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PRODUCER IS Car Owners Must Purchase Plates By First of Year NEW PLAN AID UNEMPLOYABLE IS ANNOUNCED UNCOVERED

Watch Two Wildcats.

November 3rd, the Barnsdall Oil condition. Co., finished its Cooper No. 1, sec. cently workmen completed treating must be equipped with brakes. A boosting the production more than ing. ten times to make the Cooper New Mexico's biggest well by several thousand barrels daily. The nearest production to rival the Cooper No. 1 is in the Hobbs district.

cats in Lea county. The Carey No. 1 of Penrose and Rowan, sec. 22-Eunice pool, between the Cooper and Eunice districts, has an estimated production of fifty barrels per hour at 3555 feet. The Carey No. 1 will likely be drilled deeper. The Harrison No. 1 of the Skelly Oil Co., sec. 5-23-37, is another wildcat that is commanding attention. Drilled to 3794 feet, the hole was plugged back to 3780 feet after developing sulphur water. The test is now standing with 2,500 feet of oil in the hole. The Harrison is eight miles north and two miles east of the Cooper pool.

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Among the completed wells for the past week are included the Meyers B-17 No. 2, of the Continental Oil Co., sec. 17-21-36, which was drilled to 3950 feet. Initial production was gauged at forty barrels per hour thru a 34-inch choke on tubing. The Continental Oil Co., State C-20 No. 6, sec. 20-21-36, was finished at 3948 feet and made eighty-one barrels per tubing.

The Gypsy Oil Co., also completed three wells in the period, these being the Bell-Ramsey No. 6, initial production of 330 barrels in Q. Haley, Jack Clady, Mrs. Jeff twelve hours thru tubing. The Hightower, Mrs. L. P. Evans, Mrs. (Continued on last page, column 1) Jim Simpson, H. Alcorn, Max

High School Football Conference To Be Held At Roswell Saturday

Plans for an Eastern New Mexico high school athletic conference will be drawn up at a meeting of seven institutions Saturday afternoon in Roswell, it was announced

Leading the discussion will be J. D. Shinkle, principal of Roswell high school, who is the father of the idea. He is vice-president of the state high school athletic organization.

The conference, if organized, will be the first high school conference within the state. No name has been suggested for the loop.

Included in the conference would be high schools of Roswell, Carlsbad, Clovis, Artesia, Hobbs, Portales and Lovington.

At the meeting high school football schedules for 1936 may be rearranged to include more night games. There is equipment for night play in five of the cities in this district. Basketball schedules for 1936 also will be completed at the meeting, Miller said.

> WHY NOT GIVE A

to the

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Jack L. Nichols and Chas. F. Kern, members of the state police force, stationed at Hobbs, yesterday issued a warning to auto and Acid Increases Production truck owners regarding the purchase of 1936 license plates. The of Well Drilled In Month new plates must be purchased by Ago More Than Ten January 1st. These officers said they had received no notive of ex-Times: Oil Operators tension of time, in fact, the State Motor Vehicle Department has said there will be no extension of time in buying license plates.

New Mexico stepped up this to the necessity of obtaining yellow the needy who are unable to work, week in major oil production by stickers for the next quarter, show- was announced Tuesday in the apcompleting the state's largest pro- ing that breaks, lights and steering pointment of R. W. Rudolph as ducer to date, through acid treat- gear have been inspected and found acting director of the commodity ment. About a month ago, or on to be in a satisfactory working distribution division.

the rate of 1,178 barrels per hour, year are reversed for cars and rolls in that rating. rels daily. Acid is responsible for trucks are blue with white letter- clients had to travel to the com

No. 1 is in the Hobbs district. Oil men are watching two wild-

Saturday.

Response to the annual Christmas seal sale by the Artesia Tuvery gratifying todate, according and rurel rehabilitation clients cer- and ten percent of state total will to a report of the committee. Saturday a "Bangle pin sale" will be inaugurated on Main street, similar sales having been held in the local schools. Booths will be maintained in the First National Bank lobby and in the Artesia post office lobby. Tabulations made up to yesterday morning show the following firms and individuals have contributed to the Christmas seal sale:

Geo. Frisch, Arba Green, Tom Heflin, C. V. Brainard, J. B. Atkeson, E. B. Bullock, Fred Cole, American Legion, Mrs. Nellie Cogdell, Earl Collins, Wallace Anderhour through a 34-inch choke on Frank Wilson, Mrs. J. J. Clarke, son, Martin Yates, Hollis Watson, Ray Bartlett, B. Spencer, Mrs. A. M. Tarbet, I. C. Dixon, Dr. Chester Russell, Albert Blake, Mrs. Emma Huey, Mrs. Grover Kinder, Mrs. sec. 4-21-36, at 3896 feet for an Chas. Morgan, C. W. Bartlett, H. Schulze, Mrs. Roy Pate, Artha Variety Store, Sanitary Barbers, the year. Artesia Beauty Service, Roselawn Frank Wayne, acting county land, twelve and a half percent Barber Shop, Southwestern Irri- agent, has been transferred to going to party furnishing equipgater Cotton Growers Assn., Bald- Deming. A. M. Vance, federal cot- ment and work stock and the rewin's, Brainard-Corbin Hardware ton adjuster, will act as county maining fifty percent to be di-Co., Joyce-Pruit Co., Guy Chevrolet agent until Mr. Barham takes vided in accordance with the di-Co., City Market, Artesia Auto Co., Jernigan's, Star Grocery, Artesia Advocate, Bill Horner, Sanitary Grocery, City Bakery, Jess Truitt, Paso visitors Wednesday.

> HEPLER TO FACE THEFT CHARGES

Wheatley, Price & Thompson.

Roy Hepler, farmer living near Loving, was arraigned before Jus- Funks To Hold A tice Frank Richards at Carlsbad last week, charged with theft of cattle. He plead not guilty and waived examination after posting bond of \$500.00. He was bound over to the action of district court.

CARBON DIOXIDE WELL

A strong flow of carbon dioxide state in sec. 19-20-31, according to reports from Roy. The flow of gas found at 1,000 feet was said to have been stronger than that found in the Estancia valley.

Flood Water Dam Is Planned For Hope Community Ditch

Land owners in the Hope community ditch recently voted a \$10,-000 assessment to supply materials in building a temporary storage dam on the Penasco river and plans are underway to start construction of the dam soon to retard the flood Carlsbad and consolidated with the waters of the river. The dam is to be located above the Y. O. crossing, it is understood. The govern- former Artesia resident, is in ment is to furnish labor for the charge of the consolidated office. project, while the assessment will supply the material.

IS ANNOUNCED

Plan Will Replace FERA; Change Made in Method of Distribution; State is Now Divided Into Four Districts.

SANTA FE-The successor to The officers also called attention the FERA, to distribute food to

The Works Progress Adminis-12-20-36, at a depth of 3890 feet. flares and under the new law effectem will be worked out as a project At that time the well gauged a tive the first of the year, all trail- and each month New Mexico will flow of 110 barrels per hour. Re- ers loaded in excess of 1,500 pounds be allotted necessary money to supply food and supplies to needy the well with 5,000 gallons of Several 1936 license plates have who cannot work. This system will muratic acid and after treatment been purchased locally. The color care for the estimated 5,000 to the well responded by flowing at scheme of the plates for the new 6,000 families now carried on the

or 28,272 barrels daily as against trucks. The 1936 car plates are A fundamental change will be a former production of 2,640 bar- white with blue lettering and the in distribution. Under the FERA modity depot for food and supplies, and it was estimated that only seventy-seven per cent of the Good Response To seventy-seven per cent of the needy were taken care of because of that fact. No county had more than two depots.

Rudolph said he plans to door-toa month at least, Rudolph said.

on relief rolls who have not re- by November 15th. supervisors.

produced by the various sewing projects will be isued also.

District directors in the four districts of the state were named by Rudolph. They are: L. R. Trainor of Las Vegas, district one, headquarters at Raton

Raymond Seale of Roswell, district two, headquarters at Roswell. Albuquerque.

four, headquarters at Deming.

NEW COUNTY AGENT

Fred Barham of Cherokee, Okla-Neilson, Mrs. Sam Williams, Gail homa, recently appointed county Adjustments will be permitted for funds aiding the work. Hamilton, Chester Dexter, Rex agent by the Eddy county commis- producers to lower base after sign-Wheatley, Pior Rubber Co., Artesia sioners court, is expected to arrive ing contract. Payments will be Laundry, City of Artesia, J. C. in the county on December 23rd, sent to all parties interested in Penney Co., Dr. H. Stroup, Popular to assume his duties on the first of contracts. Thirty-seven and a half

charge of the office.

Public Sale On

18th of December

SANTA'S VISIT MOVED UP The date of Santa Claus'

visit to Artesia has been moved up a week. Originally scheduled to appear here on December 21st, business men have requested Santa to make his visit on Saturday, December 14th, and he has consented to make the change and will be here promptly on December 14th, at 2:30 p. m., with treats for every child.

Santa will assist in the distribution of the treats from the community Christmas tree, which has been erected between the Smoke House and the Artesia Auto Co.

Wunsch Tells All trucks must be equipped with tration commodity distribution sys-

Is Meeting With State Cotton Control Board At Roswell Today.

W. A. Wunsch of Las Cruces, secretary of the state cotton condoor delivery, and under the new trol board, has summed up briefly system the food and supplies will the new 1936 cotton plan which is 22-37, seven miles southeast of the Sale of Bangle Pins To Be be delivered right at the door of as follows: A four-year program Started On Main Street twice a month if possible, and once to 1939 inclusive. Program is to be announced each year by Decem-Clients eligible for commodities ber 1st. Contract signers can withare those who have been deter- draw from program any year by mined as unemployables, clients signing application of withdrawal

ceived their WPA checks for relief | Base acreage will be allotted berculosis association have been work until they get their checks state by division of cotton board tified by local home management be set aside for state board to use in adjusting contracts. Each county Present commodity surpluses in- will be allocated its share of state clude prunes, dry skimmed milk, allotment, based on acreage of canned hamburger and canned fruit 1935. The base years to be used and vegetables from the various will be selected by state board and projects. Clothing and bedding the same base will apply to all counties in state. Base selected is

to be one of five periods: 1928 to 1932 1931 to 1933 1932 to 1934

1933 to 1935

or 1935 alone. Yields will be assigned by the county committee, based on base que, district three, headquarters at made for hail, floods, etc. Payment age. Reduction for 1936 is to be TO ARRIVE HERE 23rd more than forty percent. Contract signers must plant at least fifty percent of allowed cotton acreage. percent going to party furnishing

(Continued on last page column 4) the Department of Agriculture.

vision of crop.

HERE MONDAY

Central Location; Jobs tion in an El Paso hospital. To Open Soon For the bad Monday. Unemployed Women.

Transfer of the district WPA by the Rev. H. W. Jordan of headquarters from Carlsbad to Ar- Carlsbad and the Rev. J. R. Wood tesia has been made. Office equip- of Loving. All rural schools over ment of the district WPA office the county were closed yesterday merce banquet, held Tuesday evenwas moved up Monday and will be in order that the teachers might ing in the roof garden of the Arlocated in the former office quar- attend the funeral.

Meets County Farmers At in the district, twenty-four proj- complications. Carlsbad Yesterday and ects are located north of here. Mr. sorbed in Eddy county.

present WPA office force consists aga community. Lucy Blanchard, temporarily rep- H. and Frances Beeman. resenting the FERA.

Arrangements have also been made to care for all certified un- Eddy Dist. Court employed women in the county. A mattress making project will be started here and a sewing project at Carlsbad, shortly.

The state will also have a local employables within a short time. Fay Gutherie, state administrator, is expected here this week to advise with local and county officials.

WATER LEVEL RISE SHOWS SUCCESS OF

coming apparent by definite rises The jurors drawn include: in the water level of the district Paul Collier, Willie Bindle, Clyde stitute; H. E. Mehrens and Donald Smith, artesian well inspector.

SUPREME COURT ACTION WON'T STOP PAYMENTS

On irrigated land, provisions can according to the statement issued and Alfred Aroco, charged with Mr. and Mrs. Alf Coll were El be made for division of payments by Martin G. White, solicitor of stealing a saddle from the home

DIST. OFFICE OF Mrs. Frank Beeman 113 WPA IS MOVED Dies At El Paso On Monday Morning THE ANNUAL

Transfer From Carlsbad Mrs. Frank Beeman, well-known Malaga educator, when she suc-To Artesia Because of cumbed to a throat and lung infec- Annual Meet of Chamber The body was brought to Carls-

> Funeral services were held yesterday at the Carlsbad Methodist church, with the Rev. A. C. Douglas of Artesia officiating, assisted

ters of the Malco Refineries, at the Mrs. Beeman became ill early in many respects. The program was rear of the First National Bank. September, and had been in the brief and interesting, the food was Fred Brainard, projects manager, Masonic hospital in El Paso for well served and the address of said the move was made to serve several months before her death. Donald MacKay of Portales, pres-

the district more advantageously, She was moved to the El Paso ident of the Eastern New Mexico as Artesia is practically in the cen- hospital when infection caused the Junior College, was probably the ter of the district that serves Eddy, collapse of one lung. She appar- best of its kind ever heard here. Lea and Chaves counties and will ently was recovering when the One hundred thirteen people were mean a saving for the WPA. Of other lung became infected, and in attendance. the thirty-two projects underway an infected throat caused further

Brainard said the entire case load for her school work in the county, attention to the fact the occasion of men employables had been ab- having been connected with the was a joint meeting with the Arschool system for many years, tesia Rotary club and the Chamber In addition to Mr. Brainard, the Many relatives reside in the Mal- of Commerce. W. E. Kerr, presi-

Mrs. Hedwig O'Neil, secretary; Frank Beeman, son of Mr. and Rotary club had registered a 100 Mrs. Charldee Donaldson, who is Mrs. C. W. Beeman of Malaga; percent attendance for the octemporarily representing the New her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. casion Mexico Security Commission; Mrs. Hatfield, and two children, Joe A large bouquet of California

Convenes Monday

set-up made to care for the un- Eleven Criminal Cases To by Mrs. I. L. Spratt; a violin solo Present Term.

tried at the December term of the of Elk; V. L. Minter of Carlsbad, WELL-PLUGGING JOB Eddy county district court, which secretary of the Carlsbad Chamber ned at Carlshad Monday with The success of well plugging Judge J. B. McGhee presiding. A Roswell, secretary of the Roswell projects of the Pecos Valley Ar- panel of thirty-six jurymen have Chamber of Commerce; Col. "Deek" tesian Conservancy district is be- been drawn for this term of court. Pearson of Roswell, superintendent

in sections, according to Clifford Guy, Roy Hollis, C. C. Powell, Ar- MacKay of Portales, with the Eastthur Donaldson, Lee E. Francis, ern New Mexico Junior College; Water reading on the three Claude Farris, Perry Trimble, War- Mrs. O'Neil, Mr. Nixon, Mr. and gauges show rises over the same ren Weems, Frank James, Ernest Mrs. Freuke, Misses Edmonson and Theo F. Douglas, Jr., Albuquer- period used. Adjustments can be period last year in all sections, it Shafer, L. J. Campbell, J. L. Seals, Stevens, all of Carlsbad. was stated, with the one at Artesia W. E. Kerr, C. A. McDaniel, W. A. for 1936 will be based on not less showing a gain of 5.50 feet, the Cowan, David Geer, R. W. Ham-Fred Rowell, Deming, district than five cents per pound on Orchard Park meter showed a gain blen, C. A. Buchanan, H. F. Brockamount of cotton on adjusted acre- of .3 of a foot, and the Berrenda man, W. C. Bates, W. O. Mont- of the Artesia Chamber of Comgauge showed a gain of .6 of a gomery, W. H. Birchell, Albert merce during the past year by W. minimum of thirty percent and not foot over the same period last year. Richards, W. T. Amstutz, T, A. Well plugging work is being con- Southard, W. F. O'Cheskey, T. H. tinued in both the south and north Farrell, O. C. Nichols, Harry C. section of the district, with WPA Skinner, C. F. Montgomery, Geo. dergriff and Claude Brown.

of the state versus Ted Johnson and others, charged with operating 4 Chamber Commerce a game of chance. The defendants The recent decision of the su- were found not guilty. Tuesday preme court in issuing the tem- the case of Robert Helbert, charged porary injunction against the col- with driving the car of R. Hardin lection of rice processing taxes will without the owner's permission, not affect benefit payments under was freed by the jury. Tuesday agricultural adjustment contracts, afternoon the case of Fred Gomez of Roger Durand of Artesia, was day evening. Seven names were heard and the defendants found submitted to the membership with

ADVISOR HERE Keller.

H. G. Ehrhardt, former coach at the Lordsburg high school, has recently assumed his duties as educa-At the High School tional advisor of the CCC camp west of Lake Arthur. The Ehrhardt family are occupying the McClay apartment on Eight street. Virginia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ehrhardt, is attending the Central

SHIPS CALVES

Bernard Cleve shipped two cars of steer calves to market last week. The calves, ninety-five in number. were purchased from John Fan-

Ford Sedan Stolen From Clowe Home On Friday Night

A 1934 Ford sedan, belonging to the Kemp Lumber Co., was stolen from the home of the local company manager, D. I. Clowe, some time Friday night. The thief or A total of \$45.00 has been thieves broke into the Clowe gar-

> Sid Cox drove over to El Paso on business the first of the week.

A long and courageous struggle CC BANQUET

of Commerce Outstanding in Many Respects; Donald MacKay Makes Interesting Address.

tesia hotel, was superlative in

C. J. Dexter, president of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, Mrs. Beeman was widely known acted as toastmaster and called dent of the Artesia Rotary club. of George Nixon, office manager; Surviving her are her husband, presided briefly and announced the

roses, presented Mr. Dexter at the beginning of the four-course banquet, bouyed the spirits of the toastmaster and enabled him to go through the entire ceremony with-

Musical numbers on the program included a vocal solo and encore by Mrs. Frank Smith, accompanied and encore by Shirley Bartlett, Be On Schedule of the accompanied by her father, Ray Bartlett. Richard Rockwell furnished piano music during the banquet hour.

Visitors introduced included: Eleven criminal cases will be Mrs. A. L. Cleve and F. G. Irwin Commerce: Claude Simpson of

Report of Manager

A brief report of the activities B. McCrory, manager, was of interest. Of prime importance was the announcement by Mr. McCrory that the organization was free Pixler, Alvey Williams, J. L. Van- from debt and ended the year with a small balance in the bank.

Monday the court heard the case (Continued on last page, column 3)

Directors Re-Elected At Annual Meeting

Four directors of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce were reelected at the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesa request to vote for four. The four re-elected were: J. S. Ward. H. G. Watson, M. G. Schulze, I. C.

Next Monday the directors will meet at 7:15 p. m. in the Chamber of Commerce office for the purpose of reorganizing and election

MRS. FEEMSTER BREAKS HIP

Mrs. L. W. Feemster, saleslady at the J. C. Penney Co., store, had the misfortune to fall and break her hip Saturday morning, when she slipped on a freshly-oiled floor while on duty at the store.

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Fred Cole Robbed Near Dayton Last Nite CCC EDUCATIONAL ADVIS

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Funk will hold a public sale at their farm about three and a half miles northeast of Artesia on next Wednesday. December 18th, offering for sale all of their livestock, household well in the northern part of the goods, farming implements and many miscellaneous items. Included in the livestock are a number of Jersey milch cows. Also a large list of farming implements.

Mr. and Mrs. Funk are holding the sale preparatory to moving to Arkansas for the benefit of Mrs. Funk's health. The Funks have lived in the Pecos valley for the greater part of thirty years and have made many friends, who regret to see them leave.

N. M. EMPLOYMENT OFFICE HERE MOVED

The local New Mexico employment office has been moved to county office, it was announced here Saturday. Mrs. Nola Pollard.

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Robbers Take \$9.35 From Artesia Man When He Stops To Give Aid; Fail To Locate Robbers Who Make Getaway.

Fred Cole of Artesia was held up p. m., a mile and a half south of Dayton, en route home from Carlsbad, where he had been to visit his wife in a Carlsbad hospital. The robbers stopped Mr. Cole by waving a flashlight. Their car, an old Buick, was standing in the road with the hood of the car up

as if they were working on the car. December 20th for the Christmas When Cole pulled up beside the into Artesia to obtain a mechanic. Getting into the Cole car he stuck a gun in Cole's ribs, while his partner held a flashlight in the face of the victim.

Going thru Cole's pockets the robbers found \$9.35 in change. (Continued on last page, col. 2) ity.

Faculty Changes At the Junior High and Some changes have been made

in the Artesia school system, occasioned by the resignation of A. D. Partee last week to accept a position with the Universal Credit Co. Mrs. Leone French, English and robbed last night about 11:30 teacher at Junior high, has accepted the place of English and history teacher at the high school, succeeding Mr. Partee. Mrs. Carl Bildstone is substituting at the Junior high as English teacher.

Two Weeks for Xmas Supt. W. E. Kerr announced Tuesday the schools would close on holidays, resuming school work on car, one man asked if he might ride January 6th. This will give both pupils and teachers a full two weeks vacation.

\$45.00 FOR ROGERS FUND

They pulled a watch from Cole's secured for the Will Rogers mem- age and took the Ford minus the pocket, but decided not to take the orial fund, H. G. Watson, district switch key. No trace of the car watch. They threw the ignition chairman of the commission, an- had been found, according to an key in the barrow pit beside the nounced yesterday morning. Mr. early report. highway and started south. Cole Watson hopes to secure at least got his flashlight from a car \$50.00 for the fund from this local-

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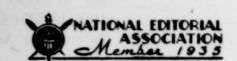
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FUTURE OF THE FARMER

We can't protect our manufacturing industries and allow other industries to compete on a world market and have a well-balanced de corner an' watch yo'self starve! do not interfere in pulling the and prosperous nation. As slow as we were to realize this fact, we believe this is generally a recognized principle by right-thinking, unselfish individuals, regardless of their politics. The present AAA program may not be the right plan, but there is no sense in continuing to subsidize an industry that is well able to care for itself, if we give water and wash it down. other industries no protection.

Maybe we should "chuck" the whole farm program and let the industry work out its own salvation, but if so let's tear down the tariff walls and let other industries adopt the same principle.

It should not be necessary to have to re-learn all of the things we found out in 1931 and 1932, namely, that if the farmers' purchasing power is reduced, then the nation suffers and the purchasing power of other industries drops in proportion. Farming is still the basic industry of the United States and unless this industry is four got on and the train pulled other flavor and any desired color. When too stiff to pull, stretch to a rone 16 inch in diameter and cut supported in the same proportion to other industries, we can never out, leaving the fourth fellow a rope 1/2 inch in diameter and cut

have anything approaching prosperity. And too our problem today has changed from what it was even until he was weak. ten years ago. We have learned ways and means of increasing production until it far exceeds the demand, unless some way is are you laughing at?" found to control production, such as is in use by the oil industry, but did you ever hear of anything like a voluntary control program as applied to the farm industry that has approached success? Other industries may shut off production when the supply exceeds the demand, but can you imagine farmers doing this? Instead of growing

less, they grow more to get the same money in cash crops. Another change has come about which further complicates the recovery picture and this is due to the fact that we have gone to cose veins I think I'll go as a road ate oven at 375 degrees for ten motor power for our transportation and for our farming operations. map." We might discard our motorized farming machinery, but it sure would hurt to have to go back to the horse and buggy days and this

is what low priced farm produce means. In the event the AAA program is knocked out (and we do not know the results as this is written we learn that the administration has a broad reaching farm plan that is practically perfected. The way or another) and a negro new scheme involves a determination of the necessary acreage to woman told another that he had raise sufficient major crops for the foreign and home markets. Next gone to his eternal rest. the government would ascertain what crops would grow better in a particular area. The old program, created as an emergency measure ment job he's been talking about, and gave more thought to the individual farmer, rather than to the did he?" the second negro woman problems of agriculture and made no provisions for the rotation of remarked.

crops, soil erosion and land fertility. Under the new program, preservation and more economic use of by a farmer to the senator of his the land would be a major economic objection, along with the im- district. The letter might be approvement of the farmer's lot.

ROOM AT TOP SMALLER

There's still "room at the top" for ambitious youth—but, declares to look after my intrusts down here Walter B. Pitkin, famed author of "Life Begins At Forty," it is a in legislation matters, I thot you smaller room than it used to be. And instead of being in a city might want to hear from me and skyscraper, it may be on main street of the old home town.

Able young men and women today, Dr. Pitkin notes in the tion I am in. current Rotarian Magazine, should take a realistic view of the change, and recognize the fact that it may be necessary for them to work longer than did able youth of another generation at jobs requiring believe its my duty to write you less than their full abilities. Progress up what he describes as "the battered old ladder of success," is apt to be slower than formerly, and sible, so's we can make up our wise youth will cultivate local acquaintances and a knowledge of

A ten-point list of qualifications necessary for high-grade young men and women who would reach the room-at-the-top is offered by instance. I see my mistakes and Stevens. Dr. Pitkin:

- Health
- High energy Persistence
- Thoroughness
- High technical training
- 6. Social sense—the ability to get along with people
- Self-knowledge, the self-understanding 8. Adaptability
- one's best abilities

10. A knowledge of local affairs and wide acquaintanceship with local people

All of which, he adds, is based on the patent fact, "Today there is no room anywhere for millions who are able and winning to work. It's important, even though not pleasant, to know that, in terms of for flour and meat instead of gas mere numbers alone, every young worker who has arrived at working and oil, I would have been okeh. age since 1920 would be superfluous in our existing economic system I built a nice garage last year inif everybody were to use the latest and best inventions and improve-

"We have heard much of the youth problem—and it is a big instead of being in the pasture fixproblem, one that reaches around the world. Gratifying, however, is the intelligent interest business and professional men are taking not only in counselling youth but in actively helping them make wife hought from two blankets my

Maybe President Roosevelt is fixing to toss a forward pass in ain't got no cash. I am tied to the 1936. His brain trust is doing the fading away.

Seventy-one per cent of a selected group of the largest general nobody wouldn't pay him, and his automative newspaper advertisers will increase advertising appropria. cotton won't sell 'cause nobody tion in 1936 over 1935.

Men in the United States have bought on the average four-tenths silk underwear right here in the cotton patches. I had \$4 saved up of a suit of clothes a year since 1929. Let us hope it was the pants for a rainy day, but it turned out fraction.-Boston Evening Transcript.

We agree with the judge who ruled that wooden leg does not bar a man from operating an automobile. It's wooden heads that a turnip patch, but when cause most of the trouble.—McPherson, Kansas, Republican.

The long bodied trucks have created a parking as well as a traffic ried plum to the bone, and my problem. Looks like some attention will have to be given the parking | wife's kinfolk are coming over next of the trucks on the main thoroughfares, if the traffic hazards are Tuesday to spend two weeks.

Chislings

There's a lot of difference between a tax payer and a turkey, if you never stopped to think about it, because the turkey only gets it on Thanksgiving.

Some women make a specialty of hunting antiques. One left here a few years ago and returned with 1.50 a new husband. All agreed that her hunt was a success.

> 1-1-1 when your mother used to comb appetites are permitted to run your hair and you wished you did rampant. not have any?

ceived no gift from the bridemoon, atoned for his negligence by handle. bringing to his bride a wash-tub, a wash-board and a hand mirror. of gifts, Mose said:

Son: "Say, Dad, that apple I just ate had a worm in it, and I ate that, too.

im walk down.

provincial town. They visited an inn and had several drinks. Then all four left for the railway station.

Station Master: "What the devil powdered sugar and leave until Fourth Fellow: "Shure, they

The Nudists were planning a masquerade and the ladies were worrying over what to wear. "Well," said one, "with my vari-

The depression may be definitely behind us, but it ain't stopped

kicking us in the pants. Not long ago a negro died (one

"So he finally got dat govern-

The following letter was written You may be familiar with part of the contents of the letter, but it is to which he entered a plea of

worth reading and follows: "As you are the representative know my condition, and the sitia-

"There seems to be so much talk about our so-called prosperity, I minds we had ought to change our

ways of living and so forth. "I have taken my own case, for many others have acted likewise. I bought a car instead of a farm and it is worn out but the farm I figured on is still okeh. I invested in a radio instead of a cow, and the

radio gives static instead of milk. "I am feeding five nice hounds that answer to the names of Red, Red Wing, Slobber, Jake and Bay Rum, instead of five pigs. I had 9. Willingness to work for a long time at jobs requiring less than our piano tuned instead of the well cleaned out. I spent all my cash in 1928, used by credit in 1929, and traded my future wages on installments in 1930, so hard times caught

me in bad shape last fall. "If I had only spent by last \$10 stead of covering my barn, and loafed in the mountains two weeks ing the fence so's my cow wouldn't get out, but she is dry and mortwife bought from an agent instead of paying the preacher.

"I'm on a cash basis now, but I end of my rope, and the man I'm working for is busted on account of won't buy cotton clothes; all the gals wear slick, silky stockings and dry and I spent it for two inner

"I tried hard to make both ends was selling turnips for nothing and the market was glutted, I was wor-"Your Downhearted Friend."

Suggestions For Chistmas Sweets

There is no other time in the whole year when grown-ups, as in the neck once a year and that well as children, look forward so keenly to having delicious homemade candies, cookies and attractive little cakes as at Christmas time, says Dee Maier of the New Mexico State College.

If one has time, these Christmas goodies may be made very colorful and decorative, or they may be We don't always realize all of very simple. Usually, the simpler our childhood hopes; a few of us ones are the most healthful, since nowever, have. Do you remember it seems to be one time when our

In making cream candies such as fudge or fondant, use ten to fif-Eliza, the belle of Birmingham's teen drops of glycerine to the cup darktown, on her wedding day re- of sugar instead of corn syrup. This makes a delightfully smooth groom. But Mose, after the honey- and creamy candy, and is easier to

Children love to help with the making of their Christmas candies As Eliza eyed the strange medley and none are quite so much fun as those which must be pulled. Why "Liza, you can hab yo' choice ob not try these? Regular pulled taffy dese presents. Yo' can take dis may be poured over nut meats tub and washbo'd an' go to wuk- when poured out to cool; these or take de mirror, an' sit down in add materially to the flavor and

Put 2 cups sugar, 2/3 cup boiling water, 1/4 teaspoon cream of Parent: "What! Here, drink this tartar, 1 teaspoon vinegar in saucepan, over heat, stir until sugar is

After Dinner Mints

Son (shaking his head): "Aw, let dissolved, boil without stirring to 265 degrees F., or until a decidedly firm ball is formed in cold water. Four good fellows, old friends, Pour onto slightly greased platter met after long years in an Irish or marble or metal table top and leave until cool enough to handle. Pull candy with fingers, adding few drops oil of peppermint or standing on the platform, laughing with scissors in small pieces or strips. Put at once into a bowl of

The following recipe should be were supposed to be seeing ME included in your Christmas good-

Dream Bars

Mix 1/2 cup butter, 1/2 cup brown sugar, 1 cup flour, to a crumbly mass. Put in a shallow baking pan 8x13 inches. Bake in a moder-

Mix 1 cup brown sugar, 1/2 teaspoon baking powder, 11/2 cups coconut, 2 tablespoons flour. 14 teaspoon salt, 1 egg, 1 cup nut

Pour over previously baked crust. Bake 20 minutes in a moderate oven. Cool and cut in bars.

VIOLATION OF RULES ON SHOOTING QUAIL BRINGS \$25 FINE AT CARLSBAD

C. G. McFall of Carlsbad, was fined \$25 and costs of court before Justice of the Peace Frank Richplied to the town folks as well. ards of Carlsbad on a charge of shooting quail from an automobile,

> The arrest was made by Deputy State Game Warden M. Stevenson of Roswell on Friday.

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Fred L. O'Cheskey, Lillie M. Harrington, Part of Lot 3, Block 9, La Huerta. Deed-

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New Mex. Range **Has Not Changed**

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RANGES: There is very little in the reported condition of ranges from that of a month ago. Scattered rains during November have fallen over the state and have improved soil moisture and freshened up dry range feed. Precipitation and attending to business. during November was 0.37 inch above normal. Prospects for winout the state; however, in some counties, largely in the eastern half of New Mexico, the grass is short. There is practically no snow on any ranges in use at the present time. The bulk of winter ranges used by sheep are generally in good condition. There is an ample supply of feed and feed grains with some localities having a possible surplus, unless the coming winter is too severe. Wheat fields of eastern Mayhill spent the week-end here rain, but are affording some pas- Charley Cole. ture to livestock. Stock water from all sources over the state is ample Francis hospital in Carlsbad where cotton accounted for thirteen perfor present needs. The condition of she underwent an appendicitis op- cent, which is a decided increase ranges is reported at 86 percent of eration Saturday. normal compared with the same as Supt. Edwin C. Hawkins motored

average of the past ten years. of cattle are reported to have im- hospital. proved in flesh during the past month, and on December 1 were Felix were over night guests of reported to be in better condition their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. Christmas Cards at The Advocate. the small change. at this time of the year than for the average for the past ten years day night. for the same time. Cattle are in good condition to enter winter. Cows are in good flesh and stockmen report present prospects are good for a large calf crop next able to return to her home here return here in the next few days. year. Losses of cattle during the the first of the week. past month have been nominal. The fall movement of calves and other of Hope, now living in Weed, was quilting party and a covered dish cattle has almost been completed. a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. been sold close; however, where first of the week. financial conditions permit, heifer Mrs. J. P. Parks and Mrs. Bill regular business missionary meetcalves have been held. Cows have Glasscock and small daughter, ing was held. Mrs. W. B. McCrory been culled close, and all steers of Mary Vance, spent Monday in and Mrs. Ray Bartlett of Artesia all ages have been marketed freely. Roswell visiting relatives and at- attended the meeting in the in-There is a tendency, when financ- tending to business. ially able, to increase numbers, and many shipments of stock cattle have been made into the state dur- they spent the week-end visiting ing the past month. The condition Mr. Stanley's parents, Mr. and of cattle is reported at ninety per- Mrs. J. R. Stanley. cent of normal compared with eighty-eight last month and 87.3 for the ten-year average.

SHEEP & LAMBS: Mild weather and sufficient feed during November have aided materially in keeping sheep and lambs, left on New Mexico ranges, in above the average condition. Sheep are in good flesh to begin the winter season. Losses have been small. Ewes gen- Ivy Wimberly. erally are in good shape, which is a material aid toward a good lamb children left the first of the week crop for the coming season. Lambs for Lubbock, Texas, where Mrs. have practically all been shipped Fisher and children will spend a with prices better than for several few weeks visiting relatives and years. Shipments this fall have Saturday. and heavy culling of ewe lambs except where stockmen have been Francis hospital in Carlsbad the financially able to hold. Due to latter part of the week where he good range feed during the past underwent a tonsil operation. He season, lambs have averaged heavier in weight than for several years. Hay and other feeds are ample to carry sheep through the coming winter. The condition of sheep is reported at 91 percent of normal, the same as that of last month, as compared with 87.5 for the average of the past ten years for this time of the year.

TYPEWRITERS

New Woodstocks, Coronas, and Remingtons, Rebuilts in all other makes at The Advocate.

Hope Items

Frances Johnson, Reporter

Mrs. Hal Hamill drove to Carlsoad where she received medical

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Wilkins of Roswell spent the week-end on their ranch south of Hope. Mrs. W. S. Medcalf spent Sat-

urday in Carlsbad visiting friends

John Jerry Jones has moved his

residence in the northwest part of Mrs. Anderson Young is teaching in the place of Marjorie John-

son in the Hope schools during her Hilton Cole of the CCC camp at classed as of this length

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Joy of the and Mrs. Emmett Potter, Wednes-

been in Roswell for several weeks, the parents of the couple stated receiving medical treatment, was that he would probably be able to

Most steer and heifer calves have McCormack in their home here the

Wyatt Stanley and Rex Seeley

motored to Dexter Saturday where Christmas Cards at The Advocate.

Johnny Williams, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Williams, who has been confined to his home with a case of scarlet fever, was

able to be out Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wimberly of Flagstaff, Arizona, arrived here the first of the week to spend some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Fisher and included about all the wether lambs friends. Mr. Fisher returned here

> J. W. Teel was taken to the St. was returned to his home here Saturday where he is reported seriously ill.

> L. Mackin of Bruce, Wisconsin, arrived here the latter part of the week and is spending a week here attending to business and visiting friends. Mr. Mackin is a former resident of this section and will be remembered by some of the old timers.

Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Glasscock who left the first of last week for San Angelo, Texas, to attend to business, have been unable to re-

Cotton Grade Continues High

Cotton classed this week from the southwestern irrigated areas continues to be of relatively high grade. More than ninety percent was classed as white and extra white, middling and above. Spotted cotton accounted for practically all Mrs. Dave Bunting motored to of the remainder which is to be Carlsbad Saturday where she spent expected due to frost and insect ter range is generally good thru- the day visiting friends and shop- damage, both of which were greater than last year.

Staple lengths have also held up family to the C. B. McCormack satisfactorily with more than 90 percent classed as 1-1/16 inches and longer both for this week, and for the season to date. The proportion classed as 1-1/8 inches was slightly less than last week, but and other relatives in Mississippi. still show almost one-fourth of that

NEW MEXICO: Eighty-one percounties are in need of additional visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. cent was classed this week as strict middling and above compared with over last week.

There was a decrease this week CATTLE & CALVES: All classes son home from the St. Francis being reported as of these lengths compared with ninety-four percent

Mary Lou Harrison, who has Glasscock. Word received here by

Mrs. John Teel entertained at C. E. Goodman, former resident her home Thursday with an all-day luncheon for the ladies missionary society of the Methodist and Baptist churches. In the afternoon the terest of the Red Cross.

Mrs. M. C. Lee, Reporter

Lakewood Items

W. J. Pennington has been quite with flu for several days.

Mrs. Sadie Wilson and little son spent the week-end with relatives in Artesia.

in Roswell.

pital in Carlsbad Tuesday.

Mrs. Albert Lee, has been on the of disease. sick list the past three or four

and Mrs. J. N. Foster.

M. C. Lee home.

each of the Pecos.

ents, Mr. and Mrs. George Mc-

son Dale and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. clinic are found to have cancer of Hughes were among those who the rectum. That is what they find attended the R. L. Paris sale Tues- when they examine every part of day of last week.

Alton Ross and John Heard came in from California last Tuesday night. Alton had been away for over a year. John Heard had been gone about six months. They seem to be glad to get their feet under dad's table again.

Little Mary Evelyn Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Price, is POSTAL RECEIPTS seriously ill at the St. Francis hospital in Carlsbad. She underwent an appendicitis operation. The doctor finding the appendix from rupture.

Seven Rivers, died at the Veteran's hospital in Albuquerque Sunday at 7:00 a. m. Mr. Sanders had been taking treatments at the Veteran's guaranteed. Paul A. Otts, jeweler hospital the past six weeks. He 42-tfc leaves a widow and small daughter here to mourn his untimely death

The famous "Wishing Well" at the Carlsbad Caverns was robbed Marjorie Johnson is in the St. ninety per cent last week. Spotted last week of several dollars in small change. Discovery of the robbery, the second time since last April, was made Friday by tourists and Cavern rangers. Not only was that of last month, and 82.7 for the to Carlsbad Saturday to bring Mrs. in cotton classed as 1-1/16 inches all of the small coins taken, but Hawkins and small daughter and and longer, eighty-two percent the well was bailed practically dry of water. Entrance in the Caverns was made through the Bat cave.

Park officials have indicated the "Wishing Well" will be abandoned to remove the temptation to take

turn home due to the illness of Mr. Christmas Cards at The Advocate.

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MILTON KELLY, Prop.

Health Column

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

Almost Revolution

" A profound change in the pur-Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Clarey pose of medicine amounting almost spent the week-end with relatives to a revolution." Thus Sir George Newman describes the trend of today in his inaugural address to Mrs. Hugh Norwood had a minor the Welsh National School of operation at the St. Francis hos- Medicine. He spoke of "powers of control of the body undreamed of by our forefathers" and the use Rex Lee, little son of Mr. and of those powers in the prevention

If the revolution is delayed we

must blame the conservatism of the patient as much as that of the Mrs. Kenneth Williams (nee physician. The patient rarely goes Lois Foster) is making an ex- to the doctor unless he is feeling tended visit with her parents, Mr. ill. The sick man wants to know: What is the matter with me; can you cure it; how long shall I have Mrs. Alice Angell spent Sunday it; how can I avoid getting it afternoon visiting Mrs. Forrest again? The patient thinks of "it" Lee and Mrs. M. C. Lee at the as something apart from himself but really his illness is himselfsome disharmony in the function Mrs. Fannie Johns returned of his own make-up. The doctor home Monday after spending a must think not of "it" but of month with her brother, Lewis "him" or "her." The heredity, the Angell and family at their ranch temperament, habits, way of living, religion; all these are part of the patient. That is why medical Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McGonagill care can never be bought in a and children spent Sunday in Oil department store and medicine will Field with Mr. McGonagill's par- always be art as well as science.

Last month a doctor from the Mayo clinic told our southwestern doctors in El Paso that one out of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee, Mrs. every fifty-two people, of all ages M. C. Lee, I. W. Floyd, wife and of either sex, who go to the famous the patient no matter what the complaint. Supposing that people should go to the family physician once a year and say "Doctor, please give me a thorough overhauling. Please check every detail." This would take time, cost money and many times the report at the end would be: "Everything is working well." But the revolution would be

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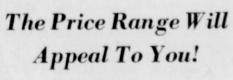




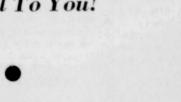
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THURSDAY (TODAY)

FRIDAY

The H 2 O Bridge club meets

TUESDAY

The Fortnightly Bridge club

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Society will meet with Mrs. James

The M. E. Missionary society will not meet on account of com-

Allen at 2:30 p. m.

MRS. BRAINARD NOW

were hostesses.

PRESIDENT M. E. SOCIETY

A combined meeting of the De-

The spacious Williams home was

decorated for the occasion in gay

Christmas decorations. There were

with a small amount of cash in the

going president, presided during

with Mrs. McCann in charge was

Mrs. Frisch in a beautiful man-

Mrs. I. C. Dixon, secretary of

of the society and Mrs. Frisch was

The hostess served a dainty re-

FIRST AFTERNOON CLUB

Mrs. J. J. Clarke was hostess,

members of the First Afternoon

Tallies were drawn from a beau-

Guests seated for the five games

Delicious refreshments were

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Sunday.

mas party, 2:00 p. m.

hostess, 1:00 p. m.

with Mrs. G. R. Brainard.

Mrs. L. P. Evans, hostess.

LEGION AUXILIARY

The December meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held at the Legion hut, Monday afternoon, with a large attendance

Mrs. Ben Pior in the chair, presided during the business session. and initiation at lodge hall, 7:30 The calendar month program, in p. m. charge of Mrs. Albert Richards, who was assisted by Mmes. Calvin Dunn, Jess Truett and Ben Pior, also included Christmas numbers. Mrs. Frank Smith rendered a beautiful vocal solo with Mrs. Richards at the piano.

The rehabilitation committee will with Mrs. Ben Pior at 2:00 p. m. distribute a number of baskets to the needy at Christmas time. Eggs foods were brought on this occasion to go into the baskets. The organization also voted to send their annual Christmas gift to Fort Bayard which is a check for \$25.00 this year. Forty-five paid up members were reported at this meeting same period last year.

For several years the Auxiliary members entertained children of their group with a Christmas tree and special program, at their De- 1:00 p. m., Christmas party. cember meeting. This year they failed to follow the custom of past years, instead there was a beautiful Christmas tree for the mem- at the club house at 2:30 p. m., bers, with an exchange of gifts by musical program. each one present

Visitors were Mrs. Peters of the Oil Field, Mrs. Frank Herbold and class will meet at the Methodist Mrs. Fannie Bruton.

The program committee, who for their December class party at also served as hostesses, served de- 7:30 p. m. licious Christmas pudding and hot coffee at the close of the afternoon.

ASSOCIATION HAS ALL-DAY SESSION AND CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Christian Woman's Association held the December all-day ses- bined December meeting on the sion at the home of Mrs. Walter previous Thursday. Graham, Thursday.

covered dish luncheon at the noon

In the afternoon a brief business session was held with Mrs. Albert
Richards presiding. The program with Mr. and Mrs. George Hart at
Walter 7:30 p. m., for their Christmas present. It also held a handsome present. It also held a handsome Graham, who had arranged ap- party. propriate seasonal games. It was on this occasion that mystery friends of the association were revealed. During the mid-summer names were drawn for the mystery friend and throughout the followcember business and literary meeting weeks and months many deeds and acts of kindness were shared ings of the Methodist Missionary with each other. A beautifully Mrs. W. S. Williams, Wednesday gift for each one present which afternoon. Mmes. E. B. Bullock, also announced the name of the Landis Feather and I. C. Keller mystery friend.

Members of the association are meeting today at the home of Mrs. Ed Conner. They are tacking a comforter for the needy and each about thirty members present to one was expected to bring toys and hear the splendid reports of the foods for Christmas baskets to be year. All pledges have been paid distributed to the less fortunate and all obligations taken care of, at Christmas time. treasury. Mrs. George Frisch, out-

FAREWELL PARTY FOR MR. AND MRS. PARTEE the business session. The program

briefly given on mission points of Miss Maurine Lewis and Dr. John Clarke, Jr., were host and hostess when they entertained members of the Swastika Bridge ner bequeathed both the glory and members of the Swastika Bridge club at the Clarke home Thursday evening. Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Sr., assisted in entertaining. She was also a substituting guest for the past two years, to the incoming past two years, to the incoming score at the conclusion of the past two years, to the incoming score at the conclusion of the glory and burdens of her office to which she has so faithfully and so conscientiously given of her time for the past two years, to the incoming score at the conclusion of the grames. rounds of contract.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Partee were named honor guests on this occasion when the club members presented as officers and supering talled as officers and supering the district acted as installing of the district, acted as installing of the district, acted as installing of the district acted as officers and supering the district acted as installing of the district acted a sented them with a lovely gift as stalled as officers and superina farewell compliment before they tendents of the organization. Mrs. departed for Salt Lake City, Sun- Reed Brainard is the new president

Mr. Partee was the winner of installed as vice-president. high score for the men and Mrs. freshment course in which the Donald Marshall for the ladies. The Yuletide motif was carried Christmas colors of red and white out in decorations, tallies and the were again reflected.

dainty refreshments served at the conclusion of the games.

LOVELY BIRTHDAY COMPLIMENT SUNDAY Tuesday, when she entertained the

Mrs. Ed Gillispie was the honoree Bridge club and substituting of a lovely birthday compliment, guests. Sunday afternoon

About three o'clock Messrs. and tifully decorated Christmas tree. Mmes. Alf Coll, L. M. Friend and Albert Glasser called at the Gil- of contract were: Mmes. F. G. lispie home, bringing with them Hartell, Beecher Rowan, Jeff Highthe birthday cake, other refresh- tower, S. E. Ferree, G. R. Brainard, ments and gifts, completely sur- Wallace Anderson, C. R. Blocker, prising Mrs. Gillispie. John Lowery, J. B. Atkeson, C. J. Dexter, Albert Richards and F. E.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES AID Ployhar. High score went to Mrs.

There were nine members present at the December meeting of served by the hostess in two the Presbyterian Ladies Aid, held courses at the conclusion of the at the home of Mrs. W. E. Kerr, games. Thursday afternoon

Mrs. Effie Wingfield presided over the business session.

The Junior class of Artesia will present "Introducin' Susan," Fri-Light refreshments were served day, December 13, at the Central by the hostess during the social school auditorium, at 8:00 p. in. hour following the business meet- A bargain at 15c, 25c and 35c. 50-1tc

Ployhar.

the direction of Lu Eyck Corbin, and Stroup, Wednesday evening. assisted by the Violin Choir, diday afternoon, December 15th.

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COTTONWOOD WOMAN'S CLUB HOLDS MEETING

Eastern Star, election of officers The Cottonwood Woman's club held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. E. P. Malone last Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. D. A. Bradley as co-hostess. Mrs. The Viernes Bridge club meets Ray Zumwalt, president, presided with Mrs. Boone Barnett, Christover a short business session, which included roll call of the The Miercoles Bridge club meets membership, adoption of a constitution and by-laws and the organization of a sewing circle for Bridge of the Month at the those interested in sewing. An adand many jars and packages of Artesia hotel, Mrs. Carl Bildstone, visory committee was also appointed

At the conclusion of a business session an appropriate Christmas program was rendered. Several Christmas carols were sung and a Christmas reading was given by The Contract Study club meets Mrs. Zumwalt, after which a memwhich is a slight increase at this at the Artesia hotel at 1:00 p. m., ory contest was held. After the program, the members followed the annual custom of presenting a gift to some other member from the meets with Mrs. Henry Caudle at Christmas tree. A shower was also given for Mrs. Glenn O'Ban-

> Forty-three were present, in-The Artesia Woman's club meets cluding six visitors, Mmes. T. M. Bobo, Parnell, Jackson, Howard, Witt Terry of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Frank Wilson of Artesia.

The Hustler's Sunday school The sewing circle accepted an invitation to meet with Mrs. Wilchurch in the Sunday school rooms son at her home in Artesia on the second Thursday in January. The next regular meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. Roy Ingram with Mrs. Ingram and Mrs. Victor second Thursday in January. The Parker as co-hostesses. The Presbyterian Missionary

DORCAS CLASS HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Mmes. Ed Gillispie, W. C. Baldwin, C. R. Jones and Boone Barnett were hostesses in entertaining the members of the Dorcas class with Thirty were present to enjoy the tion will meet at 2:30 p. m., the a lovely Christmas party at the place of meeting to be announced home of Mrs. Gillispie, Wednesday afternoon

A brilliantly lighted Christmas gift for the teacher of the class. Mrs. W. C. Martin, a presentation from the entire class.

Baseball games introduced by Mrs. Martin furnished amusement during the social hour which folthe business session over which Mrs. Merrill Sharp, vicepresident, presided. Mrs. B. D. Clark was elected president to fill the vacancy made by Mrs. Lynn Buford.

A delicious salad course was served by the hostesses to the following guests: Mmes. Joe Jesse, Clarence Grimlan, P. G. Woodruff, Luther Caraway, B. D. Clark, W. C. Martin, Buford Gray, W. G. Cook, V. D. Bolton, Ashton, Barton, Bob Bean, John Simons, Dan Bynum and Merrill Sharp.

ABNORMIS SAPIENS BRIDGE CLUB

Members of the Abnormis Sapiens Bridge club were entertained by Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Sr., at her home Wednesday afternoon.

also a substituting guest for the past two years, to the incoming score at the conclusion of the

Light refreshments were served



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"For Ladies Who Care" Phone 322

MRS. STROUP HONOREE AT LOVELY SHOWER

Mrs. Fletcher Collins entertained with a lovely Christmas party and The Artesia Choral club, under shower, complimenting Mrs. How-

The following guests were seated rected by Mrs. Doris Deter Wel- at three quartet tables for a numborne and Mrs. Virginia Egbert ber of rounds of auction: Mmes. Whitson, will be presented in a Howard Stroup, Lowell Naylor, four o'clock vesper service of William Compton, Leland Price, Christmas music at the First Meth- John Williams, Lawrence Goodell, odist Episcopal church, South, Sun- Kenneth Williams, Misses Ethel Bullock, Winifred Detterick, Elaine Ellen Funk of Artesia to N. H. This is the annual gift of music Feemster and Helen Bullock and Smithee of Pampa, Texas, was an-

for her, all wrapped in dainty bert Walker of Lubbock, Texas.

Christmas packages.

FUNK-SMITHEE NUPTIALS

The marriage of Miss Mary nounced here this week. The cere-

Mrs. Smithee, the daughter of

CHILI SUPPER AND

A chili supper and dancing party James Fulton and Trueman How-The lovely Christmas tree held mony was performed at Brown- was enjoyed at the Ed Gillispie ard.

what the honoree, Mrs. Stroup, field, Texas, Saturday morning. home Saturday evening. Mrs. Gilthought to be a gift for each guest, Attending Mr. and Mrs. Smithee lispie was assisted in entertaining but really held a shower of gifts were Miss Mable Crane and Her- by Mrs. L. P. Evans and Mrs. Ca Cunningham.

Supper guests were the Misses Refreshments were served in two Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Funk, Sr., is Mary Katherine Woods, Mary Ann courses, a delicious salad course, well known here and in the Cotton- Miller, Mary Evans, Helen Jean and the stork cake, decorated in wood community where she has Evans, Jessie Lee Cunningham, pink and blue, was served with the lived for a number of years. Mr. Irene Gillispie and Howard Helm, Smithee is a business man of Carroll Ansley, George Conner, Pampa, Texas. The young couple Lloyd Walker Evans, Clyde Tidplan to make their future home at well, Charles Denton, Rell Johnston and Gene Weehunt. Others joining them after supper for the dancing party were Misses Elnora Gage, PARTY AT GILLISPIES Dorothy Berry and Charles Floore, William Dunn, James Thigpen,

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No we are not Santa Claus, but we are sure making it easy for someone else to be and with a practical gift.

Smart, New Fur-Trimmed and Sport Coats and your choice of many lovely Dresses will surely help you solve the gift question and at the same time afford you a substantial saving.

Ladies' Fur Trimmed Winter Coats

In charming styles and in Lattice Crepes, Black, Wavy Diagonal and Caracul Seal trim. Three groups 1/3 off.

\$40.50 Coats for \$22.00 \$27.50 Coats for \$18.35 \$19.50 Coats for \$13.00

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Two groups to choose from in Broken Check, Brown, Black and Plain. 1/3 off.

\$16.75 Coats for \$11.17 \$12.50 Coats for \$8.33

Ladies' Suits

Crepe, Mixtures, Black, Checks, 1/3 off.

\$22.50 Suits for—

\$15.00

\$16.75 Suits for-

\$11.17

Silk Dresses

In Crepes and Satins

\$12.50 Dresses for—

\$8.33

\$8.50 Dresses for-

\$5.66

Wool Dresses In Plain and Black-

\$16.75 Dresses for \$12.50

\$2.50 Dresses for \$5.66

Ladies' Hats

All \$4.95, \$5.95 Hats for \$1.98 All \$2.49, \$2.95, \$3.50 Hats for \$1

Ladies' Rabbit Hair Dresses

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\$2.95 Dresses for _____\$2.63 \$2.95 Dresses for _____\$1.95

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Used gas range in at Advocate office.

FOR SALE: Nice assortment of Christmas trees at J. H. Long's residence at 812 West Washington.

garage. Located corner Fifth and afternoon. Richardson. See Dr. Stroup. 15-tfc

near Artesia and Lakewood. Improved and watered, improved and pointment in the evening. raw land in shallow water. See 48-tfc D. D. Sullivan.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Furnished room, connecting bath, close in. Phone 99.

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FOR RENT: 3-room modern house buys household furnishing. See H. A. Denton.

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MISCELLANEOUS

SHEEP PASTURE TO LEASE: 66, A. J. Basel, Artesia.

person taking light tan rug with ton. small green and black stripes on The senior class and class sponeach end. Phone 249.

make an ideal gift. Good singers. them at 409 W. Dallas, Artesia.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of application RA-1315 Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 2, 1935.

ico for a permit to appropriate the underground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 270 acre feet of water per annum shallow well to the approximate depth of 200 feet located in the NW¼ NW¼ Section 13, Township 19 S., Range 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 90 acres of land described as fol-

That part of the NW1/4 lying North and West of the Reclamation Line, Sec. 13, T. 19 S., R. 26 E.______90 acres
Any person, association or cor-

poration deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground president, presided at the meeting statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of state Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 11th day of January, 1936, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration uples protested

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

PIKE PERCH TO BE READY FOR SEASON coifee.

SANTA FE-The state game warden said Monday that pike perch would be planted in Elephant Butte lake and fishing of this type might be expected by summer.

Christmas Cards at The Advocate.

Typewriters for rent-Advocate. Advocate Want Ads Get Results

Lake Arthur Items

Miss Joyce Alexander, Reporter

week with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Derrick near Hagerman. Annie Joe Pate and Mable Mills were dinner guests at the home of

Bill Jack Graham is spending the

Sunday. Lillard Johnson is having some repair work done on his home this week. Clarence Evans is doing the work.

The sophomore English class is publishing a semi-monthly paper business matters. entitled, "The Walking - Talking

Miss Lavora Hedrick spent the week-end visiting with her sisters, good candition. See W. C. Martin Mrs. Smith and Miss Hedrick, in Carlsbad.

> Mrs. Pauline Edington is the proud mother of a six-pound baby girl named Angie Mae, born De-

Miss Eva Deering spent last Fri-FOR SALE: Mehodist church par- day night in Roswell visiting sonage property consisting of friends, then went to her home three lots, residence and double near Elida, returning here Sunday

pastor, was unable to attend church to business. Have a few choice farm bargains and hold the morning services last Sunday but was able to fill his ap-

The last basketball game to be played by Lake Arthur before the Christmas holidays will be against the N. M. M. I. Colts at Roswell Tuesday, December 17th.

Mrs. E. L. Lusk, the worthy grand matron of the Eastern star, made her official visit to Lake Arthur chapter No. 24, O. E. S., Friday night

An assembly will be held in the room with adjoining sun porch. high school auditorium next Thurs-At this time there is to be a Christmas program given. All patrons and parents are invited to attend.

The Methodists will present a close in. Cheap rent if party Christmas cantata on Sunday, December 15th, at 7:00 p. m., at the 50-1tp church. The public is cordially in-

nurse, will conduct a meeting of Annex where she is quite ill. WANTED: Representative to look the baby clinic Tuesday, January after our magazine subscription 7th, at the school auditorium. All interests in Artesia and vicinity. mothers with babies and others Our plan enables you to secure a who are interested are urged to

The Baptists have begun remodeling their church by first fix-50-1tp ing the Sunday school rooms. They are tearing out the plaster plan to hold their services in these rooms through the winter.

500 acre "Basel Farm" 250 acres organized here with Edwin Hawk- V. Page, is very ill. extra good pasture, all fenced. ins of Hope as instructor. They Good water. See owner, Phillips will consist of an education course 50-1tp and an English course. Those en-

50-1tc sor and wife, Supt. and Mrs. L. E. before returning home. Dohner, motored to Roswell last St. Andresburg Roller Canaries Monday night, December 9th, to and Carlo Ohlenbusch.

> The junior class of the Lake Arthur high school were guests at a party given Friday night at the home of Ruth Walden, a member of the class. After an enjoyable evening spent in playing "Bunko," and

year. The Eastern Star elected: W. Haven as worthy patron; Mrs. Ada Foster, worthy matron; senior warden, and John Lane as junior warden.

Woman's Missionary Society Has has sold sixty steer yearlings to Social

On December 4th, the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist weighed here, it was reported. church held a combined business and social meeting at the home of one of its members, Mrs. A. V. After the business was completed social gathering at the close of which Mrs. Kennedy of the Cottonwood, who recently joined the church, was the recipient of a surprise shower and received many lovely and useful gifts. At the close of the meeting the hostess, assisted by members of the group, served lovely refreshments which consisted of fruit salad, cake and

FRESHMAN CLASS DONATE TO ROGERS FUND

The freshman class of the Artesia high school have donated \$1.87 to the Will Rogers memorial fund, it was learned here Saturday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John D. House, Monday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Haynes Saturday.

Edith Coleman of Cottonwood last John R. Plowman, Hope rancher, shipped out a car of bones to Chicago this week.

days here last week attending to

after being confined to her bed for more than a week. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Marshall

Las Vegas with home folks. Mrs. J. A. Bruce, who is critically ill at her home here, is reported probably slightly improved this

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Evans of El Paso were here over the week-The Rev. McGrew, the Methodist end visiting friends and attending

> and Mrs. G. W. Forsee, is confined to her home with an attack of scarlet fever.

> for a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Ballard and Mr. Ballard, and brother, Emery Carper and family.

> Mrs. J. R. Attebery spent most of the first of the week in Carlsbad Johnson of Hope, who is a patient at the St. Francis hospital.

> C. C. Hightower, presiding elder of the local Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will preach here Sunday and hold the first quarterly conference in the afternoon.

Mrs. Steve Flinchbaugh brought vited. The service will be rendered her aunt, Mrs. Condron, in from by members of the Sunday school. the Oil Field Wednesday evening be submitted as rapidly as possible. Mrs. Esther Schaubel, the county and is with her at the Hardwick Mrs. Thelbert French, who has

been critically ill at the St. Mary's hospital in Roswell for the past two weeks, is reported very low with little hope held for her re-

Mrs. Clyde Guy, accompanied by Miss Margaret Frisch and Miss Margaret Bernie of the Artesia Beauty Service, drove over to El Paso Wednesday, expecting to re- Christmas Cards at The Advocate. turn some time today.

Mrs. J. Hise Myers left Wednesday for Los Angeles, going to El and sealing with plywood. They Paso by bus and taking the train from there, in response to a message early Wednesday morning Two extension classes have been stating that her mother, Mrs. Mary

Mmes. Will and Charlie Ballard drove to Roswell today, taking rolled are: Miss Maggie Lane, Miss Mrs. M. V. Erb of Oklahoma City, FIVE DOLLARS reward for in- Hannah Gerard, Mrs. Ivy Beasley, who has been visiting her sister, formation warranting arrest of Mrs. L. E. Dohner and L. H. Elling- Mrs. Will Ballard and Mr. Ballard here for several days. She will visit in Roswell for several days

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Schoonmaker see Will Rogers in his last picture, are moving to the Eunice-Jal sec-Your choice at bargain prices. See "In Old Kentucky." The seniors tion. They have moved her mother, attending were: Florence Evans, Mrs. Jack McCormick, and their Joyce Alexander, Laura Derrick small son Pat from the Wheatley tenant house on Eighth street to the Kukenmier residence on the same street. Pat will finish out the school term here.

INTRODUCIN' SUSAN

Notice is hereby given that on the 27th day of November, 1935, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, R. L. House, of Lakewood, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application the State Engineer of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico, and closted officers for the coming to the State Engineer of New Mexico, and closted officers for the coming to the State Engineer of New Mexico, and closted officers for the coming to the State Engineer of New Mexico, and closted officers for the coming to the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night, December 13th, beginning at 8:00 p.m., a three-act comedy entitled, "Introduction Susan." The Junior class of the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night, December 13th, beginning at 8:00 p.m., a three-act comedy entitled, "Introduction" Susan." The Junior class of the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night, December 13th, beginning at 8:00 p.m., a three-act comedy entitled to the State Engineer of New Mexico, and close the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night, December 13th, beginning at 8:00 p.m., a three-act comedy entitled to the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night, December 13th, beginning at 8:00 p.m., a three-act comedy entitled to the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night, December 13th, beginning at 8:00 p.m., a three-act comedy entitled to the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night, December 13th, beginning at 8:00 p.m., a three-act comedy entitled to the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night to the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night to the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night to the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night to the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night to the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night to the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night to the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night to the Artesia high school will present tomorrow night to the Artesia high and elected officers for the coming school auditorium is one of the major attractions of the school year and is expected to draw a full house. Twelve members of the by drilling a 121/2 inch in diameter Mrs. Opal Porter, assistant matron; Junior class will appear in the

SELLS 60 STEER YEARLINGS

Walter Coates, Hope rancher, J. R. Stanley of Dexter. The steers, to be delievered this week, will be

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

> **TYPEWRITERS** Portables and Standards \$20.00 to \$102.50 Artesia Advocate



Eddy County Farm News

The new two-year corn-hog contracts will be ready for signature by corn-hog producers in January, 1936. This contract compells the producer to produce in 1936 at least 50 percent of his market hog base and not more than 100 percent of H. Wake of Weed spent several his base, if he is to receive the must be planted and he will be and has gathered much first-hand Mrs. Martin Yates is up a bit entitled to retire between ten and thirty percent of his corn acreage. An additional change in the new contract is the provision that the land retired from corn be devoted during the social hour which folexpect to spend the week-end in to soil improving, or erosion preventing crops. The area used for these crops must be in addition to the acreage normally devoted to such uses on the farm.

A. M. Vance, assistant in cotton adjustment, has been notified by the Washington office that all exemption certificates must be complete and reports submitted on or before December 31, 1935. Ruth Forsee, daughter of Mr. Therefore, the office of the county agent has set November 20th, 1935, as the final date of transfer or sale of tax exemption certificates. Any person who expects to buy City, Oklahoma, arrived Saturday certificates should carefully estimate the conclusion of the games. ate the amount needed by him and purchase the certificates before DISCUSSES CURIOUS CUSTOMS December 20th.

Instructions have been received with her sister, Miss Marjorie the government adjustment on cot- meeting at the home of Mr. and the producers will make formal inated. conducted and all applications will Leslie Martin.

Notice has been received from Washington that the parity checks and parity distribution forms will be mailed to the county agent's Walter Graham Wednesday afteroffice in the near future.

The Junior class of Artesia will day, December 13, at the Central school auditorium, at 8:00 p. m. A bargain at 15c, 25c and 35c.

In Society

MRS. C. RUSSELL

tained at the home of Mrs. C. Russell last Friday afternoon. The program, in charge of Mrs. Leslie Martin, was of unusual interest. She used as her subject, "The Menace Behind the Face of Japan." by Upton Close. The maximum adjustment payment. At least 25 percent of his corn has

> of Carlsbad was a guest. The Sunday hostess served light refreshments lowed the program.

Members of the Viernes Bridge club were entertained by Mrs. Robert McProud Friday afternoon. At the close of the session of contract Mrs. Owen Haynes, a new transfers and sales of cotton tax member, was presented the high score prize, second high went to Mmes. Boone Barnett, Albert Glasser, Lawrence Carroll, Andy Com- Wednesdaypary and Ed Gillispie.

A delicious light refreshment course was served by the hostess

at the county agent's office re- instructive talk before members of garding procedure for payment of the Literary club at its fortnightly ton sold prior to December 1st. It Mrs. Leslie Martin Friday evening, is expected that the necessary telling of the many customs in forms will be available upon which vogue today and of how they orig-

application for the adjustment Light refreshments were served payment. This application will be at the close of the meeting to the made by the person who executed following: Messrs. and Mmes. M. the Bankhead application. When A. Corbin, N. M. Baird, I. L. Spratt, these application forms arrive the W. B. McCrory, W. C. Martin, and regular sign-up campaign will be the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs.

The Book club met with Mrs.

The review, which was especially

PLANS LAID FOR MEET

ENTERTAINS P. E. O.

The P. E. O. chapter was enter-Roosevelt and Quay.

Mrs. R. M. Thorne of Chapter A

VIERNES BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. W. B. McCrory gave an

BOOK CLUB

interesting and enjoyed by all, was present "Introducin' Susan," Fri- given by Mrs. G. R. Brainard, from "The Vain of Iron," by Ellen Glas-

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

OF REGIONAL NURSES

Plans are being perfected at Roswell by members of the district and county nurses organizations for the regional nurses meeting to be held on Friday and Saturday, to convene at 10:00 a. m., Friday and continue through the day. Expected for the meeting will be health nurses from the counties of Lea, Eddy, Chaves, De Baca,

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Announcements for the week: Thursday, 7:00, Choir rehearsal at the church. Very urgent work to be done on Christmas music.

9:45 Sunday school. 11:00 Morning worship and Communion. Sermon: "Tearing Down

and Building Up." 6:15 Young people will practice for a carol sing. Groups of young people from some of the other

churches will practice with us.

7:30 Nazarene night in our study of the various religious bodies. The Nazarene people are invited as our special guests, and the Rev. J. A. Briece will give us an account of the hostess and consolation to Mrs. the history of the Church of the Joe Foster. Others playing were: Nazarene. Come and be with us in these interesting studies.

> 7:30 Rible study THOMAS MASSIE, Pastor.

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- 2 fresh cows
- cows giving milk stripper cows, pasture bred heifer, fresh in May
- heifer yearling heifers, spring and summer calves
- steer calves (Above cows are Jerseys and good milk stock)
- 2 work mules 1 saddle horse, 3 years old 50 White Leghorn hens 11 Registered White Leghorn roosters

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- iron wagon with rack John Deere sulky cultivators two-section harrows
- riding listers 14-inch Rock Island sulky plow 12-inch John Deere walking plow land level ditch V
- disc harrow 5-shovel garden plow four-horse eveners set chain harness

MISCELLANEOUS

2 cream cans

two-shovel Avery cultivator

Some canned fruit 150 rods 2-foot rabbit wire 300 rods barb wire

150-chick brooder wheel barrow wrecking bars

sythe tons of oats hay 1,600 bundles of cane Forks, hoes, galvanized pipe, water trough, with float and other items too numerous

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- 1 Crosley 6-tube radio, new 1 Columbia phonograph with \$25.00 worth
- records 1 coal-wood cook range 2 oil stoves (3- and 4-burner)
- 8 dining chairs 4 rocking chairs 1 kitchen cabinet

1 wardrobe

- 4 iron bedsteads with springs and mat-
- 1 almost new White Mountain refrigerator 1 army cot wicker set
- 1 cupboard 1 walnut dresser 1 12x13 linoleum rug

1 lot cooking utensils

Lunch will be served on grounds by Cottonwood Woman's Club

Terms of Sale: CASH J.K. & M.K. FUNK, OWNERS

> W. B. McCrory, CLERK

Col. Tom McKinstry, AUCTIONEER

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Our regular 19c and 25c Prints. A big value at only, yard-

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Fox Croft Sheeting Full 9/4-81 inch width. Unusually good quality. Uunbleached-

29c Bleached-32c

54 IN. WOOLENS 54 inch Wool Suitings. New

fall patterns. \$1.19 value. Now only, yard-89c

CREPE SUITINGS 36 inch fast color Crepe Suitings in pretty fall patterns. Regular 29c. Now only, yd.—

19½c DOMESTIC Yard wide Unbleached Domestic. A good value at only,

1C Coats—Dresses

Close-out prices on all Readyto-Wear. New Fall Dresses Regular \$7.95 values. Sizes

141/2 to 281/2. Now only-

\$4.45 **Boucle Knit Suits** Regular \$11.75 values. Now

\$7.95 COATS For women, misses and children. EXTRA GOOD VAL-

Close-Out Prices DECEMBER SALE **Brownbilt Shoes**

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All Prices Reduced \$5.00 quality AIRSTEP Pumps and Oxfords for ladies. Black or Brown-Suede trimmed. Now only-

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Oxfords. Now only-

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JUMPERS 25% wool lining. Now

only-

\$1.19 Extra Special Values in **Every Department** Sale lasts entire month of December

Right Price ARTESIA, N. M

Number of application RA-1302 Santa Fe, N. M., Nov. 20, 1935.

Notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of November, 1935, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, I. S. Reser and I. P. Johnson of Lake Arthur, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent well Artesian Basin to the extent of 1,000 gallons of well Artesian Basin to the extent of 1,000 gallons of water per minute by the drilling of a 12½ inch well approximately 250 feet method depth, located in the NW corner of Section 8, T. 16 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 200 acres of land described as follows: NW 60 acres of NW¼ Section 8, NE¼ NE¼ Sec. 8, N 15 acres of SE¼ NE¼ Sec. 8, N 15 acres of SE¼ NE¼ Sec. 8, NW¾ NW¾ Sec. 9, SE 25 acres of SW¼ NW¾ Sec. 9, SE 25 acres of SW¼ NE¾ Sec. 5, all being in T. 16 S., R. 26 E., said shallow ground water to be supplemental to water from Artesian wells and water from Artesian wells and

Cottonwood Creek. source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer every attempt is made by the form the 30th days of Days are working on certain projects, and the complete sworn the statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

Number of application RA-1312 Santa Fe, N. M., Nov. 26, 1935.

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of November, 1935, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Albert Lee of Lakewood, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the underground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 1250 gallons per minute by drilling 12½ inch in diameter shallow well approx-imately 200 feet deep located in the NW corner SW4 SE4 Sec-tion 15, Township 19 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 115 acres of land described as follows: SW4 SE4 Section 15, T. 19

SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 15, T. 19 S., R. 26 E._____40 acres S., R. 26 E._____36 acres NW¼ NE¼ Section 22, T. 19 S., R. 26 E._____30 acres NE¼ NE¼ Section 22, T. 19

Any person, association or corof the above application will be Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 7, 1935. truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections sub-stantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 5th day of Jan-uary, 1936, the date set for the State Engneer to take this application up for final consideration

unless protested.
THOMAS M. McCLURE,

NOTICE

The State of New Mexico To Manuel Vaca, defendant,

You are hereby notified that Cause No. 6107 pends in the Dis-trict Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein Clotilde Vaca is plaintiff and you are defendant,

Ferree, whose office address is Artesia, New Mexico.

unless you enter your appearance therein on or before January 30, 1936, judgment will be rendered in witness the seal of said court this 29th day of November, 1935.

R. A. WILCOX, Clerk of Court

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1309 Santa Fe, N. M., Nov. 26, 1935.

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of November, 1935, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, E. W. Dimock of Hope, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made ap-plication to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the underground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 1500 gallons per minute by drilling a 12½ inch in minute by drilling a 12½ inch in diameter shallow well located in SW corner NE¼ SW¼ Section 12, Township 19 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 80 acres of land described as follows:

E½ SW¼ Section 12, Township 19 S., R. 26 E., 80 acres

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections sub-stantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of state Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 5th day of January, 1936, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration upless protected. unless protested.
THOMAS M. McCLURE,

State Engineer.

By CCC In Forests

the average company of 200 boys

Camps working on twig blight or Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground quite possibly will have all nontimber stand improvement will quite possibly will have all non-

on or before the 30th day of De- Forest Service foremen in charge cember, 1935, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration

This practically includes a vocational training for the boys. They learn how to handle-tools, to drive trucks and tractors, and many NOTICE other jobs which will probably, during later life, aid them in getother jobs which will probably, ting specialized jobs, Mr. Cheney pleted at Carlsbad last week in

FOUR RANCHES SOLD

Among the biggest ranch transactions made in New Mexico in The district also executed a \$10,000 several years have been purchases of four of the state's oldest ranches by Badger-Bruner Cattle Co., of

The four ranches include approxknown as Bear Springs ranch and Muleshoe ranch, both near Magdalena, Double Circles ranch, near Datil, and Largo Valley ranch,

Headquarters for the ranching 115,000 acre-feet of water. perations will be at Magdalena. All four of the ranches are approximately fifty years old. Each has modern improvements. All stock, feed, equipment and horses were taken in the purchases.

Number of application RA-1296

the 30th day of September, 1935, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, T. Flint of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made ap-plication to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the underground waters of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 2000 gallons per minute by drilling a 14 inch in diameter shallow well to the approximate depth of 150 feet located grazing and his flocks must be the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 23, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 320 acres of land described as follows:

W1/2 Section 23, T. 18 S., R. _320 acres Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights the object being to secure a in the waters of said underground divorce from the bonds of matri-mony. Plaintiff's attorney is S. E. stantiated by affidavits with State Engineer and file proof of sia, New Mexico.
You are further notified that service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer uary, 1936, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unle: , protested.
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50-3t State Engineer.

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STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Good Work Is Done Children of Baptist Orphan's Home New Mex. Entries



The above is a photograph of also shown in the picture. ent and matron of the home, are year.

the children in the Baptist Or- The Home, organized in May, phan's Home at Portales. The Rev. 1919, has cared for an average of and Mrs. W. C. Grant, superintend- about forty homeless children each

Details Complete For Building Dam

Among the final details comthe Alamogordo dam was the sign- Friday. ing of a contract with the government for building the dam; the document was signed by C. W. Beeman, president of the district. bond as a guarantee against damadjoins the dam site.

Bids for construction of the dam will be opened Saturday, December on thereafter.

Nearly two years time will be required for completion of the dam, which will cost about \$2,500,000. The reservoir will impound about day to have dental work done.

ATTACKS TAYLOR ACT

PORTLAND, Oregon-The constitutionality of the Taylor grazing act which gives the secretary STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE grazing lands from use, was challenged in a suit filed in federal singing will be at High Rolls the court here Monday.

The action was brought Abasolo, eastern Oregon sheepman. NEW SCHOOL Harold L. Ickes, secretary of the interior: F. R. Carpenter, director of grazing, and Carl C. Donaugh. United States attorney here, were among the thirty-eight persons the construction of a \$50,000 school named as defendants.

sheep in Harney, Crook and Grant taining seven class rooms and a counties. His complaint declared large auditorium. The building will custom and usage have allowed him to use the public domain for destroyed if such use is denied him.

Penasco Items Miss Madie Reeves, Reporter

Mrs. A. C. Trotter and daughters Arnell and Mary Jo are visiting in

connection with the construction of Madie Reeves were Artesia visitors Coerber, first in beets; Urma Hal-

Artesia and Roswell visitor over from Colfax county. the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cox spent age to land owners whose property Saturday night at Mr. and Mrs. Austin Reeves' home.

Miss Letitia Reeves returned imately 250,000 acres. They are 14th, and the contract will be let home Sunday night from Texas where she had been visiting.

> Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bates and children went to Alamogordo Sun-

A group of young people from Miller Flat and Mayhill surprised the Powells Saturday night with a

Several from the Lower Penasco community went to Mayhill to the of interior power to withdraw singing convention Sunday. All reported a nice time. The next second Sunday in February.

BUILDING FOR JAL

tion last week let a contract for building at Jal. The building is to Abasolo owns large flocks of be a one-story brick structure conbe constructed as a WPA project.

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Win Show Places

New Mexico contestants estabished a new record at the recent International Grain and Hay show, which was held in Chicago, the week of December 2

In order that exhibits of grain and hay may compete with others grown under similar conditions, the United States is divided into eight different regions, New Mexico falling in region six. Exhibits from New Mexico must compete with those from California, Nevada, Arizona, Utah, Colorado and almost all of Kansas and Nebraska. Even with this strong competition, New Mexico exhibitors' placings were as follows: Milo, L. J. Knight, San Jon, first; kafir, A. B. Cares, Richland, first; J. P. Murphy, Floyd, third; Howard Cares, Richland, seventh. White corn, J. P. Murphy, Floyd, third; Ed Williams, Mesilla Park, fifth; N. M. Smith, Las Cruces, sixth; Fred Nelson, Roswell, seventh; J. W. Newberry, Las Cruces, eighth. Yellow corn, J. P. Murphy, Floyd, seventh. White spring wheat, J. W. Newberry, Las Cruces, seventh. In the alfalfa class, with exhibits included from all western states, J. R. Ogden, Loving, won seventh place.

In the exhibit of foods canned by 4-H club members, sponsored by the Hazel-Atlas Co., which is held annually in connection with the International Grain and Hay Show, New Mexico contestants also won several placings. In the exhibits for the western section, Lois Foree won first in canned pears Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harwell and and second in green beans; Valera ferty second in beef; Elizabeth Haddow, first in chicken. These Miss Ernestine Chesser was an girls are all 4-H club members 1st St.

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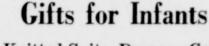
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 22c

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 19c

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 20c

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 28c

Youngest Students at State College



ROBERT STRONG

ELIZABETH CHAPPELL

Elizabeth Chappell of Corona, N. Mex., and Robert Strong of Raton are the youngest students at the New Mexico State College, Las Cruces, Miss Chappell is 14, and probably one of the youngest co-eds in the U. S. She's majoring in home economics. Strong at 15 is the youngest male student on the campus. He is studying engineering.

The Architect Plans For The Future

A Modern House for The Lower Income Group

BUILT beside Rockefeller Plaza's Gardens of the Nations by General Electric Company for its New American Homes Campaign, Future House attracted New Yorkers by the thousands to the latest addition to America's modern homes, reports

The Literary Digest.

With no specifications as to the type of architecture or the number of rooms, contestants were asked to design a house for a carefully de-scribed make-believe family. Out of the plans submitted by 9,700 architects and designers evolved Future House. The House was erected for an average family in the lower-income brackets and contains five rooms with 80 per cent, usuable space, instead of the 65 per cent. of the average existing house.

Design and Equipment

Through a roofed terrace visitors entered directly into a semi-modernistically furnished living room, lit om, blocked off by a wall of glass included cooking-range, twenty years. dish-washing machine, toaster, and other appliances. The master's bed- terest in reasonable monthly instalroom in the rear contained two ments. They have no worry about closets, one fitted with a small mortgages falling due, or refinance and closefitting windows insured clear.

A Fairy Story

Once a farmer had 2,000 bushels of wheat,

which he sold, not to one grain merchant,

but to 2,000 different dealers, a bushel each.

number said they would pay later. A few

months passed and the man's bank account

ran low. "How is this?" he said. "My 2,000

bushels of grain should have kept me in

affluence until another crop is raised; but I

have parted with the grain and instead I

have a vast number of accounts so small and

scattered that I cannot get around and col-

lect fast enough to pay expenses." So he

posted up a public notice and asked all those

who owed him to pay quickly. But few

came. The rest said, "Mine is only a small

matter and I will pay some other day," for-

getting that, though each account was very

small when all was put together it meant a

large sum to one man. Things went on thus.

The man got to feeling so bad that he fell

out of bed and awoke. Running to his

granary, he found his 2,000 bushels of

MORAL: The next day he went to the

publisher of his paper and said: "Here, sir,

is the pay for your paper, and when next

year's subscription is due, you can depend

upon me to pay promptly. I stood in the

position of the editor last night, and I know

how he feels to have his honestly-earned

money scattered all over the country in

Artesia Advocate

Artesia, :-: :-: New Mexico

wheat still there.

small accounts."

· A few of them paid cash, but far the greater

quiet, and a conditioning machine, run by oil and regulated by elec-tricity, purified the air.

Amodec Corporation supplied coordinating house furnishings. Accessories Company of the American Radiator Company contributed bathroom units, and General Electric furnished air-conditioning, and sundry kitchen-appliances.

Almost 9000 communities, or 65 per cent of the country's total population, are carrying on betterhousing programs. This House, adaptable to any type of architec-ture, can be built throughout the country within the \$5000 to \$7000 price-range. Under the Federal mutual-mortgage plan, according to by a sunken light in the ceiling. Julian Gerard, Regional Housing Halfway, at one side was a dining Administrator, prospective buyers could probably take out one mortbricks. The completely equipped gage for \$4000, amortized over

"Buyers pay off principal and inadjoining alcove. Cork floors period, the home is owned free and

Cotton Crop Set **PHANTOMS**

Fascinating Tales of Lost Mines

GOLDEN

THE CURSE OF GOLD

'49," there were five or six men from Indianapolis, who went West and worked together on shares. They were mining on the San Joaquin river, and had not found any day Charles Tooker, one of their number, went out to hunt herbs e found near the place.

derful treasure for himself instead of sharing it with his comrades, this year were reported by the (Had he been honest, no more would remain to tell, but his cupidity started a chain of events reads like some Oriental In spite of himself, he could not could any one behave in an ordi- 5,446. nary manner when he knew that an enormous lump of gold, worth a fortune, was his if he could get away with it? It would prey on any man's mind. He remained with the party for a month, trying to avert suspicion, but the spell of that great lump of gold was on him, and the other men wondered what was ailing him. At last he could had bought a mule from an immigrant, and one night he took the animal to the place where the wonderful nugget lay, dug it out, loaded it on the mule, and set out for other parts.

'Two of the men at his camp, who had been suspicious of his actions, had followed him. They saw with bulging eyes the wonderful lump of gold-at last they knew what had been on his mind! They were justly resentful that he was trying to get away with the gold instead of sharing it as was agreed. but they were not quite sure what to do, so they trailed on behind They followed all night, and at daybreak they came up in time to fight against a couple of outformer friends dead as they hur-

CCC Camp News

(Camp DG-41-N Co. 2842, Lake Arthur, New Mexico)

(Contributed) Commanding Officer Lieutenant Wetmore and M. H. Ward, project superintendent of Co. 2842, Lake Arthur, sent out thirty-two men to a fly camp on December 2, 1935, to resume work on the rodent control project. These men are under the supervision of Foreman Ross Wilmeth and the project is ex- had a day and a half start on the pected to last about four months. The fly camp is located about five miles north of Roswell.

Basketball has been underway in camp for quite a while. Two teams from camp played Tuesday night, December 3rd. The Diamond A Prairie Puppies defeated the Overhead team 25 to 16. Friday night, December 6th, the Diamond A and what became of them, we do Prairie Puppies were defeated by Lake Arthur's team 71 to 37.

been quarantined for two weeks immigrant train and showed it to with the mumps, is now feeling the travelers. They 'found it, better. He will probably be ready they said, in the Hot Creek mounto go to work sometime this week. He has been kept in the camp in- some distance with the immigrants, firmary away from the rest of the miners and their treasure left.

Vernon E. Irby, first sergeant; Thomas Lee Hood, supply steward, and John C. Graves, canteen steward, left for their homes on a tenday leave December 7th.

An inspection was held on Monday, December 2nd. Its purpose was to select the best camp of the El Paso district. The inspection party consisted of Major Eastwood, Captain Gill, Captain Edward Watson, Captain Silas Hubert Cruse, Captain John Thomas Morgan, Captain James Norman Bujac, Captain Paul Michel and Lieutenant J. E. Ferguson.

Isom Newby, rodent technician, and Mr. Johnston, erosion technician, inspectors for the Division of Grazing from the regional office at Albuquerque, visited the camp the past week.

The Rev. Maddox of Alamogordo was in camp Sunday night and gave the boys a short talk Monday

Commanding Officer Lieutenant Wetmore, Eugene Miller, Company clerk, Howard Helm, technical clerk, and Oral Lusk, company truck driver, left Tuesday morning for Fort Bliss. This trip to Fort Bliss is made every ten day for

at 10,734,000 Bales A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dohrer Sunday.

Locals

Mrs. Oscar Burch underwent a

Cecil Lockhart of Pecos, Texas,

Billy Brooks of Borger, Texas,

superintendent of the New Mexico

Leonard Rayborn, son of Mr. and

A. J. Brunson of Hope was at-

tending to business matters in Ar-

was a pleasant caller at The Ad-

Mrs. Fred Cole underwent ar

peration for appendicitis at the

Eddy county hospital in Carlsbad

Sunday and was recuperating satis-

factorily, according to an early

J. M. Jackson received a painful

Mrs. Tex Henson and small son

with home folks until Tuesday,

Angelo, Texas, has accepted the

position of bookkeeper at the Guy

Cason, who moved last week to

P. Moody, cattle buyer, arrived

last week from his home at Wich-

Chevrolet Co., succeeding C. C.

Lordsburg to accept a similar posi-

Holcomb, formerly of San

while Mr. Henson made a business

cut near the palm of his hand while skinning a calf Saturday.

Mrs. George Rayborn, fractured

here several days last week.

playing at the Central school.

ocate office.

several stitches.

Cruces drug store.

of that place.

former Eddy county oil operator,

WASHINGTON-The 1935 cot- major operation at a Carlsbad ton crop was estimated Monday at hospital Monday. 10,734,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight each by the Department of Agriculture.

A month ago 11,141,000 bales was a visitor here the latter part were forecast. Last year produc- of the week. N "THE olden, golden days of tion was 9,636,000 bales, and two years ago 13,047,000 bales.

Ginnings of this year's crop to December 1st were reported by the Glycerin Co., was a business visitor Census Bureau to have totaled 9,-362,343 running bales, compared great wealth to spur them on. One with 9,019,834 to that date last vear and 12.106,377 in 1933.

An indicated yield of 188 pounds his collar bone Thursday while for medicine, and in his wanderings of lint cotton to the acre was reabout he dislodged a boulder and ported by the Agriculture Departuncovered a nugget which weighed ment, which estimated the area for fully 90 pounds, and was nearly harvest this year at 27,331,000 pure gold. No other gold was to acres after abandonment of 1.9 tesia Saturday and while in town percent of the 27,872,000 acres in Tooker wanted to keep this won- cultivation July 1 of this year. Ginnings prior to December 1

Census Bureau as follows: Alabama 1,022,411 running bales, Arizona 86,255, Florida 26,396, Georgia 1,029,474, Louisiana 538,-He concealed the nugget 127, Mississippi 1,211,086, Missouri report. where it lay, and went back to 142,533, New Mexico 50,945, North camp with the herbs and without Carolina 534,127, Oklahoma 370,saying a word about his golden find. 108, South Carolina 710,101, Tennessee 283,181, Texas 2,419,227, act exactly natural. Still, how Virginia 23,417, all other states The wound, made with a butcher

ADY REUNITED WITH WIFE

Joseph W. Ady, Jr., Colorado to make their future home and Springs mining man, was "happily where Mr. Buford has accepted a reunited" with his wife at Alamogordo Sunday and Police Chief Hugh D. Harper said he blamed drinking and financial reverses for bear the suspense no longer. He his disappearance ninety-seven of Hobbs drove over with Mr. day ago from his Colorado Springs Henson last Thursday and visited

Harper, in a telephone conversation with the Colorado Springs trip to Wyoming. Gazette, said Ady was "absolutely innocent of any wrong" in connection with an extortion plot against his wife and he announced the couple will return together to Colorado within a few days.

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ried away with the laden burro. The other man returned to ita, Kansas, to spend several days camp, aroused his friends, and told attending to business matters. Mr. them the story. Immediately they | Moody says the wheat growing secarmed themselves and set out on tions of Kansas and Oklahoma are laws who set upon Tooker, hoping the trail of the thieves, catching not feeding as many cattle as usual to rob him of whatever treasure he up with them as they were camped this year because the grain is not might have. They succeeded, too, at night. In the ensuing fight two growing off. and left Tooker and one of his more of the Indianans were killed. maining desperado hid the nugget and escaped; he went to San Francisco and lay low.

After six months, this man felt that it would be safe to go back for the nugget. Instead of making the trip alone, for he knew only too well the perils that lurked in wait for lone travelers in that rough country, he got together a party for the purpose of retrieving the gold, and they were to set out together. Two men in the expedition, however, who knew where the monstrous nugget was buried. rode ahead, found the gold, loaded it on a mule, and hurried off. They rest of the party, so they took the stolen treasure 40 miles away to a small mining camp, buried it there. staked a claim over it, and went to work like honorable citizens and honest miners. For six weeks they kept up this pretense; at last, feeling that the trail was clear, they dug up the great lump of gold and went their way. Where they went,

The next time the nugget was heard of, it was in the possession John Godbehere, Jr., who has of three miners, who joined a large tains of Nevada. After going for

> Only the nugget, if it could talk, could relate the adventures through which it passed. It again dropped from all knowledge, only to be recalled again by a half-breed Indian at a military post in Colorado. He knew where it was, he boasted, even, in the simplicity of his heart, giving directions for its finding, and a sergeant and two privates deserted and went to see if he were

> The cache was 50 miles away from the post, but the three men reached it, found the nugget, and headed for Kansas with it. They had been followed by other soldiers with orders for their arrest, and the party came up with the two privates at last, but too late, for they lay dead on the trail. The sergeant had killed them for the gold, and had fled onward with it.

> Strangely enough, in spite of the fact that the deserter and murderer was hunted by the government as the criminal he was, he was never captured. The fact that the nugget apparently passed into the possession of Indians may perhaps suggest the reason why he was

> never found. And there the story rests. The wonderful, accursed lump of gold had done all the damage it could, for only white men are so quick to murder for the sake of gold. In Indian hands, perhaps kept for an object of ceremony, it vanished from the sight of every one else.

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The Churches

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and Societies of Christ, Scientist,

Among the citations which com-

"And who is he that will harm

The Rev. C. C. Hightower of Ros- animals.

INTO FRATERNITY

LOS ANGELES, California -

lege on the evening of December 5. 1915.

divine science of being in man's authority in New Mexico."

Morning worship at 11 o'clock, campaign against the predatory

Phi Beta Kappa at Occidental Col- fore moving to Los Angeles in

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Lack of Laborers **Holds Up Sanitary** Project In County CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Need for more labor is holding up the project most vital to the welfare of citizens of Eddy county, the subject of the lesson-sermon Carl Henderson, county sanitarian, which will be read in all Churches

said at Carlsbad Saturday. While \$9,000 is available now on Sunday, December 15th. for the sanitary toilet project in | The golden text is: "The Lord Eddy county, and thirty-two should shall preserve thy going out and be on the job, only ten are working thy coming in from this time forth, on the project now, Henderson and even for evermore." (Ps. 121:8)

prise the lesson-sermon is the fol-Although most of the unemployed labor in this county is ab- lowing from the Bible: sorbed by the several projects, there are available workers who should be at work, he said, but the which is good." (I Pet. 3:13) government is slow about getting them back on the rolls so that they the following passage from the

The sanitarian pointed out the fact that the infant mortality rate in New Mexico is higher than any dom. To fear sin is to use the sin, because God made you superior ular deputies to be employed temporarily. They will work under the Tucumcari and the Southern Paother state or territory in this

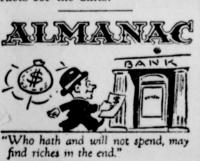
Causes of the alarming rate of relation to God-to doubt His govinfant mortality in this county, he said, are those which would be corrected by completion of the project, which calls for 830 sanitary toilets in this county. Cause of most deaths of children less than a year of age are intestinal diseases, all of them bred in unsanitary places in the rural communities where modern plumbing

Nine thousand dollars is avail- well will pleach. We are sure that Game department receipts from able right now for the project, those who attend this worship will July 1 to December 1, Barker told and if it proves workable, \$19,000 be helped. Brother Hightower is the commission, increased from will be appropriated for this coun- the new presiding elder, and at \$72,257 in 1934 to \$77,146 in the ty. It is up to those interested in 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon will five months ending November 30, the welfare of the community to hold the first quarterly conference a gain of \$4,888. do what they can to speed up the of the year. availability of more workers, Hen- At 4:00 p. m., the Artesia Choral were Federal Judge Colin Neblett, club will render their Christmas chairman; Commissioners Henry derson said.

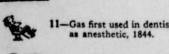
While thirty-eight units have music. Everyone is invited to at- Raithel, Deming, and A. Gilberto, been completed in the northern tend all the serivces of the day. part of the county, under the supervision of R. M. Thorne, there WHEATLEY INITIATED are no workers in the southern part, where this work is badly needed.

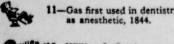
The government furnishes all the labor in the building of sanitary Richard Wheatley of Artesia was toilets, the owner furnishing only one of five Occidental College stu- week of the death of Miss Helen the materials, the cost of which is dents initiated into Phi Beta Mitchell on last Thursday at her placed at \$5. The completed unit Kappa, national honorary schol- home in Los Angeles, California. is worth \$20. Statistics show that, astic fraternity, at a meeting held Miss Mitchell, a former resident in addition to the value to the owner and to the health of the Phi Pote Kenne at Occidental Col. community, each unit is worth \$6 to the community.

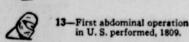
One hundred, thirty-seven Eddy county persons have signed con-



DECEMBER -U. S.-Spain treaty of peace







-Nation mourns death of George Washington, 1789. -Unusual meteors seen over Connecticut, 1807.

16-Chinese earthquake kills 200,000, 1920. ewnu

"Grandpa"

I'M OFFA THAT NAME . HE'LL BE MEXICAN PETE JR.,

the Taylor grazing act in regard to sale and lease of isolated tracts YOU CANT of public domain not included in BEAT THAT grazing districts. GAME . Legal obstacles which have hin-HE'S STARTIN' dered effective administration of THAT BOY grazing act provisions relating to WITH A sale and lease of these tracts were CINCH NAME removed with the signing by President Roosevelt of a modification

US TO KITTY

GRANDSON -

Game Department

To Make War On

The state game and fish com-

areas from the predators.

the southwestern area.

that lions, coyotes and bobcats are

increasing their tolls in various

Present at Saturday's meeting

Espinosa, Albuquerque; State Game

Warden Barker and President Gordon White of the state GPA.

MISS MITCHELL DIES

News was received here last

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lands from sale, lease, entry, or settlement. The 1934 order was interpreted as covering all public lands and as a result the interior department was hindered in its attempts to carry out the sale and lease pro-

visions of the grazing act. Senator Joseph C. O'Mahoney, Wyoming democrat, who has had several conferences on the subject with Secretary Ickes, said he was advised the president had signed the modified order and the "lease and sale sections of the grazing act can now become operative."

EDDY COUNTY

FARMERS PAY UP

Ninety percent of Eddy county farmers who borrow money for office at Carlsbad said last week. Since harvesting of crops is unusually late this year, March said, between ninety-five and 100 per-

Predatory Animal repaid. March has been working on colin this county for several months. He called attention to the fact mission in a special meeting at that the government has filed suit Christmas Cards at The Advocate. Santa Fe Saturday laid plans for against three New Mexico resian intensive war on predatory ani- dents for failure to pay their feed mals during the coming spring, and seed loans. Named in the suit after reports of State Game War- were Ray M. Miller of Rio Arriba den Elliott Barker and J. Stokely county, Mrs. Rumaldo Miera of Ligon, game specialist, described Sandoval county and Fanny Knotts

increasing game losses in many of Colfax county. The commission was informed CONCHAS DAM TO SERVE THREE-FOLD PURPOSE

sectors of New Mexico and notably Irrigation of 65,000 acres of Plans for the campaign contem- of the principal developments exland, mostly in Quay county, is one The lesson-sermon also includes plate the employment of the reg- pected from the Conchas dam, actwo or three new men, a crew of the control of the two or three new men, a crew of the control o cording to engineering and irriga-

To fear sin is to misunder- supervision of Ligon, called by cific railroad, and construction of a stand the power of love and the Barker "the best predatory animal 135-mile pipeline to Amarillo, Texas.

relation to God—to doubt His government and distrust His omnipotent care."

Expressing satisfaction on the commission's action which also drew the endorsement of Gordon White, president of the state game protective association, Barker said:

A. C. Douglas, Pastor

The Conchas dam primarily is a flood control project, but its construction will make feasible an irrigation project heretofore considered too costly. It is estimated that it would cost \$15,000,000 to put the 65,000 acres under irrigation. Expressing satisfaction on the Church school for every age to handle. The biological survey, tion. group at 9:45 a. m. George Frisch, sportsmen and ranchers will be

Fall Loses Skirmish In Effort To Hold Range Tracts Now

of his order of November, 1934, withdrawing all unreserved public property had been shown in the

plaintiff's action.

Otero county district court.

until January or later.

PATTON NAMED TO

Gov. Clyde Tingley Friday appointed Attorney General Frank Patton as representative for New Mexico on the interstate crime seed have repaid their loans to commission, such appointment havthe government, John W. March ing been provided by the legisof the Emergency Corporation loan lature in New Mexico, authorizing compacts to suppress crime, expedite apprehension and trial and

other crime matters. A wire here from Richard Hartscent of the loans probably will be horne, Newark, New Jersey, chairman of the commission, said there would be a meeting soon to adopt lection of loans on feed and seed important statutory recommendations and propose compacts.

Three Rivers Ranch

ALAMOGORDO-While he lay gravely ill in an El Paso, Texas, WASHINGTON - The interior hospital, Albert B. Fall, former department Thursday was free to secretary of the interior, and one proceed with the administration of of the central figures in the sensational teapot dome case, lost the first skirmish at Alamogordo Monday in his legal battle against eviction from his famous Three

Rivers ranch home in New Mexico. The aging former Harding cabinet member, and Mrs. Fall, had troleum Securities Corporation seeking to oust them from their ranch home with a demurrer alleging no title or interest to the

Monday the demurrer was denied by Judge Numa C. Frenger in

The court's decision which gives the Falls thirty days in which to answer, delays the date of any trial

Previously the Doheny company had ordered the former secretary bedfast with illness which has culminated in his present critical condition, from the property.

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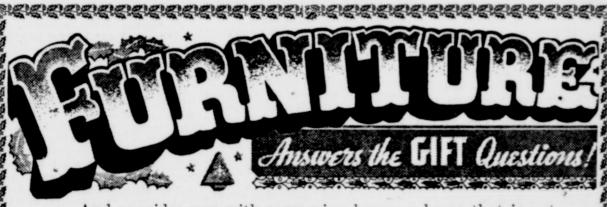
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Eddy County In Good Condition

Thousands of Dollars Paid sheriff's office at Carlsbad was In On Delinquent Taxes During November.

The Eddy county treasurer's office is in unusually good candition financially, Joe Johns, treasurer, tourist, who stopped his car to look said Friday after November's books had been balanced.

Thousands of dollars in delinquent taxes already paid in, which could not be included in the report because the receipts have not been checked due to an unprecedented rush by the taxpayers to settle their delinquent taxes, would raise the receipts tremedously.

Check of the books showed that \$22,940.40 in delinquent taxes were collected, not counting those yet to be checked.

Collection of other taxes for the month totalled \$54,444.55, the books show.

Total collection of taxes for the month was \$77,384.95.

Biggest Well-

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North Bell No. 1, sec. 6-21-36, was finished at 3895 feet for an initial production of 511 barrels daily and one-time German army machine 1,500,000 feet of gas. The North gunner. One is an appeal for clem-Grimes No. 3, sec. 21-18-38, drilled ency to the New Jersey board of to 4235 feet, made an open flow pardons. The second is a petition of 16,725 barrels daily on an initial for a new trial if fresh evidence production test with 16,000,000 feet | can be found. of gas after acid treatment of 7,000 gallons for the largest well com- asserted at Trenton, New Jersey, pleted during the week in the that the defense was considering

The Texas Company, State 1-E of "evidence" not yet disclosed. In sec. 1-20-36, drilled to 3890 feet, made a flow of 412 barrels in three hours after acid treatment.

Seven Locations

Seven locations were staked during the week and include: Humble me any better news. Oil and Refining Co., State 7-B, "I do know that despite everysec. 29-21-36; Shell Devonian, State thing he will come home again," No. 4, sec. 20-21-36; Amon G. was the verbal reaction of Haupt-Carter, M. A. Hair No. 1, sec. mann's wife, Anna. 11-24-37; Empire Gas and Fuel Co., Dean No. 3, sec. 32-21-36; Gypsy Oil Co., A. L. Christmas No. 1, sec. 27-22-36; Tannehill, Campbell No. 2, sec. 1-11-25; Repollo Oil Co., J. R. Phillips No. 1, sec.

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TARNATION

FIND ONE

CAN'T SOMEBODY

Fred Cole Robbed- New Mex. Oil Assn. Wunsch Tells of-(Continued from first page)

pocket, found his car keys and drove into Artesia and reported the robbery to local officers. The called and a search started for the robbers but without results.

From a description of the robbers, officers believe they are the same two who robbed a tourist of \$77.00 and a diamond ring on the highway near Alamogordo Sunday. A clever ruse was worked on this for a flat tire while on a detour from the highway, at the suggestion of the two men. When the tourist got out of his car, the men covered him with a gun and went through his pockets, taking all of his valuables.

Cole said the car of the robbers, an old Buick, had no license plates. One of the men is said to be tall and the other a little under the

HAUPTMANN LOSES APPEAL

Hauptmann's chances of escaping vice-president. the electric chair were definitely narrowed Monday when the supreme court, in a one-word verdict, refused to review his conviction for the kidnap-murder of tiny Charles Augustus Lindbergh, Jr.

Only two avenues remain open to the former Bronx carpenter and

Hauptmann's counsel promptly asking for a new trial on the basis the death cell there the German himself received the news quietly. Still asserting his innocence, he was described as smiling when he said:

"Well, sorry you couldn't bring

BANGLE SALE AT JUNIOR

Junior high schools came to a close which was added to the Tuberculosis Christmas seal sale.

contest which was much enjoyed. mas Decoration contest. At Junior high, 7-A room was subscription to The Advocate the the winner, giving the greatest amount and at Central 5-A was the winner. However, 1-A was a

close second. This week the sale will be carried on at the high school.

This is a wonderful opportunity for the children to give their small amounts in the fight against tuberculosis.

Saturday, December 14th, the bangles will be sold on Main street and will be called "Bangle Day." It is hoped every person will be wearing the bangle-the double longer thinks in terms of the inbarred cross. of cooperative thinking. Education

Clocks repaired. Satisfaction spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and guaranteed. Paul A. Otts, jeweler.

Re-Elects Officers and water charges between land-

Oil operators from all over eastern New Mexico and several points in west Texas attended the annual meeting of the New Mexico Oil and Gas association, held at the roof garden of the Artesia hotel Saturday afternoon. After the minutes of the previous meeting were read. the association re-elected all of the executive committee and the executive committee in turn reelected all of the former officers and directors.

The executive committee is comsed of: Powatan Carter, Lovington; Hugh Burch, M. E. Baish, C. J. Dexter, A. C. Brown and V. S. Welch, all of Artesia; K. P. Hart of Midland, Texas; D. D. Bodie of Hobbs, and Harry Leonard of Ros-

The officers re-elected were: C. J. Dexter, president; Harry Leon-WASHINGTON-Bruno Richard ard, secretary, and V. S. Welch,

C. C. Banquet—

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Highlights of the manager's refriendly trade relations with the divided as follows: CCC camp west of Lake Arthur. elm trees from Governor Clyde Association gin, Espuella____1,143 able to property owners next cents each. Progress in highway construction, including the improvement of highway 62, east of Carlsbad, highway 70, west of Roswell, improvement of highway 83 between Reeves hill and Elk, also a commitment to improve highway former resident of Carlsbad and 83 east of Artesia through the oil son of the founder of the Carls-

the entire valley is the possibility bad this week. Lake McMillan.

Chamber of Commerce the past World War veteran. The Bangle sale at Central and year were: Good will trip to Sacramento mountain area, clean-up ter Artesia Association, creation It was carried on in the form of ning Commission and the Christ-

> Observations of a Community An interesting theme discussed by President Donald MacKay, the principal speaker of the evening, was on the subject of "Observations of a Community," containing the following timely thoughts: The average American community has no regimented system of education, progressive community is found in year. its efforts to give unselfish service. The progressive community no dividual, but has adopted a method

in the community is not a process

confined to the class room. Educa-

tion of full living is a continuous The ideal community must have: A feeling of civic unity and com--By Talburt munity pride. People of the community must provide comfortable living conditions. A community should support its educational system in providing recreational facilities. An ideal community is sensitive to the finer things in education, art, etc. The ideal community

> its spiritual development. The speaker closed by asking a question: "How can we make Artesia a better community?"

> gives attention to the protection of

the health of its citizens. The su-

perior community pays attention to

TWO HIGHWAY PROJECTS

projects being in Eddy county.

The Junior class of Artesia will present "Introducin' Susan," Friday, December 13, at the Central school auditorium, at 8:00 p. m. A bargain at 15c, 25c and 35c.

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Payments are to be made in one farm for feed production.

of La Mesa, and W. Leslie Martin, Tracts 9, 10 and 11 attracted members of the state cotton contended the meeting at Carlsbad yesterday.

Local Ginnings

A total of 398 bales have been \$831.48. port were: Refusal of the Chamber ginned in the district since the last of Commerce to sanction thirty- report to bring the cotton ginnings seven requests to solicit merchants of the season to a total of 6,445. and business men of Artesia; co- At the corresponding period of last 010.00. There were no bids on operative effort on the part of the | year, 10,533 bales had been ginned. Artesia merchants in establishing The ginnings for the week are

Lake Arthur gin_____

BERNARD MULLANE DEAD

Bernard Francis Mullane, 52, a bad Current, died November 30th, A proposed project of interest to at El Paso, it was learned at Carls-

of creating a recreational party at Mullane, known as "Bernie" had a wide acquaintance in Eddy, Lea dates this week, to all children HIGH AND CENTRAL Other projects sponsored by the and Chaves counties. He was a

He attended school in Carlsbad and assisted his father, William H. last Friday with a total of \$9.50 campaign, organization of the Bet- Mullane, in publishing the Current, now the Current-Argus. He also of the North Eddy County Plan- attended the New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell.

STOCK SHOW DATES SET

EL PASO, Texas-Dates for the Sixth Annual Southwestern Livestock Show have been announced for April 1, 2 and 3, 1936, and premium lists are being mailed to county agents and vocational teachers in Texas, New Mexico and but each community is free to Arizona. Indications are that there adopt the system best fitted to its will be an increase in entries in needs. The trend of idealism in the the calf, sheep and hog classes this

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P. L. Loving, formerly employed as a case worker in the FERA, is now writing general insurance. Mr. Loving, an experienced insurance salesman, is prepared to write life insurance, fire insurance, auto insurance and bonds. See his announcement in this issue.

REQUEST 300 COTTON PICKERS

According to W. R. Hornbaker. manager of the Artesia Alfalfa Growers association, requests have been made at west Texas points for 300 cotton pickers for this section to aid in finishing the present cotton crop. Estimates say there are from 1,000 to 1,500 bales in the district yet to be gathered.

FARMERS GIN GETS EXCELLENT GRADING

Biggest Oil Lease Sale In History of 20th Deadline For the State Nets Revenue of \$48,723.59 Cotton Certificates

Receipts from the sale of oil and PECOS VALLEY GAS CO. gas leases by the state land commissioner at the monthly sale held Tuesday in Santa Fe were the largest in the history of New Mexco, a total of \$48,723.59 was realcluding \$95.00 filing fees.

\$151.52. Tract 2, consisting of 480 teen were present from the four acres and located in 17-29, sold to communities mentioned, including agent's office has been a sort of \$181.52. Tract 3, consisting of 400 trict manager. acres and located in 17-18, ranges 28-29, sold to the Los Angeles Exlord and tenant. Each party that change for \$151.52. Tract 4, con-At Annual Meeting grows cotton will be required to sisting of 400 acres and located in make reduction of cotton acreage 18-28, sold to the Los Angeles Exif he works on contracted farm. change for \$151.52. Tract 5, consisting of 440 acres and located in check, coming after compliance has 3-17-33, sold to the Skelly Oil Co., been checked. Adjusted acreage for \$1,022.35. Tract 6, consisting can be used for soil improvement of 400 acres and located in 18-28, crop and pasture or for production sold to the Los Angeles Exchange offered for work stock actually for \$151.52. Tract 7, consisting of used on farm or for livestock con- 400 acres and located in 18-28, sold sumed on farm. This is in ad- to the Los Angeles Exchange for dition to acreage normally used on \$151.52. Tract 8, consisting of 400 acres and located in 18-29, sold to Mr. Wunsch, with J. L. Esslinger W. S. Patterson for \$100.00.

> no bidders. Tract 12, consisting of trol board, drove to Roswell this 400 acres and located in 18-20, morning to hold a meeting of the ranges 31-32, sold to Roy Barton state board of cotton control. of Clovis for \$100.00. Tracts 13 About two hundred farmers at- and 14 received no bids. Tract 15, consisting of 550 acres and located in 16-35, sold to the Skelly Oil Co. Tomorrow at 10:00 o'clock Mr. for \$1,412.68. Tract 16, consisting Wunsch will explain the new cotton of 434 acres and located in 16-35, program to local farmers. The sold to the Skelly Oil Co., for \$1,meeting will be held at the Legion 117.41. Tract 17, consisting of 600 acres and located in 8-16-35, sold to the Humble Oil and Refining Co., for \$1,452.80. Tract 19, consisting of 600 acres and located in 16-38, sold to the Union Oil Co., for \$602.00. Tract 18, consisting of 266 acres and located in 1-16-38, sold to The Skelly Oil Co., for

Tract 20, consisting of 588 acres and located in 17-34, sold to the Empire Gas and Fuel Co., for \$2,tracts 21, 22 and 23.

Tract 24, consisting of 146 acres and located in 17-18, ranges 38-39, sold to Roy Barton of Clovis for Securing of 2,000 seedling Chinese Cottonwood gin ______1,582 \$220.00. Tract 25, consisting of 4,-040 acres and located in twps. 22-Tingley. These trees will be avail- Association gin, Artesia ____ 1,253 23-24-25-26, ranges 35-36, sold to Farmers gin, Artesia_____1,195 the Continental Oil Co., for \$10,spring at a minimum cost of 15 Association gin, Atoka 915 140.50. Tract 26, consisting of 5,-505 acres and located in twps. 23------6,445 24-25, range 35, sold to the Continental Oil Co., for \$28,187.55. Tract 27, consisting of 640 acres and located in 15-18-33, sold to the Texas Company for \$492.80.

DR. PUCKETT HERE TODAY

Dr. O. E. Puckett, district health officer, is giving toxoid at the following places on the following who have not been immunized against diphtheria and wish this protection. The treatment is only one dose, is harmless and easily

Loving, Tuesday, December 10th. Eunice, Lea county, Wednesday, December 11th.

Artesia, Thursday, December 12. Carlsbad, Saturday morning, December 14th, and Monday, Decem-

FIVE BIRTHS, FOUR DEATHS FOR NOVEMBER

Five births and four deaths were ecorded during the month of November by S. E. Ferree, subregister for the Artesia, Atoka and Cotonwood districts. Births were recorded to Mr. and Mrs. William Beaty, deaughter; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Evans, son; Mr. and Mrs. James E. Mann, son; Mr. and Mrs. George L. Woody, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Martin B Austin, son.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved .- The Advocate.

Employees and local managers of the Pecos Valley Gas Co., from tificates. Carlsbad, Clovis, Loving and Arized from the sale from twenty- tesia, held a business meeting in seven tracts offered for sale, in- the office of the Pecos Valley Gas uding \$95.00 filing fees.

Only eight of the twenty-seven Satterwhite of Tulsa, Oklahoma, tracts offered failed to sell. Tract with the Metric Meter Co., led the , consisting of 404 acres and discussion on the subject of meters ocated in 17, ranges 28-29, sold to and regulators. There was a good the Los Angeles Exchange for attendance at the meeting; ninethe Los Angeles Exchange for J. Harvey Wilson of Clovis, dis-

> Mrs. John Runyan and Mrs. Boone Barnett spent the week-end in Lovington as guests of Mrs. Skelt Williams.

Cotton farmers of Eddy county EMPLOYES HAVE MEETING were warned Friday that December 20th is the absolute deadline for purchasing or selling cotton cer-

In a message from Wm. A. Wunsch, executive secretary of the state board of cotton control, the county agent's office was advised that all certificates in this office must be returned on that date.

Farmers often buy too many, or too few certificates, for the amount of cotton they raise, and the county clearing house for the certificiates, but after December 20th the office no longer will be allowed to handle

Typewriters for rent-The Ad-

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YOU! YOU! YOU!

Read th' because it is to your ADVANTAGE and SAFET) One of the clippings reproduced below was taken from the Dec. 7th edition of the El Paso Herald-Post and shows what might happen to you or your family from faulty or worn tires.

Two Are Injured Wreck On Clovis-As Car Overturns Roswell Hiway

California Tourists Treated At Worn Tires Cause Bad Accident

Fabens, Texas Mrs. Ed Watson and Mrs.

trolmen reported. George H. Watson, the driver of the automobile and Ed Watson, a passenger, escaped un-

The two women were taken to Fabens by a passing motorist, a blowout in one of the rear

Saturday Night

A Plymouth car turned over George Watson of Hemet, Cal., Saturday night on the Roswellwere seriously injured today Clovis highway in the vicinity when the car in which they were of the Railroad mountainsriding swerved into a ditch one one man was seriously injured mile west of Acala, and turned and another badly hurt-one over three times, highway pa- escaped injury. Cause: Tire blew out, officers report.

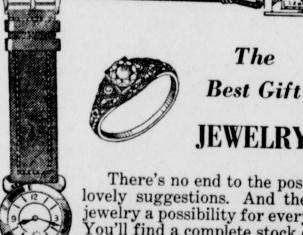
> ency treatment by Dr. W. Milam.

The accident was caused by where they were given emerg- tires, patrolmen said.

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Excellent results were obtained ON HIGHWAY 83 TO BE LET on returns from twenty-seven bales ginned December 3rd by the Ar-Two highway project on 83 east tesia Farmers Gin. According to of Artesia are among the twelve the grading by the Department of projects to be let December 20th. Agriculture at El Paso, Texas, Federal project No. 5 on highway twenty-six boles were classed as 83 for approximately 9.709 miles strict middling, one bale as good and WPA No. WPSS 206-D for middling and the gradings were: approximately 8.205 miles, both Thirteen bales measured 1-3/32 inches; eleven measured 1-1/8, and three 1-5/32. Mr. and Mrs. John McCann expect to leave Sunday for Coleman, Texas, to spend the holidays with home folks. Christmas Cards at The Advocate.