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Record Enrollment Is Expected When Schools Open Sept. 6

Although New Building Is Not Completed, Will Not Interfere Greatly, Kerr Says - Faculty to Meet Labor Day.

The largest initial enrollment in the history of Artesia schools is expected when school opens Tuesday, Sept. 6, the date announced this week by W. E. Kerr, superintendent. Many of the students will attend classes in the new Junior-Senior High School, which is not entirely completed. However, its completion will not interfere greatly with school work, Mr. Kerr said.

Faculty meetings and the acquainting of new teachers with the school system will take up Monday, Sept. 5, the day prior to actual opening of school.

Enrollment of high school students will begin next Wednesday, Aug. 31, and will continue through Thursday, Sept. 8, whereas pupils of grades 1 to 6 will be enrolled Tuesday, Sept. 6.

By grades, the Junior and Senior High School students are to enroll as follows: each at 8:30 o'clock on the mornings indicated: Junior High School students, at Central School auditorium: Seventh grade, Wednesday, Aug. 31; eighth grade, Thursday, Sept. 1; ninth grade, Friday, Sept. 2.

Senior High School students, at Junior High School gymnasium: Tenth grade (sophomore), Tuesday, Sept. 6; eleventh grade, (junior), Wednesday, Sept. 7; twelfth grade (senior), Thursday, Sept. 8.

All pupils enrolling in grades 1 to 6 are to report at Central School at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, Sept. 6. Mr. Kerr said pupils from other schools and beginners should be accompanied by their parents in order that teachers may obtain the necessary information about the children.

No child will be accepted as a beginner whose sixth birthday comes after next Nov. 1, and every child must present a certificate showing successful vaccination for smallpox, or as having had the disease, Mr. Kerr said. This should be taken care of by the family physician.

At the beginning of this school year, all pupils of grades 1 to 8 will be furnished with free textbooks, where they do not already have texts of their own. Textbooks for arithmetic, health, spelling, (continued on last page, column 2)

Primary Election Is Held in Chaves County on Tuesday

Results of Races of Most Interest To Observers in Eddy County

Complete unofficial returns for the Democratic primary in Chaves County Tuesday show a number of races, as well as the largest number of votes ever cast there, 6,037, about 1,700 more than ever before.

Frank Young, Roswell chief of police, led for the sheriff nomination by 343 votes over Deputy Sheriff Lacy Shortridge.

The closest contest on the slate was for the nomination for county clerk, won by D. P. Greiner by a scant 82 votes over his nearest opponent, W. C. Holland. Other candidates seeking this nomination were Lewis Hammond and H. C. Sorrels.

Rodman Cookson, candidate for county school superintendent, led the ticket with a total of 4,100 votes to defeat his opponent, Mrs. G. L. Reese, Sr. Second high on the county slate was Frank J. McCarthy of Hagerman, who led the race of four candidates for the house of representatives in the state legislature.

Harry Puryear, candidate for county commissioner from district one piled up an impressive lead of 1,501 to 729 over his opponent, Ellis W. Whitney.

CROZIER BROTHER DIES

A. C. Crozier received a message of the death of his brother, Will Crozier, Monday at his home in Hawthorne, Calif. Mr. Crozier joined his son, Oliver Crozier, and Frank Miller, who were leaving that day for California, and attended the funeral of his brother. He will return by bus. Mr. Miller and Oliver Crozier will remain on the Coast.

Machine Age Tomb Not to Be Opened Until 7,000 A. D.

A streamlined "tomb" for the machine age is being built by science to let people 5,000 years from now know what we were like.

It will be filled with the things that make us what we are—including a typical woman's hat.

To balance the hat, there will be serious things relating to government and industry, religion and philosophy, history and geology, music and art.

So that archaeologists who dig up the "tomb" will not just look at the hat, laugh and dismiss us as a peculiar race, the tomb will contain a "key to English" which will make it easy for persons unfamiliar with English to understand our language.

The whole thing will be buried somewhere in the World's Fair ground this fall.

The "tomb," being built in the laboratories of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, is a cross between Old King Tut's last resting place and something you would expect to find on Mars. It is called a "time capsule."

Like King Tut's tomb, the "capsule" will have an inner crypt and an outer chamber, and will look roughly like a shell from a big berrha. It will be seven feet two inches long and eight inches in diameter.

Proposition to Sell Building Passes 2 to 1

Permits Council to Dispose of Sipple Place, Clearing Way for New City Hall - Vote Very Light.

The proposition to permit the city council to sell the Sipple building for \$16,005 cash passed at the special election Tuesday by a vote given unofficially as 96 to 48, in the exact proportion of 2 to 1. However, the law stipulates that such a proposition passes if a "majority of the qualified voters voting" cast their ballots in favor.

The official canvass, which is just a matter of form when the vote is not close, will be made Friday, the third day after the election, as provided by law.

Passage of the proposition clears the way for the sale of the building to S. S. Ward, who submitted the high bid recently when the council advertised for bids.

The money is to be used towards building a new city hall and library on the city lot at Fifth and Main Streets, provided a PWA grant can be obtained. City officials foresee no difficulties in having a project approved and the grant made.

The building is to cost about \$31,000, the government to pay 45 per cent as an outright grant. The city, by using the proceeds of the sale of the Sipple building, will not have to float a bond issue.

Interest in the election Tuesday was unusually lacking, especially in view of the fact there were a number of enthusiastic supporters of the proposition as well as persons opposed. The vote of 144 was one of the lightest here in many years.

By wards, the vote was as follows: First, 32 for, 21 against; second, 13 for, 7 against; third, 32 for, 15 against; fourth, 19 for, 5 against.

BINDEL BUYS OUT PARTNERS IN FIRM

Partnership in the Pecos Valley Implement Company, with stores in Artesia, Carlsbad and Roswell, has been dissolved, W. J. Bindel buying out the interests of Phil P. Porter, who was manager of the Artesia store, and J. T. Howard. The deal was completed last week.

The three men had been partners for more than a year and Mr. Bindel and Mr. Howard for two years.

Mr. Porter intends to devote his entire time to farming. It was not learned who will take his place as manager in Artesia.

Typewriters for rent—Advocate.

A NEW SYSTEM FOR GARBAGE

J. T. Caudle and H. E. Fletcher have been contracted by the city of Artesia to handle all garbage, under a new system whereby those served must have two receptacles, one each for wet and dry garbage. Their contract takes effect Sept. 1.

It is a part of the contract that Mr. Caudle and Mr. Fletcher do not collect garbage unless it is separated. The wet garbage will be fed to pigs. In the dry container may be placed rubbish and trash.

Collections are to be made in the residence sections of the city at least twice a week and in the business district every day.

The city asks that the public refrain from burning refuse within the city limits in the future, but place all burnable rubbish and trash in the dry containers for collection and disposal by the contractors.

Father of Phillip Kranz Dies at Roswell; Is Buried There Sunday

Funeral services for Henry J. Kranz of Roswell, father of Phillip Kranz of Artesia, who died last Thursday morning, were at St. Peter Catholic Church in Roswell Sunday. Burial was in South Park Cemetery there.

Mr. Kranz had been in ill health six years and the last four weeks was confined to his bed. He was a resident of Roswell the last twenty-two years, coming there in 1916 from Harbor Beach, Mich., where he had made his home for a number of years and was engaged in the contracting business.

Surviving Mr. Kranz are his widow, two sons, Leo P. Kranz of Roswell, who was associated with his father in business the last few years, and Phillip Kranz of Artesia; five daughters, Mrs. Manuel Oracion and Mrs. Frank Clements, Roswell; Mrs. Paul Jones and Mrs. Charles Crume, Hobbs, and Mrs. Tommie Bridge, Portales, and two brothers and three sisters.

Oilers Snatch the Softball League Lead From Mann's

Schedule May End in A Tie Tonight, Requiring A Play-Off

Through a series of circumstances, the Mann Drug team, which up to a week ago had won every game, now takes second place in favor of the Oilers, although both teams have won eight and lost two games in the second half season of play of the Artesia Softball League.

The Pill Rollers lost two games the last week out of three games played, one each to the Presbyterian Church and the Oilers. The real setback comes through checking off the score sheet of a game previously tallied up to the Pill Rollers, which they won from the Barbers. But the Barbers withdrew from the league several weeks ago, so it was decided to call the game "no contest." This leaves the Mann Drug team only seven wins to its credit, in comparison with eight for the Oilers, first half season champs.

The Oilers have played all their games on the schedule, so the Mann Drug boys, with one to go, hold the immediate outcome of the half season in their hands. They are to meet the Junior Chamber of Commerce team this evening. Should Mann win, that team and the Oilers will be tied for top honors, which will probably result in a three-game play-off. On the other hand, should the Oilers win, they will be the undisputed champions, not only of the half season, but of the whole season as well.

Besides the Mann Drug-Junior Chamber of Commerce game this evening, the Presbyterian Church will meet Folkners in the first game. The two games will end the regular schedule.

SMALL CAR BLAZE SATURDAY

The Artesia fire department was called out at 7:25 o'clock Saturday evening in response to a small automobile fire on North Roselawn. The services of the firemen were not needed.

Building Permits Reflect Activities In Artesia Today

List of Improvements Is Issued From the City Hall

Building activities in Artesia are reflected in building permits and permits for improvements, issued recently at the city hall by Tom Ragsdale, city clerk.

A list for the last few weeks, as given out by Mr. Ragsdale, includes the following: Frank Clowe, residence, Forest Hill Addition, lot 2, block 12, nearing completion. Frank Howard, residence, Forest Hill Addition, lot 8, block 11. Abe Conner, residence, Artesia Improvement, lot 2, block 5.

Monroe Howard, remodel job, residence, Roberts Addition, lot 11, block 3, completed. Rube Dunn, remodel job, home district store, Forrest Hill Addition, lot 12, block 7, working now. Mrs. E. A. Mor-dahl, trailer house courts, lots 7-8-9, Tyler Addition.

C. E. Speck, three small residences, lots 10-12, block 12, Chisum Addition, the second house nearing completion. H. A. Denton, business building, Second Street, lots 5-6, block 2. Kemp Lumber Company, residence, completed, Forrest Hill Addition.

L. E. Schnoor, Brite Spot, remodel. Tidwell, stucco outside, West Main, 700 block, working now. Hefflin & Bartlett, residence, remodel and stucco, 911 West Main, nearing completion.

Other recent improvements in Artesia, for which permits are not required: A. P. Mahone, new white coat over the cement block. Ragsdale Apartments, changed from grey to tan stucco this week. Grady Booker, excavation and laying of foundation for residence, directly south of city park on Richardson Street. Artesia Auto Company, filling station, outside paint.

Old Time Artesian Comes Back on Visit After Many a Year

Charles S. Davis, who came to Artesia just after the turn of the century, helped lay out part of the town and rode a horse all over this part of the country but never before drove an automobile in the state of New Mexico, had the last named experience when he came Monday from his present home in Kansas City.

Mr. Davis, accompanied by his nieces, Misses Ruby Sloan and Frances Meyer, also of Kansas City, spent Monday looking up old friends and comparing Artesia with the Artesia of 1908, when he moved to Kansas City.

Coming to the county in 1902, Mr. Davis first filed for land on the Cottonwood, but later came to Artesia. His place here adjoined the town on the west and there he drilled a water well in 1906, one of the first in the Artesia locality. The well is still in use.

Mr. Davis helped lay out the town site, as well as plow some of the first furrows for Main Street. He carried a surveyor's chain for Will Benson. His chief interests while living here were farming and cattle.

He and his nieces left Tuesday for the Carlsbad Caverns. Mr. Davis is now supervisor of farm loans for the Business Men's Assurance Company, Kansas City. His last previous visit to Artesia was in 1916. An old-timer as far as Artesia is concerned and a grandfather, Mr. Davis has the appearance of a relatively young man.

IS TRANSFERRED TO ELIDA

Frank H. Morgan, who came here recently from Texhoma, Okla., as assistant manager of the Artesia yard of the Kemp Lumber Company, was transferred last week to Elida as manager of the yard there. Jack Carr of Portales is taking Mr. Morgan's place.

OIL PROGRESS STORY LACKING THIS WEEK

The customary story regarding the Southwest New Mexico oil fields is lacking this week, through inability of The Advocate to contact the customary source of information.

Every effort will be made to have this important feature back in The Advocate's columns next week.

Typewriters for rent—Advocate.

BUS STATION IS MOVED HERE

The new contract of the Pageway Stage Lines for a bus station in Artesia has been awarded to Everett Brothers, who took charge Wednesday.

The station is now located at 106 South Third Street, at the rear of the Everett Brothers store. The store room at that address has been rearranged to accommodate the public and a new desk-counter built especially for the purpose. The station will be open from 7 o'clock each weekday morning to 8 o'clock in the evening and on Sundays and holidays at bus time.

A portion of the curbing at the station location has been reserved for use of the buses and is painted to indicate there will be no parking.

The local bus station contract has been with Cunningham Brothers for a number of years and the station was on South Roselawn.

Dexter, Watson Are Speakers at Rotary Club Here Tuesday

The principal speeches at the weekly meeting of the Artesia Rotary Club Tuesday noon were by C. J. Dexter, a member of the school board of Eddy County, and Hollis G. Watson, mayor of Artesia.

Mr. Dexter spoke of the schools and told especially about the fine, new Junior-Senior High School in Artesia, whereas Mr. Watson called to the attention of Rotarians the many improvements made or to be made in Artesia, mentioning the new school, the blacktop streets, the sidewalks and the city hall.

Fourteen Golfers Are Eliminated in First Round Play

Tournament Opens Sunday With Twenty-Eight Players Signed Up

Of twenty-eight entrants in the beginners' tournament of the Artesia Golf Club, fourteen are ready to meet adversaries in the second brackets, an equal number having been eliminated in the first round of play, which started Sunday and was completed by Tuesday night.

Originally announced as a two-flight tournament, the rules were changed so one loss eliminates a player.

Of those who go into the second round, some advance because they won their first game and others by the "coin" route, for matches which had not been decided by play up to Tuesday night, had to be settled by the flip of a coin.

The second round must be played by Saturday night, Aug. 27; third by Tuesday, Aug. 30; fourth (semifinals), by Saturday, Sept. 3, and fifth (finals), by Tuesday, Sept. 6.

The first prize in the tournament is to be a paid membership, second, \$3 to be applied toward a membership, and third, \$2 to be applied on a membership.

The tournament is being played in connection with a membership drive, during which the fee has been cut to \$5 until Sept. 1. After that date, it will be raised, probably to \$15.

In the following, each pair of names represents opponents in the first round, the first listed being the winner. The winners of each of the two pairings in the same paragraph are to meet in the second round pairings.

C. A. Baker, Roby Conner; Fritz Crawford, Stanley Wasson. Charles Grayson, Wallace Hastings; Arnett Harrell, J. H. Holcomb.

H. N. Smith, A. L. Woelk; Bill Bullock, Lowell Naylor. Ralph Barr, C. Cockran; Guy Roberts, A. B. McGuire.

Al Galsner, John Williams; Leon Clayton, Charles Bullock. Bill Gelwick, W. Leslie Martin; Roy Langston, Russell Flores. Jim Welch, Charles Gaskins; Paul Shelton, Ted Flint.

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State-Wide Primary Measure Is Introduced at Special Session

Improving From Rattlesnake Bite Sustained Seining

G. E. Townsend of Artesia is improving nicely from a rattlesnake bite on his little toe suffered Wednesday evening of last week while seining for minnows in the Pecos River near the Lawrence ranch. He was able to be out Saturday and is now getting around on crutches.

The bite, which was not severe as rattlesnake bites go, was from an eighteen-inch snake upon which he stepped. One fang entered the toe and the other scratched his foot.

Seining for minnows in company with Mrs. Townsend and children, Mr. Townsend, who was barefooted, had come out of the water when he stepped on the snake. It wrapped itself around his ankle and struck Mr. Townsend's toe.

The snake was killed and a tourniquet was applied to Mr. Townsend's leg and he was rushed to Artesia, where anti-venom was administered. Swelling was confined to the foot and ankle.

Apparently quite young, the snake had but one rattle and a button.

Allotment Plan Meeting Here To Be Sept. 12

Commissioner McDonald Confirms That Date Rather Than Labor Day For His Address—Time To Be Set.

J. E. McDonald, commissioner of the agricultural committee of Texas, will address farmers of New Mexico and Western Texas in Artesia on Monday, Sept. 12, instead of Labor Day, which date was set tentatively, subject to the approval of Mr. McDonald.

Col. A. T. Woods, chairman of the committee on arrangements, received a telegram Tuesday from Mr. McDonald definitely setting the date when he can be here, which automatically postpones the meeting a week from the original date.

The committee, which is busy on plans, has not announced as yet the time or the place. But the members assure that the meeting, besides the important information which will be brought by Mr. McDonald, will be worth while.

For one thing, there is the question of food. Col. Woods said there are two schools of thought on that subject. One proposes a huge barbecue; the other, a watermelon cutting. In either event, the chairman said, cotton farmers who attend will be assured they will be entertained as well as learning the workings of the intricate domestic allotment plan.

That the plan will be made clearer to those who hear Mr. McDonald is likewise assured, for he is one of the greatest cotton authorities in the world, said by some to be the greatest.

The commissioner is a very busy man, and the committee considers Artesia and cotton farmers in this locality fortunate in securing a speaking date with Mr. McDonald.

JACK KENNEDY BUYS OUT JAMES SERVICE STATION

J. W. (Jack) Kennedy, an old-timer in the oil fields, who says he has spent more than fifty years in the industry, bought out the filling station interests at the City Garage of Tom and Jerry James last Thursday. He took possession that day.

The new proprietor, who is somewhat of a joker, said he intends to make his place a "drillers' and tool dressers' resort," but that he will limit discussions to one hour. The congested air will be cleared away at frequent intervals, he promised.

Mrs. Earl Galbrath, a niece of Mrs. C. E. Mann, and Mr. Galbrath and their small son, Gail, of El Paso were week end guests in the Mann home. Janice Mann, who had been visiting in El Paso a few days, returned home with the Galbraths.

Solons Meet Monday to Consider the Governor's Proposal - Representative Smith Bolts Eddy Democrats' Resolution.

The complete text of Governor Tingley's message at the joint session of the legislature appears on another page.

A measure for a state-wide direct primary was introduced in the opening meeting Monday of an extraordinary session of the New Mexico Legislature as both houses completed organization without an expected first-day showdown on the controversial issue.

The primary bill, officially Senate Bill No. 1, was offered by Senators Don Dickason of Albuquerque and C. C. Royall of Silver City. Speaking Monday at a joint session of both houses, Gov. Clyde Tingley, who called the special session of the Legislature, said "all political power resides in the hands of the people under our Constitution, and it is a mockery to deny them the right to use it," declaring nominations under the present convention system do not reflect the wishes of the people.

Eddy County Democrats, through their precinct committees, last week went on record as favoring a state-wide primary, but as opposing an emergency clause such as Gov. Tingley proposes.

From action of the precinct committees, the county committee compiled a resolution which proposed a referendum at the November election, placing the matter before the people.

Copies of the resolution, dated Aug. 18, were forwarded to Senator George T. Harris and Representatives Milton R. Smith and Dan C. Berry, asking that they oppose passage of a primary bill with the emergency clause.

Representative Smith Saturday declared himself not in accord with the action of the Eddy County Democratic committee and said he would ignore the resolution.

Action of the Legislature is expected to take a number of days.

Shorting Circuits Quite Dangerous, Officials Declare

Southwestern Posts Rewards of \$50 to Catch the Perpetrators

A number of interruptions of service by the Southwestern Public Service Company recently have been blamed on persons throwing conductive material over high voltage transmission circuits and by shooting at insulators, which practices are quite dangerous to perpetrators, it was pointed out by officers of the company, which has posted a reward of \$50 for information leading to the conviction and arrest of the guilty party or parties.

The practice causes electric consumers and the company considerable inconvenience, as well as repair costs to the company, but the hazards were more stressed by the officials.

The intense electric arc formed when any conductive material is thrown over a transmission circuit or when voltage flashes over a defective insulator, they said, may be sufficient to burn the transmission conductor and allow it to fall to the earth. This is extremely dangerous, as the company is operating on 30,000 volts on the transmission circuit.

The company officials are asking the cooperation of the public in finding the guilty parties, both for their safety and for the service of users of electricity. Even though the perpetrators might not be injured, innocent persons might come in contact with a "hot" wire, or property damage might result, they said.

Eight Artesia Rotarians drove to Clovis Tuesday afternoon to attend a meeting there that evening for a charter presentation of the new Clovis club. Those who went from here: W. Leslie Martin, president of the Artesia club; D. I. Clowe, secretary; the Rev. John S. Rice, Charles Morgan, Max Schulze, Andy Corbin, C. D. Marshall and V. D. Bolton.

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### NOTHING TO WRITE ABOUT

The late O. O. McIntyre, famous newspaper columnist, found the most difficult part of his job finding something about which to write. Give him a lead and he was off for his daily stint and would plow gaily through it, always coming out with something worth reading.

The difficulty in finding something interesting to write about every day can be appreciated. A column of copy is very little, but to start from scratch and peck it out on a typewriter is not the easiest thing to do.

Editorial writers on dailies are confronted with quite a task also, but they have world affairs to editorialize about, and they, like McIntyre, find that the principal part of their job.

But writing an editorial column for a weekly is quite another thing. True, there is only one column to be written each week, whereas the daily man has one a day. But the daily editorial writer is concentrating on that one task, whereas the weekly man has a thousand and one things to do and must never lose sight of any.

There are always plenty of things to write about, but one does not care to be harping.

And so we find we are facing a problem. Here is a clean sheet of paper in our typewriter—well, it was clean up to a few minutes ago—and we cannot think of a thing to say. That is, real thoughts, we mean. Of course, these rambling thoughts which we are pecking away amount to nothing. At that, we are beginning to make some inroads, but this column is remarkably long when one is stumped.

Let's see, we haven't spoken recently about the need at Artesia for a class "A" airport. Of course, we don't want the issue to cool off, but then we don't want to keep on banging away at that. Everything worthwhile takes a little time. We did call attention to the dangerous ridges at the edges of the runways out there and they were attended to promptly, which was well. But getting a class "A" airport is a bigger problem. However, now is a good time to consider building one with PWA assistance. We believe Uncle Sam might be favorably disposed. At least a WPA project would help.

Then there's the housing situation. There's no use saying a lot more about that. After calling attention to the acute need for new houses, there immediately sprang up several. At least a half dozen are under construction today. That is not enough, but it helps and undoubtedly more are to follow. So we can skip that and try again for something about which to write.

We have mentioned the need of sidewalks, but the rainy season is over, so we will not notice their lack for a number of months and we can struggle along without them. However, one of the stipulations before the free mail delivery in Artesia was given government sanction was that carriers would give service only where there were sidewalks. The mail delivery was forthcoming, but someone probably had to shut his eyes to the fact there are but few walks from the curb lines to the property walks, which places can get just as muddy as stretches immediately in front of houses.

Still there seems to be no brain function, nothing worth writing about coming to mind, so we may have to chuck the idea this week, get by without an editorial column. Just the way the state gets by with dangerous roads in some of the mountain stretches, with no guard rails to keep automobiles from rolling into canyons, especially in places where the roads are not wide enough for two cars to pass. There, that wasn't so bad, comparing an editorial column to a guard rail. Not that an editorial could keep anyone or anything from rolling off, if he or it were so inclined, but it sometimes does call attention to the edge.

If we were not anxiously waiting for a new bridge over the Pecos River east of Artesia, we might say something about that. A few weeks ago we called attention to the dangerous condition there. Then Gov. Tingley, even before we were off the press, promised to do something about it. So out of courtesy to his excellency we are just anxiously waiting.

As McIntyre pointed out when he was stumped, all one can do in a case like this is sit and look at his typewriter, which seems to glare back. It's funny, but the keys seem to be saying, "Why not get a guest writer this week? Someone is always telling you what he would do if he were running a newspaper." Well that's an idea, but we imagine such a guest would have to stare at his typewriter for at least several days, although he probably would turn out a masterpiece in the long run. We will have to get an idea within the next half hour or fill the column with pictures.

There, that's an idea: Pictures! We might have a picture of Artesia ten years hence, if she continues to progress as she has. We might show an airport with a number of airplanes on the apron and runways, as well as in first-class hangars, some belonging to oil men who hop in and hop out at will, instead of dropping out of the sky at Roswell and come on to Artesia by taxi. And there would be an air mail plane idling.

We might show a picture of the Artesia city hall—or we could write an editorial about it. But we have dropped the editorial idea and are now painting pictures, so such a picture here might not be amiss. It would show a modern building, a busy place, with more activity just around the corner where the library entrance is.

Automobiles with foreign licenses would be driving by, using the highway between Artesia and Alamogordo through the Sacramento Mountains, instead of taking some other route. The occupants of the automobiles, of course, would be admiring the city building, the fine sidewalks and Artesia in general.

But we never were any good at painting pictures, worse than at writing editorials, if possible, so that alternate idea will have to be out. And so, what to do? Guess we'll just chuck the whole idea. Guess we'll just skip it and write an editorial next week instead.

### THE MAJORITY FEEL THIS WAY

The answer to the whole question of whether or not the Carrie Tingley Hospital should be endowed by means of a lottery lies in the following question: "Is the Irish National Hospital famous as a hospital where marvelous cures are effected, or as a name found upon slips of paper entitling the purchaser to one chance in a lottery?"

Carried out, does the state of New Mexico wish to have the name of the Carrie Tingley Hospital famous for the cures effected there by modern science and efficient hospitalization, or for the fact that a bunch of suckers annually take a chance in a lottery in the hope of getting rich the quick and easy way?—Socorro Citizen.

## CHURCHES

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Fourth at Grand

**Sunday**  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship  
6:30 P. M.—Christian Endeavor  
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.  
**Wednesday**  
4:00 p. m.—Junior choir and K. Y. B.  
7:00 p. m.—Adult choir practice  
Henry S. Stout, Pastor.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST Seventh and Grand

**Wednesday**  
3 p. m., ladies Bible class; present study, "Women of the Bible."  
8 p. m., mid-week service; song practice and sermon.

**Sunday**  
10 a. m., Bible classes for all ages.  
11 a. m., sermon by the local minister.  
11:50 a. m., Lord's supper.  
8 p. m., sermon by the local minister.  
We welcome everyone at all of these services.  
Allen E. Johnson, Minister

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Corner Grand and Roselawn

9:45 a. m., Bible school.  
10:50 a. m., morning worship.  
7 p. m., Baptist training service.  
8 p. m., evening service.  
**Wednesday, 8 p. m., teachers' meeting, Bible study and prayer service.**  
Thursday, 2:30 p. m., W. M. S.  
Third Thursday in each month, 8 p. m., Brotherhood meeting.  
S. M. Morgan, Pastor

### ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH 504 North Ninth Street

Priest in charge, Rev. Raymond Oosdyke, O. M. C.  
Time of Sunday Masses:  
7 a. m. for American speaking people.  
9 a. m. for Spanish-American people.

### Instructions

Saturday, 10 a. m., for the school children.  
Saturday, 2:30 p. m., for the Daughters of Mary.  
Saturday, 3 p. m., for Converts. Confessions are heard Saturday at 7:30 p. m. and Sundays before the Masses.

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Sunday school meets at 9:45 Sunday morning with classes for every age group.  
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Intermediate Epworth league meets at 6 o'clock each Sunday evening.  
Senior Epworth league and church services combined at 8 o'clock Sunday evening. You will enjoy this program of the young people.  
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John S. Rice, Pastor

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Rev. E. L. Askins, Pastor, 708 West Missouri Street.  
B. G. Sanders, Sunday school superintendent.  
Mrs. E. A. Paton, W. F. M. S. president.  
Miss Berthold Alcorn, N. Y. P. S. president.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Sermon, 11 a. m.  
Junior and N. Y. P. S., 7 p. m.  
Choir practice every Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. Miss Berthold Alcorn, choir director.  
Midweek prayer services every Wednesday evening 7:30.  
W. F. M. S. meets every first and third Thursday, 2:30 p. m.  
A spiritual church in a friendly community. We welcome you to come and worship with us.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES 613 West Main Street

"Christ Jesus" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all societies and churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Aug. 28.  
The Golden Text is: "Thou, Bethlehem Ephrathah, though thou be little among the thousands of Judah, yet out of thee shall come forth unto me that is to be ruler in Israel; whose goings forth have been from of old, from everlasting."—(Micah 5:2.)  
Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Behold my servant, whom I uphold; mine elect, in whom my soul delighteth; I have put my spirit upon him; he shall bring forth judgment to the Gentiles."—(Isa. 42:1.)  
The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "Jesus established what he said by demonstration, thus making his acts of higher importance than his words. He proved what he taught.

### WHAT'S WHAT

## NEW MEXICO

News Briefs of the "Sunshine State," Gleaned from Many Sources

### Kernels From An Old Nut

This is the Science of Christianity.  
**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Sixth and Quay  
"Services That Are Serviceable"  
The Rev. and Mrs. J. Vernon Wheeler will be here for the Sunday services and are very anxious to meet a large audience. Bible school, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; special solo by Mrs. John Lanning, sermon by pastor, "The Eyes of Jesus;" preaching 8 p. m.  
J. Vernon Wheeler, Minister.

I have heard a great deal recently about building up immunities. One hears the expression so infrequently in the every day walks of life that it comes to be regarded as an unusual phase of life, but, as a matter of fact, it is a part of our everyday experience. One can take a poison into his system for a considerable length of time until the system builds up an immunity against it. In other words the system finally becomes more or less immune to the evil effects of the poison, but it is still in the system and it is still poison. Some races of mankind have had certain diseases for so many generations that they become immune, to a certain extent, from their evil effects. The immunity, however, is not complete. The disease, in weakened form, still remains, but the system is likewise weakened in other respects and the individual or the race is correspondingly weakened and deteriorated. Building up an immunity against disease or poison is at best but a makeshift. The only safe process is to eradicate it if it can be done. It is an unfortunate fact that we build up immunities in our mental, moral and spiritual lives much more frequently than in our physical lives. We indulge in practices for which we apologize and we continue them until we are immune to the qualms of conscience which they first engendered. We engage in business practices of doubtful propriety and continue in them until it is accepted as the normal course of business.

So in almost every phase of life we are confronted with conditions that must be met either by the drastic method of uprooting and destruction or else by tolerating them until we build up an immunity against their evil effects. As in the physical body, so also in our mental, moral and spiritual lives, the evils against which we build immunity still exist. They are still in and in building up an immunity against them we weaken our character and leave it paralyzed to the finest sensibilities of life.

It might be worth while for every one of us to stop and take stock of our quality and standards of life. It might be worth while to know whether we have really put out of our lives the things that weaken and destroy character or if we have drifted to the point where conscience is immune to the evil effects of mis-directed effort.

### EXHIBITS INCLUDED AT TEACHERS' MEETING

Important commercial companies which deal in school materials and school supplies have just been granted permission by the program committee to establish booths at the Southwestern New Mexico Educational Association meeting in Hot Springs on Sept. 30 to Oct. 1. Leading officials of the association plan to attend, according to information from Irvin P. Murphy, president.

Visiting in other teachers' classrooms is one of the most beneficial means for improving instruction, is the opinion of the executive committee of the association, and so it has been arranged that they visit in the Hot Springs schools Friday afternoon, Sept. 30, the first item of business and therefore the opening number of the two-day program.

Billy Bullock, accompanied by his two sisters, Miss Edna Bullock and Mrs. Landis Feather, drove to Abilene, Tex., Saturday for a week end visit with their brother, Tom Edward Bullock, and family. Mrs. E. B. Bullock, their mother, who has been at the home of her son at Abilene for several weeks, returned with the other Bullock children the first of the week.

### STOP WITH HOME FOLKS

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## EL PASO DEL NORTE

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Hard-surfacing of a ten-mile sector on Highway 70 was finished last week, completing a \$66,000 road project between Elida and Kenna. Sand-mat construction was used for the highway, capped with "chat."

Reports of the state tax commission revealed that the tax rate on cattle in New Mexico has been established at one mill less than the 5 1/2 mill levy of last year. Rates on hogs and sheep were unchanged at 3 1/2 and 10 mills, respectively.

When registration of dogs began in Carlsbad last week, it was discovered many owners have a flair for fancy or clever names for dogs. Topping the list were such appellations as Inky 10th, Lupe, Lady Mac, Doc Turner, Mr. Pugey, Twerp, Flop and Tuts. Others were Bo Bo, Priscilla, Bujac, Doc, Jericho, Tixery, Kippy, Zip and Deep. An amazing decrease in the more common names over past dog-name trends was seen in that only a few of the animals carried such ordinary cognomens as Fritz, Spottie, Ranger, Prince, Pooch, Sandy, Bill and Happy. Such breeds were registered as English boxer, spaniel, chow, fox terrier, bull, spitz, collie, Irish spaniel, poodle, airdales, police and Newfoundland. The fact that male dogs outnumbered females 3 to 1 might draw some conjectures as to what happens to female dogs.

State Game Warden Elliott Barker was in Chavez County last week to look over the antelope areas before deciding to recommend an open season on the fleet little animals this year.

Predatory animals killed by paid hunters of the Biological Survey in New Mexico during the last fiscal year totaled 2,754. John Gatlin, district agent for the Survey announced last week. Persons and agencies in cooperation with the Survey killed 2,615 predators, making a total kill for the state of 5,369. Gatlin said the kill showed a large increase over the 1936-37 fiscal year; 539 more coyotes were slain, as well as a larger number of other predatory animals. Colorado hunters, operating over the border in New Mexico, killed 11 bobcats and 199 coyotes, to be added to the state's total. The kill by Survey hunters: Stock killing bears 3, bobcats 478, coyotes 2,247, wolves 13, mountain lions 13. The kill by cooperative hunters: Bobcats 353, coyotes 2,243, wolves 6, mountain lions 13.

J. Stokley Ligon, owner of the Ligon game farm northwest of Carlsbad, has been appointed field naturalist and regional inspector under the Pittman-Robertson wild life restoration law. Ligon's territory includes New Mexico, Arizona, Texas and Oklahoma. Don L. Gilchrist, regional director of the Biological Survey, said the selection was made by Ira M. Gabrielson, head of the survey, and himself.

The Navy announced last week the white "E" for engineering efficiency among battleships of the battle force during the fiscal year 1938 had been awarded the U. S. S. New Mexico, of which Lt.-Comdr. H. D. Power, of Buford, Ga., is engineering officer. A total of 34 naval vessels won places in the engineering competition in their respective groups. Ships which stood first in their groups were permitted to display a white "E" on the smoke pipes to denote engineering efficiency. Ships standing second or third may wear a red "E."

When Democrats of Portales, precinct 1 of Roosevelt County, went on record, as did Eddy County precincts, favoring passage of a primary law, but without an emergency clause, resolutions also were approved asking for the repeal of the port of entry law and amendment legislation providing for refund of tax at time of purchase of gasoline for agricultural purposes.

Orders to start work on a number of school building projects over the state went out from state WPA

headquarters Friday, Administrator Fred G. Healy announced. Construction was authorized on new school buildings at Cebolla, Rio Arriba County; Field, Curry County; Edgewood, Santa Fe County, and Clayton, Union County. Additions to present buildings will be started at Alamogordo and Pecos. Healy also authorized construction of a city hall at Melrose, a clubhouse at Camp Luna, sidewalks at Mesilla Park, campus improvements at State College, curbing, gutters and street widening at Alamogordo, sewer system improvements at Tucumcari, and a fire station at Socorro.

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WPA OFFICES WILL BE MOVED AUG. 31

The WPA timekeeper's office and the certification and intake office will be located at 510 South Seventh Street after next Thursday, Aug. 31.

Mrs. Thelma Harbaugh, who has charge of the certification and intake department, will be in Artesia on Wednesday of each week and George Nixon will have charge of timekeeping for all the Artesia projects.

Loose Leaf Note Books—25c and 50c—The Advocate.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that W. J. Bindel, J. T. Howard and Phil P. Porter, heretofore doing business as co-partners in the Pecos Valley Implement Company, have dissolved partnership by mutual consent.

WITNESS the hands of the parties this 1st day of August, 1938. W. J. BINDEL, PHIL P. PORTER, J. T. HOWARD.

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Santa Fe, New Mexico, August 2, 1938.

Number of Application RA-1679 (Change of Location of Well)

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of July, 1938, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, D. P. Sullivan of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to change the location of a 12 1/2 inch shallow ground water well, 225 feet in depth, to be used for the production of 1200 gallons of water per minute for the irrigation of 160 acres of land situated in the ENE 1/4 Sec. 33 and W 1/4 Sec. 34, T. 19 S., R. 26 E., N. M.

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 substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, GENERAL LAND OFFICE at Las Cruces, New Mexico, August 4, 1938.

NOTICE is hereby given that Alex McGonagill, of Artesia, New Mexico, who, on August 14, 1933, made homestead entry, No. 046809, for E 1/2, Section 11, Township 18 S., Range 28 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3 year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 22nd day of September, 1938.

PAUL A. ROACH, Registrar.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF VICTOR A. BUEL, Deceased. No. 802.

NOTICE OF HEARING UPON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT OF HATTIE OLIVE BUEL, EXECUTRIX, AND OF HEARING TO RE-PROVE WILL.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Hattie Olive Buel, Ara N. Buel, Mary E. Overton, Robert A. L. Rue, a minor, Clara L. Rue, Kratzert, John La Rue, Alva La Rue, Francis La Rue, Theodore La Rue, Charles H. La Rue, and all unknown heirs of Victor A. Buel, Deceased, and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said Decedent, and To Whom It May Concern, GREETING:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That Hattie Olive Buel has filed her final account and report as executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Victor A. Buel, Deceased, together with her petition praying for her discharge upon approval of said final report; that the Honorable E. F. Montgomery, Judge of the Probate Court of Eddy County, State of New Mexico, has set the 30th day of September, 1938, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., at the Court Room

of the Probate Court in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing objections, if any there be, to said final report and petition; that on the said 23rd day of September, 1938, at the same time and place, the Probate Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of his estate, and the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, That on said 23rd day of September, 1938, at the same time and place proof will be offered of the Last Will and Testament of said Victor A. Buel, Deceased, and of its due execution and validity, and any person wishing to enter objections thereto is hereby notified to file his objections in the office of the county clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the day set for hearing.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court on this 10th day of August, 1938.

R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico. By DOTTE C. CRAFT, Deputy.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF EVERETT WARD, DECEASED. NO. 779.

NOTICE OF HEARING OF FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO: The unknown heirs of Everett Ward, deceased, if living and if dead, the unknown heirs of said Everett Ward, deceased; and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent; and to whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that John C. Ward, administrator of the estate of Everett Ward, deceased, has filed his Final Account and Report as such administrator with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico; and the Probate Judge of said county has fixed the 17th day of September, 1938, at 2:00 o'clock, P. M., in the Office of said Probate Judge in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, as the time and place for the hearing of objections, if any, to said Final Account and Report; and that said Probate Court will at said time and place proceed to examine and inquire into said account and report; and if found to be correct, will approve the same and discharge the administrator and will also proceed to determine the heirship of decedent and the ownership of his estate, and the person entitled to the distribution thereof as provided by law; that anyone who has objections to said Report shall file the same with the County Clerk of Eddy County on or before said date of final hearing.

G. U. McCrary, whose post office address is Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney for administrator.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the official seal of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on the 10th day of August, 1938.

R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk. By DOTTE C. CRAFT, Deputy.

ORDINANCE NO. 45

AN ORDINANCE LEVYING A SPECIAL WATER FRONTAGE TAX FOR THE YEAR 1938.

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, that there is hereby levied an annual tax for the year 1938, for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected, upon the following real estate in the City of Artesia, New Mexico.

FRONTAGE TAX FOR WATER WORKS PURPOSES FOR THE CITY OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, FOR THE YEAR 1938.

SECTION 1—\$0.80 per lot upon the following, in the Original City of Artesia, N. M.

- Block 1—Lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162, 164, 166, 168, 170, 172, 174, 176, 178, 180, 182, 184, 186, 188, 190, 192, 194, 196, 198, 200, 202, 204, 206, 208, 210, 212, 214, 216, 218, 220, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 248, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 262, 264, 266, 268, 270, 272, 274, 276, 278, 280, 282, 284, 286, 288, 290, 292, 294, 296, 298, 300, 302, 304, 306, 308, 310, 312, 314, 316, 318, 320, 322, 324, 326, 328, 330, 332, 334, 336, 338, 340, 342, 344, 346, 348, 350, 352, 354, 356, 358, 360, 362, 364, 366, 368, 370, 372, 374, 376, 378, 380, 382, 384, 386, 388, 390, 392, 394, 396, 398, 400, 402, 404, 406, 408, 410, 412, 414, 416, 418, 420, 422, 424, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 436, 438, 440, 442, 444, 446, 448, 450, 452, 454, 456, 458, 460, 462, 464, 466, 468, 470, 472, 474, 476, 478, 480, 482, 484, 486, 488, 490, 492, 494, 496, 498, 500, 502, 504, 506, 508, 510, 512, 514, 516, 518, 520, 522, 524, 526, 528, 530, 532, 534, 536, 538, 540, 542, 544, 546, 548, 550, 552, 554, 556, 558, 560, 562, 564, 566, 568, 570, 572, 574, 576, 578, 580, 582, 584, 586, 588, 590, 592, 594, 596, 598, 600, 602, 604, 606, 608, 610, 612, 614, 616, 618, 620, 622, 624, 626, 628, 630, 632, 634, 636, 638, 640, 642, 644, 646, 648, 650, 652, 654, 656, 658, 660, 662, 664, 666, 668, 670, 672, 674, 676, 678, 680, 682, 684, 686, 688, 690, 692, 694, 696, 698, 700, 702, 704, 706, 708, 710, 712, 714, 716, 718, 720, 722, 724, 726, 728, 730, 732, 734, 736, 738, 740, 742, 744, 746, 748, 750, 752, 754, 756, 758, 760, 762, 764, 766, 768, 770, 772, 774, 776, 778, 780, 782, 784, 786, 788, 790, 792, 794, 796, 798, 800, 802, 804, 806, 808, 810, 812, 814, 816, 818, 820, 822, 824, 826, 828, 830, 832, 834, 836, 838, 840, 842, 844, 846, 848, 850, 852, 854, 856, 858, 860, 862, 864, 866, 868, 870, 872, 874, 876, 878, 880, 882, 884, 886, 888, 890, 892, 894, 896, 898, 900, 902, 904, 906, 908, 910, 912, 914, 916, 918, 920, 922, 924, 926, 928, 930, 932, 934, 936, 938, 940, 942, 944, 946, 948, 950, 952, 954, 956, 958, 960, 962, 964, 966, 968, 970, 972, 974, 976, 978, 980, 982, 984, 986, 988, 990, 992, 994, 996, 998, 1000.

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# SOCIETY.

## Christian Pastor Marries Colorado Girl Last Week

The auditorium of the First Christian Church of Canon City, Colo., was the scene of a candle-light wedding service Wednesday evening, Aug. 17, when Miss Julie Louisa Robertson of Canon City and the Rev. J. Vernon Wheeler of Artesia were married in an impressive ceremony. The rites were celebrated in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. The Rev. J. T. Wheeler of Marian, Kan., father of the bridegroom, officiated.

The service, one of the loveliest of the late summer weddings there, was held before a white lighted cross shining through a white archway banked with daisies and white and orange dahlias.

The bride wore a princess gown of opal satin made floor length with a slight train. The gown was trimmed in white and cream roses, hand-embroidered by the mother of the bride. She wore a floor length veil of tulle which was the traditional "something borrowed," with a halo cap held in place with lillies of the valley and bluish white rose buds. The "something old" was a gold locket of her mother's family.

She carried a white leather bound Bible, holding a shower of ribbons to which were fastened valley lillies and tiny white rosebuds. The book, a rare edition, found after a lengthy search in Oxford, England, is lettered in gold and was a gift of the bridegroom. Her sister, Miss Marian Robertson, was her only attendant.

Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. A large number of guests were served a piece of the wedding cake which was first cut by the bride. Several out of state guests were present. Later in the evening the bridal couple left for a motor trip into Mexico. They will visit the Carlsbad Caverns on their return trip to Artesia, and will be here in time for the services next Sunday at the First Christian Church, of which the Rev. Mr. Wheeler is pastor.

Mrs. Wheeler is a graduate of Women's College in Denver, where she received a degree of bachelor of music, and has done graduate work in Texas Christian University and has conducted a music studio in Wassenburg the last two years. The Rev. Mr. Wheeler is a graduate of Phillips University in Enid, Okla., and has held several successful pastorates in Colorado and New Mexico. He is the only child of the Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Wheeler.

### THURSDAY SUPPER CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stroup entertained the Thursday Supper Club at their farm home last Thursday evening with a supper cooked and served on the lawn.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Haynes and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Green. Mr. and Mrs. Haynes received a crystal prize at the conclusion of the games of contract.

### CLAYTON FAMILY REUNION

Mrs. Joe A. Clayton and several of her children enjoyed a family reunion over the week end. Mrs. Paul Sengbush, the former Thelma Clayton, of Long Beach, Calif., Mrs. Clarence Stoldt, the former Eulabee Clayton, Mr. Stoldt and three children, Clarence Joe, Lee Clayton and Darla Sue, of Blackwell, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Clayton and Barbara Kay of Artesia and a niece, Mrs. Ealen Gage, of Chico, Calif., were Sunday morning breakfast guests of their mother and aunt, Mrs. Clayton, and the others were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Clayton. Mrs. Sengbush had been here more than a week. The Stoldt family arrived Saturday night and left for their home early Monday morning.

## Social Calendar

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### THURSDAY (TODAY)

The Young Matron's Circle of the Methodist Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Joe Ellis at 1001 Richardson Street, 2:30 p. m.

### FRIDAY

The Viernes Bridge Club meets with Mrs. Fletcher Collins, breakfast at 8 a. m.

### TUESDAY

First Afternoon Bridge Club meets with Mrs. A. B. Coll, 2 p. m.

### WEDNESDAY

The Wednesday Night Club meets with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hamill, 7 p. m.

### THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The Baptist Missionary Society will meet at the church at 2:30 p. m., Royal Service program.

The Christian Woman's Association meeting is postponed.

Reception, complimenting the Rev. J. Vernon and Mrs. Wheeler by members of the First Christian Church, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Spencer, 7:30 p. m.

The Methodist Missionary Society will meet at the church at 2:30 p. m., business meeting.

The Presbyterian Missionary Society will meet at the church at 2:30 p. m., business meeting.

The Nazarene Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Fletcher Owens, at 2:30 p. m., lesson study, Miss Eleanor Clarke, leader.

### MORNING BRIDGE FOR MRS. EDSON JONES

Mrs. I. L. Spratt, a former member of the Fortnightly Bridge Club, entertained club members and a number of other guests Friday at her home, with a lovely morning bridge in which she named Mrs. Edson Jones of Waukegan, Ill., as honor guest.

A perfectly gorgeous bouquet of white gladioli, attractively arranged in a large bowl of Mexican blue glassware, graced the piano. Gladioli in pastel shades were used throughout the living rooms, adding beauty to the setting for the occasion. Guests were seated at three quartet tables for contract while others enjoyed a social visit on the back yard lawn with their handwork. Mrs. Charlie Martin was presented the lovely high score prize, Mrs. Jones a beautiful guest prize, Mrs. C. Bert Smith, cut prize, and Mrs. John Lanning consolation prize. Other guests were: Mmes. Lewis Story, William Linell, Albert Richards, Leslie Martin, C. R. Blocker, Fred Cole, Grady Booker, Donald Marshall, J. Hise Myers and F. P. Turner and Mrs. W. E. Flint of Lovington.

The hostess served a delicious iced luncheon in three courses at the noon hour. Mrs. M. A. Corbin was a luncheon guest.

### THE 1937 BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. E. N. Bigler was hostess to members of the 1937 Bridge Club at the Artesia Hotel Coffee Shop Friday afternoon.

Luncheon was served and contract enjoyed afterward. Mrs. Charlie Martin and Mrs. Lewis Story were substituting guests. Mrs. Neil Watson was awarded high score prize and Mrs. C. J. Dexter, second high prize.

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### VIERNES BRIDGE CLUB

The Viernes Bridge Club was entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. Jack Clady.

Substituting guests were: Mmes. Joe Holyfield, Laura Watson and Owen Haynes. At the conclusion of the rounds of contract Mrs. Watson received high score prize and Mrs. Gillispie second high prize. Mrs. Clady served a salad course to her guests at the close of the afternoon.

### PICNIC AND SOCIAL FOR DUNN FAMILIES

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Dunn had as their guests from Sunday until Wednesday a sister, Mrs. S. P. Hall, Mr. Hall, their son, Charlie Hall, and a daughter, Darleen Hall, all of Leedy, Okla., and a sister of S. P. Hall, Mrs. J. D. Bourn, of Hereford, Tex.

Mmes. Calvin Dunn, Ben Dunn, Harold Dunn and Lee Francis were hostesses at an ice cream social Tuesday evening on the Calvin Dunn lawn, as a surprise compliment to Charlie Hall, whose birthday was that day. Guests included the visitors, families of the hostesses and Mr. and Mrs. Preston Dunn. The Hall family and Mrs. Bourn left Wednesday morning, going by Carlsbad Caverns.

A fried chicken supper was enjoyed at the Ben Dunn home on the lawn Friday evening, the guests including Mr. and Mrs. Preston Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn and children; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn and small son; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Francis and children; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dunn and children and Mrs. Thigpen.

### BILL PARIS HOST AT LAWN PARTY

Bill Paris, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Paris, was host at a lovely lawn party complimenting the Sinclair visitors Friday evening.

Supper was prepared over the open fire grill and served on the lawn. Various games amused the young folks during the evening. Guests were: Misses Martha, Clara and Edith and John Sinclair, honored visitors from Caldwell, Kan., and the Misses Louise Rice, Lela Bess Mann, Anadele Williams, Helen Gates, Virginia Gates, Ruth Hamilton, Jane Shugart and Peggy Linell, and John Gates, Carey Thompson, John Rice, James Robertson of Carlsbad and Bill Schmidt of Norman, Okla.

### SUNDAY PICNIC AT SITTING BULL FALLS

A party composed of Misses Vivian Haldeman, Charlotte Woods, Billie Green, Norma Mayes and Jackie Bragg of Artesia and Miss Ilona Busby of Roswell, and Joe Bill Funk, Clyde Tidwell, J. H. Ansley, Gene Wehant and Dick Myers, with Mr. and Mrs. James Thigpen as chaperones, enjoyed a picnic and all day outing at Sitting Bull Falls Sunday.

### ARTWOOD PIRATES

Miss Elaine Feemster entertained her club, the Artwood Pirates, Wednesday evening with a picnic supper on the lawn at the Feemster home. Games of contract were enjoyed at the Wallingford apartment at the Artesia Hotel, where Miss Feemster is living this summer.

Mrs. S. A. Lanning, Jr., received the high score, as well as the lucky traveling prize; Mrs. J. O. Wood received second high prize. Other guests were Mmes. M. Murphy, Bryan Shoemaker and Harry Fletcher, and Misses Jimmie King and Cecelia Rheberg.

ENGRAVING—THE ADVOCATE.

### MISS MARTIN HOSTESS AT LAWN PARTY WEDNESDAY

Miss Charlene Martin, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Martin, a popular member of the junior group of young folks, was hostess at a lovely lawn party Wednesday evening.

Various games were played on the lawn and dancing was enjoyed at intervals. Iced punch and sandwiches were served at the close of a delightfully pleasant evening. The guest list included Misses Bettyne Lanning, Wanda Story, Catherine Louise Williams, Janice Mann, Peggy Hamill and her house guest, June Murray, of El Paso; Betty Flint, Georgia Lee Williams, Shirley Bartlett, Betty Flinchbaugh, Helen Jean Evans, Delores Mayerhoffen and Phyllis Van Antwerp and the young men, Edwin Ward, Wayne Truett, Ray Lewis, Curtis Bolton, Max Schulze, Eddie Speck, Weldon Grant, David Crockett, Sanders Terry, Robert Ferguson, James Manley, Howard Santo, Roderick Watson and Riley Brown.

### ARE COMPLIMENTED AT MARTIN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Martin were hosts at their farm home Friday evening when they entertained with a lawn party, complimenting summer visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Edson Jones of Waukegan, Ill., and Mrs. Floy Ruth Hartsfield of Gallup.

A picnic supper was served on the lawn. The guests enjoyed a visit in which they recalled many incidents of years and years ago. Those sharing the occasion with the honored guests, were: Messrs. and Mmes. Leslie Martin, I. L. Spratt, S. A. Lanning, Jr., Irvin Martin, Landis Feather, William Linell, Lewis Story, Joe Hamann, R. M. McDonald, Fred Cole and John Lanning, Mrs. C. Bert Smith and Mrs. Ealen Gage of Chico, Calif. Miss Charlene Martin had as her guests on this occasion John Hartsfield of Gallup and Bettyne Lanning and Landis Ed Feather.

### TENNIS CLUB SWIM PARTY

Mrs. Ralph A. Shugart drove to the Carlsbad beach Friday afternoon with a small group of girls, who are members of a Tennis Club. The tennis court was deserted for an afternoon swimming party, with the young Misses Delores Mayerhoffen, Barbara Wheatley, Peggy Linell and Jane Shugart of Artesia and Edith Sinclair of Marthas, Clara, Edith and John, of Caldwell, Kan., enjoying the occasion.

### LAWN PARTY HONORING MISS JUNE BROOKSHIRE

One of the delightful summer entertainments was a lawn party last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. W. T. Haldeman, honoring Miss June Brookshire of Roswell, sister of Mrs. Nevil Muncy, who was here visiting her sister and family.

A bountiful supply of steak and fried chicken was broiled and fried over the open fireplace on the beautiful back yard lawn. The young folks enjoyed dancing throughout the evening while the older group were entertained at card games. Iced melons were served at a late hour.

Guests were: Miss Brookshire, honoree; Miss Mamie Belle Terry, Vivian Haldeman and Billie Green and her house guest, Miss

Ilona Busby, of Roswell; Juanita Grube, Clyde Tidwell, J. H. Ansley, Gene Wehant, Jack Reid, Vance and Victor Haldeman and Sanders Terry and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Terry and Elmire; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Reynolds and Jerry and Miss La Vonia Pearman of Mexico, Mo., a niece and house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Funk, Mr. and Mrs. Nevil Muncy and Billie Jean; Mr. S. O. Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Haldeman and Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Van House and sons, Lawrence and Francis, and Leo Rowley, all of Emporia, Kan.

### SUPPER FOR VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. William Linell and children were hosts Saturday evening at a lawn supper, complimenting summer visitors, who were: Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Burks of Memphis, Tenn.; the Rev. and Mrs. John P. Sinclair and children, Martha, ICara, Edith and John, of Caldwell, Kan., and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jesse of Artesia.

### ABNORMIS SAPIENS CLUB

Mrs. J. J. Clarke entertained the Abnormis Sapiens Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon with two substituting guests, Mrs. Albert Glasser and Miss Catherine Clarke. At the close of the rounds of contract Mrs. Walter Nugent held high score. Other club members present were: Mmes. Beecher Rowan, Jeff Hightower, J. M. Story, and J. Hise Myers and the hostess. Mrs. Clarke served a refreshing ice course at the close of the afternoon.

### CHURCH SOCIETIES

#### Christian Association Honors Mrs. Walker

Mrs. Ila Walker was honored by members of the Christian Woman's Association at a regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Johnson last Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. Clarence Conner as co-hostess. During a social hour, Mrs. Walker was presented with a surprise stork shower, which included many lovely gifts.

Mrs. R. N. Kelly presided over the business meeting and was assisted by Mrs. Walter and Graham in the devotional period. An interesting Bible study lesson was conducted by Mrs. W. H. Ballard.

The hostesses served ice cream and cake to about forty guests at the close of the afternoon.

Methodist Missionary Society Mrs. A. P. Mahone and Mrs. Reed Brainard were hostesses to members of the Methodist Missionary Society at the home of Mrs. Mahone last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Brainard presided and Mrs. George Frisch, program chairman, was assisted by Mmes. John Rice, Nell Feemster and Pat Gromley in presenting the program on "Pioneers of Education in Brazil." This was a particularly interesting topic of discussion, as Miss Monta McFadin of the New Mexico conference, a teacher, is located at Porto Allegre. Mrs. J. H. Walker, in

charge of the meditation hour, used as her subject "We Shall Build on," which was presented in an impressive manner.

The hostesses served sandwiches and soda water.

Presbyterian Missionary Society The Presbyterian Missionary Society was entertained at the home of Mrs. Rex Wheatley last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Wheatley, secretary, presided in the absence of both president and vice president. The devotions were led by Mrs. Paul and an interesting program on China was in charge of Mrs. Fletcher Collins. Mrs. J. P. Sinclair of Caldwell, Kan., was a guest and spoke briefly. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

#### Presbyterian Aid Coffee

Mrs. W. R. Hornbaker and daughter, Miss Dawn, were hostesses Friday morning at a breakfast on their lovely lawn.

Bacon and eggs prepared over an open fireplace were served with cloverleaf rolls, fruits and hot drinks. Members of the Ladies Aid, "come-as-you-are" guests, were: Mmes. C. R. Vandagriff, Hugh Kiddy, Jesse Truett, Earl Ployhar, Ralph Shugart, Raymond Bartlett, Wallace Gates, Rex Wheatley, V. L. Gates and Albert Glasser and two visitors, Mrs. J. P. Sinclair and daughter, Martha, of Caldwell, Kan.

#### Nazarene Missionary Society

The work day program of the Nazarene Missionary Society was held at the church last Thursday afternoon with a good attendance of the membership.

Miss Opal Fryer led in the devotionals and gave a brief talk on mission work. The remainder of the afternoon was spent on quilts which are now being made by the women. The next meeting of the society will be at the home of Mrs. Fletcher Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Murphy, who spent the week end in Amarillo with Mrs. Murphy's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Perry, were called back to Amarillo early this morning on account of the condition of Mrs. Perry, who was injured in an automobile wreck more than two weeks ago.

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**LOCALS**

Lake Martin, Jr., of Clovis is here this week visiting his grandfather, D. S. Martin, and other relatives.

Mrs. J. F. Hull, sister of Mrs. R. L. Paris, left by train Monday morning for her home in Maryville, Mo., after visiting here and at Carlsbad ten days.

Mrs. Dave Bunting, proprietress of the Artesia Beauty Service, and her two daughters, Misses Maxine and Josayie, were here over the week end from their ranch home near Hope.

Dr. L. C. Boatman, osteopathic physician, and Mrs. Boatman of Santa Fe and Drs. H. S. Rouse and J. Paul Reynolds of Roswell were luncheon guests of Dr. Lura L. Hinshaw Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gaskins left Tuesday evening for a vacation in which they will visit relatives and friends in Hobbs, Midland, Tex., and other Texas points.

Wendell Welch and his sister, Miss Phoebe Welch, went to San Antonio the first of the week, a combined pleasure and business trip of several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Van S. Welch are the proud parents of a second son, born at St. Francis Hospital in Roswell Tuesday morning. Both mother and infant are doing nicely.

Mrs. R. G. Knoedler, Charles Mac and Frances and a niece, Miss Mary Lou McConnell, of La Harp, Ill., returned Saturday night from a visit with relatives in Illinois points.

Sam Williams underwent an operation for appendicitis Monday in a Carlsbad hospital. He was taken there Sunday. Mr. Williams is reported as doing nicely.

Mrs. W. E. Flint of Lovington is spending the week here at the T. H. Flint ranch and with friends. Mr. Flint drove over with Mrs. Flint Sunday and is this week in Las Cruces in conference at State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster and son, Eddie Joe, and Mrs. Florence Hastings and daughter, Miss Lia Hastings, returned Tuesday from a two-week vacation trip to the West Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Reynolds and small son and a niece, Miss La Vonia Pearman, of Pexico, Mo., were El Paso visitors Saturday. They drove over and returned the same day.

Miss June Brookshire, sister of Mrs. Nevil Muncy, returned to her home in Roswell Saturday, after spending last week with her sister and family. Miss Brookshire will teach in the Berenda school the coming year.

L. W. Whitcomb, son-in-law of S. S. Ward, expects to leave for his home in Groesbeck, Tex., after spending a week here visiting. Mr. Whitcomb, who suffered an injury to one of his knees about two years ago, is greatly improved, but not fully recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Otts and children returned home Saturday evening from an automobile trip of about 4,500 miles made in two and a half weeks. Leaving Artesia, they went first to Raton to attend the annual state convention of the American Legion. From there, they drove through Colorado, Utah and Nevada and to San Francisco, where Mr. Otts attended a jewelers' gift convention, at which he purchased a number of items for his store here. The return trip to Artesia included Los Angeles, the drive across Arizona and stops at Gallup and Albuquerque.

Mrs. Tex Polk and Mrs. H. A. Hamill returned home Friday from a trip to Colorado. They both spent two days at Greeley, Colo., where Mrs. Polk visited her sis-

ter, Mrs. J. F. Dougherty, and Mrs. Hamill visited a friend, a Mrs. Brown. Mrs. Polk was at market in Denver, buying for her torgery there, while Mrs. Hamill took a trip over the famous Fall River road.

Mr. and Mrs. George Frisch and the Pete Loving family had at their guests the first of the week Dr. and Mrs. Johann Meddermar of Salida, Colo. Mrs. Meddermar is a sister of Mrs. Frisch and an aunt of Mrs. Loving. The visitors were accompanied to the Cavern Tuesday by Mr. and Mrs. Loving and they left Wednesday morning for a vacation trip to California, going by way of Boulder Dam.

New Mexico for the second year achieved a 100 per cent enrollment in the National Student Forum on the Paris Pact during the school year 1937-38, according to the ninth annual report of work in international relations as done in American high schools. The state ranked third in the number of participating schools in the United States. California was in first place with 185, New York, second, with 170. Honors were given nine state schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Booker and two small sons are expected home the latter part of this week from Ponca City, where they have been visiting the last ten days. Mrs. J. T. Booker, mother of Glenn and Grady Booker, who spent the last month here with her two sons and their families, returned to her home in Ponca City with Mr. and Mrs. Booker and children.

J. J. Schnoor, accompanied by his daughter, Miss LaVerne, left by automobile Friday evening for Wichita, Kan., to visit Mr. Schnoor's brother, W. E. Schnoor, a former resident of Artesia. In Des Moines, Ia., Mr. Schnoor and daughter will attend a family reunion of the Schnoor family. They will visit county and state fairs in Iowa and also will have the privilege of visiting the broadcasting studio of WHO in Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith McCrary and three children of Tres Piedras arrived Saturday at the home of Mr. McCrary's parents, Judge and Mrs. G. U. McCrary. Monday morning, Mrs. Keith McCrary underwent a major operation at St. Francis Hospital in Carlsbad and is recovering nicely. Mr. McCrary has returned to his home. The children are with their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gormley and Patsy had as their guests this week Mr. Gormley's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Field and children, Saleta, Mary Alice and Jack, of Tulsa, Okla. The Field family are en route to Tulsa from their summer home at Deer River, Minn. A brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gormley and Mrs. Betty Ellege and son, Billie Mervin, of Kermit, Tex., are expected Friday to join the visitors in a trip to Carlsbad Caverns and a week end visit.

Carl Gordon was pleasantly surprised on his birthday Saturday by visits of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. White of Hobbs, Mrs. C. K. McLenathen and son, William, of Carlsbad and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sterrett and family of Dexter. He also received a number of gifts, as well as a letter of congratulations from Gov. Clyde Tingley.

Miss Ella Cavey of Denver, Colo., sister of Mrs. J. E. Petrun, is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Petrun, who drove Sunday to Las Vegas for her.

Mrs. H. A. Hamill and her sister, Miss Jean White, have as their guests over the week end their two sisters and a niece of El Paso, Mrs. R. J. Murray and daughter, June, and Mrs. S. A. Zumwalt.

**Cottonwood Items**  
(Ora Buck—Jessie Buck)

Jewel Elliott visited in the home of Esta Rogers last week end.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Taylor visited friends in Hagerman Sunday.  
Mrs. Larry Knoedler was in Carlsbad Tuesday last week.  
Mary Frances O'Bannon is vis-

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ACCORDING to the San Francisco Call, a young couple went camping in the Tuolumne country. They parked their car, which was equipped with an especially loud horn, beside a stream and started out on a hike. The door to the driver's seat was left open.

Pretty soon an inquisitive but, apparently, good-natured bear strolled along. He climbed into the front seat and began looking for something to eat. During the process, he accidentally parked his hind-quarters on the horn button. The wail that rent the air scared the poor old bear so badly, he jumped right out through the top of the car.

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iting in Beaumont, Tex.

Inez Jackson is visiting Lois Howard for a few days this week.

Mrs. C. R. Cline spent Tuesday with Mrs. D. A. Bradley.

Glenn Gadberry of Artesia was visiting on Cottonwood Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Lanes Bell and baby son visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. D. B. Mosier, Sunday.

Pete and Vernell Shipley of Artesia were visiting on Cottonwood Tuesday of last week.

Ike Keller of Artesia was on Cottonwood Tuesday of last week attending to business matters.

Mrs. Toby and Buster Cline made a business trip to the mountains last week.

Mrs. Ralph Pearson and son of Cottonwood were business visitors in Roswell Tuesday of last week.

Noah Buck was transacting business matters in Carlsbad last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas are on their trailer house at the Ralph Hersey farm.

Jimmie Buck was transacting business matters in the mountains Monday.

Miss Lois Bevins is at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bevins, of Cottonwood.

Mrs. D. A. Bradley was able to attend church services Saturday night.

Miss Juanita Burges, formerly of Cottonwood, is visiting relatives and friends in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Elliott were in Carlsbad Tuesday attending to business matters.

Little G. W. O'Bannon, who is ill in St. Francis Hospital in Carlsbad, is reported somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hendersom and family of Hagerman, formerly of Cottonwood, attended church.

services here Sunday night.

The Church of Christ revival meeting will start the first of September at the old Buck building at Lake Arthur.

The Lake Arthur school will open Aug. 29 with a census report indicating there will be an increase in attendance for the coming term.

A Mr. and Mrs. Cuby and daughter of Artesia were business visitors on Cottonwood Friday afternoon.

Mrs. A. V. Flowers and daughters were among the Lake Arthur and Roswell business visitors Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Clint Powell and Henry Hall were in Roswell on business and shopping Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Oscar Pearson and niece and a friend of Cottonwood left Saturday for Ruidoso, where they spent the week end.

The Rev. John Neal and the Rev. and Mrs. Barnett were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crook Sunday.

Mrs. John Buck, Esta Rogers and Inez Jackson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard and family Sunday.

The Rev. John Neal, who has been holding a revival meeting here, left for Turkey, Tex., where he will hold a revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schrier, who have been at Queen the last two months, moved Saturday to High Rolls, where he will be for

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The ladies of the Methodist Church at Lake Arthur served dinner at the Buck building Tuesday, it being election day, to get money for the new parsonage that has been built there.

The Cottonwood Women's Club will meet Sept. 1 at the home of Mrs. Brisco in Artesia. It will be an all day meeting. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

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**General News Briefs**

Chief R. D. Thorp of the Austin, Tex., police department believes a good automobile driver should be commended for driving carefully if bad ones are to be arrested. So he has asked traffic officers to report instances of careful driving in known dangerous spots. The chief writes the driver a personal letter—not a form one—telling him that his careful driving has been noted.

The jail "business" in Colorado has taken such a decline that three counties are thinking about abandoning their lockups. There hasn't been a prisoner in the Jackson and Summit County jails since 1935 and Custer County lockup hasn't had an inmate since 1937.

Out of the 1,903,000,000 acres of land in the United States, 1,054,000,000 acres are classified as farm lands. The allocated uses of farm lands, according to the census of 1935, were as follows: 415,334,931 acres in cultivation; 98,579,000 acres in plowable pasture; 311,225,000 in other pasture; 100,280,000 in woodland and wasteland. Surveys show approximately 100,000,000 acres, or one-tenth of all land in farms, is misused. There are 650,000 farmers trying to make a living from infertile, eroded or arid land.

Wall, S. Dak., which gets its name from its location on the edge of the great natural barrier, the South Dakota Bad Lands, is the only place in the United States where rattlesnakes are legal tender. Rattles are traded in at a number of Wall shops in payment for a 25 cent purchase. They are sold to zoos and collectors.

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**Official Returns of Democratic Primary, Tuesday, Aug. 2**

CANDIDATES	Artesia-6	Carlsbad-1-A	Carlsbad-1-B	Malaga-2-A	White City-2-B	Hop-3	Lakewood-4	Loving-5	Dayton-7	Queen-8-A	El Paso Gap-8-B	Olis-9	Cottonwood-10	Oilfield-11-A	Grayburg-11-B	TOTAL	PLURALITY
<b>For State Representative—</b>																	
MILTON R. SMITH	633	625	1010	80	42	160	45	205	41	16	11	116	65	23	47	3119	
<b>For Sheriff—</b>																	
HOWELL GAGE	542	843	883	154	44	198	36	295	92	13	4	169	89	2	4	3368	1206
FRED HILL	656	345	512	61	17	61	61	146	43	6	11	82	59	45	57	2162	
<b>For County Clerk—</b>																	
MRS. RUDE A. WILCOX	734	508	656	106	29	139	63	191	90	10	5	80	81	28	47	2767	597
ELMER M. PERRY	346	459	710	96	27	108	27	170	14	9	10	132	36	16	10	2170	
<b>For Tax Assessor—</b>																	
MRS. RICHARD H. WESTAWAY	826	671	1094	91	43	210	67	202	59	13	16	127	82	28	50	3579	
<b>For County Treasurer—</b>																	
H. F. CHRISTIAN	755	628	1079	86	45	198	56	205	50	14	13	120	72	27	50	3398	
<b>For County School Superintendent—</b>																	
R. N. THOMAS	738	334	601	51	24	139	79	261	59	16	12	173	103	22	50	2662	1370
MRS. BURL SEARS	238	404	464	22	13	22	7	35	30	1	5	21	19	5	6	1292	
N. M. CAMPBELL	148	315	322	130	26	96	9	125	30	2	0	52	11	22	4	1292	
<b>For Probate Judge—</b>																	
B. F. MONTGOMERY	772	639	1095	93	42	199	58	208	47	14	16	127	86	29	50	3475	
<b>For Surveyor—</b>																	
JOHN W. LEWIS, JR.	692	581	991	77	42	183	53	185	41	14	15	107	72	28	45	3126	
<b>For Commissioner, District 1—</b>																	
MARVIN LIVINGSTON	80	141	140	19	6	76	3	21	5	1	2	7	12	3	0	516	
W. T. MURRAY	55	139	296	47	13	26	30	141	3	4	0	43	16	12	0	825	
CHARLES F. MONTGOMERY	304	365	470	38	28	78	6	80	38	4	5	85	66	10	53	1620	531
W. H. MERCHANT, JR.	189	138	219	8	6	15	9	62	6	4	0	20	9	2	5	692	
ERNEST SHAFER	319	204	262	61	3	36	43	25	50	6	10	34	14	21	1	1089	
<b>For Commissioner, District 2—</b>																	
JESS FUNK	780	452	836	75	33	192	58	148	46	13	13	101	95	21	39	2902	
<b>For Commissioner, District 3—</b>																	
TROY (Pete) CAVINESS	376	366	579	97	22	82	31	249	21	2	3	63	37	20	11	1959	62
W. A. FOREHAND	300	369	594	81	30	101	21	128	30	16	11	139	32	12	33	1897	
<b>For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 6—</b>																	
W. H. BALLARD	623															623	204
GEO. W. JOHNSON	419															419	
<b>For Constable, Precinct 6—</b>																	
MILLER AMMONS	440															440	
J. C. FLOORE	598															598	158
<b>For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1—</b>																	
V. O. McCOLLUM, SR.	353	719														1072	
CHARLES M. NEELEY	565	591														1156	84
<b>For Constable, Precinct 1—</b>																	
J. A. (BABE) CAMPBELL	549	930														1479	
<b>For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 3—</b>																	
JOHN TEEL					130											130	63
C. G. PRUDE					67											67	
<b>For Constable, Precinct 3—</b>																	
WILL KELLER					114											114	
W. W. (WINK) HARDEN					135											135	21
<b>For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 5—</b>																	
J. B. STAMPS						178										178	
JACK J. ELLIOTT						221										221	43
<b>For Constable, Precinct 5—</b>																	
GORDON CUMMINGS						98										98	
ELMER YARBRO						280										280	182

**El Abogado**

De Los Mexicanos

Por Constantino Gonzales

**Interes Todos Residen**

De interes para todos los que residen en los Estados Unidos y que han nacido en Mexico u otro pais, es el saber que no pueden obtener ayuda del gobierno en lo que se refiere a conseguir empleo del gobierno para sostener a sus familias, sin tomar los pasos necesarios para adquirir la Ciudadania Americana. Me han suplicado que por medio de esta informacion haga constar esto mismo afin de evitar demoras y trastornos los que no son necesarios si se tiene en cuenta las reglas que ordena la ley.

Todos aquellos que quieran conseguir ayuda del WPA si son nacidos en otro pais, pueden obtener empleo con que sostener a sus familias pero antes deben solicitar la Ciudadania Americana haciendo aplicacion para los primeros papeles. Lo primero que tienen que hacer es ir a la Casa Corte y solicitar del Sr. Secretario o Clerk los blancos para solicitar los primeros papeles. Una vez obtenidos esos blancos tiene que llenarlos Vd. Mismo o busque una persona que se lo haga, previa cierta gratificacion. Luego tiene que sacarse dos retratos en la fotografia del Sr. Wilmer Tarbet en Artesia, pues el sabe como tienen que ser. No sirven toda clase de retratos pero los que el gobierno indica. Cuando ya tenga el blanco lleno y los dos retratos necesita hacer un giro de \$2.50 y junto con los blancos y los retratos mandar este giro a la direccion siguiente:

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Immigration and Citizenship Service, North Oregon and San Antonio St., El Paso, Texas.

En este lugar miran si lo que Vd. dice marcha de acuerdo con los registros que tiene el gobierno archivados referente a cuando Vd. vino a los U. S. A. y si esta bien mandan su aplicacion a Washington D. C. y si en Washington creen que su caso debe tomarse en consideracion ellos mandan a la Casa Corte los blancos para que Vd. haga la intencion de su declaracion y cuando haya hecho la intencion de la declaracion puede presentarse para solicitar trabajo con el que pueda sostener a su familia que es nacida aqui en U. S. A.

Algunas personas se disgustan porque creen que los Oficiales del Gobierno no les quieren ayudar en su situacion. Es necesario cumplir con la ley y si ellos no hacen lo que se les ordena pierden el empleo y son multados. Si todavia esto no es lo bastante claro puede

venir verme que con sumo gusto le dire lo que tiene que hacer o puede ver a cualquiera de los empleados del W. P. A. o al Sr. Wilcox quien es el Clerk de la Casa Crote en Carlsbad y ellos le diran lo que tiene que hacer. Vera que es muy facil.

Ahora deben considerar los que viven en los Estados Unidos que tienen aqui sus familias y que esta tierra hospitalaria les abrio los brazos para recibirlos. Aqui han adquirido familia y los hijos han crecido como hijos de esta gran nacion y amas de esto deben considerar los que ya son avanzados en dias que sus fuerzas fueron dadas aqui y que el tiempo en que puedan recibir ayuda social se acerca para lo cual se necesita la Ciudadania. Si aun no sabe Ingles procure estudiar alguna que otra palabra cada dia pues se have necesario saber algo de Ingles para adquirir la ciudadania. Hay muchas razones que si Vd. se pone a considerar le constriñen a que Vd. por amor este pais adquiera su ciudadania para ser un fiel hijo e hijo y vivir aqui donde estan sus hijos y donde ha trabajado ya tanto tiempo. Mire Vd. al Gobierno que tan hospitalariamente le recibio, y quiere ayudarle pero hay que cumplir con los requisitos de la ley.

**Perdio su Mano Cu Carlsbad**  
Guillermo Muniz, arrollado por un carro del tren mientras trabajaba en el trac de la ca. Santa Fe. Ayer al medio dia y a la hora de comer se hallaban los trabajadores del ferrocarril Santa Fe reunidos esperando la hora para comenzar a trabajar cuando un carro del tren detenido en la Estacion de Carlsbad fue empujado por una locomotora que estaba haciendo cortes. Con tal fuerza fue empujado el carro que salio de los limites y fue hasta donde estaban distraidos. Los demas trabajadores tuvieron tiempo de abandonar el trac antes de ser arrollados porque estaban sentados en la orilla pero el Sr. Guillermo Muniz estaba sentado en el medio del track no dandole tiempo para escapar y fue alcanzado por el carro que lo golpéo en la espalda cortandole una mano que instintivamente Muniz puso en el rail al ser golpeado por detras con el carro que le vino arriba. Paso el carro sobre el Sr. Muniz despues de haberle cortado la mano dejandolo tendido en el suelo. Fue llevado al hospital Catolico de la ciudad donde se le da asistencia medica.

Tiene el Sr. Guillermo Muniz su esposa y 6 hijos que dependen de el para su sustento por lo que esperan los Mexicanos que este caso sea considerado y al Sr. Muniz se le de la compensacion debida ya que queda inutil para el trabajo faltandole una mano. Lamentamos mucho lo ocurrido a la familia Muniz y esperamos que justamente sea reparado en su dano que ha recibido mientras se hallaba en el cumplimiento de su trabajo.

**De Interes Para Todos**  
**Los Catolicos**  
Dos Hermanitas Catolicas, se hallan en la Iglesia Catolica de San Antonio, dando instruccion a las personas mayores todos los Lunas, Miercoles y Viernes a las 7:30 de la noche. No dejen de asistir porque les conviene mucho a los padres para que ellos puefan

ser los maestros que ensenen a sus hijos.

La Misa para los Mexicanos es todos los Domingos a las 9 de la mañana y se espera que todos los padres esten presentes acompañados de sus hijos. Para que los hijos sean religiosos necesitan serlo primero los padres.

**Matrimonio Catolico**  
El Sr. Jesus Valdez va a contraer matrimonio con la srta. Toribia Catono. Los dos viven aqui en Artesia y el matrimonio sera celebrado en la Iglesia Catolica de San Antonio el Domingo a las 8 a. m. No lo olviden para que vengan a la boda.

**Bautizo De Parvulo**  
Tambien el proximo Domingo sera bautizado en la Iglesia San Antonio de Artesia, el niño Ismael Lara, hijo del Sr. Carlos Lara y su esposa Ines G. de Lara. Los padrinos seran el joven Jesus Almanza y la Srta. Lola Almanza.

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**A Los Que Manejan Carros**  
Les interesa saber que el dia primero de Septiembre sera dia de inspeccion gratis para todos los que tienen carro. Los agentes del trafico en el estado de New Mexico estaran en Artesia para examinar si las brechas y las luces del carro estan en buena condicon. Si hay algun defecto en su carro se lo diran dandole una nota para que por cada al arreglo y asi evite accidentes que casi siempre ocurren cuando las brechas o las luces no estan bien ajustadas. Para evitar graves consecuencias este listo con carro afin de pasar la inspeccion. Los inspectores estaran en Artesia con los instrumentos en una de las calles mas centricas de Artesia.

En tener su carro bien ajustado y en buenas condiciones Vr. proteje su vida y la de otros. Se sabe que nadie quiere pasar por ratos desagradables y sin embargo muchos pasan por esos momentos tristes por no haber tenido la precaucion de ponerse dentro de los limites de la ley.

Es necesario evitar accidentes en el trafico y en la via publica y la unica manera practica es que los que manejan carros, lo hagan con cuidado y con el auto en buenas condiciones. No deje de cooperar con los agentes de seguridad para que no tengamos tantos accidentes en los caminos como sucede en otros estados. New Mexico es uno de los Estados donde menos muerter hay por accidentes de automovil y es necesario que conservemos ese record tratando de tener nuestros carros al dia.

**Los Que Se Casan**  
Dos muy distinguidas parejas de Artesia se casaron la semana pasada segun el record de la Casa Corte del condado de Eddy. Son Ellos Catarino Licon y Eufacia Espinosa; Estanislado Marquez y

**Mountain Chant of Navajos Is to Be Revived at Fair**

White Man Will See Weird Ritual For First Time Aug. 16-18

For the first time in history, a white audience will see the full and complete rites and dances of the most sacred of all Navajo ceremonies, the "Male Mountain Chant." In inaugurating the first annual Navajo Tribal Fair, at Window Rock, Ariz., Sept. 16-18, the white guests, as well as many thousands of Navajos, will witness the solemn and beautiful sacred ceremonial as it has not been seen for more than forty years.

White visitors to the Navajo Tribal Fair will see the last three nights of the weird "Mountain Chant," which will have been in progress for six days and nights. After consultation with one of the few Navajo medicine men who could conduct the ceremonial in all its primitive beauty and procedure, it was found that a very few old men still remembered these "acts." When contacted by these who desired the full ceremonial, they gladly acquiesced, and were happy to assist in their revival. Their only stipulation was that the full nine days of the ceremonial must be held and that all rules of ritual procedure as well as taboo should

be strictly adhered to. This was agreed to and therefore, six days before the fair opens Navajo medicine men will be "singing" over two patients at the ceremonial house especially prepared for the "Mountain Chant." Special accommodations are to be provided by the fair committee to handle a large number of campers. The new fairgrounds, built by Indian CCC labor, are modern in every respect.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Murphy spent the week end in Amarillo, visiting Mrs. Murphy's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Perry. Mrs. Perry is slowly recovering from a serious injury sustained in an automobile accident about two weeks ago. The Perrys are former residents of Artesia.

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**HARP, MUSIC DIRECTOR, RETURNS FROM THE EAST**

E. L. Harp, director of music in Artesia schools, and Mrs. Harp returned Friday from New York City, where Harp attended a seven-week summer course at the Guildard School of Music.

While there he studied band work and got many new ideas in directing and band maneuvering. He brought back many pieces of new band music.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hise Myers enjoyed a visit from their son, Dr. Robert Myers, of Baltimore, Md., from last Thursday until Saturday. Dr. Myers, a bacteriologist, was en route by train to San Francisco to attend a convention of the American Association of Bacteriology, which will convene in the Coast city next week.

G. A. Feather, brother of Landis Feather, came over from his home in Las Cruces the latter part of last week for a brief visit with the Feather family and to attend to business matters. Billy Feather, who had been visiting in the home of his uncle in Las Cruces for several weeks, returned home, making the trip with Mr. Feather.

Miss Florine Muncy and Miss Margaret McCrory, who have been attending summer school at Normal University in Las Vegas, returned home the first of the week.

## Text of the Governor's Talk

The following is the complete text of the message of Gov. Clyde Tingley to the Thirteenth Legislature of New Mexico in extraordinary session, as delivered in joint session of the Senate and House of Representatives Monday, Aug. 22.

I have called you in special session, in order that you may consider and pass such emergency laws as will meet the present emergency now confronting the state.

My call for the special session has, under the provisions of the Constitution, limited the objects for your consideration to the framing and passage of a state wide primary law, the amendment of present election laws so as to give effect to your labors, the making of such appropriation as you may find needed for the holding of such primary election, and the payment of the expenses of the special session.

Both the Senate and House of Representatives are overwhelmingly Democratic. The platform pledges of the Democratic party have in the past repeatedly committed those elected to office by that party to the enactment of a workable primary law. Men of other parties are likewise vitally interested and are as much entitled to the benefits of such a law as are those of the majority party.

For years the citizens of this state have resented the method of choosing candidates for public office which has prevailed in this state. The individual has had little, if anything, to say about who should become the candidate of the particular party.

With mob caucuses, contests, walkouts, instructed delegations, unit rules, and all the outworn machinery of political control, under the domination of a few self-appointed leaders, the rank and file of the voters of this state have had small choice in making nominations.

Candidates have been chosen by a few persons who have not taken the mass of the voters into their confidence, and conventions have been controlled and nominations made by these methods. The people of New Mexico have reached a point where they will no longer submit to being practically disfranchised. In every county they are protesting and the volume of their protests has grown so large that it would be unfair and unwise to disregard it.

It may be said that a primary election law will work in favor of the rich against the poor candidate. Exactly the opposite is true. Any candidate who has ever run for a state office in New Mexico knows that he could make the race and go into every county in the state to meet the people for less money than he is called upon to contribute, either directly or through his friends, under the present system. Other states which have workable primary laws have found it to be true that any citizen who desires to become a candidate for public office can make the race in the primary much cheaper than he could under the convention system.

Not only in the matter of expense is a primary law desirable, but, also, in the matter of giving the people a free hand in choosing their own servants. If the people of New Mexico desire any particular man or woman for any office, they ought to have the right to nominate them without seeking the consent or the assistance of professional politicians, whose interests may be against that of the mass of the people. All political power resides in the hands of the people under our Constitution, and it is a mockery to deny them the right to use it.

In your deliberations you will have before you the primary laws of several neighbor states which must be so amended and modified as to be workable under the conditions which prevail in New Mexico. Here we have citizens both of the Spanish and Anglo Saxon stock. While most of our citizens read and write the English language with ease, we have some who prefer to use the Spanish language. We have dwelt together in peace in this state and we must continue to

do so. We must not enact any law which will discriminate against either element of our people. In drafting your bill for a primary law I urge you to be most careful to see that every citizen in every county in this state, no matter how humble he may be, shall have his rights and his franchise fully protected and safeguarded in every fair and reasonable way.

You, of course, are fully aware that in some of the counties of our state primaries in which the voters have had a secret and a fair ballot and a fair count have been long held by custom and usage. In several of these counties nominations for county offices have already been made. It is my personal belief that in any law you prepare these nominations should be respected and not molested.

So far as state and national offices are concerned, there is yet ample time to hold a primary and let the people select the candidates of the different parties at the ballot box. We have two and one-half months, which is certainly time enough for candidates who aspire to these offices to announce and let the voters pass on their claims directly at the box.

No doubt an effort will be made by those whose interest is opposed to a primary law to prevent such legislation as you may pass from becoming effective immediately by the use of the emergency clause.

These people will pretend to be the friends of the common voters, but will be earnestly desirous of preventing those voters having the right to vote for the nomination of a candidate. They will offer all sorts of excuses and substitutes. They will probably ask you to confine the primaries to the election of party delegates to the nominating conventions for county, district and state, in which conventions the same old methods will appear with the same old results.

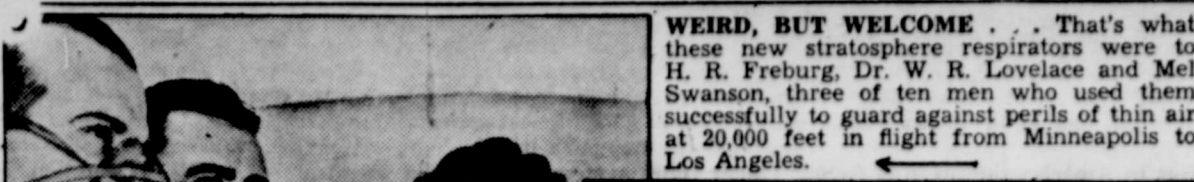
It is my opinion that unless you make such legislation as you may frame immediately available for the political relief of the people by the emergency clause, you will find that through one method or another, the people of this state will be cheated out of their only chance to take control of their own government and all of your labor will have been in vain.

If the primary law is necessary, it is necessary now. If the prospective candidates are the choice of the people, they will be victorious at the primary election; if they are not the choice of the people, they ought to be defeated. No man and no set of men can be superior to the party which has placed him in office, and no party is big enough, or great enough, to disregard the desires and the demands of the voters of New Mexico for a state wide, fair and workable primary law, to become effective not at some distant day but immediately.

### Filed for Record

**WARRANTY DEEDS—**  
Frank E Miller to L. A. Delouche, \$350, lot 3, blk. 4, Roselawn Add., Artesia.  
Ruth Anna VanKirk, et vir to Helen Place, \$10, lot 8, blk. 101, Stevens Second Add., Carlsbad.  
Barber Nell Hoover, et vir to J. A. Byard, et ux, \$1,200, center 50 feet lots 12-14, blk. 31, Stevens Add., Carlsbad.  
Carlsbad B. & L. to L. J. Campbell, \$10, lots 11-13, blk. 60, Lowe Add., Carlsbad.  
City of Carlsbad to W. H. Hemler, \$10, lot 2, blk. 3, Cemetery.  
Ysabel Navarette, et vir to Mary Chivarrria, \$10, S 1/2 lot 6, blk. 54, Stevens Add., Carlsbad.  
Security State Bank to Gail S. Bell, \$10, W 1/2 SE 1/4, S 1/2 SW 1/4, sec. 3; SE 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 4; E 1/4 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 9; N 1/2 NW 1/4, SW 1/4 NW 1/4, NW 1/4 SW 1/4, NE 1/4 sec. 10; W 1/2 and NE 1/4 sec. 11; all sec. 24-21-28.  
Nellie M. Olden to A. W. Wilde, \$850, lot 5, blk. 34, Artesia Imp. Co. Add., Artesia.

**TAX DEEDS—**  
State Tax Commission to Frances Hill, \$50, S 56 feet of blk. 11, Blair Add., Artesia.



**WEIRD, BUT WELCOME . . .** That's what these new stratosphere respirators were to H. R. Freiburg, Dr. W. R. Lovelace and Mel Swanson, three of ten men who used them successfully to guard against perils of thin air at 20,000 feet in flight from Minneapolis to Los Angeles.



**CHINESE HEROINE VISITS U. S.** . . . One of eight Chinese delegates to World Youth Congress in New York, Miss Wang Hui-min, who gained world fame last November by carrying flag under fire to "Doomed Battalion" in Chapel, will tour America to seek relief funds for civilian victims of Japanese invasion.



**GOVERNOR BRAVES ASSASSIN . . .** Fifteen shots were fired at him, one passing through his trouser leg, but Gov. Blanton Winship (arrow) of Puerto Rico returned to reviewing stand for Occupation Day parade at Ponce. Note gun in hand of guard at left.



**IDOLIZE THEIR "CHAMP"** Seattle, Wash., youngsters lost no time seeking autographs from their neighbor, Al Hostak, whose one-round knockout of Freddie Steele in coast city won world's middleweight boxing championship.



**EVERGLADES "RESCUE SHIP"** . . . Test runs proved aluminum "alligator" built by Donald Roebbling of Clearwater, Fla., for hunting lost persons in Everglades, solved terrors of treacherous terrain. Sturdy, lightweight, tractor-like machine was found equally at home on land or water.

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State Tax Commission to J. B. Muncy, \$90, W 1/2 SE 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, 24-19-26.  
Clyde C. Cox, Divorce.  
Big Jo Lumber Co. vs. Roy S. Lowe, et ux lien \$444.70, E. 70 acres of E 1/2 NW 1/4 13-17-25.  
No. 6675. Billie M. Ballard, et al vs. Ida Mellard Elliott, et al. Suit to quiet title, SW 1/4 sec. 26; NE 1/4, S 1/2 35-17-21.

At meeting in Carlsbad Monday, it was decided to continue the annual Cavern City Cavalcade next July 4. There had been some talk of discontinuing the event, which draws thousands there each year.

Les J. Mahoney, assistant police chief of Gallup, was elected president of the New Mexico sheriffs' and police chiefs' association at the close of the annual convention at Gallup Tuesday. He succeeded Sheriff J. R. Hughes of Clayton. The convention selected Silver City for next year's convention and adopted a resolution advocating extension of the civil service laws to all state officers. Sheriff B. Vintana of Santa Fe was elected vice president of the association; John W. Messick of Raton, secretary, and L. D. Parker of Roswell, treasurer.

**QUIT CLAIM DEEDS—**  
J. Elton Rogers to Richard T. Schenck, \$1, S 1/2 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 11; N 1/2 NE 1/4 and NE 1/4 NW 1/4 14-19-26.  
Chas. Rogers, et al to Richard T. Schenck, et ux, \$1, S 1/2 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 11; N 1/2 NE 1/4 and NE 1/4 NW 1/4 14-19-26.  
Silas Dudley Rogers to Richard T. Schenck S 1/2 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 11; N 1/2 NW 1/4 and NE 1/4 SW 1/4 14-19-26.  
Silas Dudley Rogers to Cora Rogers, lots 9 and 11, blk. 41, Artesia Imp. Co., Artesia, \$1.  
Charles Rogers, et al to Cora Rogers, \$1, lots 9-11, blk. 41, Artesia Imp. Co., Artesia.  
J. Elton Rogers to Cora Rogers, lots 9-11, blk. 41, Artesia Imp. Co., Artesia, \$1.  
Mrs. Jenny Teel Richards, Pearl Teel Wilson, John W. Teel, et ux, et al, the heirs of Frank M. Teel to George S. Teel, \$1, N 1/2 21-17-21 and W. R.  
E. T. Carter, et ux to Mrs. Lillian Elliot, lots 2-4-6-8-10-12, blk. 12, Loving, \$10.

**SPECIAL MASTER'S DEED—**  
Mabel Sands, S. M., to C. R. Brice and L. T. Lewis, \$13,011.12, lots 13-14-15-16, sec. 6; SE 1/4 sec. 6; N 1/2 NE 1/4 and NE 1/4 NW 1/4 7-16-26.

**ASSIGNMENT OF PERMIT—**  
H. J. Heartwell to Patton Bros., \$10, Las Cruces, Permits No. 02805, No. 026784, No. 043894.

**ASSIGNMENT O. & G. LEASE—**  
E. M. Thomason, et ux to John Zwaska, \$1, SW 1/4 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 1-22-27.

**DISTRICT COURT—**  
No. 6772. Bennie Juarez vs. Beatrice Juarez. Divorce.  
No. 6773. Lorene M. Cox vs. president of the association; John W. Messick of Raton, secretary, and L. D. Parker of Roswell, treasurer.

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Mrs. E. H. Mathews and daughter, Nelle, of Zanesville, Ohio, have been guests during August of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Matteson, brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Mathews. Mr. and Mrs. Matteson and the Ohio people returned Tuesday from a motor trip to Phoenix, Ariz., where they spent a week with Edd Matteson, another brother, and family. On the return trip they visited Ruidoso, El Paso, Juarez, Cassa Grande ruins, Grand Canyon, the Navajo Indian reservation, Painted Desert, Petrified Forest and Cloudcroft. Mrs. Mathews and daughter will start back to Ohio Monday. O. S. Matteson will accompany them to spend several weeks visiting his childhood home, relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. S. Williams and T. S. Cox drove up to Ruidoso Tuesday for a visit of several days with Mrs. Nancy Eipper at the Eipper cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff had as their over night guests Monday, Mrs. Mae Lindhorst and daughter, Vide; Miss Estelene Smith of Chandler, Okla., and Miss Gladys Cox of Wewoka, Okla. The visitors were en route to the Caverns.

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# Artesia Rotarian's Address Is Packed With True Americanism

(When D. I. Clowe, secretary of the Artesia Rotary Club, was invited some weeks ago to deliver one of the addresses at a district assembly of the organization, he accepted, rolled up his sleeves and went to work on it. He read, he searched, he counseled with others and he compiled a wealth of data and information which he wove into his talk.

That talk was delivered at Mountair, N. Mex., on Aug. 9. It met with acclaim from his fellow Rotarians, so much so the assembly voted to publish it in folder form for the benefit of every Rotarian in the district. The assembly likewise voted to submit the address to The Rotarian, monthly publication of Rotary International.

Prior to delivering the address at Mountair, Mr. Clowe "tried it out" on the Artesia Rotary Club, the members of which were enthusiastic about it. But Mr. Clowe, having rehearsed it before an audience, was not entirely satisfied. He therefore rewrote it for delivery at Mountair.

The address in its final form is published herewith in hopes that every man, woman and school child in and near Artesia will read it and learn the splendid facts about America and Americanism which it contains.—Editor.)

## We Live in America

By D. I. Clowe

How do we live in America? We live in America as good Americans and as Rotarians. Among our objects of Rotary we are supposed to encourage and foster: "The ideal of service as the basis of all worthy enterprise, high ethical standards in business and professions, the application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian to his personal, business and community life, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying by each Rotarian of his occupation as an opportunity to serve society."

Therefore as business and professional men we are, or should be, useful members of society, rendering a distinct and honorable service to our communities, state and nation.

But do the people of our community regard us as such? There are some that do. But I am of the opinion that the masses do not. There are large numbers of our population today that believe us to be no better than cut-throats and robbers, oppressing those who are forced to do business with us, through exorbitant selling prices, low wages to our employees and that we are tax evaders, even going to the extreme of falsifying our records and concealing assets to avoid taxation. We who have been busy in the professions and business for years, who have fought the good fight, know this to be "tommyrot." We know the dishonorable, unethical business or professional man is the exception and not the rule.

While we have been busy, trying our level best to render a useful service to society, there has grown up and spread propaganda calculated to make the impression that the very business and professional men, who pay the bulk of the taxes to support our government, are at a great discount; that we are enemies of society; that the man who has given up, laid down on the job, if you please, and taken the attitude that the government should and would take care of him—he is the martyr; he is the hero.

Who is responsible for this attitude? I would say in a large measure we are. I would say that by laying down on the job, taking an apologetic attitude, and permitting the professional politician to take over the running of our government, we have erred grievously. A professional politician can thrive only on votes. The professional politician of today most decidedly does not depend upon statesmanship for votes, but rather upon class hatreds. He has found it a sure means of gaining applause and votes to attack and belittle capital and employers until today no small number of our people believe that a man or an organization that has earned and saved any considerable amount of wealth are bound to have amassed it through dishonest means.

Now going a little farther, not only has our American system of business been attacked but also our American system of government. There are those who are constantly trying, both from without and from within, to make changes in our American system of government, not through any constructive thinking on their own part, but by borrowing very dangerous ideas and theories from foreign nations where they have not even as yet had time to find out whether or not they are applicable to the countries in which they are being used, let alone free America. I have no objection whatever to the

Russian form of government or business for Russians, the Italian form of government or business for Italians, the German form of government or business for Germany, the Japanese form of government or business for Japan, if they prefer it—but I do object and object strenuously to the attempting to borrow from any of their systems of government or business and trying to shove them down the throats of free Americans, where the standards of living are the highest of any nation on earth, and where we will continue to lead if we do not lay down on the job.

The professional man may say, "But how does all this affect me?" We'll take you men in the educational profession. I get tired of hearing you get up and apologizing for the weaknesses of our educational system. I hear you state that you are not accomplishing this, that and the other thing. I would like to hear you get up and analyze the American system of public education and compare it even with Germany, where we heard so much a few years ago about culture. We lead the world in public education and this can readily be proven to your satisfaction if you will take the trouble to do a little research work.

Now take you men in the clergy. If there is any place on earth where we do positively outrank other nations it is in your field. But in spite of the talk of the failure of the church, you do not seem to apologize for your profession. Compare our religious freedom with any nation and we will stand out like the sun in New Mexico on a clear August day.

To you men in the legal profession I would state that it is a provable fact that in no other country can justice be obtained by both rich and poor as in our judiciary in free America.

The American legal system furnishes greater protection to individual rights than any other legal system in the world, and, at the same time, affords more individual freedom than can be enjoyed in any other country.

Our government is a government of laws and not men. They apply alike to every class, race, creed and condition of men, with the granting of special privileges prohibited.

Any American citizen of proper age is eligible to become a member of our law making bodies. Every American boy or girl who has the will and the ability to do so, has the right and privilege to enter the legal profession, and this right is subject only to the greater consideration of the public's right to be protected from those not qualified.

Our supreme court, in protecting the rights of American citizens, will nullify an act of Congress that infringes upon, or destroys, individual rights. When the NRA was declared unconstitutional, most European countries were greatly impressed that our court had the power to nullify such a far-reaching governmental experiment simply because it interfered with individual rights.

There are other ways in which the American legal system goes farther in protecting the freedom of the individual, but these are the more important ones. We Americans have become so accustomed to the liberties and freedoms which we enjoy, that we are prone to accept them without ever giving a thought to their terrific cost. Every American citizen should read the Constitution of the United States, and particularly the amendments, frequently so that he will not lose sight of the magnificent conception of freedom and individual rights which were demanded, fought for and won by our Pilgrim ancestors.

To you men in the medical and surgical professions: How about comparing your lot and that of your patients with those of doctors and patients in those countries experimenting with state medicine and surgery? We all admit that it is highly desirable that some system be devised to provide medical and surgical care for the indigent, yet it is not desirable for the masses. You also know that this system should be devised by your own profession and not devised and crammed down your throats by politicians.

To you men in the newspaper profession: The American newspaper system is the best in the world. The methods of news gathering and the speed of compilation far exceed in America those of other countries. In fact, American correspondents throughout the world lead in covering world events. Then, too, the American style of writing and newspaper make-up has advanced more rapidly than in any other country, making it possible today for you or me to pick up our favorite publication and have a conversational knowledge of its contents inside of a few minutes. Not so elsewhere, for only America has kept "pace of the times with the press."

But the most important thing—for which we can all be thankful—is the freedom of the American press. Except for periodicals in the British Empire and other so-called "liberal" countries, the for-

eign press is hampered by censorship, the state obligation of preaching "isms" and the lack of freedom of speech. Even in the "liberal" countries, the press is somewhat hampered in these respects.

But in America the press is free to report what has happened, just as it happened, from a strictly news standpoint. Or it may be editorial comment on what has happened or may be expected to happen, irrespective of the person or persons affected.

Well, what can we do about it all? In the first place we can quit apologizing for our government, our business and our professions. In the second place we can tell that our systems are best and why. In the third place we can take our rightful places and perform our duties in the field of politics. I know that we as Rotarians do not believe in nor do we permit political discussions in our clubs. But Maurice Dupery in his address, "Around the World with Rotary," stated that if a man would be a great internationalist he must necessarily first be a good nationalist and loyal his government, business and professions. It is high time that every Rotarian get busy, as an individual citizen, and attend the conventions of his particular political faith, dust off the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States and re-dedicate himself to the American system of government, business and professions and demand that his party does not throw overboard these American principles and borrow foreign ideas unsuited for free America instead.

How many of you have in the past few years attended a precinct, county or state convention of the particular political party of your faith? If you don't get in there and help run your party, remember there is always somebody less competent eagerly waiting for the chance.

If conditions change to the extent that we deem it necessary to amend our form of government let us see that it is done in an orderly fashion and after just and due consideration. Emerson stated in substance, "I would rather listen to the voice of centuries than the haste of minutes." I do not believe any conditions might arise that would justify haste in amending our constitution, our system of government, business or professions. After all these years of trial, they have, even as sick a nation as we believe ourselves to be today, built the best system of government, the best business system, the best professional systems, the best labor system, the highest standard of living, the best clothed, housed, fed and entertained people the world has ever known in any age.

And why are they the best? I believe that it is because our forefathers back in 1776 drew up a Declaration of Independence, stating: "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights, that among these are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. That to secure these rights governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed, that whenever any form of government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the right of the people to alter or abolish it, and to institute new government, laying its foundation on such principles and organizing its powers in such form as to them shall seem most likely to effect their safety and happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that government should not be changed for light and transient causes, etc."

To me, this is the meat of the document and our Constitution and government are patterned after these principles. Ever since the birth of our nation, our citizenry have jealously guarded these principles and have not changed our government for "light and transient causes." It is to be desired most earnestly they never will.

This form of government has paved the way for our American system of business. What is the American system of business? It is a strictly American-made product, designed to meet the needs of a nation of 129 million people. It has stood the test of 150 years of trial and experiment under changing conditions. During that time it has created more wealth and distributed it more widely than any other system in the world.

What are the outstanding attributes which account for its superiority, its success? Take for instance the office boy stepping up to the desk to hand a paper to the president of a large corporation. Thirty years prior, the president was the office boy. Thirty years hence the office boy may be the president. Nine out of ten men at the top of the steel industry worked their way up from the bottom.

This is the American system. It gives everybody a chance, if he has the ability and the energy. There are no barriers of caste or class to block the upward climb of the "forty-five million men and women, their sons and daughters, who work in America. Their paths are not laid out by governmental decree. They are not confronted with the barbed wire barriers created by other systems. The measure of their success is not WHAT

THEY ARE but WHAT THEY DO. They are not shackled to any family trade or any fixed occupation. They can strike out in any direction in any field of effort they choose. The highest reward is theirs—if they earn it.

Under our system the public votes the success or failure of any business. You vote whether any particular manufacturer or retailer is to stay in business or pass out, simply by placing your money on the counter and buying this and rejecting that. No business enterprise succeeds without our approval expressed by our patronage. We vote thousands of our retailers out of business each year. We voted 200 makes of automobiles out in the past thirty years. This is drastic, but this way lies reward for ability.

The American system is based on teamwork. The manager, laborer and inventor pull together because they know that is the best way to get ahead. It enables the manager to open new and wider fields of enterprise, build new industries, provide more employment. It enables the worker to produce more, earn more. It enables the thrifty to put their money to work, to provide security for themselves. Under this system the worker receives higher wages and receives more for them than in any country in the world.

Woodrow Wilson said, "The highest and best form of efficiency is the spontaneous cooperation of a free people."

This we have in our system. Under no other system can the manager, laborer and inventor be put so effectively to work. Everybody works for something—to have more things, more security, more diversion. This desire for that something may be called the profit motive. Under this system you get what you want, if you are willing to work for it. The more efficiently you work or produce, the more you can get. The profit motive spurs competition; competition spurs efficiency and efficiency produces more.

We have reviewed a few of the reasons the American system of government, business and professions excel. We live in America! Let us sell America to our business associates and acquaintances, our friends, neighbors and young people at every opportunity. Let us tell them that the American system provides gainful employment at higher wages and under better working conditions than in any other country in the world for 45,000,000 men and women.

Tell them that since the turn of the century their hours of work have been cut one-third; their hourly earnings have more than doubled.

Tell them 66 per cent of our national income goes to those who work for a living.

Tell them machines have paved the way for more jobs than they have displaced.

Tell them the purchasing power of the average yearly wage has increased 60 per cent since 1919.

Tell them we have only 6 per cent of the world's population, but we own 71 per cent of the world's automobiles, 52 per cent of its telephones, and spend ten billion dollars a year for recreation—just to amuse ourselves. Terrible depression isn't it when we can only spend ten billion dollars a year to amuse ourselves?

Tell them about the standards of education prevailing under the American system. One out of every four of our population is attending school, in a twelve billion dollar educational plant, operated at an annual cost of three billion dollars—more than all the rest of the world combined.

Tell them to have a look at the lot of the average man living under the planned economics abroad—and let them draw their own conclusions.

Tell them what other nations think of our system as evidenced by their editorials in their papers and magazines. Here is a sample published by The Sphere of London, England: "The United States contains 6 per cent of the world's area and 7 per cent of its population. It normally consumes 48 per cent of the world's coffee, 53 per cent of its tin, 56 per cent of its rubber, 21 per cent of its sugar, 72 per cent of its milk, 36 per cent of its coal, 42 per cent of its pig iron, 47 per cent of its copper, and 69 per cent of its crude petroleum. The United States operates 60 per cent of the world's telephone and telegraph facilities, owns 80 per cent of the motor cars in use, operates 33 per cent of its railroads. It produces 70 per cent of the oil, 60 per cent of the wheat and cotton, 50 per cent of the copper and pig iron, and 40 per cent of the lead and coal output of the globe."

The United States possesses almost eleven billion dollars in gold, or nearly half of the world's monetary metal. It has two-thirds of civilization's banking resources. The purchasing power of the population is greater than that of the 500,000,000 people in Europe and much larger than that of the more than a billion Asiatics. Responsible leadership which can not translate such a bulging economy into assured prosperity is destitute of capacity. But pompous statesmen, looking over the estate, solemnly declare that the methods by which it was created are all wrong, ought to be abandoned, must be discarded, that the time has come

when political management must be substituted for individual initiative and supervision.

"There is only one way to characterize that proposal—it is just damn foolishness."

Whether we agree with the Englishman in his summation or not, many of the facts are indisputable. If there is any fault, it is ours. We live in America! Let us preserve our American system!

I was told a short time ago of a precinct political convention held in a precinct of New Mexico that had a voting strength of more than 2,000 votes of its faith. This convention was held to elect delegates to the county convention, who in turn would name delegates to the state convention. There were just nine present! Where were the business and professional men? There were more than 100 in the precinct! These nine were a hand-picked few who named a hand-picked few to the county convention, where in all probability there would be another hand-picked few named to attend the state convention. Picked by the voters? No! You know who they were picked by as well as I do!

Can the doctor, the lawyer, the educator, the business man in that precinct have just cause for complaint when he showed no more interest than that? You may say, "Yes, but I vote at every election." "Whom do you vote for? The man of your choice? No—for one or two or possibly three that the politicians have named for you. Let us not let that happen in our communities. Let us do our full share in entering the political side of the question as well as educating our friends, neighbors and children in the American system. Let us quit apologizing, sell American systems and keep them sold.

We live in America and there is not much wrong with us after all.

## LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. May of Lubbock, Tex., were here over the week end visiting Mrs. May's father, U. M. McCaw, and other relatives.

Mrs. William Bowden and infant daughter, Mary Gibson, were brought home Sunday from a Carlsbad hospital.

Mrs. Nancy Eipper returned to her cabin on the Ruidoso the first of the week after spending last week here at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. C. Kinder.

Betty Barnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett, returned home Tuesday from Roswell, where she had been a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lee the last week.

Mrs. Mary Davis and Miss Ella Bauslin were Roswell visitors Friday. On the return trip they stopped in Hagerman to call on Frank Bauslin, cousin of Miss Bauslin, who has been seriously ill.

Lawrence Bryan underwent an appendectomy in Carlsbad Friday. His mother, Mrs. E. N. Bryan, went to Carlsbad with her son and was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Lula Riley, for several days.

D. S. Ward of Carthage, Mo., was in Artesia on business Saturday, looking after his building on Main Street. He was on his way home from the West Coast, accompanied by some nieces from Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sharp and J. S. Sharp went to Lubbock Wednesday to be present at the graduation exercises of their son and grandson, Lorid Sharp, who received his B. A. degree, major in chemistry, at West Texas Tech. J. S. Sharp went on to Oklahoma and Kansas for an indefinite visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Burks of Memphis, Tenn., arrived last week for a visit with Mr. Burks' sister, Mrs. Joe Jesse, and Mr. Jesse and a niece and her family, Mrs. William Linell, Mr. Linell and children. The visitors have been taken to the Caverns, the mountains and many places of interest.

Mrs. O. S. Jensen returned home Wednesday of last week from a trip of three weeks to the West Coast. At Modesto, Calif., she visited a daughter, Miss Evelyn Jensen, and at Stockton, Calif., another daughter, Mrs. Eva Hoekman. On her return trip home Mrs. Jensen stopped over in Albuquerque to see her son, Don Jensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Van House and sons, Lawrence and Francis and their guest, Leo Rowley, and their little daughter, Mary Sue LaFollette, came Sunday from LaVerne, Calif., to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Green. Mr. and Mrs. LaFollette are both former teachers in Artesia Junior High School and have been teaching in

# AT THE TELEPHONE

She stands for twenty minutes at the telephone, and then she sits for thirty, forty minutes more! Oh yes, she does! And very soon the ringing starts again—Another call just like the one before!

The first one comes at seven in the morning, or at eight—It seems that something urgent must be told; And seldom do they end—of course, I should say, hesitate—Until her luncheon coffee has grown cold.

"I really ought to 'phone Marie," she says at one o'clock. No reason to, as far as I can see; But one can never tell what news a friend may have in stock. And so she really ought to 'phone Marie!

Then Kathryn calls, and Lillian, and Blanche, and Alma Wells. Then Dorothy, and Mrs. Harrington; And each, in her intensely interesting manner, tells Of all the things that she and hers have done.

I would not say that only their own personal affairs Receive attention; that would be absurd. An endless-chain of confidential messages is theirs—Each promising she "won't repeat a word!"

She stands for twenty minutes at the telephone, and then she sits for thirty, forty minutes more—A daily occupation that, perhaps, amuses men. But men don't understand what 'phones are for!



LaVerne College. From Artesia, Mr. and Mrs. LaFollette and daughter will go to Baton Rouge, La., where Mr. LaFollette has a teaching fellowship in speech at Louisiana State University. The other son-in-law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Stinnett, and their baby daughter, Rosemary, of Magdalena, N. Mex., came Monday to spend a week.

Mrs. Paul Sengbush of Long Beach, Calif., daughter of Mrs. J. A. Clayton, and Mrs. Ealen Gage of Chico, Calif., a niece, left for their homes Tuesday morning with Dr. and Mrs. Guy A. West, brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Gage, who have been visiting relatives in Hagerman. They expected to go by way of Grand Canyon and Boulder Dam.

Richard Wheatley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley, arrived Sunday from Los Angeles for a two-week visit with home folks. Richard has been with the Telephone Company of Southern California the last two years and has several promotions during that time.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Askins and daughter, Miss Bertha, and Mrs. E. A. Paton left by automobile Monday for Pasadena, Calif., where Miss Askins will enter Nazarene College the first week in September. The others expect to return home after a few days on the West Coast.

John Overpeck of Las Cruces came over the latter part of last week for Mrs. Overpeck and Joan, who have been here with Mrs. Overpeck's mother, Mrs. Jessie Morgan, several weeks. They were accompanied home by both Mrs. Morgan and Miss Esther Morgan. Mrs. Morgan expects to spend some time with her daughter and fam-

ily. Miss Morgan will return to Roswell for the opening of school there the first week in September.

R. F. Barton left Tuesday morning for San Perita, Tex., called there because of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. N. J. Barton, who suffered a stroke several months ago and who was not expected to live. Her son was accompanied by Mrs. R. E. Barnett of Artesia, Mrs. Ida Cobb of Hope and Bill Barton of Hobbs.

Misses Jane and Virginia Simpson of Pine Bluff, Ark., nieces of J. W. Berry, who visited in the Berry home the last six weeks, left by train for their home last Thursday.

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### Sheep Sense

By T. C. RICHARDSON, Secretary  
Breeder-Feeder Association

Present conditions in the wool market are favorable for starting a farm flock with a comparatively small investment. Many people enter a new enterprise only when it is booming, pay high initial costs, and fight a losing battle against inexperience and high investment. The smart ones buy when others are anxious to sell and ride the cycle on the upward swing instead of downward, getting experience at low cost. Sheep husbandry is no exception to the rule calling for both good judgment and experience.

Farms with ample feed and small grains for winter pasture need only fences, water and shelter to handle a farm flock. Some have found aged bred ewes preferable as a beginning, since they offer a quick return in both early lambs and a wool clip. Aged ewes will thrive on the farm where feed is ample and better care can be given after they have ceased to be profitable on the open range, hence they are often a better "buy" for the beginner than the yearlings and twos which the range sheepman prefers, and which he holds at a proportionally higher price.

If open ewes are bought off the range and placed on comparatively luxuriant feed on the farm they will usually breed readily in a few weeks, and the ram should be on hand. The change from short feed to good feed is equivalent to "flushing" to encourage breeding, a practice as old as the modern sheep industry. If ewes are already on good pasture it is common to give them a small amount of grain for the same purpose.

Ewes from three years of age upward, if not badly "broken-mouthed" or unthrifty for other reasons, will raise more and better lambs than the more expensive two-year-olds which the range sheepman prefers because of their youthful vigor and ability to withstand the vicissitudes of range life. On the farm, in small numbers, the ewes can receive close attention and individual care that is impossible in the range flock.

Milk fed lambs born from December to February are a quick money crop from the farm flock, going to market early in summer before hot weather and parasites affect their rapid growth. Where the ewes run on small grain or other green winter pastures it requires only a little hand-fed grain, cottonseed cake, or legume hay, to keep the dams in strong condition and raise a lamb to market size at four to six months of age.

Lambs begin eating at two to four weeks, and a creep should be provided where ground or cracked grain and clean legume hay can be fed, in addition to the green pasture and their mothers' milk.

It would be a mistake to assume that sheep can be profitably kept on the farm without better care than more rugged livestock receives. Lambing in the winter calls for well-conditioned ewes, dry shelter, and personal attention at the critical time. The Southwest has a distinct advantage over more Northern states in its open, sunny winters, which permit sheep to remain on pasture most of the time, but they must be protected from the short but sometimes severe cold snaps and especially from wet cold weather.

Experienced farm-flock men often realize a hundred per cent on their investment in a year, the fat lambs sold bringing about as much as the dam cost, and the wool clip paying the balance. This, however, is too much to count on as a reg-

ular thing, and the beginner should not be disappointed if he fails to pay off his investment the first year.

Farm flocks have increased rapidly in the Southwest in recent years, and beginners will find a great deal of helpful information in the bulletins of the various agricultural colleges and the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Ask the county agent.

### Lower Penasco

(Mary Sunbeam)

W. F. Culbertson was in El Paso under the care of a doctor for a few days.

Adam Donaghe visited his sister, Mrs. D. L. Stone, on McDonald Flat one evening last week.

Howard Goss was in this neighborhood one day last week. He reports crops up his way are in good condition.

Mrs. Will Donaghe is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. L. Stone, and family, on McDonald Flat.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Trotter and family plan to move in the near future to Hope, where it is reported Mr. Trotter will have charge of the light plant.

Dr. and Mrs. Eubanks of Arkansas arrived the first of last week for a visit with Mrs. Eubanks' sister, Mrs. Sam Robinson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Reeves motored to El Paso Friday with their daughter, Miss Maude Truth, who will enter nurses' training in that city.

This community has been receiving light showers through the last week, for which every one is very glad. Crops are growing nicely and in a few days farmers on the Penasco will have plenty of string beans, fresh corn and cucumbers for sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bates have had as their guests recently Mrs. Bill Riley and daughter of Sacramento and Mr. and Mrs. Will Santos of Artesia. The women are sisters of Mrs. Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stanger of Artesia were in this community one day last week, bringing up watermelons, cantaloupes and sweet peppers from the valley. These are some of the things Penasco farmers can't boast of having.

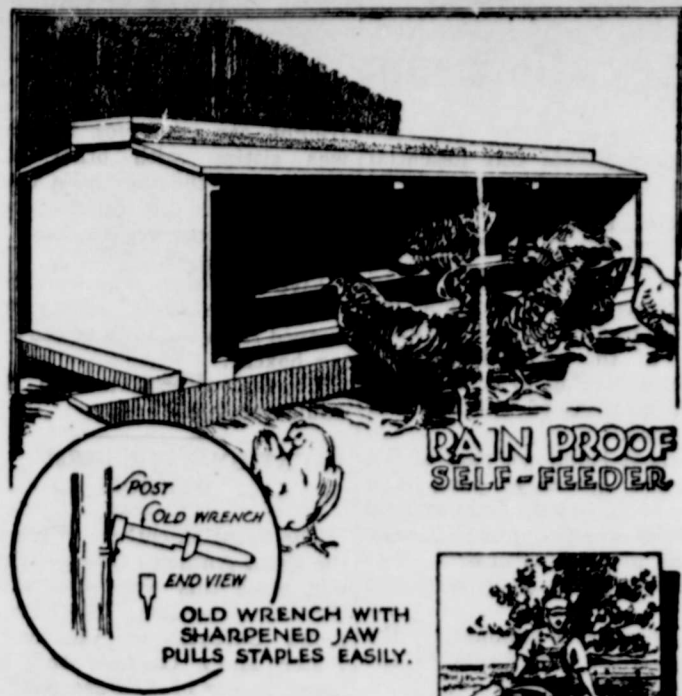
Mr. and Mrs. Moody of Jal and daughter, Mrs. Kinder and her two children of Hope spent a night in this community on their return from Hot Springs, where they had been for several days taking the hot baths.

Orien Peck visited his sisters, Mrs. J. F. Wasson at Sacramento and Mrs. J. H. Sowell on Perk Canyon. He enjoyed an erosion demonstration held at the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Sowell, which was well attended by farmers of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Neatherlin and son, Earl Lewis, of near Dunken and Mrs. Martin and son of Oklahoma were visitors on the Penasco the first of this week. Young Martin is in the Navy.

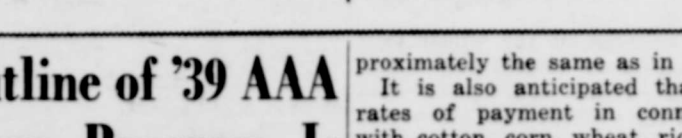
Families "sporting" new cars on the Penasco are those of Austin Reeves and Frank Crockett. It used to be we all knew the sound of each neighbor's car horn, but not any more. No, sir, it just keeps us busy running to the door to see who is passing. We bet it won't be long until everyone is having to wear glasses.

### FARMING IT . . . BY WILLARD BOLTE



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The reel illustrated is made from two old buggy tires with welded cross-plies. The tires are cut at one point so that the reel can be made small enough to remove it from inside the roll of barbed wire. The cut ends of the reel are held together by set screws, which are easily removed.

proximately the same as in 1938. It is also anticipated that the rates of payment in connection with cotton, corn, wheat, rice, potatoes and tobacco will differ slightly from the rates of 1938. In the case of wheat, an increase in the payment is possible. A smaller payment than in 1938 is estimated for cotton.

The wheat payment for 1938 was 12 cents a bushel, whereas the estimates for 1939 are 16 cents to 18 cents, plus a price adjustment payment of 10 to 20 cents, making a total of 26 to 30 cents a bushel on the farm's normal yield per acre for each acre in the wheat allotment. Cotton payments in 1938 were 2.4 cents a pound on the cotton acreage allotment with the cotton price adjustment payment of 3 cents a pound on 60 to 65 per cent of the 1937 base production. The anticipated payments for 1939, according to the announcement received by Mr. Quesberry, are 1.8 to 2 cents, a total of 3.6 to 4 cents a pound on the farm's normal yield per acre of cotton for each acre in the cotton allotment.

Miss Kathleen Newman returned Friday from Las Vegas, where she attended two sessions of summer school. Miss Newman, her mother, Mrs. Vena Newman, and a friend, Mrs. Forrest Carroll, are spending this week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Riley at Sacramento. Mrs. Riley is the daughter and sister of Mrs. and Miss Newman.

Adding Machines for Sale or Rent—The Advocate.

### Hope Items

Virgil Craig was a business visitor in Artesia Wednesday.

Charlie Fink made a hurried trip to Fort Sumner Sunday morning and returned that evening.

J. P. Parks left Sunday for El Paso, where he is spending several days attending to business.

Mrs. Merylon Guess of Pinon was here Wednesday and Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Teel and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Summers of Roswell spent Sunday here visiting Mrs. Summers' daughter, Mrs. Cephis Bumgardner, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Blakeny and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Woods and family composed a fishing party to Lake McMillan Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Lucky brought her son, Edward, home from St. Francis Hospital in Carlsbad Wednesday.

Mrs. Finn Watson of Hobbs and son, John Marvin and Mrs. Carl Lewis and children of Artesia passed through Hope to go to the Prude ranch, where they visited several days.

Mrs. Bryant Williams went to Albuquerque Tuesday of last week and returned Sunday evening. While there she visited her daughter, Mrs. Albert Black. Her grandson, Ralph Black, returned with her here and spent two days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parks and daughters, Janet and Betsy, returned last Thursday from Flagstaff, where Betsy attended school and where the Parks family visited the last three weeks. Betsy will return in about two weeks for school.

The Rev. and Mrs. Richardson and daughter of Stratford, Tex., are spending the week in Hope. The Rev. Mr. Richardson is conducting a meeting at the Baptist Church. They are guests of Mrs. Cephis Bumgardner.

Marjorie Johnson who entertained her guests, Rose and Bess McCoy, of Fort Worth, at Ruidoso

the last week, returned here Sunday. The girls returned to their home in Fort Worth Tuesday.

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Oliver Allen, former resident of Hope, who died in Deming Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Allen moved three years ago from their home here to Hatch, where they were located at the time of her death.

After having received word Friday that his father had died, Ervin Wathen left the same day for Wichita, Kan., to attend the funeral services. He was joined in Amarillo by Mrs. Wathen, who had been visiting in Hamilton, Tex., and by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lovett, of Salinas, Calif.

Henry Weddige, who has been fishing at Lake McMillan lately, has been bringing in some record catches. A week ago he caught a twenty-nine pound cat, but Saturday evening he overran his record by bringing in a thirty-two pound catfish.

Dean Golden, of the Portales Junior College was here Tuesday in the interest of the school. Wilhelmina Wilburn returned to Portales with him to make arrangements to attend school there this year.

The Rev. and Mrs. Charles Walker came to Hope Monday from Roswell to move to Tatum Wednesday. The Rev. Mr. Walker has been pastor of the First Methodist Church here the last ten months, but will be in charge of the church in Tatum. Mrs. Walker remained at Hope until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hawkins and family who spent the summer in Colorado and Illinois, have returned to their home here to spend the winter. Mr. Hawkins is superintendent of schools. He attended the University of Colorado at Boulder and Mrs. Hawkins visited her father in Streeter, Ill. After Mr. Hawkins' school, he joined Mrs. Hawkins in Illinois.

ENGRAVING—THE ADVOCATE.

Typewriters for Rent—The Advocate.

### Fifteen Years Ago Today

(From The Advocate Files of August 24, 1923)

Mr. Van Welch, a prominent oil operator of Batavia, Ill., arrived in Artesia Sunday and will personally look after the operation in the Illinois No. 3.

Prof. Paris moved his family to the Tarbet house, across from the Methodist Church, this week.

The work of laying the sewer mains is completed, in fact everything is in readiness for the installation of the inside equipment and the property owners can now make the necessary connections. The cost of the sewer and water systems was \$57,318.18, according to contractor Roy Irick of Plainview, Tex. More than eight miles of sewer line has been laid to accommodate the city patrons. Mr. Irick commented on the completion of the sewer job, stating that he had been able to turn out the ditch work here quicker and easier than in any city he had ever worked, due to the uniformity of the soil.

Miss Linna McCaw came this week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. M. McCaw, before returning to her school in Columbus, where she has taught for several years.

### ABSTRACTS

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### Outline of '39 AAA Farm Program Is Made at Meeting

Allotment and Payment Estimates Are Discussed in Washington

Outlines of the 1939 AAA farm program have been received from Washington by G. R. Quesberry, director of extension in New Mexico. The announcement was made after a three-day conference ending Aug. 13. More than 100 farmer-committeemen and others in charge of the AAA program in the field attended the Washington conference, with all states represented. As tentatively outlined, the program followed chiefly recommendations made by those present. The announcement of the program is contingent upon the appropriation of the funds authorized for the purpose by Congress.

The national wheat acreage allotment has been established at 55 million acres. It is impossible at this time to determine definitely acreage allotments for corn, tobacco, rice and other commodities on which special allotments will be made in 1939. It is anticipated the national acreage allotments for corn in the commercial areas, cotton, rice and tobacco will be ap-

proximately the same as in 1938. It is also anticipated that the rates of payment in connection with cotton, corn, wheat, rice, potatoes and tobacco will differ slightly from the rates of 1938. In the case of wheat, an increase in the payment is possible. A smaller payment than in 1938 is estimated for cotton.

The wheat payment for 1938 was 12 cents a bushel, whereas the estimates for 1939 are 16 cents to 18 cents, plus a price adjustment payment of 10 to 20 cents, making a total of 26 to 30 cents a bushel on the farm's normal yield per acre for each acre in the wheat allotment. Cotton payments in 1938 were 2.4 cents a pound on the cotton acreage allotment with the cotton price adjustment payment of 3 cents a pound on 60 to 65 per cent of the 1937 base production. The anticipated payments for 1939, according to the announcement received by Mr. Quesberry, are 1.8 to 2 cents, a total of 3.6 to 4 cents a pound on the farm's normal yield per acre of cotton for each acre in the cotton allotment.

Miss Kathleen Newman returned Friday from Las Vegas, where she attended two sessions of summer school. Miss Newman, her mother, Mrs. Vena Newman, and a friend, Mrs. Forrest Carroll, are spending this week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Riley at Sacramento. Mrs. Riley is the daughter and sister of Mrs. and Miss Newman.

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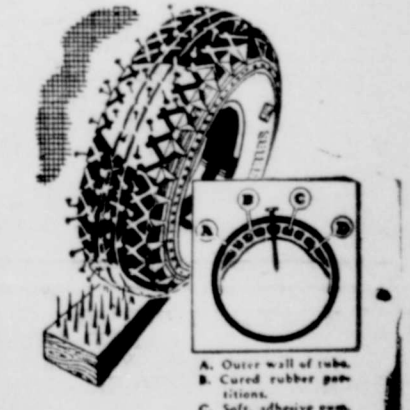
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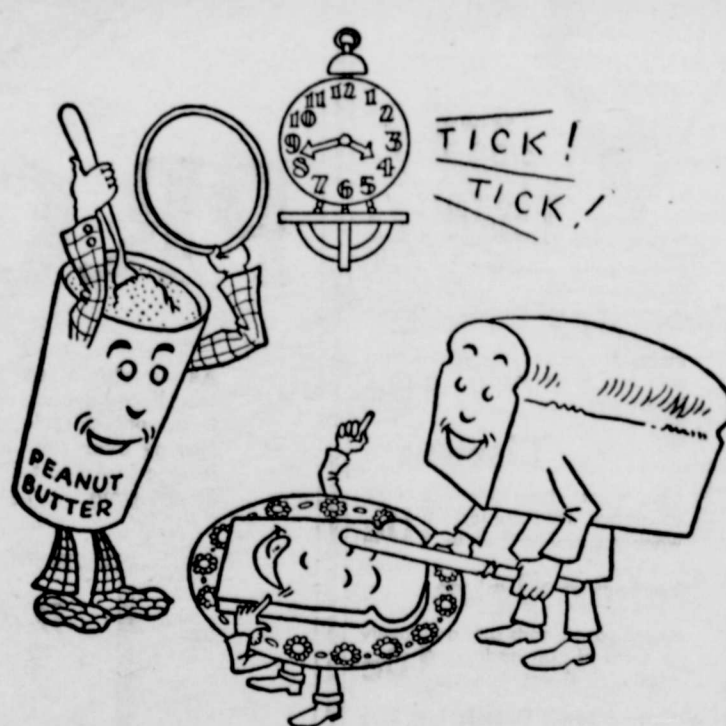
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**BETSY ANN BREAD:** We are a couple of grand guys around 4 o'clock.

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Be sure your clothing is sweet and clean and ready for the opening of school. Doubtless many of last year's clothes are still in perfect style, only requiring expert cleaning and pressing or dyeing. Prepare for school now by sending them to the

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#### Softball—

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The standing of the teams as the last night's play approaches:

W	L	Pctg.
Oilers	8	.800
Mann Drug	7	.778
Presbyterian Church	6	.667
Junior Chamber	4	.444
Dr. Peppers	4	.444
Folkners	0	.000

In last Thursday's league games, the scores were as follows: Presbyterian Church 10, Mann Drug 5; Dr. Peppers 11, Junior Chamber 5. The results Monday: Oilers 7, Mann Drug 6; Junior Chamber 28, Folkners 13. Tuesday evening's results: Dr. Peppers 10, Presbyterian Church

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### Awards Are Given In County 4-H Club Show Friday

Cottonwood Girls Are Among the Winners in Review at Carlsbad

Miss Enid Porter of Otis won first place Friday afternoon in the Eddy County 4-H Club style review at Carlsbad and will be awarded a free trip to the state review at the state encampment at Las Cruces this week. She left for there Monday. She is a member of the third year sewing project in her Otis 4-H Club and modeled a woolen dress with harmonizing accessories.

Blanche Fesler won second place for modeling a wool dress she had made and Mattie B. Tidwell won third place.

The girls modeled their ensembles on a stage at the Crawford Hotel, beautifully decorated with foliage and marigolds, and soft music was played throughout by Miss Norma Jean Lusk, who is representing Carlsbad as "Miss Carlsbad" in the "Queen of the Southwest" program.

In the second year cotton dress division Louise Tidwell won first, Margaret Forni won second and Mildred Cline of Cottonwood won third.

In third year sewing of cotton dresses, Lois Howard won first, Helen Johnson, second, and Juanita Cline third place, all of Cottonwood.

Blanche Fesler and Mattie Belle Tidwell also will attend the state review and give demonstrations on the selection of clothing.

Judges for the county-wide event were Mrs. Robert W. Clark, Mrs. Mabel Sizemore and Mrs. Nielson. Mrs. C. R. Cline of Cottonwood and Mrs. Herschel Bales assisted the girls with their clothing problems.

Added attraction of the review was the modeling of hats and evening gowns from a Carlsbad shop. The hats were modeled by Lois Howard of Cottonwood and the evening gowns by Mattie B. Tidwell.

Miss Vernita Conley, county demonstration agent, who arranged the review, spoke of and staging of a county-wide style show. She said "the 4-H organization can accept the credit for helping the girls to learn to sew and in encouraging them to plan, no matter how limited their funds, suitable costumes for their individual needs."

The girls are given guidance as they learn to work by themselves and look forward to the county and state style shows, she said. "The girls feel rewarded for their work and time in sewing by having the costumes they make to wear and enjoy," Miss Conley added.

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### Explains Wheat Acre Allotments

Quesenberry Points Out Essential Requirements in the Program

Wheat acreage allotments for 1939 are particularly significant in view of the 1938 wheat loan program, according to G. R. Quesenberry, director of extension in New Mexico.

The wheat loans are part of the ever-normal granary plan, and they are made to help farmers hold their wheat when supplies are very large and prices low, in order that the same wheat may be marketed later.

Mr. Quesenberry summarizes the relation of the allotments to the wheat loans as follows:

The present large supply of more than a billion bushels is due to the extremely high wheat acreages and, partly, to good weather conditions in 1937 and 1938. United States wheat farmers planted 81 million acres to wheat in 1937 and 80 million acres in 1938. Yields averaged 10.7 bushels per seeded acre in 1937 and about 11.9 bushels in 1938. The result has been a sharp increase in wheat supplies and a marked drop in wheat prices. Wheat farmers face the prospect of a smaller income from wheat this year than they got for their 1937 crop.

The purpose of the wheat loan program is to enable the wheat farmers of the country to hold part of their wheat until prices are better. General cooperation on the part of wheat framers in meeting acreage allotments provides a reasonable assurance that wheat surpluses will not continue to pile up and wreck wheat prices. Without such assurance, it will be difficult for wheat farmers to find justification for a wheat loan program. A sound basis for wheat loans can not be created nor maintained except through the understanding, cooperation and efforts of the wheat farmers themselves.

#### THE SWIMMING POOL IS PROGRESSING NICELY

Work on the swimming pool at the new Junior-Senior High School is progressing nicely, but it is doubtful if the pool will open this year.

The public has been giving the workmen considerable trouble by insisting on trespassing on the premises, or trying to swim. It is necessary to keep a certain amount of water in the pool, even though it is not finished, but the water is not there for swimmers.

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Liquid or cream. latest shades.  
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Just the thing after shaving

**SPOUSE-REITZ STORES**  
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#### LOSES HAND UNDER TRAIN AT CARLSBAD

Guillermo Munez, 40-year-old Carlsbad laborer, lost his right hand there Saturday when a freight car ran over him as he was sitting with other section workers on the Santa Fe track.

Munez said he did not see the car, which had broken loose from a switch engine.

Five other men, who were sitting between the track eating lunch, jumped from the path of the speeding boxcar.

Hospital attendants said Munez would recover.

#### VACATION CATECHISM SCHOOL TO CLOSE

The vacation catechism school of the Saint Anthony Catholic Church will close this week end after a three-week session. The Rev. Raymond Oosbyke of Carlsbad and Sister Mary Carmen and Sister Mary Agnes of El Paso have been guests in the J. J. Clarke home while they have conducted classes of the school each morning at the church, which closes with the first communion class at the church Sunday morning.

#### ARMED BANDITS ROB TAVERN ON HIGHWAY

Two armed robbers obtained about \$31 in pennies and nickels at the tavern north of Lake Arthur of Manard Brown about 11 o'clock last Thursday night. As they escaped through salt grass after the stick-up, Mr. Brown fired eight times after them. There was no automobile parked where Mr. Brown could see it.

While one of the men stood guard outside, the other entered with a sawed-off shotgun and robbed the place. Mr. and Mrs. Brown were just closing the tavern and Mrs. Brown had taken the currency from the front room when the robber entered.

A robbery was reported at Hagerman the same night.

Mrs. L. O. French returned home Saturday from a two-week vacation trip in New Mexico. Mrs. French was accompanied on her vacation by a friend, Miss Della Davis, of Norman, Okla. They visited in Albuquerque, Santa Fe, at the Santa Clara Pueblo dance and several other pueblos in the vicinity. On the return trip Mrs. French and her guest came by the Artesia Sacramento Camp and spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. Herman Dick Jones, and children. Miss Davis left by bus for her home Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Knoedler of Espuela had as their guests the first of the week friends from Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Admas of Macomb, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vaughn of Wheaton, and Mrs. Knoedler's sister, Miss Anne Leaf, of St. Paul, Minn., and a niece, Miss Ethel Leaf, of Moline, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Knoedler accompanied their guests to El Paso Wednesday. Miss Ethel Leaf will return here with the Knoedler family. The others will return to their homes from El Paso.

Judge and Mrs. G. U. McCrary had as their guests from last Thursday until Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Bob Farquhar of Oklahoma City. Mrs. Farquhar is a daughter of Dr. J. H. McCrary, brother

of Judge McCrary, who returned to his home in McAlester, Okla., last month after spending several months here.

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