm is well under way with seed beds prepared and planting largely done. Tom Spivey is in charge of this project and employs a number of men each day from the local relief roll.

A number of years ago the Chamber of Commerce secured a large tract of land in the Sacramento mountains at considerable expense and later gave this land to the Methodist church, South, for an assembly ground. While considerable construction has been going on during the past years, the enlargement of the service this present season and the magnitude of the program that is actually under construction is startling. The services rendered by the chamber is going to bring good dividends to our own locality in terms of personal satisfaction and enjoyment as well as assistance to the churches throughout the southwest in providing a training area for its youth.

A committee composed of M. W. Evans, chairman, representing the public; W. A. Wunsch, the county agent, and W. B. McCrory of the Welfare committee, has been appointed to secure acreage for the government small farms. Five tracts have been secured and options on them secured and a project looking forward to the actual settlement of fifty or more of our distressed families has been set up and has already received the initial approval of the state office. This is our major program in rehabilitation.

Last week three representatives from the local Artesia Welfare committee met with a like number from the Carlsbad committee and with the county commissioners organized as a County Welfare committee. This committee will have charge of all work projects within the county and the relief problem in general but will have no supervision or control over the farm program. The chairman of the committee is Richard M. Thorne; vice-chairman, G. R. Brainard; secretary, J. R. Ogden. This committee is to meet again this Thursday to complete the program.

It will perhaps be interesting to know of our present relief load. We have under our care at the present time 204 families, of which 69 are white and 134 are Mexicans, with a total of 1,004 dependents. Of these 204 families we rate 151 as worthy, 8 as unworthy, 20 as too sick or too old to make a living and 24 as widows. We propose to place 25 of the white families and 35 of the Mexican families on the government plots within the next six months.

An index of business conditions is shown in the chart that has been prepared by the Western Union of the Artesia office, based upon the business that this office has done in the years of 1932-33. The highest points in the chart are those of July '32 and February '33, both of which have reached the same point since from February '33 to April '34. There has been a steady decline in the graft reaching the high point by far for a number of years and have since July '33 there has been no bottom touching even the highest point since February '32. This is a very encouraging indication.

Visitors during the past week included J. M. Stewart of Toledo, Ohio, and Homer Powers, acting supervisor of rural rehabilitation.

#### CARLSBAD MAN DIES

Abram Nott Pratt, 85 years old, prominent Carlsbad business man, died Sunday morning at a Carlsbad hospital. The grand lodge of Masons of New Mexico held a special communication at 8:45 Tuesday morning to conduct funeral ceremonies. Pratt was grand master of the grand lodge and was a pioneer in Masonry in the state.

### Eddy County Farm News

Due to the heavy infestation of grasshoppers in the west the past few years the etymologists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture has been doing much experimental work with bait. The new bait calls for substituting oil for the molasses and water which are mixed with bran and white arsenate to make the bait now used for grasshopper control.

The bait mixed with molasses and water dries out very quickly and does not keep long after being mixed. As no one can exactly forecast the time the grasshoppers feed, the new bait should prove successful as the oil mixture remains moist and flaky for several days, thus retaining its attractiveness for the grasshoppers. Even the very small hoppers can chew the small flakes, also there is no great haste in getting the poison on the ground and the farmers are not limited to a very few hours in the evening to put out the bait. The bait can even be put on while the grasshopper eggs are hatching and thus catch the young hoppers when leaving the hatching ground. The new bait does not deteriorate with storage, however, molasses bait sometimes molds or becomes hard. Lubricating oil has proven as effective as vegetable or high grade mineral oil, thus, the cost of the bait is not increased. This bait can also be used for cut worms, which are now quite active.

The regular formula for grasshopper or cut worms is made as follows: Mix 20 pounds of wheat bran with one pound white arsenate or paris green. Add finely ground pulp and juice of six oranges or (banana oil is sometimes used). Add one quart molasses to this mixture then moisten well with water using around three gallons of water to this amount. In the new bait the same formula is used except no molasses or water is used and sufficient oil is used to moisten the mixture.

County Agent Wunsch has received a number of inquiries in regard to the profit of pasture used on lands during the summer. The following report shows the result of a sheep feeding experiment in Indiana, which compared the cost and profit of sheep and lambs on pasture and dry lot feeding. The first group of ewes and lambs were fed on pasture and nothing else. The second group was on pasture and the lambs were given shelled corn. The third group both the ewes and lambs received shelled corn as well as being on pasture. The fourth group were fed on the dry lot receiving alfalfa and corn.

When the lambs were marketed the results showed that the pasture fed lambs had the best market finish of any of the groups and showed a better profit than any of the other three lots. Lot No. 1, the lambs made \$10.05 per head more than the feed costs. The dry lot lambs made only \$3.40 per head over feed costs. The cost of pasture feeding was calculated on the basis of fair value of good land required to grow the pasture that the sheep needed if they were to make gains and finish. D. H. Spencer, the bureau man in charge, stated that if poor pasture was used it would be necessary to use a grain in connection with the pasture.

Due to the dry weather the ranges are in poor shape and some of the farmers who have a large acreage of land that they cannot plant to cotton and have not been able to rent to the secretary can make good use of this land by planting sudan grass this summer and using oats and barley for fall

### Make Her Happy on Mother's Day

If you can't be with your mother on Mother's Day, May 13, telephone your greeting.

It will mean a great deal to her to hear your voice.

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pasture, thus making a fair return on their land without high labor costs.

Now is the time to plant sudan grass for pasture and this year when the farmers have rented good tillable land to the government and are allowed to seed this land to pasture he will have a chance to find out the full value of pasture on good land. Experiments carried on by the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, A. T. Woods and the County Extension Agent, on the A. T. Woods farm some years ago showed that sudan grass would actually produce on good soil eight tons of dry forage per acre, figuring the amount of moisture loss after the green feed was cut this grass would have produced approximately 18 tons of green feed per acre. This would keep two cows during the eight months that the crop was growing. It has also been demonstrated that horses pastured on sudan grass will do good work and do not show the weakness as when pastured on alfalfa.

The housewife has just as important part to play in the successful management of a farm as the farmer. If she shirks her part everyone else is affected just as much as if the farmer does not produce a good crop. One way in which she can help is by canning. Now is the time to plan for the summer's work. Fresh fruits and vegetables will be in season and all that cannot be used should be canned. At least arrangements for canning sufficient supplies for the winter should be made. By proper management the farm housewife can plan her meals for about one-half of the cost of the food if she bought in small quantities throughout the year. This will not only save money, but in many cases it will save the health of the entire family, because without a doubt people who are properly fed are happier and healthier than the undernourished individual.

Now is the time to can extra asparagus. Save it for next winter and it will give variety to your meals, also it will be nice for cool salads during the hot summer months.

Asparagus for canning must be fresh and tender. Pick it over carefully, discard any spoiled pieces, sort according to size, and wash carefully. Tie the pieces into uniform bundles and stand them with cut portion down and tips up in a sauce pan. Cover the tough portion only with boiling water, place tight cover on kettle, and boil four or five minutes. If cut in this way, the asparagus is packed into the jars with the tips up.

If preferred, the asparagus may be cut in half-inch lengths, enough water added to cover, and boiled for four or five minutes. Pack asparagus boiling hot in glass jars or plain tin cans. Cover with the water in which it was boiled, and add one teaspoon of salt to each quart. Process immediately at 10 pounds pressure for 40 minutes in quart glass jars, 35 minutes in pint glass jars, and 30 minutes in No. 2 or No. 3 plain tin cans.

Any one desiring further information may secure the same from W. A. Wunsch, county extension agent. This is the first of a series of articles which will

### Smilin' Charlie Says -



"It may be that the man who has climbed to the top doesn't talk very much because of the seclusion he's grown accustomed to."

### HABITS OF EARLY ANIMAL ARE TOLD

NEW YORK—Some 200,000,000 years ago a dinosaur sat down to rest in what is now the painted desert of Arizona. It began to rain, so the dinosaur got up and walked off.

That incident and others like it are to be studied by Dr. Barnum Brown, curator of fossil reptiles of the American Museum of Natural History, who announced Sunday that he would investigate dinosaur tracks in the southwest and northwest which may lead to the discovery of new species of prehistoric monsters.

As head of the American Museum-Sinclair dinosaur expedition, financed by Harry F. Sinclair, Dr. Brown will excavate the fossil bones of two new saurpods skeletons from their rocky beds and will investigate tracks in Wyoming and Utah.

"Those imprints may disclose the whereabouts of the creatures that were about at the time when the giant reptiles were lords of the realm—a matter of 100,000,000 years ago," he said.

As for the dinosaur sitting, Dr. Brown explained:

"There was a three-toed dinosaur with long hind legs and short front legs walked across a muddy flat—a creature estimated from the track series as having a height of 11 feet. He had made 13 steps and then crouched down, leaving the impression of the hip bones between the two large hind feet and the tiny little imprints of the short front feet.

"Then it began to rain. The drops of water made little craters in the mud. The dinosaur didn't like the rain on its face, so it got up and walked out of our horizon. This incident happened 200,000,000 years ago, yet it is as vivid as though made but yesterday."

be published by the agent for the housewife.

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### REESE INTERPRETS LANE LIQUOR LAW

A written opinion of District Attorney George L. Reese, Jr., concerning his interpretation of the Lane liquor law will be of interest to our readers. The opinion follows:

Due to various factors, there seems to be some confusion regarding the proper construction and application of the Lane law as applied to sales of liquor by the drink. Inasmuch as the last legislature has seen fit to continue this law in operation and effect, and in order that all interested persons may be advised as to the construction which has been placed upon it by the district attorney's office, an effort will be made to clarify the matter herein. Compliance with the law as herein construed should be made forthwith or proper action will be forced to compel such compliance.

The intent of the Lane law is to prohibit the sale of alcoholic liquors by the drink except with meals. In other words, the saloon of the old days is not contemplated or permitted by the terms of the act.

Only persons who are the proprietors of hotels where meals are regularly served and of restaurants and cafes where meals are likewise regularly served, are entitled to obtain a license to sell liquor by the drink. Therefore, it may be stated absolutely that if any person is now selling liquor by the drink who is not maintaining a place where meals are regularly served, he is not entitled to keep his license and is violating the liquor law when he sells by the drink.

The law further requires that after license has been obtained by the proprietor of a hotel, restaurant or cafe that liquor shall not be sold by the drink except with the meals regularly served in such place and that the liquor is to be sold only to be consumed with said meals on the premises.

Much has been said and many questions have been asked as to what is meant by a "meal." It has been said that a sandwich may be a meal to one person, where another might demand ham and eggs, roast beef, or some of the other many varieties of food.

The exact definition of a meal is in the opinion of this office immaterial. When the word is read in connection with the terms of the act it clearly refers to such food as a person desiring food would ordinarily expect to obtain at an ordinary restaurant or cafe. Whether a purchaser of a meal buys a sandwich, an order of ham and eggs, or a vegetarian dinner, is likewise immaterial

#### GAS TAX PAYS OFF

SANTA FE—State gasoline tax collections for April show a gain over the same month last year according to figures released by the gasoline tax collection office. Collections for April this year were \$189,998.96 compared with \$175,350.40 for the same month a year ago.

when the legality of the sale of liquor is concerned.

The test, in our opinion, which must be employed is whether or not the selling of the meal is the prime consideration, or whether it is a mere subterfuge to disguise the sale of liquor. In other words, a bona fide cafe or restaurant service must be maintained, and the sale of food must be the main business. It is not lawful to sell intoxicating liquor and set out a sandwich, when the seller and the buyer know that the purpose of the transaction is to sell and drink intoxicating liquor without regard to hunger.

The proprietor cannot lawfully sell liquor to any person who calls for it unless such person has ordered a meal, and if the purchaser does not eat his meal, in our opinion, the conclusion must be drawn that he has ordered it as a subterfuge. If the proprietor continues to serve liquor to such a purchaser who does not eat, he must be held to be cognizant of what he does, and in our opinion law is the main consideration, and suggest that it should not be difficult to determine whether a saloon or a cafe is being operated. Unless the proprietors of the various places serving liquor can distinguish the difference, action by this office is imperative.

(Signed) G. L. REESE, JR., District Attorney.

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The facilities for making change, transferring funds from one point to another by check or draft, the trusteeship of funds and property, together with certain advisory functions are by-products of the main banking service.

A bank is also a cooperative enterprise to the extent that it uses both the depositor's and stockholders' funds for the benefit of all. Its methods are regulated, its decisions affected, by responsibility to the depositor, the borrower, the stockholder, the government, and the community at large.

Practically every act in our lives involves the use of money and credit. It is but natural, therefore, that banks and banking should be important to us—and every one should be better acquainted with them.

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# Social Activities

## RICHARDS-JOHNS ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Entirely delightful and colorful was the informal party given Saturday evening by Mrs. J. A. Richards and Mrs. Roy Spivey at the home of Mrs. Richards, announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Bertha Richards to Jack E. Johns on June 3rd.

The spacious rooms of the home were lovely with masses of pink and white roses, snapdragons, peonies, with drooping spikes of ferns.

Upon the arrival of all guests it was announced that they were about to witness one of the important social affairs of the city of Artesia. With Mrs. Richards at the piano a wedding march was played softly while little Miss Phyllis Bartlett, appropriately dressed as a minister carrying a small bible, entered from the south, little Miss Dorothy Linell, dressed as a bride with long flowing veil and an exquisite bridal bouquet, entered from the east, Albert Linell, as the groom in full black dress suit, came from the west and met the bride before a bowery of flowers where an impressive ring ceremony was read uniting Miss Bertha Richards to Jack E. Johns, to be known as man and wife after June 3rd.

Six tables were then set up and auction bridge played until a late hour. Miss Lucille Rowley received the beautiful high score prize, Miss Kathleen Newman the consolation, a lovely guest prize was presented to Miss Richards, honor guest, wrapped with white tissue, tied with pink and white ribbon. This gift bore a miniature bridal bouquet of tiny bride's roses and baby breath.

Dainty refreshments were served in two courses to the following guests who shared this compliment with Miss Richards: The Misses Mary Woods, Beulah Strang, Lucille Morris, Kathleen Newman, Jean Macdonald, Violet Robertson, Elsie Palmateer, Ella Brown, Winifred Deterick, Lucille Rowley, Lucille Forsythe, Katherine Peterson, Myrtle Burrows, Edna Drury, Alma Thompson, Helen Bullock, Mary Jane Williams, Mary Jackson, Ethel Bullock, Juanita Richards, Mmes. Kenneth Williams, C. R. Blocker, Fletcher Collins and Joe Hamann.

## MRS. T. C. BIRD COMPLIMENTED THURSDAY

The business meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society was held at the home of Mrs. E. T. Jernigan last Thursday instead of the usual custom, at the church parlor.

Mrs. George Frisch presided during the short business session in which Mrs. W. S. French assisted Mrs. A. C. Douglas, led the devotionals. At the close of the session they were joined by members of the Young Woman's Circle for a social hour, with Mrs. T. C. Bird, president of the Circle, as honor guest.

Mrs. Howard Whitson, with Mrs. Jack Spratt at the piano, rendered a lovely violin solo and Mary Baird gave two delightful readings. Mrs. Bird, who with her husband, will be leaving for California at the close of the school term, was presented a shower of gifts from both the adult society and the circle, in appreciation of her faithful work with these organizations.

A delicious ice course was served by the hostesses Mmes. Jernigan, I. C. Dixon, John McCann, Reed Brainard, E. B. Bullock, Landis Feather and Roger Durand, to about thirty guests.

## DISTRICT MEET OF BAPTIST W. M. U.

The quarterly district meeting of the association of the Baptist Women's Missionary Union was held at the Baptist church in Carlsbad Monday.

Mrs. Carter Wright of Birmingham, Alabama, a well known woman in the southern missionary circles, and Miss Charlotte Burnette of Albuquerque, state secretary of the W. M. U., were the principal speakers.

Delegates and visitors were in attendance from Roswell, Hagerman, Loving, Dexter, Otis, Artesia and Carlsbad.

Artesia ladies in attendance were: Mmes. C. M. Cole, B. D. Wilson, Andrew Beard, W. B. Porch, E. Scoggins, Buford Gray and Miss Ina Cole.

## LADIES ENTERTAINS HUSBANDS THURSDAY

The W. M. S. of the Calvary Baptist church entertained their husbands with a weiner roast at the Oasis last Thursday night and an enjoyable hour was reported by all who attended.

## Social Calendar

TELEPHONE 299

### FRIDAY

Bridge of the Month meets with Mrs. J. Harvey Wilson at 1:00 p. m.

Friday Evening Bridge club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett at 7:30 p. m.

W. C. T. U. meets with Mrs. E. A. Paton at 2:30 p. m.

Past Noble Grand club meets with Mrs. Harve Muncy at 7:30 p. m.

### MONDAY

American Legion Auxiliary meets at the hut at 12:30 p. m., covered dish luncheon.

### TUESDAY

The Idlewhites Bridge club meets with Mrs. Jim Berry at 2:00 p. m.

Tuesday Evening Bridge club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Watson at 7:00 p. m.

First Afternoon Bridge club meets with Mrs. John Lanning at 2:30 p. m.

### WEDNESDAY

Book Club meets with Mrs. W. E. Flint at 2:00 p. m.

### THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The Presbyterian Missionary Society meets with Mrs. W. E. Kerr at 2:30 p. m.

M. E. Missionary Society meets with Mrs. I. C. Keller at 2:30 p. m.

## FIRST CONCERT OF WOMAN'S CHORAL CLUB

One of the most interesting events of the year for lovers of fine music, is the concert to be given by the Artesia Woman's Choral club, at the roof garden of the Artesia hotel on Friday evening, May 18th, at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Mark A. Corbin, who directs the chorus, is one of the state's most eminent musicians. For the past several years Mrs. Corbin has served a music chairman for the State Federation of Women's Clubs. She has devoted the greater part of her life to the study of music in its various phases.

A high point of the evening's entertainment is the presentation of Mrs. V. L. Gates as the soloist of the organization. She will sing the aria, "Ah, Forse Lui," from the opera La Traviata, by Verdi. Mrs. Gates has been prominent in the music circles of the Pecos valley and has long charmed her hearers with the bell-like quality of her voice.

Another organization to be presented at this time is the trio composed of Mrs. Gates, Mrs. Jack Spratt and Mrs. Corbin. They will sing a group of varied types of music. Mrs. Spratt, a comparative newcomer to Artesia, has the distinction of having been soloist at the spring festival of music at the University of New Mexico for two years.

The choral concert is the culmination of a year's study and ardent work by these women who wish to popularize good music for the sake of its social and cultural advantages. Members of the chorus are all able musicians who have had definite training in voice and a thorough understanding of music. The program is a well balanced one of old masters and modern choral writers.

On Christmas day the organization made its debut in the cantata, "Bethlehem," at the Methodist church before a large and appreciative audience.

## P. E. O. HAS FINAL MEETING OF SEASON

Chapter J. P. E. O., held its last regular meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. J. H. Jackson last Friday afternoon. A program of stunts, with the charm of the unexpected, made the afternoon an unusually pleasant one. Perhaps the most surprising stunt was the serving of lovely refreshments by the two newest members—Mrs. R. G. Knoedler and Mrs. T. H. Flint—garbed as babies.

Plans were made to attend a luncheon given by Chapter A at Carlsbad on Wednesday at which time the musicians of Chapter J were to participate in the program.

A called meeting will be held to hear the reports of delegates to the state chapter meeting which will be held in Santa Fe the second week in June.

## WORTHY GRAND MATRON MAKES OFFICIAL VISIT

Mrs. Edith Turner of Silver City, worthy grand matron of the Order of the Eastern Star, arrived last Friday and visited in the city and nearby points until Thursday. She was accompanied by her daughter Mrs. Daniel, of El Paso.

Friday evening she was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Green when she made her official visit to Hagerman.

Saturday evening the official visit was made to the Lake Arthur chapter. The following local people visited the Lake Arthur chapter on this occasion: Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green, Mmes. J. M. Story, Jessie Morgan, T. S. Cox, John McCann, R. G. Knoedler and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Ferree.

Monday evening Mrs. Turner made her official visit to the local chapter. The lodge room was beautifully decorated with masses of summer flowers. The work was exemplified and a splendid address given by Mrs. Turner. Mrs. Hamm of Hagerman gave a poem of her own composition, which was a beautiful tribute to the order. Mr. Ferree, in his most gracious manner, presented Mrs. Turner with a lovely gift from the local chapter. There were visitors from Hope, Hagerman and Lake Arthur.

Delicious refreshments were served to about seventy-five members and guests at the close of the social hour which followed the lodge session.

Mrs. Turner and her daughter were entertained in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler and Mrs. Jessie Morgan during their stay in the city.

## BETTY FLINT HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. T. H. Flint was assisted by her daughter Miss Kitty in entertaining last Saturday afternoon, complimenting her small daughter, Betty, on her tenth birthday anniversary.

The honoree received a lovely shower of gifts. Games were played on the lawn and Rip Raps as favors added to the afternoon's amusement. A beautiful white cake decorated in pink, bearing ten pink birthday candles was served with ice cream to the following guests, who shared this compliment with Betty: Janice Mann, Barbara Wheatley, Charlene Martin, Helen Jean Evans, Mrs. Sue Hannah, Bettyne Lanning, Emma Louise Hardin, Jean Kennedy, Mary Evans, Katherine Richardson, Maxine Blakney, Peggy Jean Clarke and Delores Gilbert.

## YOUNG MOTHERS CLUB

Mrs. Bob McProud entertained members of the Young Mothers club at her home last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. John Dunn presided during the business session. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in entertaining their children with well-planned games, after which light refreshments were served.

Those present were: Mmes. John Dunn, Howard Gissler, Merrill Sharp, Boone Barnett, W. G. Cook and Marvel Archer.

## SECOND EVENING BRIDGE CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Compton entertained members of the Second Evening Bridge club at their home last Friday evening.

A delicious dinner menu was served at seven o'clock, buffet style. A pleasant evening of auction bridge followed. Those present were Messrs. and Mmes. F. G. Hartell, S. E. Ferree, Beecher Rowan, Jeff Hightower and Landis Feather.

## ENGRAVING—THE ADVOCATE

## SENIOR ACTIVITIES MANY AS YEAR CLOSSES

Last Thursday was Senior class day at the local high school. The following program was rendered in the assembly hall at 8:45 in the presence of the student body and a number of the parents.

Class song by the entire class with Miss Margaret Douglas at the piano. Class history, Miss Dawn Hornbaker; Class will, Earnest Hannah, Jr.; piano solo, Glenn McLean; class prophecy, Marshall Rowley; giftorian, Laura Bullock. The program was closed with a class song.

Monday evening the Misses Mattie George and Laura Bullock entertained with a class party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perley George.

Cards and dancing were enjoyed throughout the evening. Balloons and toy animals were used as favors when refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Those present were: The Misses Glenn McLean, Dawn Hornbaker, Gladys Thompson, Dorothy Sue Kuykendall, June Carper, Ethel Cave. The young men were: Casper Fulton, Martin Yates, III, Cecil Holeman, Richard Hulik, Leon Chambers, Dennis Bivens, G. C. Denton, Emery Champion, Earnest Hannah, Jr., Marshall Rowley, Tom Hoffman. Others were: J. Clarke Bruce, senior sponsor, and Mr. and Mrs. George.

Friday of this week will be Senior day at the high school. The affairs of the school will be run chiefly by the seniors for that particular day.

## MRS. SKELT WILLIAMS COMPLIMENTED TUESDAY

Mrs. John Dunn and Mrs. Elza Swift entertained Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Dunn, complimenting Mrs. Skelt Williams.

Members of the B. C. Bridge club of which Mrs. Williams is a member and a number of other guests were present. Masses of summer flowers were the only decoration used throughout the home.

At the close of five rounds of contract in which Mrs. Lloyd Simon received the high score prize and Mrs. Aubrey Watson the low prize, a beautiful basket of pink and blue filled with a lovely assortment of gifts was presented to the honor guest.

A most refreshing ice course was served to the following: Mrs. Skelt Williams, Mmes. Charles Morgan, Leland Price, Virgil Wells, John Williams, S. E. Ferree, Irvin Martin, Hollis Watson, Aubrey Watson, James Allen, Ed Gillispie, Rude Wilcox, Ed Gillispie, Boone Barnett, Albert Glasser, Kay Lydia, Roy Langston, John Rowland, Howard Williams, Francis Painter, P. V. Morris, and the following who were guests at the refreshment hour: Mmes. Joe Jesse, Dan Beckett, John Runyan and W. C. Martin.

## STEAK FRY AT COTTONWOOD FALLS

Miss Winifred Deterick, Miss Helen Bullock and John Richards entertained with a steak fry at Cottonwood Falls last Sunday afternoon. Their guests were Messrs. and Mmes. Kenneth Williams, Roy Spivey, Landis Feather, the Misses Ella Brown and Ethel Bullock, Howard Stroup and Stanley Carper.

## SENIORS ENTERTAINED

Loretha Grube and Bethel Gene Kuykendall entertained the senior B. Y. P. U. of the Calvary Baptist church with a lawn party last Friday night at the Grube home, two miles east of Artesia. After an enjoyable hour of singing and games refreshments were served to forty-five present.

## SURPRISE SHOWER FOR BRIDE-ELECT

Charmingly informal was the surprise shower complimenting Miss Bertha Richards, bride-elect, given Wednesday by Mrs. Kenneth Williams and Miss Winifred Deterick at the home of Mrs. Williams.

All guests were assembled upon the arrival of Miss Richards who had been invited to fill in for a few rounds of bridge. The lovely gifts were opened and admired before the session of auction bridge. A dainty ice course was served at the conclusion of the games by the hostesses.

Those complimenting the honor guest on this occasion were: The Misses Merrill Bradley, Elsie Palmateer, Lucille Morris, Beulah Strang, Mary Woods, Linna McCaw, Ella Brown, Edna Drury, Katherine Peterson, Myrtle Burrows, Lucille Forsythe, Mary Jane Williams, Mary Jackson, Violet Robertson, Glenn Polk, Alma Thompson, Ethel Bullock, Jean Macdonald, Helen Bullock, Mmes. Fletcher Collins, Joe Hamann, Roy Spivey and Albert Richards.

## SHOWER FOR MRS. EDD COOK

Mrs. Edd Cook was delightfully surprised Friday afternoon with a shower at the home of Mrs. A. H. Duncan, with Mrs. Merl Rody as co-hostess. The honoree was showered with many lovely gifts after which an enjoyable social hour was spent. Guests of the occasion were: Mmes. E. L. Young, Jim Lauderdale, Jim Pressley, Nora Richardson, Ansley, Watson, Gillispie, Harrell, H. L. Wilkinson, Dan Bynum, Cecil Bynum, Clarence Grimlan, E. A. Paton, Starkey, Abe Conner, Joe Jesse, W. C. Martin, Alvin Payne, John Brown, Mary Abbott, Bob Archer, Sarvey, K. Lydia, Paul Otts, Misses Mae Williams, Eva Cook, the hostesses and the honoree.

## LADIES AID WITH MRS. S. W. GILBERT

Members of the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. S. W. Gilbert last Thursday afternoon for their monthly business meeting. Mrs. A. M. Tarbet, vice-president, presided in the absence of the president.

A social hour followed the business session. At the close a refreshment plate of devil food cake and coffee was served by Mrs. Tarbet and Mrs. W. B. McCrory as co-hostesses.

## FORTNIGHTLY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. John Lanning entertained members of the Fortnightly Bridge club at her home Tuesday.

Summer flowers were used in decorating the spacious rooms where a delicious two-course luncheon was served by the hostess and four rounds of contract followed. Those present were: Mmes. W. E. Flint, Atkeson, W. C. Martin, Richards, Spratt, William Linell, Feather, C. R. Blocker, A. T. Woods, Baird, T. C. Bird and J. Harvey Wilson.

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# MARKETS

## N. Y. COTTON

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	Open	Close
May 3.....	11.12	11.03
May 4.....	11.07	11.35
May 5.....	11.38	11.24
May 7.....	11.40	11.49
May 8.....	11.42	11.65
May 9.....	11.63	11.53

We merely refer readers this week to last week's cotton comments, and repeat again what now is evident to all that the only two bullish factors then as well as now are: 1st monetary readjustments which however bulling they may be will only be temporary; and 2nd, crop difficulties which of course run the market some higher.

Since last week the said monetary readjustments are coming to the front and are causing the temporary rally. We cannot become optimistic about this, however, and still look for somewhat lower prices before any permanent advance can hold.

## HOPE ITEMS

Frances Johnson, Reporter

Bill and Broier Riley were Carlsbad visitors Monday.

The Rev. A. J. Cox has been very ill for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin P. Murphy made a business visit to Roswell Saturday.

The Artesia baseball team defeated the Hope town team here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ed Gage, Mrs. H. D. Guess and Mrs. Langford were business visitors in Artesia Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rowland of Atoka were visiting friends and transacting business here Sunday.

Miss Alma Lane, teacher in the Hope schools, took her father to Tahoka, Texas, this week end to visit his brother.

The baseball team of Weed and the Hope town team played here Saturday afternoon and the Hope team won the game.

The Weed high school baseball teams, both boys and girls, played the Hope school teams here Friday and were defeated.

Mrs. Mabel Bunting and daughters Maxine and Joselle motored to Artesia Monday afternoon where they attended the picture show.

Miss Margaret Williams, teacher in the Cottonwood schools, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Williams at their farm home here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Swift and daughter Rachel Adelle and Mary Evins of Artesia visited Mr. Swift's mother, Mrs. Dee Swift, at her home here Sunday.

Irvin P. Murphy, superintendent of Hope schools, and R. L. Cole, L. P. Glascock and George Teel, members of the board of education here, motored to Carlsbad Monday to meet the budget auditor, M. A. Grissom.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Evans and son Louis, Jr., of Paona, Kansas, cousins of W. B. McCrory, stopped here last Friday for an over-night visit. They were en route to California where they will make their home. They were accompanied by Miss Mary Sperling. Mrs. Evans, a girlhood friend of Mrs. W. E. Kerr, visited in the Kerr home also.

# IN SOCIETY

## P. E. O. GUESTS OF CARLSBAD CHAPTER

Chapter J journeyed to Carlsbad yesterday to attend a luncheon and musical program as guests of Chapter A. The luncheon, a most delightful affair, was held at the Crawford hotel at one o'clock. Lovely spring flowers adorned the table at which the three-course menu was served. Red roses were used as favors. Mrs. Williams, president, did the honors for the hostess chapter and led the way to the attractive home of Mrs. Jenny Linn Morris where the program was given. After the brief opening service of the organization the guests and hosts enjoyed an afternoon of music.

Miss Johnston, outstanding musician of Carlsbad, favored the company with one of the greatest of Beethoven's compositions, which she rendered in masterly style. Miss Dorothy Swigart read entertaining articles on that great orchestra conductor, Toscanini. The remainder of the program was given by Artesia musicians, who acquitted themselves very creditably and conferred a half hour of real enjoyment upon the listeners. Appearing upon the program were Mmes. V. L. Gates, Fred Cole, Rex Wheatley and M. A. Corbin in vocal numbers and Mrs. Willis Morgan, who performed upon the violin.

In addition to those already mentioned members of Chapter J fortunate enough to be present at this pleasant social affair were the president, Mrs. R. L. Paris, and Mmes. Ralph Shugart, E. M. Phillips, J. H. Jackson, W. C. Martin, S. W. Gilbert, G. R. Brainard, R. G. Knoedler, T. H. Flint and H. A. Stroup.

## COTTONWOOD WOMAN'S CLUB HAS MEETING HERE

Mrs. Virginia E. Briscoe and Mrs. Bill Ross were joint hostesses to members of the Cottonwood Woman's club last Thursday.

Miss Dee Maier, assistant state home agent, was in charge of the meeting, she gave an interesting lecture and demonstration of materials, dyeing and remodeling clothing.

Three brides were presented a piece of silver each, which is the usual custom of the club. They were Mrs. J. L. Taylor, Mrs. Roy Ingram and Mrs. Hall.

Those present, members and guests were: Mmes. D. A. Bradley, M. S. Brown, B. D. Briscoe, I. H. Burgess, Jess Funk, G. G. Golden, E. P. Malone, R. M. Middleton, O'Bannon, Reed, Sterrett, Tom Terry, Emma Huey, Zumwalt, Hilda Pearson, Crutchfield, Noah Buck, Norris, Wayne, Norris, J. L. Taylor, Paul Zeleny, Nella Norris, Johnnie Norris, Marie Hall, Parker, Roy Ingram, Worley, Porter, James Allen, Ollie Fare, Mary Abbott, Misses Emma Clark and Ella Bauslin.

## PLAYMORE TO OPEN WITH PHILADELPHIANS

Wayne Murray's Philadelphians will play for the opening dance at Playmore Pavilion Saturday evening, May 12, at Carlsbad Beach. The band has spent the winter in Mexico City and is en route to Philadelphia. It is recognized as a popular rance band and has enjoyed a full season in the Mexico city.

This orchestra will play at both the lunch hour and the dinner hour at the Sweet Shop in Carlsbad Saturday.

Sonny John and Glenn Oden, owner of the pavilion, announced today that many improvements will be made at the pavilion before Saturday night. A new lighting effect will be installed, a new paint job will be completed and the floor will be improved, making it one of the best dance floors in the Pecos valley.

Dances will be given regularly on Wednesday and Saturday evenings throught the summer.

## ANNUAL DISTRICT MEETING OF M. E. MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The annual meeting of the Methodist Episcopal Missionary Society of the Roswell district was held in Carlsbad Tuesday with Mrs. I. C. Dixon, district secretary, presiding.

Delegates were there from Roswell, Artesia, Hope, Loving, Hobbs and Carlsbad. An all-day meeting was held at the Methodist church with the Carlsbad ladies serving a delicious luncheon at the noon hour. The missionary program was one of interest. Societies in the northern part of the district were well represented.

Those in attendance from Artesia were: Mmes. John McCann, T. J. Stagner, E. T. Jernigan, A. C. Douglas, I. C. Dixon and small daughter, Mary, W. S. French, R. O. Cowan, Reed Brainard, Geo. Frisch, Kelsey, E. B. Bullock, S. S. Ward, Johnson, W. C. Thompson and Preston Hare.

## ABNORMIS SAPIENS BRIDGE CLUB

Members of the Abnormis Sapiens Bridge club met with Mrs.

# PLAN RESTORATION OF WILD LIFE IN NATIONAL FORESTS

"Two new regulations promulgated by order of the secretary of agriculture should be of great interest to every sportsman in the state of New Mexico," said Elliott S. Barker, state game warden. "And it is hoped," said he, "that every sportsman will give these regulations careful thought and consideration."

The order signed by Secretary Wallace follows: WHEREAS, wild life is one of the major resources of the National Forest land and water, and its management and development are an essential part of the administration of the National Forests; and

WHEREAS, the prevention of overgrazing and erosion and the protection of watersheds, timber, and other resources are dependent upon the regulation of wild life population to the carrying capacity of the land or water, and such regulation is also essential to maintain the productivity of such land and water for wild life; and

WHEREAS, the regulation of wild life population by hunting and fishing is the most effective means of limiting the population to the carrying capacity of the range or water and of disposing of any excessive number; and

WHEREAS, the regulation of hunting and fishing on the National Forests is effective in reducing the fire hazard and in promoting the conservation, development, and proper utilization of National Forest resources; and

WHEREAS, plans for the development of the wild life resources, including the regulation of hunting and fishing, should be closely harmonized with the plans and objectives for the management of other National Forest resources to insure the maximum public benefits;

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture by the Act of Congress of February 1, 1905, (33 Stat. 628), amendatory of the Act of June 4, 1897 (30 Stat. 11), I, H. A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, do hereby make and publish the following regulations for the occupancy, use, protection, and administration of the National Forests:

REG. G-20 A. When the secretary shall determine upon consideration of date and recommendations of the forester that the regulation or the prohibition for a specified period of hunting and fishing upon any National Forest or portion thereof is necessary for the accomplishment of the purposes above set forth, he shall designate such National Forest or portion thereof, establish hunting and fishing seasons therefor, fix bag and creel limits, specify the sex of animals to be killed, fix the fees to be paid for permits, designate the authorized official to whom application for permit shall be made, and describe the terms and conditions under which hunting and fishing shall be conducted with a view of carrying out the purpose of this regulation. Public notice of such designation shall be given by such means as the forester shall deem adequate for the purpose. Carcasses of animals or fish taken under permit shall be marked or tagged for identification as directed by the forester.

REG. T-8 1/2. Upon national forest lands designated under Reg. G-20 A. the following acts are prohibited:

Hunting, trapping, catching, disturbing, or killing any kind of game or non-game birds, or taking the eggs of any such bird, except during hunting and fishing seasons established by the secretary, and in accordance with the terms and conditions of a permit issued by a duly authorized officer which is valid and subsisting at the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green, Mrs. T. S. Cox and Mrs. Emery Carper drove to Carlsbad Tuesday evening to visit the Eastern Star order when Mrs. Edith Turner, the worthy grand matron, made her official visit there.

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Jeff Hightower Wednesday afternoon for their bi-monthly rounds of games.

Mrs. F. G. Hartell and Mrs. Martin Yates were substituting guests, the latter making high score for the afternoon. Light refreshments were served at the conclusion of the games.

## MISS LEWTER ENTERTAINS

Miss Bobbie Lewter delightfully entertained three of her friends last night at her home at 702 Second street. Games and a social hour was enjoyed after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following guests: Misses Kathleen Newman, Lucille Rowley and Milta Newman.

# HOPE SCHOOL NEWS

The resignation of Superintendent Irvin P. Murphy, which for several months has been before the Board of Education at Hope, where Mr. Murphy has been for the past seven years, was accepted last week with the election of a successor. No announcement was made as to whom the superintendent-elect is, and no plans have been announced in regard to Mr. Murphy's intentions, other than that he plans to attend the University of New Mexico again this summer. Mr. Murphy's administration has been marked by the accomplishment of several educational improvements in the Hope system, all of which will be carried on by the new superintendent, it is said. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy and daughter, Josephine, will leave Hope about June 1, for a short trip before leaving for Albuquerque.

The Hope Public School Teachers, Incorporated, has just announced the completion of all requirements necessary for legal recognition. A trust fund has already been established which makes provisions for teachers' savings and payment to teachers who are given leave of absence without additional cost to the taxpayers. Leave of absence for one year has been offered to Miss Ruth Glascock and Miss Alma Lane by the Hope Board of Education through the Hope Public School Teachers, Incorporated, for the school year of 1934-35. This step is in conformity with the program adopted by the Hope system early in 1933.

No definite information has been obtained from the two teachers about the plans for professional study but it is anticipated that they will attend a New Mexico institution or one in western Texas.

The Junior high school graduation program which will be held at the school auditorium on Tuesday night, May 15, will have as a special number the appearance of Dr. H. C. Gossard, president of the New Mexico Normal University of Las Vegas, who will speak to the graduates and the school patrons at that time.

Announcement has just been made by the Hope Board of Education in regard to the teaching staff of next year.

In addition to the leave of absence which may be granted to the Misses Iva Ruth Glascock and Alma Lane, successor to Mrs. Anderson Young, Mrs. Jo Murphy, and R. T. Bonar, resigned, have been selected. All other teachers were re-employed including Miss Corinne Puckett, Miss Elizabeth Richardson, Miss Helen V. Bond and Charles Walker.

The Misses Margaret Williams and Marjorie Johnson have been elected to fill two vacancies. It is probable that another apprentice in addition to Miss Johnson may be appointed.

Hope's Junior High School will graduate eighteen students at their annual program which is to be held in the school auditorium Tuesday night, May 15, at 8 o'clock. Miss Elizabeth Richardson, the sponsor of the class, has arranged a very unique program to be presented by all member of the class. The purpose of the program will be to interpret present-day needs of the school to the patrons.

Because of the inability of Superintendent Murphy to present the diplomas as has been the custom, Mr. Bonar will perform the service.

This ninth grade received after graduation from the elementary school last year, diplomas at that time, and in compensation to the present eighth grade, they staged a chuck-wagon party in their honor Friday afternoon, April 20.

Twelve high school Seniors will be graduated at the Hope high school on Friday evening, May 18, with the presentation of the diplomas by Mr. Bonar.

The entire program will be of the new type and under the management of the Seniors themselves. No outside speaker will participate in the program.

Caps and gowns will be worn in harmony with the custom of several years standing. Charles S. Walker has been in charge of the preparation of the program.

## THANK YOU

Upon my retirement as superintendent of the Hope Public Schools after seven years of activity in this section I should like to express my appreciation to the many associates and friends for the cooperation which has been accorded the school system during my tenure of office. I recognize this part of the state as being a most desirable place to live and the people as being the kind which is essential to the spirit of progress prevailing.

I shall look forward with pleasure to the opportunity of meeting an old acquaintance in any new location where I may be.

IRVIN P. MURPHY.

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# LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

Mr. Menefee of Hagerman is now shearing his sheep east of Lake Arthur.

The Lake Arthur Extension club met at the home of Mrs. L. E. Dohner last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruphus King and Mrs. J. L. King of Hagerman visited Sunday in the J. U. Meador home.

Mrs. H. H. Stiewig and Fred Henderson of Artesia were visitors at the J. U. Meador home Sunday.

G. R. Pate, John Havens and Supt. C. R. Bernard went to Roswell Tuesday to attend the school budget meeting.

Mrs. Edith Turner of Silver City, worthy grand matron of the Eastern Star, visited the Lake Arthur chapter Saturday night.

Mrs. Herbert Daniels of El Paso and Mrs. Jesse Turner of Silver City visited with Mr. and Mrs. Don Riddle Saturday evening.

The exhibit of the grade school and the home economics class last Friday was very interesting. A large number of visitors were present.

The senior high school baccalaureate sermon will be delivered Sunday at 11 o'clock by the Rev. John Klassen of the Methodist church. Services will be at the school house.

The Rev. Stark of Roswell held all-day services at the Church of Christ Sunday, with dinner on the ground. Quite a number of people were down from Roswell Dexter and Hagerman.

Don Riddle accompanied the junior track team to Roswell Monday. Those who entered were: George Price, Robert Payne, Billy

King, Harry Nelson, Ferron Cummins, George Nihart and Bill Jack Graham.

The eighth grade of the Lake Arthur school is having their commencement exercises Monday evening, May 14. The program is a play entitled "A Peach of a Family." Diplomas will be awarded at the close of the play.

Miss Lily Wilkins and Louis Hair from Alton, Texas, were week end visitors at the home of Mrs. B. W. Knoll. Miss Wilkins is head of the English department in Alton high school and Mr. Hair is a student from Texas Tech College.

A music recital was presented at the Baptist church Sunday night under the direction of Mrs. Raymond Welborne. Pupils taking part were Patsy Farkes of Hagerman, Dorothy Deason of Roswell, Elaine Frazier and Dixie Dan Goode of Lake Arthur. Quite a number of violin and piano solos were rendered during the evening.

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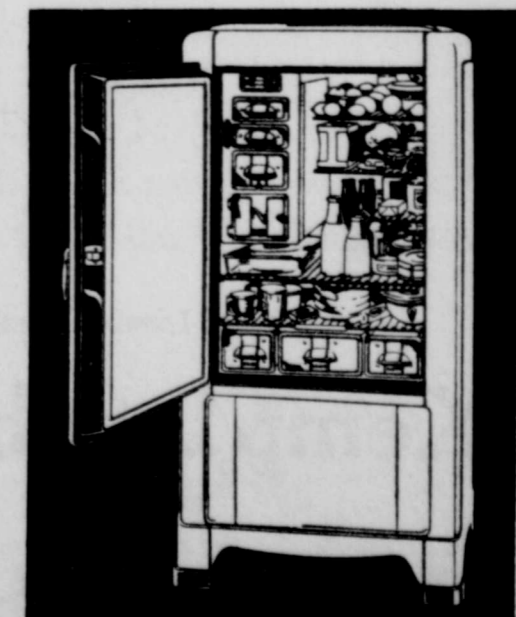
We feel that in this fine organization we have secured the high type of representation that will reflect credit to the Kelvinator product and be of the fullest satisfaction to all Kelvinator owners.

We want to extend a cordial invitation to all Kelvinator owners and to every one interested in the purchase of an electric refrigerator to come in and see the new Kelvinator 20th Anniversary models. They are, beyond all question, the finest we have ever built in the 20 years we have been in the industry.

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

In The Matter of the Estate of John J. Buel, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the Estate of John J. Buel, deceased, by the Hon. P. J. McCall, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, on the First Day of May, 1934.

Therefore all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to file the same with the clerk of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, within one year from the date of said appointment, as provided by law, or the same will be barred.

VICTOR A. BUEL, Administrator.

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Pursuant to Section 32-238 of New Mexico Statutes Annotated, Codification of 1929, notice is hereby given of the filing in the office of the State Corporation Commission of New Mexico of Certificate of Incorporation of Artesia Pipe Line Company.

1. The amount of authorized capital stock is 1000 shares. The amount of capital stock actually issued and with which the company will commence business is \$1000.00.

2. The names of the incorporators and the postoffice addresses are: E. M. Clossitt, Dallas, Texas; T. F. Murchison, Dallas, Texas; D. R. Zachry, Dallas, Texas.

3. The objects and purposes of the said corporation are:

To carry on a general petroleum business or industry, including the purchase and production of petroleum and its allied products, including natural gas; and all other things further specified in Certificate of Incorporation.

4. The principal place of business of the corporation is Artesia, New Mexico, and the name of the statutory agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process against the corporation may be served is Manuel A. Sanchez, Salmon Building at Santa Fe, New Mexico.

5. Filed in the office of the State Corporation Commission on April 24th, 1934, No. 18364, Cor. Rec'd. Vol. 8, Page 326, at 1:40 P. M.

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO By DON R. CASADOS, Chairman.

Certified copy of certificate of incorporation has been recorded in the office of county clerk of Eddy County, May 2, 1934, at 8:00 A. M.; Book 3, Records of Articles of Inc., Page 49.

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DRAINAGE DISTRICT PETITION GRANTED

The petition of the commissioners of the Hagerman Drainage District was granted by Judge James B. McGhee in Chaves county court Saturday morning permitting the commissioners to issue the refunding bonds which the Reconstruction Finance Corporation has agreed to take over.

This extends the assessments over a term of 33 years and reduces the interest rate from 6 percent to 4 percent.

The petitions of the Roswell and the Dexter-Greenfield Drainage Districts will come up May 10th.

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

CHEVROLET ERECTS A HUGE ELECTRIC SIGN AT WORLD'S FAIR

The Chicago skyline will soon be dominated by the world largest electric sign.

Built for Chevrolet Motor Company by Federal Electric Company, this mammoth display is nearly finished and awaits only final arrangement of fitting opening ceremonies.

The display is located at the north end of Grant Park, on the air rights of the Michigan Central railroad. It spans two driveways and six railroad tracks, and is said to be the only electric sign in the world to be built on the air rights of a railroad company.

Plainly visible from a distance of six miles on land, and by vessels more than 10 miles out in Lake Michigan, flashing lights of the sign will fall upon the "Century of Progress" exposition grounds, two miles away.

The steel structure, which contains 330 tons of fabricated structural steel, rises 275 feet from the ground level and is 153 feet wide. The distance from the ground to the bottom of the display proper is 122 feet. The display itself is 153 feet long by 148 feet high.

It will be illuminated with 17,240 lamps and 1,100 feet of neon tubing. Wiring of this display consumed more than 22 miles of insulated cable and the display itself weighs approximately 150,000 pounds. Approximately 15,000 square feet of porcelain enameled steel was used on the face of the sign. Eleven colors of porcelain enameled steel were used.

Letters in the word "Chevrolet" are 14 feet high. Letters in the moving motograph message sign are 13 feet high. The revolving circle of the sign is 100 feet in diameter.

It is particularly fitting that on the world's largest electrical sign should be mounted the world's largest electric clock. The clock is 46 feet square while the minute hand is 27 feet long and the hour hand 20 feet long. The hands weigh 1,000 pounds each despite the fact that they are constructed entirely of cast aluminum and duralumin. The cross-section of the hands was made oval similar to the construction of the wings of an airplane—and for the same reason—to lessen wind resistance.

The clock works were manufactured by Telechron and are operated from a synchronous alternating current circuit, making the time automatically correct. A re-setting device is provided so that in case of interruption in current, the clock automatically resets itself. This is accomplished by using two motors, the first operating at a speed to produce correct time, the second operating at twice the speed for correct time. In the event of interruption of current, the second motor is thrown into service and it drives the hands at time the speed for correct time until the hands arrive at the correct time, then it is automatically cut out and the first motor takes up the work.

To facilitate work on the structure and maintenance during its life, an electric elevator was installed from the ground level to the middle of the display. This is the only sign in the world with an elevator. The shaft is 200 feet high and a closed cab of 500 pounds capacity operates electrically. It is, of course, provided with all safety devices, just as in any modern building elevator.

When operating, the electrical connected "load" is 445 kilowatts, sufficient electrical energy to supply the normal demands of a town of 3,500 population.

It was necessary to build a 15 by 20 foot penthouse behind the display to house the control equipment. It is for the electrical motors, flasher, motograph control, time switch and remote controls. The flasher operates the movement of light on the circle and those parts of the sign flashing on and off. There are 305 contacts on the flasher.

More than 20 different materials were used in the construction of the sign, the metals alone including iron, steel, zinc, copper, tin, lead, brass, duralumin and mercury.

Neon tubing is used only on the sign borders and for the numerals and hands of the clock. The numerals and hands are in gold neon and the borders around the clock are in red neon.

The world's largest sign is a part of Chevrolet's gigantic 1934 advertising campaign now current in more than 5,600 newspapers, all leading national magazines, on the radio and on outdoor boards in many cities.

LONESOME VALLEY NEWS

Mrs. Ed Ward of Brownsville, Texas, spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Mary Kennedy. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Millman made an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Millman on their ranch.

Miss Peggy Fuels returned to her home at Lamesa, Texas, the first of the week after a visit to the Lazy L ranch.

Roland and Sallie J. Roberson left for Brownsville, Texas, Monday to spend a few days with the grandmother, Mrs. Ed Kennedy.

R. C. Kennedy made a business trip to Roswell Tuesday.

EXPECTS MOTOR LICENSE YIELD TO NEAR MILLION

State Comptroller Juan N. Vigil of Santa Fe expects motor vehicle registration fees to go beyond \$800,000 this year, for the first time for several years. They already total \$758,000 and there are two months to go before the end of the fiscal period.

Last year they were \$713,000 and the year before \$777,000.

FIRST CUTTING OF HAY

A few local farmers will start cutting the first crop of alfalfa hay this week. Hay cutting proper will not be under way before another week. A good quality and a high yield is promised.

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FOREST FIRE DANGER UNUSUALLY GREAT

ALBUQUERQUE—Not since 1904, old timers state, has there been so little moisture as during the winter of 1933-1934. According to reports being received by the Forest Service from forest supervisors in Arizona and New Mexico this situation is quite general throughout both states and lookouts have been manned at least a full month earlier than in any previous year, state Stanley F. Wilson, assistant regional forester, in charge of operation in the regional office.

Except for the recent rains, which in a few places have been fairly heavy, the situation is still serious as very little moisture has fallen since early in December. Road in the high mountains which have ordinarily not been usable during the winter have been open throughout. Water in the mountain streams is at a low ebb. Several towns that are dependent for their water supply from forest streams have reported an unusual shortage. All of this indicates that already drought conditions are existing that would not ordinarily occur until at least two months later.

This means that everyone traveling through the forest from now on must exercise extreme care with their campfires, cigarettes and pipe heels. Already several sizable fires have occurred. Fortunately, these forest fires have, so far, been in localities where little damage was done. This situation, of course, will not continue. Forest officials generally are urging all forest users and travelers to cooperate with them in preventing forest fires and in promptly reporting any that may accidentally start.

In the past, cooperation along this line by the public has been very effective and it is hoped that this year the public will be even more careful and cooperative than in the past.

SAFEWAY HAS MERCHANDISING MEET

Twenty-one employees of the Safeway Stores at Carlsbad and Artesia met at Carlsbad Friday evening to discuss merchandising. A second meeting of the same employees was held here Tuesday evening. Attending the Carlsbad meeting were: Thelbert French, Roy Spivey and Rowland McLean. Plans were made for an all-day picnic for employees and their wives at El Paso on May 20th.

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Advocate.

STATE TRACK MEET

The Albuquerque high school won first place in the state track and field meet held at Roswell May 4 and 5. Carlsbad was second, the Albuquerque Indians third and Floyd fourth. Artesia was only able to place 2 6/10 points in the meet. The state record of 52.7 for the 440 yard run was smashed by Clark of Estancia with a time of 52.4. Westley of Fort Wingate ran the mile in 4:39.2 to beat the old record of 4:47. Reid of Albuquerque, a former Artesia resident, tied the state record on the 100 yard dash with a time of 10 1/5 seconds.

Summary of points: Albuquerque high, 36; Carlsbad, 26 1/10; Albuquerque Indians, 19 1/2; Floyd, 13; Fort Wingate, 8 1/2; Menaul, 8; Las Vegas, 5 1/2; McAllister, 5 3/10; Estancia, 5; Santa Fe high, 3 1/2; Tatum, 3 1/2; Santa Fe Indians, 3; Artesia, 2 6/10; Elida, 2 6/10; Magdalena, 2; Lordsburg, 1; Ranchville, 1; Roswell, 1/2; St. Michael's, 3/10. Schools entered who received no points were: Rogers, Hot Springs, Alamogordo, Carrizozo, Mountainair, Lovington, Dexter, Lake Arthur, Tularosa.

STATE MANAGER MAY GO

SANTA FE—Possibility the federal reemployment service director, Waite Kenney, will no longer be required in New Mexico was seen Monday by Ralph Davy, state labor commissioner, in studying the state employment agency law.

The special session of the New Mexico legislature last month enacted the state employment agency law, with an appropriation. It was supposed to be in cooperation with the federal government. It was passed in accordance with the federal regulations, Davy said, and the federal government will contribute to its support. In view of this, Davy said, the government hardly will continue to support a separate office.

Davy is authorized under the law to appoint agents, clerks and other employees, and to establish agencies.

The appropriation was \$1,252 for the balance of this year and \$5,000 for the next fiscal year.

MRS. W. F. DAVIS DROPS DEAD IN OKLA.

News was received here the first of the week of the sudden death of Mrs. W. F. Davis at her home in Blackwell, Oklahoma, on April 29th. Details of the death of Mrs. Davis are meager. It was understood that she dropped dead from heart failure. Both Mr. and Mrs. Davis are known to many people in this locality and are former residents of the Cottonwood community. Mr. Davis is a son of Mrs. L. R. Buck of the Cottonwood.

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**THE CHURCHES**

**NOTICE TO PASTORS**

It will be necessary to have all church notices in our office not later than Tuesday afternoon to insure publication.

**ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ARTESIA**  
REV. F. B. HOWDEN, JR., Rector

The evening service will not be held on May 13th because of the high school baccalaureate service. The church school will meet at five and the Young People's fellowship at six as usual. Bishop Howden will be the preacher at the evening service on May 20. All are welcome at Saint Paul's church.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY**  
613 W. Main Street

10:00 a. m. Sunday school.  
11:00 a. m. Sunday service.  
"Adam and Fallen Man" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches and Societies of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May 13th. The golden text is: "As in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive." (I Cor. 15:22).  
Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the bible: "He that is our God is the God of salvation; and unto God the Lord belong the issues from death." (Psalms 68:20).  
The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "The great truth in the science of being, that the real man was, is, and ever shall be perfect, is incontrovertible; for if man is the image, reflection, of God, he is neither inverted or subverted, but upright and Godlike."

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Roselawn and Grand

9:45 Sunday school. Fred Cole, superintendent.  
11:00 a. m. Preaching services.  
6:30 p. m. B. T. S. Miss LaRue Mann, director.  
7:30 p. m. Wednesday Mid-week prayer service.  
H. C. Reavis, our state mission secretary, will be with us at 11 o'clock and speak to us on his work in the state.  
Evening services dismissed for baccalaureate service.

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
210 West Main Street  
Rev. F. C. Rowland, Pastor

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. John Simons, superintendent.  
Subject of lesson: "Christianity and Patriotism." Scripture Matt. 22:1-23. Our Sunday school is gradually growing. If you are not attending elsewhere, come and study the bible with us.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
As our pastor is attending the Southern Baptist convention at Fort Worth, we will present a special Mother's Day program of play and song at this hour. Everyone attending will be given a white or red flower. You are cordially invited to this service.  
B. T. S. 6:30 p. m. Cecil Bynum, director.  
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.  
We will attend the baccalaureate sermon to be given at the Methodist church at this hour.  
Teachers meeting and prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.  
Our slogan for the week: "Excuses are crutches upon which weak christians lean." Come to church Sunday!

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
Eighth and Missouri  
Erwin G. Benson, Pastor

"A spiritual church in a friendly community."  
Sunday school meets at 9:45 with class for all. The Red side under the leadership of Mrs. Myrtle Day is ahead 31 points over the Blue side under the leadership of Miss Beatress Rhodes. A good Mother's Day program will be given at 10:00. You are invited to attend.  
Morning worship at 11:00 a. m. In the absence of the pastor Mrs. Myrtle Day, a local preacher, will bring the message.  
At 6:30 p. m. Junior meeting in the north balcony with Mrs. C. J. Wilde as leader. The Young People's meeting meets in the main auditorium with Miss Opal Rhodes as president. The class meeting meets in the south balcony with D. F. Owen as leader.  
The pastor, wife and son leave Monday morning for El Paso for a week's Sunday school convention. They will then motor to California for a vacation. They plan to return Friday, June 8th.  
Mrs. Myrtle Day, Charles L. Killen, George C. Pearce and Miss Beatress Rhodes, all local preachers, will have charge of the various services during the pastor's absence.

**MARRIED AT ROSWELL**

Floyd Farrell and Helen Irene Taber, both of Artesia, were married Wednesday night of last week at Roswell by Rev. C. C. Hill.

**LAKWOOD ITEMS**

Mrs. M. C. Lee, Reporter

Forrest Lee started cutting hay Wednesday.  
Taylor Ross and wife motored to Artesia Tuesday.

Wm. Nelson of Oil Field was here a short time Sunday.  
J. E. Howell was in town Monday helping load out cattle.

Lorene New is assisting Mrs. Forrest Lee with the house work.  
Jeff Floyd and Verna Smith were visiting in Lakewood Monday.

Several cars of cattle were shipped from the stock pens Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dauron and Mrs. Brown visited J. W. Dauron Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Hawkins spent a while in town Sunday evening.

Albert Neatherlin and son Raymond visited at the Forrest Lee farm Tuesday.  
The Holiness people from Rocky Arroyo are holding a series of meetings here.

R. L. House and Jim Scarborough transacted business in Carlsbad Monday.

Bill Jones and son Leonard were here Monday looking after a cattle shipment.

J. H. Angell went to Holly Benson's ranch Tuesday to assist in rounding up and branding.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Adams moved from the Kaiser farm east of Dayton to Lakewood Monday.

Willis and Fred Large returned last week from a tour of the state looking up a location for their sheep. They found nothing better than where they are.

**COTTONWOOD ITEMS**

Mrs. J. P. Nelson who was very ill last week is improving.

Mr. Vaught, father of Mrs. Andy Vaught, was reported very ill last week.

Messrs. Glen O'Bannon, W. Sterrett and John Norris motored to Carlsbad Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Crutchfield and family motored to Lake Arthur Sunday to attend the big dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard motored to Carlsbad Tuesday. Mr. Howard will undergo an operation for the removal of his tonsils.

Truman Howard, son of Monroe Howard, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the St. Francis hospital in Carlsbad Thursday, is recuperating nicely.

The Cottonwood Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. Virginia Briscoe in Artesia last week. Miss Dee Maier, state home agent, demonstrated the making of clothing and many patterns were copied. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Glen O'Bannon, June 7th.

**TYPEWRITERS**

New, second hand and factory rebuilt in portables and standards—See us before you buy. Artesia Advocate.

**DELINTING CONTROLS SEED BORNE DISEASE**

Farmers in southern New Mexico have established a delinting plant at Chamberino in connection with their cooperative gin. The purpose of this delinting plant is to forestall the introduction of any of the various seed borne cotton diseases which are becoming so troublesome in other states says G. R. Quesenberry of the New Mexico State College. Most of these diseases may be controlled by delinting with sulphuric acid. Very little cotton seed has been introduced into the state during the past few years, but even with the small amount coming in, farmers can see the danger of allowing wilt and angular leaf spot to encroach upon their fields. Both of these diseases have become very serious in nearby states, rapidly decreasing crop yields and producing many immature bolls. Unless great care is exercised in harvesting such a crop, the resulting weak and light seed from the diseased plants gets into the usual seed supply. Thru delinting, the lighter seed or diseased seed may be eliminated by following the delinting by floating, or putting the seed thru a fanning mill.

Delinting has several other advantages, among which are lessening the seed requirements per acre, causing more uniform distribution of seed from the planter, and giving a much quicker germination and stand of cotton than could be secured otherwise. It offers an opportunity for the light and weak seed which are commonly planted and which result in weak plants or blank spaces in the field, to be replaced and these places in the field occupied by good, strong plants. An excellent stand can be secured on most soils by the use of 10 to 12 pounds of delinted seed per acre. Delinting is extensively practiced at the present time in a number of states, but only a few counties in New Mexico have taken up the practice. A large part of the delinted seed used this year has been planted in the southern part of Dona Ana county. Sufficient seed was delinted at the Chamberino plant to plant 1,600 acres. Some delinting was done at South Springs in Chaves county and the establishment of a delinting plant is contemplated in the near future.

**PASTOR TO CONVENTION**

The Rev. and Mrs. F. C. Rowland will represent the Calvary Baptist church at the Southern Baptist convention which meets in Fort Worth, Texas, May 12th to 19th. Mrs. Harry Oman and little daughter will accompany them as far as Henrietta, Texas, where Mrs. Oman will visit with her mother.

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

**FILED FOR RECORD**

**Articles of Incorporation:**

Certificate of Incorporation, and Articles of Incorporation of Hope Public School Teachers.

**Marriage License:**

Robert Edward Williams and Jean Womble, Carlsbad.

**In the District Court:**

Ruth Porter Stamp vs. Chester Max Stamp, divorce.

The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Co. vs. Wm. R. Fenton, Ella Fenton, et als; Petition in Condemnation, decree Pt. L. 14, 15, Sec. 4-21-28.

The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Co. vs. Barbara Nell Hoover, L. E. Hoover, et als; Petition in condemnation, Pt. NWSW, S 1/2, NENW 20-20-3, decree.

The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Co. vs. W. R. Fenton, Ella Fenton, et als; Petition in condemnation; decree; Pt. NE 24, SE 13, 21-27.

Joyce-Pruit Co. vs. Roy E. Hepler, suit on account.

Peoples Mercantile Co. vs. Charles E. Hepler and Roy E. Hepler, suit on note.

**WE THANK YOU**

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

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R. W. Dunn R. T. Spence  
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Mrs. Jessie I. Funk

**NOTICE!**  
Please do not send money in an envelope for subscriptions—it is liable to be lost—send a money order or check.

**SHACK BURNS**

A one-room shack, a block north of the Assembly of God church building, burned to the ground Monday evening at 9:45 o'clock. Origin of the fire is unknown. The shack was not occupied and the blaze had gained too much headway to be checked when the fire truck arrived.

**Warranty Deed:**

J. W. Morgan, Hal L. Harris, NW 22-17-21.

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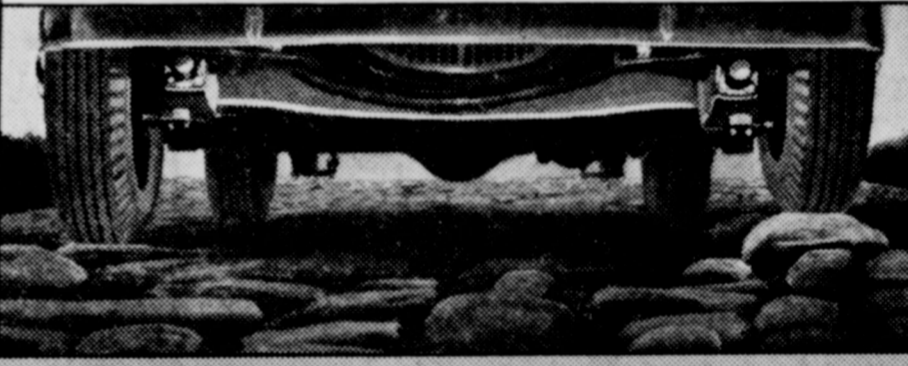
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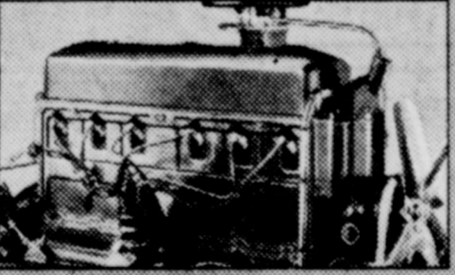
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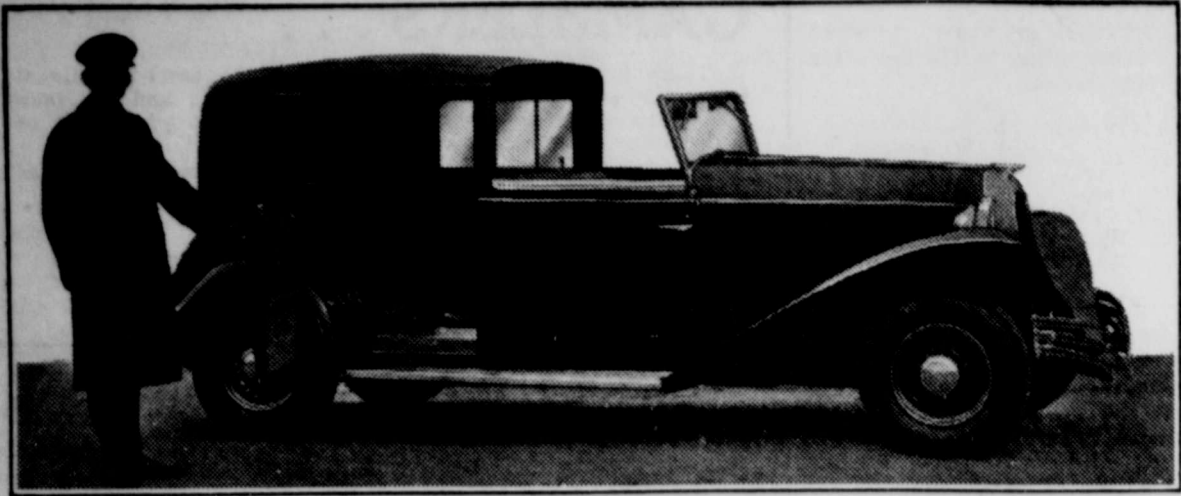
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NOW YOU CAN GET A FORD FOR \$3,500!



Rolls-Royce, maker of the \$15,000 cars that never wear out, has selected the FORD V-8 motor and a Ford chassis for its luxurious new Brewster car, shown above. The selection by Rolls-Royce of the FORD chassis with its V-8 motor has convinced more people of the high quality of FORD cars than any event of recent months. Here is supreme proof that Ford is "The Car Without a Price Class." The new car will sell for about \$3,500. You can buy a luxurious Ford V-8 for about a fifth of that price. Before you buy any car—at any price—drive the new Ford V-8!

Mrs. Bernard Cleve of Elk returned from Temple, Texas, Wednesday where she has been a patient at one of the hospitals for the past three weeks. She will be at the home of her sister, Mrs. Harold Dunn, here for a few weeks before returning to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Holland returned Monday from a week spent at Clovis.

Bernard Cleve and boys met Mrs. Cleve here Wednesday when she returned from Temple, Texas. Mr. Cleve is shipping cattle to market this week.

GENERAL NEWS BRIEFS— (Continued from first page)

He is making a report to Gov. A. W. Hockenull on operation of the Arizona law, having been sent there by the governor for that purpose. He said \$7,500 would be sufficient for initial expenses of the sales tax department in New Mexico, excepting salaries. The expense would include office equipment. The legislature appropriated \$25,000 for the initial setup. Anderson will recommend a director and assistant, cashier and assistant, auditor, mailing clerk, two stenographers and two field men as the starting force.

Second Ransom Note TUCSON—The presence in or near Tucson of another of six-year-old June Robles' kidnapers in addition to the self-styled "contact man" now detained by authorities was believed indicated last night by acknowledgement as probably authentic of a second ransom note. The communication, first reported Monday, was understood to have been accepted by the family as assurance from the abductors June still is alive and will be delivered if contact arrangements can be made. Contents of the note were not revealed definitely. It was reported it instructed that direction in the first note, delivered two hours after June disappeared two weeks ago, continue to be followed.

Insull Has Chance CHICAGO—Samuel Insull's attorney showed hard on the jail door yesterday and won the deposited utilities king a new chance for freedom. While Insull rested on his county jail hospital cot, a judge of a higher court agreed to look into the matter of his imprisonment and see if an injustice had been done by setting Insull's bond at \$200,000.

ARTESIA COUPLE LICENSED F. D. Stewart and Miss Lena Mae Staggs, both of Artesia, were licensed to wed at Carlsbad Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bulot and children of Pyote, Texas, were here over the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clary.

TWENTY-ONE LEGION POSTS SUSPENDED

INDIANAPOLIS—Charters of twenty-one posts of the American Legion in the department of New Mexico were cancelled by the national executive committee of the organization Friday.

The action was taken on recommendation of Commissioners Wilbur M. Alter of Colorado and L. A. Jennings of Phoenix, and Coordinator Ollie A. Davis, who were appointed six months ago to investigate charges that posts in New Mexico had violated the constitution of the American Legion.

The posts were charged here last November with having engaged in partisan political activities.

Posts where charters were cancelled are:

- Belén Post No. 19, at Belén; William Richmond Post No. 21, at Fort Sumner; Del Valle y Mares Post No. 29, at Bernalillo; Griffith-Ramirez Post No. 32, at Cerrillos; Chimayo y Candiyo Post No. 45, at Chimayo; Benjamin Le Fevre Post No. 49, at Ocate; Chevz y Segura Post No. 50, at Questa; Tafoya Post No. 52, at Tluchas; Juan Rangal Post No. 54, at Folsom; Gurule-Martinez Post No. 56, at Penasco; Rio Grande Post No. 57, at Sanoval; Sierra Post No. 60, at Cuba; Claude Close Howard Post No. 61, at Deming; Alameda Post No. 69, at Alameda; Lawrence H. Simpson Post No. 70, at Serong; Frequez y Martinez Post No. 74, at Chamisal; Ramon F. Aragon Post No. 77, at Pena Blanca; Jose E. Gallegos Post No. 80, at Ranchos de Taos; Max Delgar Post No. 89, at Aragon; Montoya y Montauca Post No. 1, at Santa Fe, and George Washington Post No. 15, at Agua Fria.

There were 79 Legion posts in New Mexico at the time and national executive committee suspended the department last November. Edward A. Hayes, national commander, then appointed Davis, Alter and Jennings to investigate the situation. In cancelling the quarters the executive committee carried out recommendations of the investigators.

LOCALS

Mr. George White of the Upper Cottonwood underwent a major operation Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Herne of Dallas were week end guests at the home of Col. and Mrs. A. T. Woods.

N. M. Campbell, principal of the Otis school, was attending to business matters and visiting friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kimbrough and son Dick drove over from their ranch near Lovington Friday and spent the day visiting friends.

Mrs. Tom Shipp and small daughter arrived Tuesday from Ft. Worth and will visit indefinitely with her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. U. McCrary.

Dan Beckett, former resident of Artesia, left for his home at Vaughn, after a short visit here with his brother Dave Beckett and family and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Mott Williams of Bowling Green, Kentucky, arrived last Saturday for an extended visit with their daughter, Mrs. J. K. Wallingford and family.

Mrs. F. W. Sewell of El Paso, Texas, arrived Tuesday for a short visit with Mrs. A. L. Mount. Mr. Sewell, who drove her over, went on into Texas on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hastie and daughter Miss Lydia drove over to El Paso last Saturday and returned Tuesday. They transacted business and visited with the Fred Spencer family.

John Brown, who has been a patient at the Santa Fe hospital in Clovis, for the past two or three weeks, returned home Tuesday for a short visit before returning for further treatment.

Mrs. C. Russell left last Thursday for San Bernardino, California, and from there she and her sister, Miss Ruth La Due, will go to a near-by point to be with their sister, Miss Blanche La Due, who is critically ill.

Mmes. J. Harvey Wilson, T. C. Bird, Stanley Blocker, Howard Whitson, W. E. Flint and Henry Caudle drove up to Roswell Saturday afternoon and attended the matinee at the Yucca where "Men In White" was showing.

Mrs. E. N. Bigler left about the middle of last week for Albuquerque where she will visit her mother and be there for the graduation of her daughter Miss Ruth Bigler who will receive her degree at the state university this month.

SCOUT NEWS

We come this week with a poem taken from the Scout handbook entitled, "Equipment," author Edgar A. Guest.

Figure it out for yourself, my lad, You've all that the greatest of men had,

Two arms, two hands, two legs, two eyes, And a brain to use if you would be wise.

With this equipment they all began, So start for the top and say, "I can."

Look them over, the wise and great, They take their food from a common plate

And similar knives and forks they use, With similar laces they tie their shoes.

The world considers them brave and smart, But you've all they had when they made their start.

You can triumph and come to skill, You can be great if you only will. You're well equipped for what fight you choose,

You have legs and arms and a brain to use, And the man who has risen great deeds to do

Began his life with no more than you. You are the handicap you must face,

You are the one who must choose your place, You must say where you want to go.

How much you will study the truth to know, God has equipped you for life, but he

Lets you decide what you want to be. Courage comes from the soul within,

The man must furnish the will to win, So figure it out for yourself, my lad,

You were born with all that the great have had, With your equipment they all began.

Get hold of yourself and say: "I can."

Scout Reporter.

H. J. Bailey and family left yesterday for Lexington, Missouri, where Mr. Bailey is employed as an auto salesman.

Walter Harrison of Roswell, who is connected with the Kemp Lumber Co., was here on business connected with the firm Tuesday.

Mrs. Edith Turner, worthy grand matron, made her official visit to Eastern Star of Hope Wednesday evening. Those in attendance from here were: Messrs. and Mmes. S. E. Ferree, John McCann, Arba Green, J. D. Josey and Mmes. Jessie Morgan, J. M. Story, Lewis Story, T. S. Cox, Jeff Hightower, Stanley Blocker, Calvin Dunn, Irvin Martin, Reed Brainard and John Runyan.

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CHURCH OF NAZARENE ELECTS ITS OFFICERS

During a series of meetings of the church and various departments of the church officers were elected to serve the Church of the Nazarene, beginning June 24th, for one year. The following officers were elected: Church board: Trustees—A. W. Wilde, C. C. Pior, D. F. Owen, D. A. Loucks, Mrs. E. A. Paton. Stewards—Miss Eleanor Clark, chairman, Mrs. L. J. Chester, Mrs. Chas. L. Killen, Mrs. C. C. Pior, Mrs. G. W. Forsee. Church secretary—Miss Eleanor Clark. Church treasurer—D. A. Loucks. Church chorister—C. J. Wilde. Assistant chorister—G. W. Forsee. Church pianist—Mrs. Erwin G. Benson. Assistant pianist—Mrs. C. J. Wilde. Sunday school: G. W. Forsee, superintendent; Mrs. Myrtle Day, assistant superintendent; D. F. Owen, secretary; Willis Wilde, assistant secretary; Mrs. Erwin G. Benson, classification secretary; Mrs. A. W. Wilde, corresponding secretary; Vessie Mathis, treasurer; Willis Wilde, librarian; Berthold Alcorn, music director; Ruth Wilde, pianist; Hazel English, assistant pianist; Neva Benson, elementary supervisor; Mary Jane Wilde, secondary supervisor; Mrs. L. J. Chester, adult supervisor; Mrs. C. J. Wilde, cradle roll superintendent; Mrs. D. F. Owen, assistant cradle roll superintendent; Miss Eleanor Clark, home department superintendent; Mrs. Myrtle Day, assistant home department superintendent; Carl Wilde, Junior Wilde, Marjorie Walker and Wilma Paton, ushers; Charles Forsee, J. D. Roberts, Charles Ditto, Miriam McElhane, assistant ushers; D. F. Owen, D. A. Loucks, Mrs. E. A. Paton, committee on picnic; Mrs. Erwin G. Benson, D. F. Owen and Mrs. C. W. Forsee, committee on promotion.

The Missionary Society of the church met at Mrs. C. C. Pior's home Friday afternoon, May 4th, and elected the following officers: Mrs. E. A. Paton, president; Mrs. C. J. Wilde, first vice-president; Beatress Rhodes, second vice-president; Mrs. Erwin G. Benson, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. L. J. Chester, superintendent of study and publicity; Mrs. Myrtle Day, prayer and fasting league secretary; Mary Jane Wilde, other sheep agent; Mrs. C. C. Pior, box work; Mrs. G. W. Forsee, Mrs. D. F. Owen, Mrs. C. C. Pior, Dorcus committee; Miss Eleanor Clark, membership committee; Mrs. G. W. Forsee, visiting committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Caudle and Bert Muncy, Jr., were guests Sunday at the ranch home of Bert's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chatten, who live north of Roswell.

TWO PLANES HERE TODAY

Two airplanes were due in Artesia this morning to spend the day carrying passengers and stunting over town. Reg Robbins of Fort Worth, Texas, the flier who beat the endurance record of the Question Mark, several years ago, will be here with his Tri-Motored Ford plane. Lt. T. T. McInnis will do a lot of unusual stunts in his new black and orange speed plane. This afternoon, in addition to the stunting, Leon McKennon will fall 1,000 feet before opening his parachute.

Two or three Roswell men, including a newspaper representative, are due here this afternoon to ride the planes into Roswell tomorrow where the same show will be put on at the Roswell airport. The show here will be staged at the local airport two miles west of town.

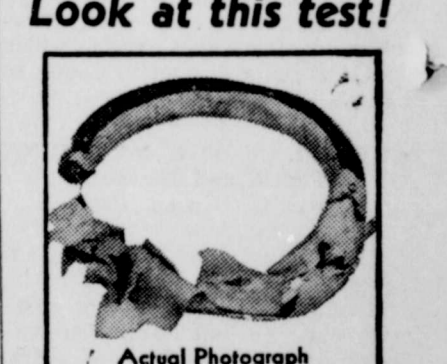
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Advertisement for Goodrich tires. Text: EXTRA LAYER OF GOLDEN RUBBER RESISTS RIM CUTS. NEW KIND OF INNER TUBE. TOUGHER, BLACK TEAR-PROOF RUBBER TOP. WON'T EVEN TEAR WHEN RUN FLAT AFTER A PUNCTURE. Here's Proof Look at this test!



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Goodrich made a lot of special tubes. One half of each tube was made of the new Gold and Black construction; the other half of the best old-style compound. Then they put them on cars and purposely ran them flat. The old-style construction was torn to shreds. Ripped and cut to pieces in less than a mile. Yet the Gold and Black half was sound and unharmed by this terrific punishment. Here's positive proof that this new tube is many, many times tougher. Put these new tubes on your car today.

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FOR Mothers' Day

The one friend who will never desert you, regardless of your fortune. Mother's Day, May 13th, is set aside in her honor. You can show your appreciation of her friendship in a practical way. We'll gladly assist you in selecting a token suitable for the occasion.

LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS— Pure linen in all colors and fancy patterns. No Mother has ever had too many handkerchiefs. She needs one to match every dress. 25c

SILK HOSE— They are sure to please if they come from Joyce-Pruit's. We will gladly help you select the proper shade and can give you either sheer criffons or durable service weights. \$1.00

TABLE COVERS— Embroidered Monks Cloth with Fringed Borders. Something new that will make a distinctive remembrance for Mother's Day Gifts. Priced only \$1.50

SATIN SLIPS— Beautiful soft satin of a quality that is also durable. Trimmed with finest laces. This would make a personal gift that Mother is sure to appreciate. \$3.95

Whether your budget is large or small you will be sure to find something appropriate at Joyce-Pruit's.

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Graduation Gifts

A remembrance on the occasion of passing the first milestone in life is appropriate at this time. Your graduate friend deserves a practical gift, one that will remind him or her of your faith. For your accommodation and convenience, you will find the suggestions below helpful:

- FOR THE GIRL GRADUATE— Vanity Sets Silk Hosiery Sport Gloves Table Covers Luncheon Sets Silk Underwear Costume Jewelry Bridge Table Covers Linen Handkerchiefs

- FOR THE BOY GRADUATE— Zipfolios Silk Shorts Sport Belts Hickok Braces Grayco Cravats Silk Undershirts Fancy Dress Socks Military Brush Sets Linen Handkerchiefs

Regardless of the size of your budget you will be sure to find something appropriate at Joyce-Pruit's.

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