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Artesia Is Named for First Aid Instructor Class by St. Louis

Headquarters Designates This City for Course to Be Given Laymen Over Southeast New Mexico Region.

WILL BE MARCH 2-7

Advanced Course to Prepare Candidates Organized Tomorrow Night.

Artesia has been designated for a Red Cross first aid instructor class for this region, with students intent on becoming instructors of standard and advanced first aid classes expected from Roswell, Carlsbad, Hobbs, Lovington and other places in the area.

The class will be held March 2-7 by Roy Kneip, first aid and water safety field representative of the Red Cross from the St. Louis offices.

He will be assisted by Dr. L. F. Hamilton, who has been instructor of all Red Cross first aid classes conducted in Artesia to date.

Information of the designation of Artesia for the course was received Wednesday by Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., first aid chairman of the North Eddy County chapter of the Red Cross.

Mrs. Roberson said this morning meeting will be held at the Women's Club building at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening for all persons who have had the standard first aid class and are interested in taking the ten-hour advanced course before Kneip arrives, with the intention (continued on last page, column 3)

Seven Locations Are Made in Eddy County Oil Fields

But No Completions Are Reported From the Area During the Last Week

Seven new locations marked the oil news in North Eddy County the last week, but no completion was reported.

The locations: Barney Cockburn, Etz 1, SW NW 35-16-30; Sanders Bros., Leonard 1-E, SE SE 33-16-30; Sanders Bros., Leonard 2-E, NE SE 33-16-30; Sanders Bros., Evans 4, NE NE 4-17-30; F. B. Hadlock, State 2, NW NW 36-17-27; E. L. Fulton, Cowell 1, NE NW 36-17-27; Texas Trading Co., State 1, NW NW 32-16-31.

Progress among wildcats and other wells of general interest in Eddy County and the adjacent Maljamar area in Lea County: (continued on last page, column 7)

Legionnaires of Area Plan for Defense Work

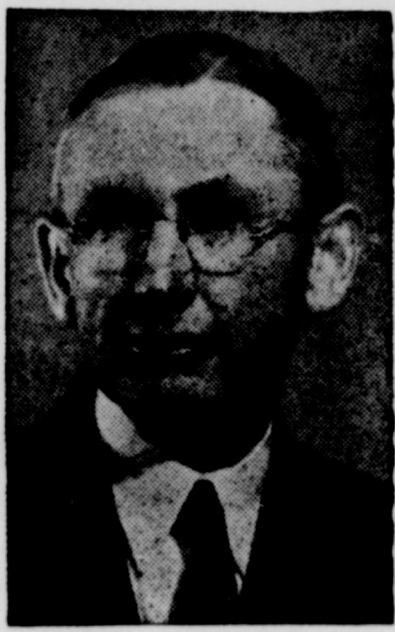
Artesia was represented by a number of Legionnaires at Roswell Tuesday afternoon and evening, when a convention of area "C," American Legion, was held at Ingalls Memorial Home, with Steve Lanning of Artesia, area commander, presiding.

The Artesia members were among eighty-two Legionnaires attending a banquet in the evening. Preliminary plans were discussed for carrying out the job accepted by the American Legion of training civilian defense workers.

At the afternoon and evening sessions talks were made by State Commander Donovan N. Hoover of Santa Fe, Bill Powell of Albuquerque, Past State Commander Charles Morgan of Artesia, now national executive committeeman from New Mexico; Special Agent Brice of the FBI; Col. J. D. Atwood of Roswell and M. W. Campagna, special field representative of the American Legion.

A large delegation planned to attend from Artesia, but the snow and bad weather Tuesday kept a number of the members at home.

Dr. and Mrs. John J. Clarke, Jr., moved last week to the residence they bought recently at 1102 Quay. It is the former Strickland home.



OSCAR J. ALLEN
District Rotary Governor

Here is Gov. Oscar J. Allen, who paid his official visit to the Artesia Rotary Club Tuesday noon.

Attend Installation Of Bishop Metzger In Paso Last Week

The Most Rev. Sidney M. Metzger, until recently Catholic auxiliary bishop of Santa Fe, was installed as coadjutor bishop of the El Paso diocese in a ceremony in El Paso Wednesday of last week.

Among more than 150 visiting clergymen at the ceremony was the Rev. Fr. Brendan Weishaar, pastor of St. Anthony Church here.

He was accompanied to El Paso by the Rev. Frs. Stanley and Clement of Carlsbad and the Rev. Fr. Hugh of Hobbs.

Also at the installation ceremony from Artesia were Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Sr.

Cemetery Board Calls Attention To Shrub Rule

Members of the board of directors of the Woodbine Cemetery Association this week called attention to general rules and regulations of about four years standing, which specify that no shrubs or evergreens are to be planted on lots, but that some of the members, not being familiar with the rules, have made such plantings on their family plots.

Trees in the cemetery, they said, are planted in lines and the landscape has been planned to exclude other shrubs or evergreens.

The board members have asked that persons who have planted evergreens and shrubs remove them, so as to make for unity of plan throughout the cemetery.

Anyone wishing to have help in removing them may have it by contacting the board, they said.

Annual statements from the association are to be sent out within the next week. The board members pointed out that in the past the public has responded well after statements have been sent out and they asked the usual cooperation.

Rationing Goes Into Effect Feb. 19 on Retreads

Rationing of retreaded and recapped tires will begin Feb. 19, Leon Henderson, price administrator, announced Wednesday, saying there probably will be no crude rubber available after that date for retreading, except for the small number of vehicles already eligible for new tires.

The new rationing program, which includes the rationing of "camelback," the rubber compound used in the retreading process, will be carried out by the present tire rationing boards.

Henderson said the war production board would determine each month the amount of crude rubber which can be used in making the compound that "a certain amount will be made available each month to permit the retreading or recapping of truck tires."

None will be available this month for the retreading of passenger car tires, and perhaps none for the month of March.

Former Mayhill Man Is Killed In Philippines

Capt. John Ray McCorkle, 33, formerly of Mayhill, where he was reared, has been killed in action on Batan Peninsula of Luzon Island, according to a message received by his sister, Mrs. Lawrence Smith of Carlsbad.

No details concerning the circumstances of his death were learned.

Capt. McCorkle is survived by his widow and a daughter and a son.

He was a graduate of Las Cruces High School and State College, where he was president of the student body, captain of the football team and a seven-letter man.

Capt. McCorkle, a reserve officer, was recalled to active duty last year and joined the New Mexico boys after spending some time in Camp Bowie, Tex. He sailed for the Philippines with the New Mexico outfit last fall.

District Governor Of Rotary Makes Official Visit Here

Oscar Allen of El Paso Speaks at Luncheon Meeting Held Tuesday Noon

Oscar J. Allen of El Paso, district governor of Rotary International, making his official visit to the Artesia Rotary Club Tuesday noon, contrasted the greed and selfishness which have caused the world of turmoil with Rotary's ideal of service, that of being a "big brother" and passing on to someone else acts of kindness.

Through the club's ideals, after the war is over and the boys come back home, Rotary should be able to contribute greatly in helping stabilize them, the district governor said.

Admitting that "we don't know what the future holds, or what sacrifices will have to be made," Allen said that "wherever we are, regardless of the future, we must hold on to our faith in God, our country and ourselves."

His talk was largely relative to Rotary and the club's functions and problems.

Gov. Allen, in conjunction with M. G. Schulze, president of the Artesia club, conducted a club assembly Monday evening, attended by committee chairmen and other interested Rotarians.

Boy Scouts Run City Saturday And Collect \$60

Boy Scouts of troops 8 and 28 had a fling at city government Saturday, helped to bring to mind of the adults some of the traffic regulations by way of arrests and small fines and turned the city back to the regular officials in the evening, about \$60 richer for their efforts and experience.

The fines were imposed by "Judge" Andy Compary, who held court at the city hall and meted out justice as a continual stream of minor offenders were brought before him. The fines averaged about 25 cents and went into a common fund, which was divided between the two troops.

But through some oversight, the city was without a boy mayor. However, Scouts functioned in all other offices during the day, and some of them saw quasi-official duty, even to Clifford Knight, who, as fire chief, with a number of other (continued on last page, column 6)

Little Bradley Boy Of Loco Hills Dies On Monday Morning

Edward Lee Bradley, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Bradley of Loco Hills, died in Artesia Memorial Hospital Monday morning of intestinal flu.

Funeral services were from McClay Chapel here at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon by the Rev. Dr. I. L. Morgan, pastor of the Methodist Church. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery.

Surviving Edward Lee, who was born July 10, 1937, at Cushing, Okla., are his parents, three brothers and a sister, Lloyd, Jr., Carolyn, Kenneth and Raymond Bradley, and his grandparents, at Cushing.

Miles in Favor Oil Pipeline to Pacific Coast

Southeast New Mexico Producers Will Meet in Artesia Tuesday Evening to Discuss Proposed Project.

Gov. John E. Miles favors immediate action towards getting a pipeline from the oil fields of New Mexico and West Texas to the Pacific Coast, according to a telegram this morning from J. E. Lambert, Santa Fe attorney, to Keith Quail, Artesia attorney, who has called a meeting of producers of Southeast New Mexico for 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening on the Roof Garden of the Artesia Hotel, in order "to start the wheels rolling."

Oil men pointed out the fact there is no pipeline outlet to the West Coast from this region, whereas there are many from the West Texas fields towards the East, and that it is known reserves in California are being depleted.

It was not immediately known just what steps the local oil men would take towards obtaining a pipeline to the coast, but it was understood the government probably will be enlisted in the project as a war measure, in order to guarantee movement of oil stocks to the Pacific area.

Ways and means will be discussed Tuesday evening, when Lambert will explain in more detail what facts he has at hand on the matter.

Lambert said that probably the best route to the West Coast would be through Phoenix to California, a distance of only about 800 miles.

The cooperation of Gov. Miles in obtaining a pipeline has been assured, according to Lambert's telegram.

Three Deliveries Of Food Daily to Start on Monday

Independent Merchants Agree on Schedule to Conserve Trucks and Tires

Managers of Artesia independent food stores announced this morning they will have but three scheduled deliveries daily starting next Monday, as a move to conserve their delivery equipment and tires and in the spirit of war economy.

The deliveries will be at 9 and 10 o'clock in the morning and 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Cooperating in the movement are Peoples Mercantile Company, Batie Grocery & Market, Brown Mercantile Company, Star Grocery and Simpson's Grocery & Market.

The food men suggested that persons wishing meats to be served at the noon hour, especially roasts and other cuts requiring considerable time to cook, order them the afternoon prior, so deliveries may be made on the first morning delivery.

It is hoped that by means of the limited delivery schedule, which will eliminate special trips and numerous routings to the same neighborhoods, the food stores will be able to continue delivery service for many months.

Under the present tire rationing set-up, it will be impossible for food stores to replace their tires when those now in possession are worn out. Therefore the merchants take the stand that it is better to have limited delivery service for a longer period, than to continue with unlimited service for only a matter of weeks or months.

Another suggestion made by the food men is that all customers do not wait until a few minutes before delivery time to call in their orders. The filling of any order takes some time, they pointed out, and there is a limit to what any merchant can do in a short period.

Then too, they said, if everyone waits until the last minute to telephone, there is the probability other persons are trying to call too, which will make for many busy signals.

No confusion is anticipated after the plan has been in force a few days, for it is believed the average housewife will plan ahead for her meals and will cooperate with the food dealers.

A. G. Lane Dies At Lake Arthur Home Monday

A. G. Lane, 82, prominent retired farmer of the Lake Arthur community, died at his home in Lake Arthur at 3:30 o'clock Monday morning from infirmities of age, after being in poor health several years.

Funeral services were from the Lake Arthur Methodist Church at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon by the Rev. Z. B. Moon, pastor. Burial was in Lake Arthur Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Oren Smith, Millard Derrick, Ford Frazier, Hazel Mills, Paul Russell and Redmond Pate.

Mr. Lane is survived by his widow and five children, Ora, Mrs. O. V. Moore, Artesia; John Lane, Lake Arthur; Wade Lane, Carrizozo, and Misses Margaret and Alma Lane, Lake Arthur, both teachers at Cottonwood School.

There also survive Mr. Lane a (continued on last page, column 3)

Mrs. J. H. Jones Dies on Tuesday At Age of 69 Years

Death Comes Day After Being Stricken—Funeral Is to Be This Afternoon

Mrs. J. H. Jones, an active worker in church and other affairs in Artesia, died in a Carlsbad hospital at 5:05 o'clock Tuesday morning from a bronchial infection, from which she became seriously ill Monday.

Apparently in health, except for a cold, Mrs. Jones was up and about Monday until being stricken. She was taken to the Carlsbad hospital about 6 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The body was brought to Artesia, where it is lying in state at McClay Chapel and may be viewed there by friends until time for funeral services at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Methodist Church. The Rev. Dr. I. L. Morgan, pastor, will be in charge of the services. Burial will be in Woodbine Cemetery.

Honorary pallbearers will be W. E. Ragsdale, J. M. Jackson, E. B. Bullock, B. F. Kaiser, G. E. Kaiser, Tom C. Williams, George Frisch, I. L. Spratt, Dr. H. A. Stroup and (continued on last page, column 2)

Young Marable Reported Lost In Ship Sinking

M. C. Marable, a former Artesia boy, was reported lost in the sinking Tuesday of last week of the tanker, Natchez, in the Pacific by enemy action.

Young Marable, son of the late W. C. Marable, one of the old timers of this locality, left here about four years ago, after the death of his father, and moved to the West Coast with his mother, who survives and lives with relatives there.

After completing high school work, he entered the service.

A message from Mrs. Marable to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Truett of south of town, said M. C. Marable was reported in a telegram from Washington as one of the unaccounted for members of the crew of the Natchez.

The father lived in this locality about fifty years and many years ago married a Coe girl. They lived for a time on the Ruidoso and later lived in an adobe house west of the present highway bridge on the Penasco south of Artesia.

The son attended the Artesia schools before going to the West Coast after his father's death. His sister, Mrs. Truett, and Mr. Truett live on the old home place.

Assessor of County Here Feb. 9-14 for Rendering of Taxes

Richard H. Westaway, assessor of Eddy County, has called attention again that he is at the city hall in Artesia this week from Monday through Saturday, so taxpayers may render their taxes.

No penalty date has been announced, but it is suggested that the assessor be contacted and taxes rendered during the week he has set aside to be in Artesia.

Registration Day Next Monday For Men 20-45 Not Signed Up

QUESTIONS IN REGISTRATION

Here are the nine questions all men subject to registration Monday should be prepared to answer promptly.

Full name, including middle name, if any, having papers along to prove it the true name.

Place of residence. Mailing address, if other than place of residence.

Telephone number. Age in years and date of birth.

Place of birth. Name and address of person who will always know registrant's address, other than one's wife.

Employer's name and address. Place of employment or business.

Alabaman Is Named Episcopal Missionary Bishop New Mexico

The Rev. James Stoney of Grace Church, Anniston, Ala., last Thursday was elected Episcopal missionary bishop of New Mexico by the House of Bishops of the Episcopal Church in session at Jacksonville, Fla. He succeeds the Rt. Rev. Frederick Bartlett, who was fatally injured in an automobile accident several months ago.

The new bishop is expected to take up his new duties in April.

Bishop Stoney has been rector of Grace Church in Anniston since 1921 and is said to have an excellent record in that parish. He was a chaplain in the A.E.F. during World War I.

Book Drive Is Quite Successful In North Eddy

Mrs. R. N. Thomas of Carlsbad, Eddy County chairman of the "Victory Book Campaign" committee, and Mrs. A. L. Bert, Artesia chairman, made plans here Wednesday to ship about 1,900 books collected in Eddy County to Hobbs, collection point for this locality, from where they will be sent to Santa Fe to be rerouted to the men in the armed forces.

Mrs. Thomas said her local chairman reported about 500 books from North Eddy County, assembled in Artesia, including those from Hope, collected under the chairmanship of Mrs. Bryant Williams. South Eddy County, including Carlsbad, collected about 1,400 books, she said.

The books in Artesia are to be packed at the American Legion hut Friday evening by members of the Legion.

Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Bert expressed their thanks to the people of North Eddy County for their cooperation and generosity.

Although the current drive closed Friday, it is expected there will be further drives in the future.

Baptists Have Church Mission All This Week

The First Baptist Church of Artesia is participating this week, Sunday through Friday, in a mission institute with all other member churches of the Pecos Valley Association.

The program each evening consists of a study period and a message by a visiting speaker.

At the opening session Sunday evening, a motion picture of missionary work in Cuba was shown.

Speakers for the other evenings: Monday, Dr. A. A. DuLaney, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Roswell; Tuesday, Dr. W. C. Garrett, Roswell, district missionary; Wednesday, Miss Margaret Jung, a Chinese doing missionary work at Phoenix, Ariz.; Thursday, Miss Pauline Cammack, Albuquerque, missionary to Indians; Friday, Dr. Walter Johnson, El Paso, formerly a missionary to Mexico.

Corine Aaron of Artesia underwent a tonsillectomy Saturday in a Carlsbad hospital.

City Hall, Central School, Legion Hut in Artesia—Also Loco Hills, Cottonwood, Hope, Lakewood, Dayton and Atoka.

OPEN FROM 7 TO 9

Advised to Go to Place Most Convenient to One's Residence.

North Eddy County men, along with millions of others in the United States, will register next Monday for military service under the Selective Service law designed to sign up all between 20 and 45 years, who have not previously registered. It is impossible to obtain an accurate estimate of the number of men who will register, but it is not believed there will be as many as in the first registration, on Oct. 16, 1940, when 1,057 men registered in Artesia and 3,859 in Eddy County.

If a man attained his twentieth birthday on or before Dec. 21 and has not attained his forty-fifth birthday on or before Dec. 31 and Feb. 16, and did not register on either Oct. 16, 1940, or July 1, 1941, he is required to do so Monday.

The first registration was for men from 21 to 36 years old and the second was for those young men who had reached their twenty-first birthdays since the first registration day. Forty-eight 21-year-olds in Artesia and 139 in Eddy County were registered last July 1. (continued on last page, column 4)

Thirty-Ninth Day Of Year Ere First Couple Is Wedded

Berdena Ellen Jackson and Welby Medders Win Annual Contest Honors

It probably never will happen again, but the annual "First Bride and Bridegroom" contest of the Artesia trade territory was not won this year until the thirty-ninth day of 1942, which was Sunday.

And to make it more strange, two couples nearly tied for the honors, the winners being married at 11 o'clock in the morning, whereas the runners-up were married at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Miss Berdena Ellen Jackson and Welby D. Medders, who were married at the First Baptist Church here at 11 o'clock Sunday morning by the Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor, are the winners. (continued on last page, column 5)

Boat Club Plans Regattas During Season of 1942

Little more than twenty-four hours after snow was falling in Artesia, members of the Pecos Valley Boat Club last evening reorganized for the 1942 boating and racing season, re-elected Jim Ferguson commodore and started plans for at least three regattas on Lake McMillan this year.

Members pointed out that boat racing is one sport which can be continued during war times and that it will give enjoyment to many persons at a minimum of cost.

Other officers elected: Vice commodores, Buford Gray of Artesia, Denny Moore of Dexter, Dwight McNally of Roswell and F. F. White of Carlsbad; secretary-treasurer, Bert Shipp, Artesia; pit manager, G. Kelley Stout, Artesia; field judge, W. C. Gray, Artesia; assistant, Ralph Barr, Artesia; head judge, Hollis Watson.

Racing rules are to be drawn up for the regattas and adopted at a later meeting.

It was voted that members will pay monthly dues of \$1 in order to maintain a dock, buoys and the like.

Miss Florene Muncy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nevil Muncy, a teacher in the Loving schools, spent the week end with home folks.

ARTESIA BUSINESS DIRECTORY

A Thumbnaill Classification of EMERGENCY and IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS and ADDRESSES

- FIRE AND POLICE**
Fire, Tell Central, or Call Ph. 96
Police, Tell Central, or Call Ph. 198
- ACCOUNTANTS, PUBLIC STENOGRAPHERS**
Blanche McCoy, Stenographic, Report Serv. Ph. 770
- AUTOMOTIVE**
Artesia Auto Co., Wrecker Service Ph. 52
- COMMERCIAL PRINTING**
Artesia Advocate, 316 W. Main—Call Us Ph. 7
- ELECTRICAL REPAIRING**
Loc Loucks, Rewinding All Kinds, 107 Quay Ph. 65
- FEEDS**
E. B. Bullock, Feed, Flour, Coal, Seeds Ph. 86
- INSURANCE**
Pete L. Loving, General Insurance, 301 Wash. Ph. 518
- SHOE REPAIRING**
Hefley's Shoe Shop, Expert Repairing 108 S. Roselawn

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER CHATTEL MORTGAGE

Public notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of February, 1942 at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., the undersigned, M. Boyd Street and E. Bruce Street, co-partners doing business under the firm name and style of Street Loan & Investment Company, will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described personal property at the present location of said property about 15 miles east of the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, at the home of Alex McGonagill, to-wit:

1 Model 61 Wichita Spudder; 120 H.P. Waukesha Motor; Floite light plant; tool box and hand tools; string of tools (complete) for 5" and 6" hole, with the exception of small stem for 5" hole; bailer for 5" hole and 6" hole; set of shear poles, drilling line and sand line; circle jack and wrenches; drive belt and spudding belt and all other tools that are with the rig; 1 set of long jars; 8" joint of pipe 5' long; sand line on spool; 1 forge; 1 set of 8" Wilson elevators; 5-12" casing slips; 1 casing wagon; 1 chain hoist; 4 1/2" drilling stem; 2 swivel rope sockets; 1-10" Wilson elevator; 1 circle and jack; 4 tool wrenches; 1 swivel wrench; 2-10" bits; 3 shieve block and links; 1 slack tub; 1 tool brace; 1 latch jack; 1 ram; 3-10" casing slips; 1 oil-saver; 1 set of combination pipe dies; 1 combination sub; 1 gas regulator; 1 blower; 1 dog house; 1 circulating tank, 65 barrels; 1 derick barrel; 1 set of wire line clamps; 1 Simplex lift jack; 1 screw jack; 5x6 switch nipple; 1 broken drilling stem.

The above described spudder is located approximately one-fourth mile from the residence of the said Alex McGonagill and the remainder of the property above described is located at the residence of the said Alex McGonagill, and the sale will be conducted at said residence.

All of said property will be offered for sale pursuant to the terms of a certain chattel mortgage dated March 20, 1940, executed by Barrett & Reynolds by W. L. Barrett in favor of the said Street Loan & Investment Company of the County of Young, State of Texas, covering all of the above described property and given to secure the payment of a certain promissory note executed by said mortgagors in favor of said mortgagor in the principal sum of \$3,727.35, bearing even date with said mortgage and due on demand, with interest thereon at the rate of 10% per annum until paid, which said chattel mortgage was duly filed with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico on the 8th day of April, 1940 and given file no. 55030.

The conditions of said chattel mortgage have been broken by the failure of the mortgagors to pay the said promissory note, or any part thereof, and said mortgagors are now in possession of the above described property.

The amount of the mortgage indebtedness and costs to be satisfied by said sale, including interest to the date of sale, are as follows:

Principal indebtedness with interest to February 23, 1942	\$3,790.09
Costs incurred in repossessing and selling said property, including attorney's fees and estimated cost of sale	160.59
TOTAL	\$3,950.68

The said sale will be made pursuant to the power contained in the above described chattel mortgage and pursuant to the provisions of Section 21-108 of the New Mexico Statutes, 1929. Compensation, and all right, title and interest of the said mortgagors and mortgagor in and to said property will be transferred to the purchaser thereof. The proceeds of said sale will be applied first to the satisfaction of the above mentioned indebtedness and the balance, if any, will be paid to said mortgagors.

DATED this 27th day of January, A. D., 1942.

M. BOYD STREET and E. BRUCE STREET, Co-partners

ners doing business under the firm name and style of STREET LOAN & INVESTMENT COMPANY, by G. L. REESE, JR., Their Agent and Attorney 5-4-8

NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-1481 and RA-1186 Consolidated

Santa Fe, N. M., Jan. 20, 1942. Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of December, 1941, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, I, S. Reser, of Lake Arthur, Chaves County, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to Change Location of shallow groundwater well from well RA-1481, located near center of NE 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 12, Township 16 South, Range 25 East, N.M.P.M., and well RA-1186, for the purpose of obtaining sufficient water to properly irrigate 80 acres of land having shallow groundwater rights under File RA-1481, and described as follows: W 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 12, Township 16 South, Range 25 East, N.M.P.M., and E 1/2 NE 1/4 Section 12, Township 16 South, Range 25 East, and W 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 7, Township 16 South, Range 26 E.

This application does not involve the drilling of a new well or any new appropriation of water, but is merely for the purpose of combining the water from both wells in order to affect the purpose set forth hereinabove.

Any person, association or corporation desiring 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. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application for final consideration unless protested is the 2nd day of March, 1942.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer 5-31-7

NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-1262 & RA-1262 Enlarged

Santa Fe, N. M., February 4, 1942. Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of January, 1942, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, J. J. Terry of Artesia, Eddy County, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to Change Place of Use to 180 acre feet of water authorized under Permit RA-1262 and RA-1262 Enlarged from 240 acres of land described as Part of NW 1/4 and the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 11, Township 16 South, Range 25 East, to 80 acres of land described as S 1/2 SW 1/4 and S 1/2 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of said Section 11. This is not an application for any new appropriation of underground water but is merely for the purpose of changing place of use of 180 acre feet of water per annum from 240 acres of land to another 80 acres of land as has been stated hereinabove, as applicant has already acquired rights to use of water involved under Files RA-1262 and RA-1262 Enlarged.

Automatic water recorder shall be installed on all wells or ditches such that accurate measurement of water can be made. Any person, association or corporation desiring 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. The date set for the State Engineer

Loco Hills Items

(Mrs. E. C. Abston)

Betty Jo Owens has been ill for the last few days.
Mrs. Grace Rhodes has gone to Missouri for an extended visit.
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Abston drove to Lovington Sunday afternoon.
Dyckie O'Donnell, who was ill last week, returned to school Monday.
Jewel Heard visited his son, Bob, at N.M.M.I. in Roswell Saturday.
Bert Aston of Roswell was a business visitor at the Franklin camp Monday.
Patricia Ann Jones, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jones, was ill several days of last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Loree Evans and children, Vera and Jimmy, went to Lamesa, Tex., Friday and returned Sunday.Luzie Brigner was taken to Artesia Memorial Hospital early Sunday morning, but was able to return home Monday.
Nellie O'Day returned to Lubbock, Tex., Sunday after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Shanks.
Mr. and Mrs. Horace Golden and children spent the week end in Lubbock, Tex., visiting Mrs. Golden's sister, Mrs. Shirley Haggard, and family.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bullock and children, Georgia Gale and Buddy, returned home Saturday from a visit of a week with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Williams north of Hope.Sandra Sue Smalley was taken to Artesia Memorial Hospital Sunday for treatment, but was reported Monday to be much improved. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smalley.Eighty persons attended Sunday school at the Sherman Memorial Sunday school Sunday. The Rev. Roger Sherman of Roswell was unable to fill his appointment as minister for the services, as he was called to El Paso. Mrs. O. H. Stewart conducted the prayer meeting Wednesday evening.Miss Ann Cunningham and her aunt, Mrs. Duane Dorsey of Beverly Hills, Calif., were visitors at the R. R. Woolley lease Wednesday of last week and were dinner guests that evening of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Huck. Mr. Huck accompanied them on a trip through the Carlsbad Caverns last Thursday and they left on their return trip home Thursday evening. Miss Cunningham is the secretary of R. R. Woolley, whose office is in Los Angeles, Calif.Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Aston were hosts at a dinner party Sunday evening at the Franklin camp. The table was decorated with a beautiful lace cloth and a centerpiece of red and white carnations and a candelabrum. Dinner was served at 5 o'clock to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rowley, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Quail, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Petty, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sivley, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Stromberg, Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim

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(Mrs. C. B. Altman)

Hilary White, Jr., attended business in Carlsbad Saturday.
J. C. Whisenant of Artesia was a business visitor in Hope Friday.
Mrs. Carl Adamson of Roswell was a guest of Mrs. C. B. Altman Friday.
Dee Swift of Carlsbad was here last week attending to his rental property.
C. B. Trotter left last week for Albuquerque to report for service in the Army.
Myron Guess of Pinon was attending to business and visiting friends in Hope Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Altman were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Buckner in Carlsbad.
Miss Mary Alice Walton of Dexter spent the day Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Bryant Williams.
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hendricks of the Flying H Ranch were attending to business here Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. R. Riddle of Indiana arrived Monday for a visit with their son, Don Riddle, and family.
Mrs. B. M. Ballard and Mrs. E. L. Landreth were guests of Mrs. Dave Bunting in Artesia Sunday.
Mrs. B. M. Ballard, Mrs. E. L. Landreth and Ivy Lee Wimberly attended to business in Roswell Tuesday.
Mrs. Nora Johnson and Miss Frances Johnson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Attebery Sunday in Carlsbad.
Rich Bell of Nevada, who is a resident of Hope years ago, is expecting friends in Carlsbad. He is visiting to visit friends in Hope this week.
Ezra Teel left last week for El Paso, where he underwent an operation Monday morning. Word was received Monday evening that he was doing nicely.The Missionary Society held all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. Bryant Williams last Thursday. \$100.00 was raised for the society. After a short business meeting in the afternoon, the guests enjoyed a social hour before departing.

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Ray A. Pate et ux, to C. E. Mann, lot 6, blk. 4, Tyler Subd. to Artesia, \$10 &c.
Roy Gurley to R. L. Gurley, lot 5, blk. 21, Forrest Hill Addn. to Artesia, \$10 &c.
Pauline Terry et vir. to Ella N. Bauslin, lot 14, blk. 5, Artesia Improvement Co. Addn., and lot 2, blk. 16, Chisum Addn., Artesia, \$10 &c.
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QUIT CLAIM DEEDS—

First Baptist Church of Artesia to Salvador Huerto, lots 21 and 20, blk. 23, Fairview Addn. to Artesia, \$60.
Power Manufacturing Co. to K. A. Bivens, SW 1/4 sec. 32-16-26, \$1 &c.
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SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

The Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for the week ending Feb. 7 were 22,225, compared with 17,959 for the same week in 1941. Received from connections were 9,410, compared with 7,105 for the same week in 1941. The total cars moved were 31,635, compared with 25,064 for the same week in 1941. The Santa Fe handled a total of 32,538 cars during the preceding week of this year.

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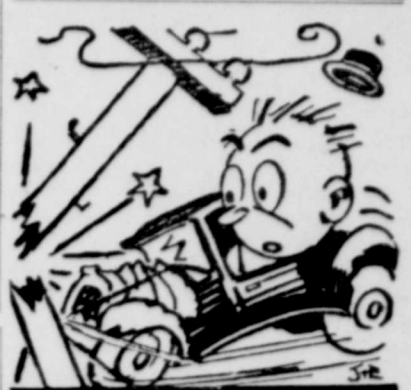
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Valentine Week Is Highlighted by Three Weddings of Much Interest

Jones-Jensen

Miss Eilene Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, and Donovan O. Jensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Jensen, both of Artesia, were married at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Henry S. Stout reading the ring ceremony.

The bride wore a modish tan ensemble with matching accessories and a shoulder corsage of white roses. The couple was attended by Mrs. Douglas O'Bannon and R. F. McQuay. Mrs. O'Bannon wore a spring plaid suit with accessories to match and a corsage of white roses.

Miss Jones attended the Artesia schools and was a member of the 1941 graduating class and for the last several months has been employed at the C. G. Morrison & Company store.

Mr. Jensen, who with his bride, is popular in their social set, came to Artesia about four years ago, completed the Guthrie Center High School in Iowa and is partner with his father in the Jensen & Son Jewelry Store. He is president of the 20-30 Club and a scoutmaster.

The newlyweds left immediately after the ceremony on a honeymoon trip to El Paso and points of interest in New Mexico. They expect to be gone several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jensen will make their home at 712 Missouri.

Jackson-Medders

Miss Berdena Ellen Jackson and Welby D. Medders were married at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. S. M. Morgan reading the ring ceremony.

Before the ceremony Miss Mary Ruth Hearn, pianist, played several selections, including Mendelssohn's "Wedding March."

Miss Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jackson of the oil field, wore a powder blue street ensemble with matching accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Miss Virgie Hollie and Walter Bynum were their attendants.

A wedding dinner was served Sunday noon at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Medders for the newlyweds and the attendants, Miss Hollie and Mr. Bynum, and Miss Hearn and the Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Morgan and members of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Medders, who left that afternoon on a honeymoon trip, accompanying Mr. and Mrs. Don Jensen, who were wedded the same day, will make their home in Artesia on their return.

Wheatley-Woodin

The wedding of Richard Withington Wheatley of San Diego, Calif., son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley of Artesia, and Miss Sarah Elizabeth Woodin of Los Angeles, will take place Saturday, Feb. 14, at the "Little Church of the Roses," in Chula Vista, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheatley and Miss Barbara, who will be a bridesmaid, left Sunday to attend the wedding. Other members of the Wheatley family who will attend the wedding are Richard's sister, (Jean) Mrs. Frank Krumpholz, and Mr. Krumpholz and two children of Los Angeles.

Topsy Turvy Dance Saturday, Feb. 21

The February dance of the Topsy Turvy Dance Club, which is being sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's Club, will be held at the Woman's Club Saturday, Feb. 21.

Notices are being sent out to club members the first of next week. Those wishing to bring guests may contact any business or professional woman, or call Miss Abbie Durand, Mrs. J. W. Johns or Mrs. C. R. Blocker.

Because of some removals from the city, the membership is a bit under the usual quota, so anyone interested may contact any of the above mentioned for membership. The Lee Pritchard Orchestra of Carlsbad will furnish the music.

B&PW MEMBERS ENJOY A LINE PARTY MONDAY

Members of the Business and Professional Women's Club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Johns for a regular business meeting.

After the brief meeting, they enjoyed a line party to a show. Refreshments were served after the show at one of the local drug stores.

Social Calendar

Telephone 7 or 99

THURSDAY [TODAY]

Chatterbox Bridge Club, Mrs. Dave Saikin, hostess, 2 p. m.

C.H.B. class of the Presbyterian Church, covered dish supper, church undercroft, 6:30 p. m.

Young Woman's Guild of the First Christian Church, Mrs. Homer Borland, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

Christian Woman's Council, executive committee breakfast, Miss Cora Rogers, hostess, 8:30 p. m.

Baptist Woman's Missionary Society: Lydia Circle, Mrs. T. E. Brown, hostess, 2:30 p. m.; Ruth Circle, Mrs. R. E. Bean, hostess, 2:30 p. m.; Priscilla Circle, Mrs. G. E. Jordan, hostess, 2:30 p. m.; Home Makers Circle, all-day meeting, covered dish luncheon at the church.

FRIDAY

Masons to entertain Eastern Stars and families with Valentine banquet and program, Masonic hall, 6:30 p. m.

Baptist ladies, Margaret fund silver tea, honoring Mrs. Eva Enlow, state secretary, of Albuquerque, Mrs. Fred Cole, hostess, 3 to 5 p. m.

Miercoles Bridge Club, Mrs. T. E. Johnson, hostess, 2 p. m.

Kongenial Kard Klub, Mrs. W. J. Cluney, hostess, 2 p. m.

H2O Bridge Club, Mrs. Earl Darst, hostess, 2 p. m.

Past Noble Grand Club, postponed until Friday of next week.

MONDAY

American Legion Auxiliary, benefit coffee for iron lung fund, at the hut, 9 a. m.

Garden Club, city hall, 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Fortnightly Bridge Club, Mrs. Leslie Martin, hostess, 1 p. m.

Abnormis Sapiens Bridge Club, Mrs. James Nellis, hostess, 2 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Artesia Woman's Club, Dr. W. S. Dando, guest speaker, open meeting, public invited, clubhouse, 8 p. m.

Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service: Laura Bullock Circle, Mrs. A. P. Mahone, hostess, 2:30 p. m.; Gladys Dixon Circle, Mrs. Roger Durand, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

THURSDAY [NEXT WEEK]

Call meeting Junior and Senior Women's Clubs, official visit of state president, Mrs. Fred Dennis, clubhouse, 2:30 p. m.

Presbyterian Woman's Association: Group No. 1, Mrs. William Lineil, hostess, 2:30 p. m.; Group No. 2, Mrs. Earl Ployhar, hostess, 3 p. m.

Christian Woman's Council, Mrs. E. C. Jackson, program leader, at the church, 2:30 p. m.

Baptist Woman's Missionary Society, royal service program, "The Heart of the W.M.U.," at the church, 2:30 p. m.

Young Matrons Go Patriotic

A group of young matrons has gone patriotic and they expect to prepare themselves for whatever emergency arises to win this war. The group has started a refresher course in typing and shorthand. They expect to meet three times each week. They are looking for used shorthand manuals and perhaps typewriter books. High school graduates, who have used books, might contact some of the group.

Enrolled in the class to begin are Mrs. Virgil Millsap, Mrs. Ted Keith, Mrs. Garland Rideout and Mrs. Rell Johnson. Others are expected to enroll by the second meeting date.

THE LOWS ENTERTAIN HIGHS, NELLIS HOME

The "lows" of the First afternoon Bridge Club entertained the "highs" with a turkey luncheon at the home of Mrs. James Nellis Tuesday. Mrs. J. M. Story was a luncheon guest.

Bridge guests were Mrs. C. C. Harris, Mrs. B. E. Kennedy, Mrs. Stanley Blocker and Mrs. H. R. Paton.

Members present were Mrs. A. B. Coll, Mrs. J. Hise Myers, Mrs. Beecher Rowan, Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Mrs. J. W. Berry, Mrs. G. U. McCrary, Mrs. Arba Green and Mrs. M. W. Evans.

Mrs. Harris held high score of the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Aston Hosts at a Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Aston were hosts Sunday evening at their home at the Franklin camp in the oil fields, entertaining friends from Artesia.

A dinner was served at 5 o'clock from a lace-covered table and centered with a bouquet of red and white carnations flanked on either side with lighted tapers.

Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rowley, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Quail, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Petty, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sivley, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Stromberg, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. James Warden, Miss Dorothy Hardendorf and Martin Yates III.

THE LEGION AUXILIARY AT THE HUT MONDAY

The American Legion Auxiliary met Monday afternoon at the hut for its regular monthly meeting.

Mrs. Frank Smith presided during the business meeting. Plans were made for the benefit coffee which will be on registration day, Monday, Feb. 16, at the hut, with Mrs. Albert Richards in charge. The proceeds will go to the iron lung fund.

Mrs. A. L. Bert gave a report on the meeting with Miss Charlotte Murray, representative from national Red Cross headquarters. Mrs. Bert said literature was being sent for a Red Cross class on "Nutrition."

Mrs. Fred Cole, accompanied by Mrs. Helen Henson at the piano sang "Hail, Hail America." Howard Whitson gave an interesting talk on "National Defense" and the part each one can do.

About thirty-six members were present. Mrs. D. C. Blue, Mrs. John Runyan, Mrs. Nancy Eipper, Mrs. Grady Booker and Mrs. Irvin Martin were co-hostesses.

Artesia Couple Wed In Taft, California

Announcement was made here this week of the marriage of Miss Eloise Gleghorn, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gleghorn, early-day residents of Artesia, to Pvt. Harold Gracey, also of Artesia, at 9 o'clock Saturday evening, Jan. 31, at the Gardner Field Chapel in Taft, Calif.

Marriage vows were exchanged in a double-ring ceremony with Lt. Estes L. Lewis, chaplain, officiating. The bride was given in marriage by Sgt. J. R. Cawyer. Mrs. Cawyer was matron of honor. Witnessing the ceremony were members of Pvt. Gracey's squadron.

Miss Gleghorn, who was reared in the Pecos Valley and who is a graduate of Artesia High School, chose a smart, black, street frock for her wedding dress, with which she wore matching accessories and a corsage of white carnations. Mrs. Cawyer wore a pink alpaca street dress, with rust accessories and a corsage of pink gladioli.

Mrs. Cawyer presided at a reception held immediately after the wedding in the study of the chapel.

Pvt. Gracey is a member of the 329th School Squadron at Gardner Field in Taft. Mrs. Gracey expects to remain on the West Coast as long as her husband is located there.

RUTH STEADMON IS IN CHARGE VOGUE BEAUTY

The Vogue Beauty Shoppe on South Roselawn here has been sold by Mrs. Elzie Crews of Roswell to Mrs. C. Roberts of Roswell.

Miss Ruth Steadmon, formerly of Roswell, an experienced beauty operator, is managing the shop.

President State Federation Women's Clubs Will Make Official Visit Here



MRS. FRED E. DENNIS, State President

Mrs. Fred E. Dennis of Clovis, president of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs, will make her official visit to the Pecos Valley clubs next week and to the Artesia clubs at a joint call meeting Thursday afternoon at the clubhouse.

Mrs. Dennis will visit the Carlsbad Club Tuesday and will be accompanied by Mrs. C. R. Blocker, treasurer of the New Mexico Federation, for a visit to the Roswell clubs. In Roswell, Mrs. Dennis and Mrs. Blocker will be luncheon guests of Mrs. Jefferson D. Atwood, a member of the board of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

She will visit the Dexter and Hagerman clubs at a joint meeting to be held in Dexter Friday.

Mrs. Dennis has recently returned from the annual board meeting of the General Federation held in Washington, D. C., and from a trip to Albuquerque where final arrangements were made for the annual state convention to be held there in May.

Senior and Junior club members are requested to remember the call meeting for next Thursday when Mrs. Dennis will make her official visit here. The meeting has been called for 2:30 p. m.

P.E.O. Sisterhood Has Valentine Party at Howard Stroup Home

Members of Chapter "J," P.E.O. sisterhood, entertained with a delightful Valentine party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stroup Friday evening, complimenting their husbands. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Stroup were Mrs. S. W. Gilbert and Mrs. M. C. Ross.

The spacious home was decorated for the occasion with the Valentine motif predominating. About forty members and guests enjoyed Bingo and other games.

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Mrs. Murrill to Make Official Visit Feb. 20

Mrs. Mark Murrill of Scituate, Mass., national president of the American Legion Auxiliary, will make her official visit to New Mexico Friday, Feb. 20, at the American Legion hut in Roswell.

All members of the Legion and Auxiliary are urged to attend. Those wishing to go are asked to contact Mrs. Frank Smith, phone 408, by Sunday so reservations can be made for the banquet.

Snow in Mountains Attracts Ski Fans

A beautiful snow on the ground Tuesday morning and more which fell with a report that much more snow fell in the mountains west of the city, ski fans were expected to spend the week end in Cloudercroft and on the Ruidoso, that is those who feel lucky enough to take a fling at winter sports, though facing rigid tire rationing.

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Jimmie Dew Honored At Birthday Party Saturday Afternoon

Jimmie Dew, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Dew, celebrated his seventh birthday anniversary Saturday with a birthday party at the home of his parents.

The afternoon was spent in playing several amusing games. Jimmie was presented many handsome gifts.

Those present sharing the occasion were Melva Ann and Merwin Morgan, Billy Ray and Jimmy Bynum, Norberta Yeager, Jean Coll, Clenton Bean, Larry Duncan, Ginger Carder, Doyal Cole, Francis Eddie Atwood, Bob Stuart, Sue and John Sudderth, Louise, James Walter and David Johnson, Donald Shultz and Yvonne Dew.

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Fortune Gallo is becoming as blasé as the Metropolitan in the matter of repertoire and openings, and he has a right to be, for he is a success in the business of opera. His company has reached a certain admirable level of endeavor and achievement and many of the San Carlo performances are phenomenally brilliant. A pioneer in bringing opera to the masses of the country, Gallo has lived to see grand opera one of the most popular of entertainments and to see arias from operas introduced in sound pictures. Gallo is the one person who is not amazed at the present vogue for opera at popular prices. He says that opera asks for little consideration of any kind, and the most casual hearer is helped in his listening to the music of the great composers by pictures, personalities, action and text.

The box office in Hotel Cortez is open from 9 to 5 o'clock each day. The opera this season is sponsored by the El Paso Opera Guild, of which Major Richard Burgess is president. Mrs. Hallett Johnson manages the opera performances. Reservations may be made with her by mail at Hotel Cortez.

Faust will be sung at 2:50 o'clock in the afternoon and Carmen at the night performance, starting at 8:20 o'clock. There is a brilliant ballet with each opera.

D. E. Buckles was out on the streets Monday for the first time since before Christmas. Mr. Buckles was critically ill of pneumonia, confining him to his home for several weeks.

Mary Catherine Pottorff, 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Pottorff, who has been ill of pneumonia for the last week, is reported to be much improved.

Mrs. Lloyd Evans left Tuesday for Tulsa, Okla., where she will visit home folks. She went at this time to visit a brother who has been called to foreign service. Mr. Evans took her to Roswell and she traveled by bus from there.



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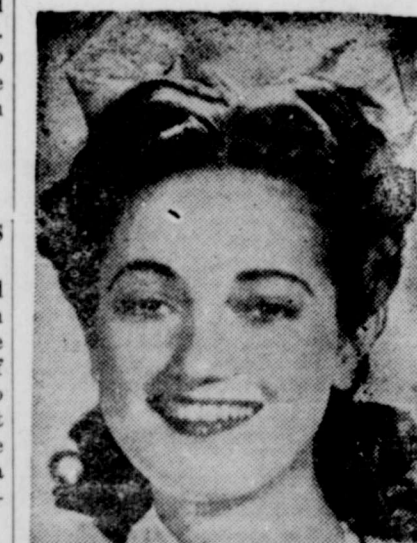
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SOCIETY.

Major Kelly Is Guest Speaker At Junior Club

Major J. R. Kelly of the New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell was guest speaker at the meeting of the Artesia Junior Woman's Club at the clubhouse Wednesday evening with the public invited.

Major Kelly spoke on "The Importance of Studying History." He gave the facts of many historical events, saying that many of them have been glamorized too much and grown into something exciting. Major Kelly said history was not to memorize but we should study it to gain the feeling of courage and strength needed to gain the double victory against the unchristian forces of today.

Preceding the program Miss Helen Louise Wells, accompanied by Virgene Gates at the piano, played "La Boheme," and Lewis W. Story, accompanied by Mrs. Gates, played "Ave Maria."

Mrs. S. P. Yates, program chairman, introduced the speaker of the evening.

Coffee and cookies were served at the close of the meeting.

Church Activities

Methodist Women

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met last Thursday at the church for an all-day meeting and covered dish luncheon at the noon hour.

At the business meeting plans were discussed for an enchilada supper, which will be at the church Wednesday, Feb. 25, and for the "World Day of Prayer," which will be Friday, Feb. 20, when the ladies parlor of the church will be arranged for a prayer room and will be open all day.

Mrs. Harry Jorden was leader of the program and worship service on "Prayer and Fellowship." Mrs. Fred Jacobs gave an interesting discussion on "Minority Groups" and Mrs. J. W. Webb gave a talk on "Cooperation and Living together Peaceably."

Twenty-five members and a guest, Mrs. W. E. Gordon, were present.

Presbyterian Women

Mrs. R. L. Paris was hostess to the Presbyterian Woman's Association, which met last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Warren Collins was leader of the worship service. Mrs. Vernon Bryan, assisted by Mrs. Ross Wedemeyer, gave a discussion on "Negroes in America," and Mrs. William Linell gave a talk on "Africa."

At the close of the meeting Mrs. Paris served refreshments to thirty-seven members and a guest.

Catholic Society

The Catholic Altar Society met last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Dougherty for its regular monthly meeting.

Mrs. Walter Nugent, president, presided at the business meeting. Several committees for the year were appointed at this time.

Other members who were present were Mrs. John Mauer, Mrs. J. Clark Bruce, Mrs. L. A. DeLouche and Miss Grace Wetig.

Intermediate G. A.

The Intermediate G. A. of the First Baptist Church met with Doris Goddard Monday afternoon.

"Honesty" was the subject of the round table discussion led by Doris. Those present were the teachers, Mrs. James Dew and Mrs. Walter Johnson, and members of the class, Dorothy Cassidy, Katherine Pope, Josephine Stewig and Cladys Holly.

Woman's Bible Class

Mrs. J. C. Floore entertained the Woman's Bible Class of the First Baptist Church at her home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. J. D. Josey was co-hostess.

Mrs. F. P. Turner presided at the business meeting and Mrs. Josey led the worship service.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to Mmes. Turner, N. H. Cabot, Ben Wilson, Don Morris, Emma Collins, J. M. Story, J. Hise Myers, J. C. Jesse, Frank Wilson, Robert Corbin, Nell EdleGeorge, Harve Muncy and C. E. Mann and Lillian McNeil and Mrs. Mercy and Mrs. Lucky.

MRS. ADAMS HOSTESS KONGENIAL KARD KLUB

Mrs. H. C. Adams was hostess to the Kongenial Kard Klub Friday afternoon. Substituting guests were Mrs. Florence McDorman, Mrs. George Beadle and Mrs. Charles Morgan.

Members present were Mrs. M. A. Lapsley, Mrs. L. A. DeLouche, Mrs. Foster Hurst and Mrs. Hugh Elvin.

A dessert course was served at the close of the games. Mrs. Elvin received high score award, Mrs. Hurst, second, and Mrs. Morgan, low.

Garden Notes For February

For double enjoyment of your Christmas azalea plants which blossom for several weeks indoors if given proper care, plant them in the early spring in the shady nooks of your yards.

If planted in almost pure peat moss, mixed with a little soil, azaleas will bloom off and on nearly the whole year, even though their peak of blooms is in February.

This is the season of the year to look after your perennials, by placing sand and gravel around them to prevent mud and dirt from collecting in the crowns. It is also the time to divide perennials, including delphiniums, phlox, daisies and many others.

Plant pansies right now for continuous blooms in March, April, May and June, for it takes more than a month for them to take root for flowering after replanting.

Tuberous vegetables can be planted now, such as parsnips, beets, early turnips, Swiss chard, carrots and radishes. Growing a portion of our own food in our gardens is going to be an important thing in this time of war.

MRS. AIDE ENTERTAINS THE 1937 BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. H. Aide entertained members of the 1937 Bridge Club Friday afternoon.

Those present were Mrs. D. A. Miller, Mrs. Neil B. Watson, Mrs. L. P. Evans, Mrs. E. N. Bigler, Mrs. Fay Hardeman, Mrs. Stanley Blocker, Mrs. Tom Sivley and Mrs. C. J. Dexter.

A dessert course was served at the close of the games of contract. Mrs. Sivley held high score of the afternoon and Mrs. Bigler, second.

THE GIRLS AUXILIARY ENJOY PARTY MONDAY

The Girls Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church enjoyed a tea Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Ransbarger with Mrs. Garland Stuart co-hostess.

The young ladies came dressed to resemble their mothers. Games were played during the afternoon.

Those present were Bobbie Clem, Hazel Burton, Imogene New, Joan Bivins, Barbara Harrell, Yvonne Dunlap, Virginia Thorp, Laverne Grimlan, Eloise New, Nona Awalt, Wilhelmina Stewig, Jimmie Thorp, Maxine Ashton, Carolyn Sue Suddarth, Gwendolyn Heguer and Louise Johnson.

MISS MURDOCH HOSTESS TO JUST-A-MERE CLUB

The Just-A-Mere Bridge Club Monday evening at the home of Miss Natalie Murdoch at 1111 West Richardson.

The decorations and refreshments served carried out the Valentine motif.

Those present were Misses Shelia Higgins, Pearl Naanes, Isabelle Macdonald, Gertrude Finley, Edna Drury, Hilda Kletke, Alma Sue Felix, Helen Gorman, and Alyce Erickson and Mrs. M. A. Mapes, Jr., all members, and Miss Pattie Kemper, a guest of the club.

Miss Higgins received high score prize, and Miss Gorman, club prize.

THE D.G.B. RUMMY CLUB ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Members and guests of the D.G.B. Rummy Club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. D. Sharp.

Those present were Mrs. Florence McDorman and Mrs. Florence Fletcher, guests of the club and Mrs. A. M. Archer, Mrs. F. E. Painter, Mrs. F. E. Pennell, Mrs. E. P. Luck, Mrs. W. S. Hogsett and Mrs. Clarence Connor, all members.

At the close of the rummy games Mrs. Fletcher held high score of the guests and Mrs. Painter high for the members.

Woman's Club Will Have Open Meeting; Public Is Invited

The regular meeting of the Artesia Woman's Club next Wednesday will be held in the evening at 8 o'clock, an open meeting, with the public invited to hear Dr. W. S. Dando of Carlsbad, who will speak on "Alien Blooded Americans."

Dr. Dando will have a message which should interest every American citizen. The Woman's Club invites those interested to hear him.

Hospital News

Carpers Have Daughter

A daughter, Claire Frances, was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carper. She weighed 7 pounds 2 ounces at birth. The baby is a granddaughter of Mayor and Mrs. Emery Carper.

Conner Daughter Born

Mr. and Mrs. George Conner of 1107 Washington are the parents of a daughter, born Tuesday and weighing 7 pounds 6 ounces.

Bolton Going Home

V. D. Bolton, prominent Artesia business man, who has been quite ill the last nine months, was brought Sunday from an El Paso hospital to Artesia Memorial Hospital, from where he is to be taken to his home today. He is improving nicely and is in good spirits.

Mrs. Joe Bradley of 922 South Second, who underwent an operation Sunday, was reported this morning in good condition.

Mrs. D. G. O'Bannon, a surgical patient, is improving nicely.

Mrs. William Carmer, wife of the caretaker of the Artesia Goat Ropers Club, suffered the fracture of both bones above her left ankle Wednesday while visiting at Hope and now is a patient in the hospital.

Lillian Sanchez, 18, underwent an appendicitis operation Tuesday. She is doing nicely.

Mrs. G. F. Brigner of Loco Hills, a patient at the hospital Sunday

Boy Scout News

Troop 8—By Dwight Arnall

At our regular weekly meeting Tuesday, the patrols of troop 8 were completely reorganized and Fritz Hannah, Jerry Perry and Charles Rowland were named patrol leaders.

The Scouts of Artesia policed the town Saturday and the following offices were held by members of troop 8: Chief of police, Robert McAnally; aldermen, Dwight Duvall, Lewis Ogg and Johnnie Lanning; engineer, Fritz Hannah; attorney, Jerry Perry. A considerable sum was raised through small fines on traffic violations and with it we purchased various camping and cooking equipment. We have planned an over-night hike for Feb. 20.

On Monday, Feb. 9, at the monthly court of honor the following advancements were made by Scouts of troop 8: First class, Dwight Arnall; second class, Jerry Perry. Robert McAnally presented his application for the rank of Eagle Scout.

Troops 8 and 28 have been presented a complete set of "The Progress of Nations," for which we are very grateful to the three local business men who gave them to us. All boys interested in the Boy Scouts are invited to come to the high school gymnasium next Tuesday.

and Monday, was taken home the latter day, much improved.

Eileen and Eileen Marshall, 5-year-old daughters of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Marshall, had their tonsils removed Saturday and were taken home on Sunday.

Norma Jean, Joe Edward and Charles Leon Sessum, children of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sessum of the Cottonwood, underwent tonsillectomies Saturday. They were taken home Sunday.

Sandra Sue, 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gordon Smalley of Loco Hills, was a medical patient Sunday and Monday.

M. F. Williams was a patient at the hospital Friday and Saturday because of minor injuries sustained while at work.

Bulldogs Drop Two More Cage Games During the Week

Lose to Tucumcari There Friday and to Roswell Here on Tuesday

The Artesia Bulldog cage team continued its losing streak the last week, dropping two more games, making it six consecutive, after winning the first three out of four games since the holidays. Tucumcari won over Artesia Friday evening 41 to 24 and Roswell defeated the Bulldogs on the floor here Tuesday evening 50 to 42.

In the Tucumcari game the Bulldogs took the lead in the first quarter, dropping two more games, making it six consecutive, after winning the first three out of four games since the holidays. Tucumcari won over Artesia Friday evening 41 to 24 and Roswell defeated the Bulldogs on the floor here Tuesday evening 50 to 42.

Artesia's boxscore against Tucumcari:

	fg	ft	pf	tp
Swift, f	2	1	3	5
Brown, f	0	0	1	0
Champion, f	0	0	1	0
Owen, f	4	2	0	10
House, c	3	3	3	9
Ferguson, g	0	0	3	0
Feather, c	0	0	0	0
Mills, g	0	0	1	0
Price, c	0	0	3	0
Totals	9	6	15	24

High-point man for Tucumcari was Chafin, all-state center, who made seventeen.

The Bulldogs stepped out against Roswell Tuesday evening the first two quarters, which ended 17 to 11 and 27 to 26. But the visitors far outscored Artesia in the closing periods, running up a nine-point lead of 41 to 32 at the end of the

Livestock Report

The livestock report on the Kansas City market:

Hogs: Salable 2,000; total 2,000; fairly active uneven, 10-25 higher than previous day's average; top 12.35 to all; part load 12.40; good to choice 170-260 lbs. 12.25-35; 270-325 lbs. 12.00-25; bulk 11.10-50.

Cattle: Salable 4,200; total 4,325; calves: salable and total 500; fed steers and yearlings generally steady; strictly good to choice offerings scarce in supply she stock little changed; slow on good grades cows; lower grades fairly active; stocker and feeder classes scarce in fresh receipts; slow steady; early sales medium and good grade fed steers 10.50-12.35; several lots medium short fed dogies 9.25-10.25; part load choice light weight steers held around 13.75; load 925 lb. Nebraska heifers 12.60; several loads good heifers 11.00-12.00; medium to good cows 8.50-9.25; good to choice vealers 12.50-14.50, very few to city butchers 15.00.

Sheep: Salable and total 6,000; limited early trade fed lambs steady at 11.75-12.00.

third, while Artesia gained a point on them in the final quarter.

Bulldog boxscore against Roswell:

	fg	ft	pf	tp
Swift, f	5	1	1	11
Brown, f	0	0	0	0
Owen, f	4	4	3	12
Champion, f	1	0	0	2
House, c	5	1	1	11
Ferguson, g	0	0	4	0
Harmon, g	2	1	1	5
Feather, c	0	1	0	1
Totals	17	8	10	42

Kelly, Roswell center, ran up twenty points for high-score man of his team.

The Bulldogs will play at Capitán Friday and against Hope here next Tuesday.

MR. AND MRS. M'CRORY TO GO TO NEBRASKA

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McCrory, who sold their farm south of Artesia to Joe Torres last fall, are leaving this week for Nebraska, with no definite plans for the future in mind.

Torres took possession of the farm Dec. 1.

McCrory formerly was pastor of the First Presbyterian Church here, but has farmed the last few years.

W. E. Kerr went to Santa Fe Sunday on business, returning home Monday evening.



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Feb. 16

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Cooperating with Uncle Sam in the war effort, and in order to conserve delivery equipment and tires, the independent food stores of Artesia are taking this step by mutual agreement.

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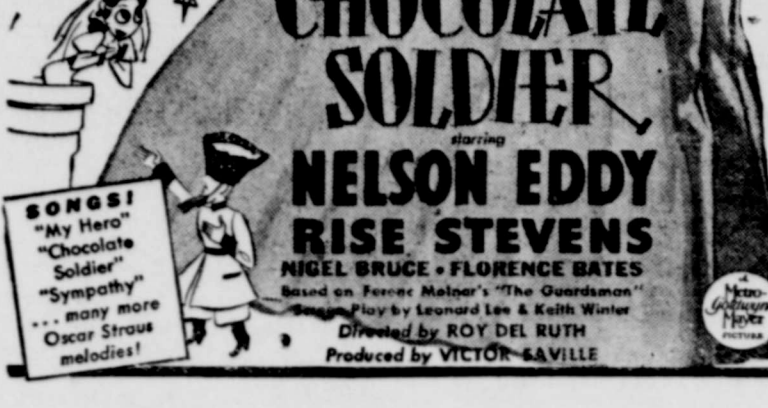
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Pix Rhapsody

By Mary Jane

The "escape" from the turmoil of present-day problems to realms of romance and music, which is an important need of audiences today, is answered in "Smilin' Through," the M-G-M film opening Sunday at the Ocotillo Theater, starring Jeanette MacDonald and Brian Aherne, with Gene Raymond.

Filmed in Technicolor and replete with some of the most delightful music ever to reach the screen, sung by Miss MacDonald, "Smilin' Through" presents the star in the dual part of the old-fashioned heroine, Mooneyan, and her modern niece, Kathleen. It is the death of Mooneyan on her wedding day to Aherne, who enacts the role of Sir John Carteret, which forms the basis of the story of a love that endured fifty years and conquered death.

Aherne does the finest work of his career as Sir John, and his change from a young man of 20 to one of 70 is the most realistic acting characterization the screen has yet seen. Miss MacDonald has never been more beautiful than as Mooneyan, and her death scene is one which will go down as one of the screen's finest artistic accomplishments.

From Athletics To Clergy, Then Army Service

The Albuquerque Tribune recently in its "Service Men and Sports" department, by "Major Morale," devoted a portion of the column to the Rev. F. B. Howden, now on leave as rector of Saint Paul's Episcopal Mission here while serving as a chaplain in the Army. It read:

"Of particular interest to us today was the fact that Capt. F. B. Howden, Jr., is serving as a chaplain in the Philippines. Before he took up his calling in the Episcopal Church, Capt. Howden pursued a busy and successful athletic career. "At Yale he was a member of the freshman football and crew teams. Swimming was his favorite sport and he served as captain of the Yale water polo team. After his college days, he maintained his interest in swimming and was captain of the New York Athletic Club water polo team. About 1927, Capt. Howden was an All-American water polo captain.

"The Howden family has resided here many years. Capt. Howden's father, the late Frederick B. Howden, was Episcopal bishop of the New Mexico diocese. Two of his sisters, Misses Margaret and Esther Howden, and a brother, William Howden, reside in Albuquerque."

When driving watch your P's and Q's Or you'll be wearing out your shoes!

HORSES CONSIGNED TO SALE AT CLOVIS

More than 100 head of horses were moved through Artesia the first of the week, consigned to a public auction at Clovis by John Fuller of Weed and Jess Bell and Jernigan Bros. of Pinon and others. Fuller also sold forty head of hogs, averaging ninety pounds, to local feeders Saturday. They brought \$11.65 a hundred.

Don't rush — it's better to kill time than people. In other words, go slow and save woe.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF D. S. MARTIN, Deceased. No. 1025

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the undersigned has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of D. S. Martin, deceased, and qualified as such on the 4th day of February, 1942.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same within six months from February 5th, 1942, the date of the first publication of this notice, or said claims will be barred.

CHARLES R. MARTIN, Executor 6-4t-9

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF WILLIAM SCHNEIDER, Deceased. No. 1004

NOTICE OF HEARING UPON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT OF ELIZABETH SCHNEIDER, EXECUTRIX.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Elizabeth Schneider, Arthur D. Schneider, William R. Schneider, George Schneider, Mrs. Hester Terpening, Russell Schneider, Earl Schneider, all the unknown heirs of William Schneider, deceased, and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon, or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent, GREETING:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That Elizabeth Schneider has filed her final account and report as executrix of the last will and testament of William Schneider, deceased, together with her petition praying for her discharge as such executrix; that the Honorable J. T. Hardin, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, has set the 24th day of March, 1942, 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 to said final report. That on said day named, 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 there-

in, and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof.

Neil B. Watson, whose address is Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney for the executrix.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court on this 4th day of February, 1942.

MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk and Ex Officio Clerk of the Probate Court. By Dotte C. Craft, Deputy. (SEAL) 6-4t-9

NOTICE OF SUIT

No. 7753 STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF EDDY

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

Charlotte Marjory Jones, Plaintiff versus Robert Guy Jones, Defendant, impleaded with the following named defendant against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: Robert Guy Jones, Defendant.

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: The above named defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby notified that a certain cause wherein you are defendant has been filed on the civil docket in the District Court of Eddy County, State of New Mexico and is now pending against you; that the general object and purpose of said suit is to obtain a decree of absolute divorce against you and for the restoration of the plaintiff's maiden name, Charlotte Marjory Gresser and you are hereby notified that unless you enter or cause to be entered your appearance in said cause on or before March 12, 1942 judgment will be rendered against you in said cause by default.

The name of the Plaintiff's attorney is James F. Warden and his office and post office address is number 292-3 Smith Building, Artesia, New Mexico. Given under my hand and the seal of the District Court of Eddy County, State of New Mexico this 27th day of January, 1942.

ETHEL M. HIGSMITH, Clerk 5-4t-8

NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-1439 & 1527 A. Cons.

Santa Fe, N. M., January 27, 1942.

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of January, 1942, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, B. E. Spencer of Artesia, Eddy County, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to Change Place of Use of Shallow Groundwater authorized under Permit RA-1545, from 80 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision, South 15 acres in NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 31, Township 15 S., Range 26 E., 15 acres; Subdivision, North 14 acres in NW 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 31, Township 15 S., Range 26 E., 14 acres; Total 29 acres; to 29 acres of land described as follows: Subdivision, SE 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 31, Township 15 S., Range 26 E., 1.00 acre; Subdivision, Part W 1/4 SE 1/4 W. of Highway, Section 31, Township 15 S., Range 26 E., 2.00 acres; Subdivision, Part W 1/4 SW 1/4 SW 1/4,

Section 31, Township 15 S., Range 26 E., 2.50 acres; Subdivision, Part W 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 31, Township 15 S., Range 26 E., 5.50 acres; Subdivision, Part of Lot 1, Section 4, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 18.00 acres; Total 29.00 acres.

This is not an application for any new appropriation of water but is merely for the purpose of correcting an error in description of land which was made when applicant first advertised application for change in place of use on May 17, 1941.

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 within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application for final consideration unless protested is the 9th day of March, 1942.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer 6-3t-8

NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-1545 & 2013 Cons.

Santa Fe, N. M., January 27, 1942.

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of January, 1942, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, B. E. Spencer of Artesia, Eddy County, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to Change Location of Shallow Groundwater Well from Well RA-1545, located in NE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 3, Township 19 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., to Well RA-2013, located in the NE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 17, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, for the purpose of effecting a change in place of shallow groundwater as described hereinafter.

Applicant also proposes to Change Place of Use of Shallow Groundwater authorized under Permit RA-1545, from 80 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision, NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 2, Township 19 S., Range 26 E., 40 acres; subdivision NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 3, Township 19 S., Range 26 E., 40 acres; total 80 acres; to 30 acres of land described as follows: Subdivision, Part of N 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 17, Township 18 S., Range 26 E., 20.00 acres; subdivision, part of NE 1/4 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 17, Township 18 S., Range 26 E., 2.50 acres; subdivision Part of E 1/4 SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 8, Township 18 S., Range 26 E., 7.50 acres; subdivision, part of SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 9, Township 18 S., Range 26 E., 15.00 acres; subdivision, SE 1/4 SW 1/4 W. of R. R., Section 9, Township 18 S., Range 26 E., 25.00 acres; subdivision, Part NE 1/4 SW 1/4 W. of R. R., Section 9, Township 18 S., Range 26 E., 10.00 acres; total 80.00 acres.

This is not an application for any new appropriation of underground water but is merely for the purposes set forth hereinabove as applicant has already acquired rights to all water involved. 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. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application for final consideration unless protested is the 9th day of March, 1942.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer. 6-3t-8

NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-1513

Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 5, 1942. Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of January, 1942, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, John F. Runyan of Artesia, Eddy County, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to change place of use of shallow groundwater authorized under Permit RA-1513 from 25 acres of land described as Part of SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 5, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., to 25 acres of land described as a Part of NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 8, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M.

This is not an application for any new appropriation of underground water but is merely for a change in place of use as applicant has already acquired rights to use of waters involved under File RA-1513.

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. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application for final consideration unless protested is the 17th day of March, 1942.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer 7-3t-9

NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-1462 & RA-2013 Cons.

Santa Fe, N. M., January 27, 1942.

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of January, 1942,

in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, B. E. Spencer of Artesia, Eddy County, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to Change Location of Shallow Groundwater Well from Well RA-1462, located in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 9, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., to well RA-2013, located in the NE 1/4 NE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 17, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of effecting a Change in Place of Use of 45 acre feet of shallow water per annum authorized under Permit RA-1462, and further described hereinafter.

Applicant also proposes to Change Place of Shallow Groundwater from 15 acres of land under RA-1462, and described as the South 15 acres lying along the west side of NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 9, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., to 15 acres of land in SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of said Section 9.

This is not an application for any new appropriation of underground water, but is merely for the purposes set forth hereinabove, as applicant already has rights to water involved under File RA-1462. 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.

The date set for the State Engineer to take this application for final consideration unless protested is the 9th day of March, 1942.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer 6-3t-8

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THOMAS SID COX, Deceased. No. 1036

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Thomas Sid Cox, deceased, and has duly qualified as such.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same within six months from February 12th, 1942, the date of the first publication of this notice, or said claim will be barred.

CALVIN P. DUNN, Administrator 7-4t-10

Dakota; Jane Brown, Chamberlin, South Dakota; Hiram Neatherlin, Hope, New Mexico; Clyde Neatherlin, Carlsbad, New Mexico; Ruth Lee, Lakewood, New Mexico, and the unknown heirs of Mary J. Brown, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Leta McGonagill, administratrix of the Estate of Nancy J. Brown, deceased, has filed her Final Account and Report in the above entitled matter as such administratrix, with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, and the Probate Judge of said County has fixed the 26th day of March, 1942, 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 inquire into said Final Account and Report; and if found to be correct, will approve the same and discharge the administratrix, and will also proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent and the ownership of his estate and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof as provided by law; that anyone who has any objections to said Final Account and Report shall file the same with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before said date of final hearing.

G. U. McCrary, whose postoffice address is Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney for said administratrix. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on this 10th day of February, 1942.

MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk 7-4t-10

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What the Boys Write Home Through The Advocate

(The outfit names and numbers of all men whose letters appear in this department will be omitted starting today. Friends and relatives will be given the complete addresses, if they are known, by calling at this office.)

January 23, 1942
To The Advocate:

Though I do not qualify as an expert on the subject of "Life in the Army," I have been sufficiently processed, drilled and paraded to know it ain't bad, not bad at all. As a matter of fact, if it weren't for the remote possibility of sudden death, I'd recommend that every young, able-bodied citizen enlist in the United States Army, for his health. I mean male citizens, of course, no females now being allowed to enjoy the benefits of army life. (Which is one of the worst aspects of the Army, in my purely personal opinion.)

However, to return to the subject, I shall attempt to list the brighter aspects, starting with:

Food — While the quality may not quite reach the standards of a \$1.25 blue plate, as served in the better joints on the Main Stem, no superlative can adequately describe the quantity of food served up to the common, or private, soldier. We eat somewhere between the upper and middle classes of people—and more than either. If this war were to be decided by food, the United States of America would win in two weeks. So, if you who are about to be drafted, are worried about army food, banish all worries, unless you are subject to acute indigestion.

Clothing—Since the start of the war no members of the armed forces are allowed out of uniform (therefore cannot cross a border, which is beside the point.) The uniform consists primarily of woolen goods, in your size. The days of "too large" and "too small" are gone with the days of yore. (These are days of gore—the roaring forties, to make a simile.) I don't mean that your uniform will be tailored, but it will fit, or the officer who inspects you will give somebody hell. You get complete outfits, including three pairs of two-pound shoes, shirts, in two colors, pants, with an iron-bound crease, blouse, jacket, raincoat, overcoat, three suits of "Blue Dukes," or denims (for fatigue duty), and sundry other articles, such as ties, socks and handkerchiefs, as well as roomy, non-binding underwear.

Shelter—If you like companionship, you'll like army quarters. Your private domain extends no farther than your individual cot, but this is a healthy situation, conducive to cooperation and comradeship, not to speak of craps and poker.

Entertainment—Having covered the three prime requisites of livelihood, I'll now give you the brighter side of Life in the Army. You have on each post a recreation hall, where you will find pool and ping-pong tables, usually occupied. Here also are found magazines, soft drinks and books in quantity. Then there are picture shows, with very cheap rates. And in the nearest town the U.S.O. clubs, which furnish free stationery, girls to dance with (you get three steps and are cut in on) and free coffee.

One of the favorite recreations of the soldier is, however, reading letters from home—so to those at home, write the boys you kissed good-bye. As for the girlish angle of entertainment, which seems to be the most publicized point because of an apparent lack of feminine sympathy for soldiers, don't let it worry you. You can, strangely enough, get along very nicely without women, for long periods.

And I'll briefly mention discipline—Having had nearly a month and a half of experience, I can think you were born tired? If so, maybe it's only a misguided thought and it's really the wrong way you stand and sit that wears you out. To find out the right way, read the informative article on posture, scientifically illustrated, in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next week's Los Angeles Examiner. 7-1tx

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Four yourself a teaspoon of Buckley's CANADIOL Mixture—let it lie on your tongue a moment then swallow slowly. Feel its quick powerful effective action spread through throat, head and bronchial tubes. Acts like a flash. Right away it starts to loosen thick, choking phlegm and open up clogged bronchial tubes. Over 10 million bottles sold in cold wintry Canada. A single slip will tell you why. Spend 45 cents today at Artesia Pharmacy—C. E. Mann Drug Co., or any drug store for a bottle of Buckley's CANADIOL Mixture.

state positively that the Army will not subject a normal citizen to over-rigorous hardships. In short, the work is easy, you can learn a lot, particularly cooperation, and the drill sergeants, contrary to popular opinion, are no tougher and usually not as tough, as football coaches, if you would like a nice comparison.

And so there you have it — a quick summary of Life in the Army. Take it or leave it. And don't be afraid of the draft. You never feel it after you're once in the Army.

As for myself, I'm now at Camp Callan, about fifteen miles North of San Diego, in the Torrey Pines, and right on the Pacific Coast. It's very beautiful and the weather has been perfect. (Note: Please delete that. It's secret military information. This paragraph should read: I am now at Camp Callan, in California, learning how to be a Coast Artilleryman, and I should like to hear from anyone in Artesia. All gifts, I might mention, are accepted and appreciated by the entire platoon.)

Yours very sincerely,
Arlene Reno

(Addressed to Hollis G. Watson, the following letter from Charles Denton should carry considerable weight with Artesia people the next time it is necessary to have a drive for the USO. Denton now is somewhere on the West Coast.)

Dear Hollis:

As fourteen cars of us soldiers ride along the California desert from Fort Bliss to Camp Roberts with every blind on the train pulled down tight, I just thought I would drop you a line, mainly to let you know that the soldiers get more help and attention from the USO than any other organization I know of. I'm sure you like to help all the organizations that are worth while and, believe me, any effort that is put out in expanding the USO is not in vain.

I was a member on the committee there in Artesia that first started the drive, but I didn't realize that it would ever help the boys as much as it does. Whoever is heading that committee there now can take my word that every minute of their time put in on this just helps make life that much more pleasant for the boys, and God knows they need some recreation.

I don't suppose the armed forces ever were working as fast as they are today. Thousands of boys are entering and leaving the reception center there at Fort Bliss every week.

We left there last night at 8 o'clock and have stopped only once, which was in Tucson. We aren't allowed to raise a blind at all. In fact they are all fastened down tight.

This train is so rough I can hardly write, so please excuse the handwriting and I'll try to drop you a line from time to time as I always figured you were so interested in the boys who really tried to accomplish something.

Yours truly,
Charles Denton

Cottonwood Items

(Ora Buck)

Mrs. D. A. Bradley has been on the sick list for several days.

Glenn O'Bannon of here transacted business in Carlsbad Saturday.

Mrs. Addie Shultz and daughter, Ethel, were business visitors in Carlsbad Monday.

Cleo Johnson was an over-night guest of Evelyn Parnell Tuesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chambers of Cottonwood were transacting business in Roswell one day last week.

Armstrong & Armstrong have purchased the K. A. Bivens farm on Cottonwood. The sale was announced last week.

The Lake Arthur basketball team won 11 to 10 over the Cottonwood

team on the Cottonwood court last Thursday afternoon.

Beginning Monday Cottonwood School is starting classes twenty minutes earlier and all children are urged to meet the bus twenty minutes earlier than usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Johnson are the parents of a daughter, born Wednesday of last week, the little miss is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Johnson.

Mrs. George Campbell of Carlsbad visited Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon Saturday. Mrs. O'Bannon, who has been a patient at Artesia Memorial Hospital for more than a week, is somewhat improved.

J. V. Starkey has been employed as basketball coach at Lake Arthur High School, succeeding Coach Ross Wilson, who resigned to take a position in the oil business. Coach Starkey came from Pleasant Hill in Curry County.

The Roswell Chamber of Commerce will give an entertainment program at Lake Arthur Friday night. The play this year is "M'Liss," and special numbers also will be given. The cast of "M'Liss" is composed of Maurine Wilson, Bill Purdy, W. C. Taylor, Warren Cobean, Phyllis Cromitt, Gayle Woolridge, Bob Chearning, Avalon Lannon, Oscar Green and Jeanette Yarnell, the last of whom is formerly of Cottonwood.

The Cottonwood Woman's Club met last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ray Zumwalt. Mrs. Jesse I. Funk, president, presided at the business meeting. An interesting program, "Hill Billy," was given by Mrs. Funk and Mrs. Frank Newman. They also gave this same program at a meeting of the county council at Carlsbad. Miss Phyllis White, Eddy County home demonstration agent, gave a discussion on "Planning Meals for Health and Economy." Guests of the club were Mrs. O. E. Puckett, Mrs. Emma Krentz and Misses Margaret and Alma Lane. Members present were Mrs. John Morgan, Mrs. Ed Parnell, Mrs. G. G. Golden, Mrs. Tom Terry, Mrs. Frank Newman, Mrs. Jesse I. Funk, Mrs. Willis Berry, Mrs. Bill Ross, Mrs. James Thigpen, Mrs. Orval Gray and Mrs. Charlie Buck. The March meeting will be at the home of Mrs. John Morgan.

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The Who, When, Where, How, What About Those Income Tax Returns

Many farmers will be liable for filing income returns and payment of taxes for the first time this year. The term "farmers" includes livestock raisers, fruit and truck growers, and operators of plantations and ranches.

Farmers may maintain their records and file their returns of income on either the cash receipts and disbursements basis or on the accrual basis of accounting. A consistent method must, however, be employed. If a cash basis is used, Form 1040F, "Schedule of Farm Income and Expenses," is required to be filled out and filed in conjunction with Form 1040.

Deductions from gross income may be made by farmers as necessary expenses, all amounts expended (other than those constituting capital expenditures) in carrying on the business of farming. Deductions for expenses include such items as cost of feeding and raising livestock (except the value of farm produce grown upon the farm and the labor of the taxpayer); cost of seed, minor repairs to farm buildings (other than the dwelling of the farmer); small tools used up in the course of a year or two; fuel oil used for farm work; repairs and maintenance of farm machinery; hired laborers and hired machines, and cost of commercial fertilizers the benefit of which is of short duration.

The cost of farm machinery, equipment and farm buildings; amounts expended in the development of farms, orchards and ranches, as well as the amounts expended in the restoration of soil fertility preparatory to actual production of crops and the cost of liming soil to increase productivity over a period of years, are capital expenditures.

Losses incurred in the operation

of farms as business enterprises are deductible from gross income. If livestock has been purchased for any purpose, and afterward dies from disease, exposure or injury, or is killed by order of the authorities of a state or the United States, the actual purchase price of such livestock, less any depreciation allowable as a deduction in respect of such perished livestock, may be deducted as a loss if the loss is not compensated by insurance or otherwise.

If gross income is ascertained by the use of inventories, no deduction can be taken separately for livestock or products lost during the year.

Tax forms may be obtained by writing the Bureau of Internal Revenue, Albuquerque.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Welch, who moved to Carlsbad a few weeks ago, and who were employees of the Pior Rubber Company here, have been employed by the Pior Rubber Company and transferred to Clovis.



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Morningside News

(Nina Tice)

Floyd Massie is ill from back trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Duncan and Mrs. Lorado Adams visited Mrs. T. R. Tice.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McAnally, who moved here recently, have returned to south of town.

J. T. Miller, son of Mrs. Francis Miller, is ill of flu. His brother, Marshal Edward, also is ill.

The Rev. B. A. Ratchford, pastor of the Church of God at Carlsbad, preached at the Church of God in Artesia Sunday.

Mrs. Bessie Phelps left this morning to join her husband in Sherman, Tex. She is the mother of Mrs. Floyd Massie.

Mrs. Emily Hipp from California, who is staying with her mother, Mrs. T. R. Tice, visited Mrs. Mable Duncan in Lake Arthur.

Ronald and Harry Price, whose mother died in December, have been visiting in Lake Arthur with

Mrs. Lorado Adams, their aunt. Therman Roy Northam, son of Mr. and Mrs. Therman Northam, has been ill of an unidentified sickness, as also has his little sister, Carol Lucille.

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January 24, 1942

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This young man is only one of a number of our employees who are now in military service. Naturally, we are proud of them and we feel a definite responsibility toward all of them.

Each one of us has a very real obligation to see to it that all resources of civilian life are thrown behind the all-out victory effort in which this nation is engaged. We must not fail this soldier and his comrades. Modern warfare demands the closest teamwork between the fighting man and the steelworker, the miner, the farmer, the business man, the housewife—all of us as a people and each of us as an individual.

Let us meet that obligation to the very utmost limit of our capacities. We can do no less.

Sincerely
Albert S. Johnson
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President

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, hatching twice a week. Book your orders now, for immediate or future delivery. McCaw Hatchery, Thirtieth and Grand. 45-tfc

FOR SALE—New and used sewing machines, parts, repairs, also rent machines. Singer Sewing Machine Agency, first door east of city hall. 2-tfc

FOR SALE—Wall paper and paint. Mayes & Company, phone 102. 3-tfc

FOR SALE—160-acre irrigated farm, flowing well, on state paved highway, electricity, water under pressure, several rent units. Modern swimming pool. Wonderful opportunity, will sell for cash or terms for less than improvements cost. Health completely gone, must change altitude. Owen Campbell. 3-tfc

FOR SALE—About seventy-five geese; almost new electric range, in good order; some good work teams. I. S. Reser. 5-3tp-7

FOR SALE—Baby chicks. Hatched every Tuesday and Friday. English White Leghorns, White Wyandottes, White Plymouth Rocks, Rhode Island Reds and Buff Orpingtons. Book your order early, as early orders are the only ones sure of getting filled when wanted. McCaw's Hatchery, one-half block south of Morris Field. 5-tfc

FOR SALE—Poultry equipment and supplies. Merit All-Mash Starter, growing mash, broiler mash and laying mash. Dr. Salisbury's poultry medicines and disinfectants, brooder stoves, feeders and fountains. McCaw's Hatchery, one-half block south of Morris Field. 5-tfc

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FOR SALE—Lots located on West side South highway to Carlsbad and South Cook Apartments. Apply to Jesse F. Cook, at Cook Apartments. 5-tfc

FOR SALE—Two lots next to Legion hut. Doc Loucks. 5-3tp-7

FOR SALE—Pomona water-lubricated turbine pump. Will slip inside 8-inch well casing. Capacity 600 gpm. W. R. Hornbaker. 5-tfc

FOR SALE—Modern 8-unit Tourist Court and Cafe, near Carlsbad Caverns on Highway 62. I am sick and must sell. No reasonable cash offer refused. Le Bleu Cavern Courts, Carlsbad, N. Mex. 5-3tc-7

FOR SALE—Twenty-acre irrigated farm, Artesian well. Six-room house, fair outbuildings, nice location, one-half mile city limits. Fred Beckwith, Artesia, N. Mex. 6-2tp-7

FOR SALE—Good bundle and stacked feed at the Blocker farm. R. E. Bisbee, tenant, 3 1/4 miles from Artesia. Inquire, Mrs. C. R. Blocker at The Artesia Advocate. 6-tfx

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For small home, lot 6 in Gilbert Addition on South Roselawn. Box 506, Artesia. 7-3tp-9

FOR SALE—Used piano in good condition, \$45. E. R. Poteet, Route 1, Box 11, Carlsbad, N. Mex. 7-2tp-8

WANTED

WANTED—Experienced waitress. Sy's Cafe. 3-tfc

MAID WANTED—American or Spanish. Camp Mac. 7-1tp

WANTED—To buy producing royalty and oil payments. O. P. Coppedge, Box 31, Roswell, N. Mex. 5-3tp-7

WILSON, ANDERSON ARE HONORED BY COMPANY

Frank Wilson, representing Wilson & Anderson, attended a meeting of Purina dealers in Fort Worth last week, at which two awards were made the Artesia firm, a medal for having attained a growth of 40 per cent in 1941 and one for having stepped up a class for dealers.

It was brought out that the local firm, Purina representative for twenty-one years, has been handling the products longer than any other dealer in New Mexico. Wilson, who returned home Saturday, was photographed by the manufacturers, who probably will use the picture in literature.

Mrs. J. H. Jones

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Reed Brainard. The active pallbearers will be Frank Herbold, R. O. Jacobs, Oscar Long, Walter Nugent, Jesse L. Truett and William Bullock.

As Cora Mae Tilton, a daughter of Waldo and Sanae Ellinwood Tilton, Mrs. Jones was born March 30, 1872, at Burlington, Ia.
On April 29, 1896, at Creston, Ia., she married Mr. Jones and to them were born six children, of whom five survive with their father, K. R. Jones, Carlsbad; Clarence H. Jones, Saugus, Calif.; Mrs. Nola Mae Phillips, Artesia; Anson W. Jones, Dethesda, Ohio, and Thelma, Vallejo, Calif. Another son, Stanley, died in South Texas Jan. 1, 1911, at the age of 3 years.

Mrs. George Johnson of Artesia is a sister and there also are eleven surviving grandchildren, among whom is W. R. (Dub) Phillips of Artesia, who is serving under General MacArthur in the Philippines.
Mr. and Mrs. Jones came to New Mexico twenty-six years ago, when they settled at Carlsbad. They moved to Artesia in May, 1926, and lived here continuously since, except for the period, 1933-37, when they lived in Belem, N. Mex.

Mrs. Jones joined the Methodist Church when a child and was quite active all of her life in church and Sunday school work. At the time of her death she was a teacher in the primary department of the Sunday school of the Methodist Church.

She also was active in the Woman's Christian Temperance Union and the Artesia Garden Club and she was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary.

K. R. Jones of Carlsbad is the only one of the children from out of town who will be here for the services this afternoon. He and Mrs. Jones and their children are expected.

W. E. Kerr, superintendent of Artesia schools; R. N. Thomas of Carlsbad, county superintendent, and Irvin P. Murphy, superintendent of Carlsbad schools, attended a state superintendents' meeting in Santa Fe Monday and Tuesday.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished office, 111 S. Second, former Eddy County Motor Co. location. Car storage in same building. See J. M. Jackson, 608 S. Fourth. 6-3tp-8

FOR RENT—Farm, 320 acres near Artesia. Mrs. L. M. White, P. O. Box 545, Enid, Okla. 7-1tp

FOR RENT—Small furnished apartment, private bath, no children. 1018 S. First Street. Jesse F. Cook. 7-1tp

FOR RENT—House, five rooms and bath, unfurnished, four miles south of town on Carlsbad highway. Phone 389-J1, Adolph Zeleny. 7-1tp

FOR RENT—Modern three-room furnished apartment, private bath, water heater, Electrolux refrigerator. Mrs. Lillian McNeil, 611 Dallas. 7-1tc

FOR RENT—Three-room house and bath. Unfurnished except hot water heater; water furnished. Inquire at G. G. Armstrong farm headquarters. 7-tfc

FOR RENT—Bedroom. 501 South Roselawn, phone 244. Mrs. B. Rowan. 6-2tp-7

FOR RENT—Four-room house with bath, furnished, close in, \$45. Mrs. C. R. Blocker, telephone 7 or 99. 6-tfx

MISCELLANEOUS

HOME LOANS without red tape, through the Roswell Building and Loan Association. J. S. Ward, local representative. 201 Ward Building, phone 173. 25-tf

SEE WALTER KNOWLES about piano tuning. Prices reasonable. All work guaranteed. Phone 380-R2, Artesia, or write Walter Knowles, Lake Arthur. 6-7tc-12

OPEN FOR BUSINESS—After being closed for some weeks because of fire, the Herring Cafeteria will be open for service, Monday, Feb. 2, 118 West 4th St., Roswell, N. Mex. 6-3tc-8

Chain Letters With Defense Stamps Are Violation Postal Law

It was pointed out this week by Jesse L. Truett, Artesia postmaster, that some people, in their patriotic fervor, trying to promote the sale and saving of Defense Stamps, are participating in, or attempting to participate in, chain letter sending.

Sending of such matter through the mails is a violation of the postal fraud and lotteries statute, the postmaster said.

Truett issued notice "that persons found to be participating in such schemes may be called upon to show cause why fraud orders should not be issued against them." Such orders forbid the delivery of any mail to persons named therein, he said.

MRS. ELMER FERRY ILL AT HOME HERE

Mrs. Elmer Perry, president of the Artesia Woman's Club, who was taken ill more than a week ago, is not considered much improved. Mrs. Perry, who spent last week in El Paso under the care of specialists, was brought home by Mr. Perry Sunday.

Due to her illness, which is considered serious, Mrs. Perry will not be able to continue with any club activities for an indefinite period. Mrs. D. M. Schneberg, first vice president of the Woman's Club, has become the acting president.

FILING DATE FOR CIVIL SERVICE EXAM EXTENDED

The filing limit for applications for an examination for substitute clerk-carrier for the Artesia post-office has been extended from Feb. 9 to Feb. 23, the United States Civil Service Commission announced this week.

The extension of filing date was made because an insufficient number of applications has been received.

A. G. Lane

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brother, John F. Lane, Alpine, Tex., and four grandchildren, Lora Mae, John D., Wesley Harvey and Viola Madge Lane, children of Mr. and Mrs. John Lane, Lake Arthur.

Alphonso Green Lane was born Dec. 31, 1909, at Molton, Winston County, Alabama. When young he moved to Texas and there at Robert Lee he married Sarah Winston Pool Dec. 23, 1891, the golden wedding of which they observed last December.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lane were born seven children, of whom the five mentioned survive their father.

The family came to the Pecos Valley from Texas in 1917 and Mr. Lane engaged in farming northeast of Lake Arthur.

Mr. Lane was a member of the Methodist Church and Odd Fellows Lodge.

Red Cross

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tion of taking the instructor course and becoming instructors for the standard and advanced courses. The advanced course will be taught by Dr. Hamilton.

In order to be eligible for the advanced course, an individual must have a certificate showing successful completion of the standard course, Mrs. Roberson said.

Mrs. Roberson pointed out the great need of more instructors in North Eddy County, where Dr. Hamilton has been the only person to have qualified under the Red Cross regulations. It is understood another local physician's papers are in process of receiving the stamp of approval of national Red Cross headquarters.

But even with two instructors, Mrs. Roberson said, it would be many months before everyone in North Eddy County, who has expressed his desire to take the standard course, could be accommodated, for more than 300 are on the waiting list at present, with more coming forward every week.

The communication to Mrs. Roberson enumerated four qualifications a person should have before being enrolled for the instructor course:

Prior completion of the standard and advanced first aid courses; plans and willingness definitely to instruct first aid classes; personal and instructive aptitude; be at least 20 years old.

Mrs. Roberson said that anyone in the Hope, Cottonwood, Lake Arthur, Lakewood, Dayton, Loco Hills, Maljamar and other localities embraced by the North Eddy County chapter, wishing to take the advanced course, with the intention of going on to the instructor course and qualifying for lay instructor certificates, may contact her, if they cannot attend the organization meeting Friday evening.

Mrs. Mary Thompson, mother of Mrs. G. V. Price, who has been critically ill at Granite City, Ill., for about a month, returned home the first of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Price, who was called there about three weeks ago.

GREENO TEACHING IN SOUTH DAKOTA

Joe Greeno, former Artesia High School coach and teacher, is still teaching at Kimball, S. D., and is not at "some unknown place in the Pacific," as has been rumored about town, according to his sister-in-law, Miss Irene Van Osdel.

She said the rumor probably was because of confusion between Greeno and her brother, 1st Lt. Lewis Van Osdel, Jr., whose Army outfit is in the Pacific.

ANDERSON IS NAMED PRESIDENT OF MALCO

Robert O. Anderson of Artesia, vice president and secretary of Malco Refineries, Inc., was elected president at a meeting of the board of directors last week, to succeed Dr. I. Arthur Anson of Tulsa.

Benedict I. Lubbell of Tulsa was elected vice president and secretary-treasurer.

OFFICER IS OUT AGAIN

John Robinson, Artesia night police officer, was on the street Friday after being a patient at Artesia Memorial Hospital from a sprained hip.

However, it will be some days before he will be on duty.

Registration

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Three registration places have been designated for Artesia by the Eddy County local board, the city hall, Central School and the American Legion hut.

Other registration places in North Eddy County will be Sherman Memorial Church at Loco Hills, Cottonwood School, the telephone office in Hope, Lakewood School, Dayton School and Atoka.

A man may register at the most convenient place, preferably in his home precinct. However, if he is away from home for any reason, he should go to the nearest registration place, giving his home address. In such a case, his name will be sent to the local board functioning where he lives.

All places of registration in New Mexico are to open at 7 o'clock in the morning and remain open until 9 o'clock in the evening.

The enabling law under which President Roosevelt proclaimed Feb. 16 as registration day made all males in continental United States, Alaska, Hawaii and Puerto Rico between the ages of 18 and 65 years subject to draft. Subsequent registration dates for those not embraced in the age limits for next week are expected sometime in the future.

Registrars to serve Monday, as announced by the Eddy County local board:

Artesia, city hall, Legion hut and Central School—W. M. Linell, Mrs. L. B. Feather, Mrs. Jesse L. Truett, Miss Florence M. Dooley, Mrs. H. W. Clady, Mrs. I. C. Keller, Robert D. Bourland, Mrs. Tom Sively, H. D. Dunn, W. T. French, W. E. Kerr, Miss Kitty Flint.

R. M. Henson, Mrs. Charles Morgan, J. K. Wallingford, Miss Anna C. Lopez, Mrs. Nola Pollard, Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, Bennie L. Juarez, Howard J. Etz, Boone Barnett, N. M. Baird, F. E. Smith.

Loco Hills—Mrs. Alex McGonagill, Mrs. Jess W. Shildneck, C. E. Aston, Mrs. J. L. Briscoe, Mrs. Henry W. Etz, Jr.

Cottonwood—Mrs. Carl Manda, Mrs. Ben Marable, Ovie Smith, J. J. Terry, Mrs. Jesse I. Funk.

Hope—Mrs. D. W. Carson, Mrs. C. B. Altman.

Lakewood—Mrs. Ernest McGonagill, Mrs. R. L. House.

Dayton—Mrs. J. W. Rowland, Mrs. Irvin Martin, Mrs. Reed Brainard.

Names of the registrars at Atoka were not learned.

Feature stories in The Advocate in the issues of Jan. 22 and Feb. 5 explained in more detail the registration of men, the questionnaires which will be sent to them later, the various classifications into which they will be placed and other matters of information under the law.

John Bessire Serves In Defense Work in Spite of Blindness

John Bessire of Exeter, Calif., former Artesia blind man, besides knitting, as reported several weeks ago, has another defense job, according to a letter received by his sister, Miss Bertha Bessire.

He is one of ninety-eight volunteer air raid wardens and listeners in one group, the members of which serve in three-hour shifts on the side of a mountain, where they have special quarters. Young Bessire's keen hearing makes him valuable as a listener, although he cannot see.

John still is interested in Boy Scout work and recently addressed a group of Scouts, the letter said.

MRS. YATES SELLS RESIDENCE PROPERTY

Mrs. Catherine Bowers Yates has sold the Yates residence property at the corner of Roselawn and Washington, to Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bunting. The Bunting family, who are residing in the S. S. Ward tenement property on Eighth Street, will move to their newly acquired residence.

HART FAMILY EXPECT TO MOVE ON FARM

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hart expect to move to the Jack Armstrong farm located about three miles northwest of Artesia on the old Roswell highway. The farm was purchased recently by their son-in-law, Jack, from K. A. and Beulah Bivens.

OWNER PROPERTY HERE IS DEAD IN MISSOURI

D. T. Ward of Carthage, Mo., 77, owner of the buildings in Artesia in which are the Brainard-Corbin Hardware Company, the Toggery Shop and Masonic Hall, died Jan. 24. He was buried at Carthage, Ill.

Mr. Ward, although he never lived in Artesia, had been here a number of times on business.

First Couple

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Miss Eilene Jones and Don Jones exchanged marriage vows at the First Presbyterian Church at 1:30 o'clock, the Rev. Henry S. Stout officiating.

Other persons living in the Artesia trade territory were married earlier this year, but the rules of the contest specifically said that at least one of the principals must live in the area covered and that the ceremony must be performed in the same area. If anyone else so qualified, the wedding was not reported to The Advocate, so Mr. and Mrs. Medders are the winners.

They may receive orders, for the prizes offered by calling at The Advocate office.

In order to keep the record straight—it's been so long ago—Bobby Ray Hooten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Hooten of Mayhill, won the "First Baby Contest." Bobby Ray was born Jan. 4 in Artesia Memorial Hospital. He too may receive orders for his prizes if he calls at The Advocate office. Or he may send one of his parents, if he prefers.

Miss Kitty Flint spent the week end visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Dent, and Mr. Dent, in Albuquerque. She was accompanied there by Miss Betty Flint and Lewis W. Story, who went to Denver, Colo., where they visited Wanda, Lewis' sister, and other Artesia girls, who are students at Colorado Woman's College.

Larry Stockton of Las Vegas, who was chosen by Gene Tunney from a group of New Mexico applicants as a Navy physical education instructor and who has been stationed at Norfolk, Va., arrived Wednesday for a visit in the Nevil Muncy home. Mr. Stockton is being transferred to San Diego, Calif., with orders to report there Feb. 17.

WHAT'S WHAT IN NEW MEXICO

News Briefs of the "Sunshine State" Gleaned From Many Sources

New Mexico's general fund ended with an overdraft of \$269,454.52, compared with \$332,116.49 at the close of 1940 and \$636,326.40 at the end of 1939, State Auditor E. D. Trujillo reported.

Traffic accidents are few and far between in New Mexico these days. But it isn't solely due to the state's safety program. Capt. Jack Nichols of the State Police will vouch for that. "The reason is," said Capt. Nichols, "there are hardly any more tourists."

Uncle Sam's need for war materials has given Gene Harp of Albuquerque a bad case of remorse. Harp was handed a five-pound glasslike rock by a prospector and, fascinated by the way it broke into shapely formations, he gave it away to his friends. Now he has learned the "rock" was optical calcite, worth \$56 a pound.

New Mexico's geographic prong into Texas cost the Country Club Bus Line of El Paso an interstate commerce permit. The concern was registered by the state corporation commission as an interstate commerce passenger carrier, because it has to cross 1,380 feet of New Mexico highway between El Paso and the El Paso Country Club addition.

Designation of Carlsbad as a vital defense area eligible for defense housing priorities has been

Boy Scouts

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Scouts made a run on one of the fire trucks to Tenth and Quay in the afternoon.

Other boy officials: City manager, Vernon Swift; attorney, Jack Perry; clerk, Joe Watson; engineer, Fritz Hannah; police chief, Bob McAnally; night watch, Bob Simons.

Aldermen, Norbertus Lanning, Tommie Brown, Austin Cowan, Odeal Walters, John Lanning and Louis Otts.

All of the other Boy Scouts served as police officers about town, stopping traffic offenders and giving them tickets, ordering them to appear before "Judge" Compary.

Turkeys for Sale

We still have turkeys. Phone or write Bryant Williams, Hope. 5-tfc

Roy Wilson, a double cousin of Frank Wilson of Artesia, and Mrs. Wilson of Santa Cruz, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilson from Saturday to Monday. This was the first time the Wilson cousins had met in forty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Fletcher and daughter, Adrienne, left today for Fayetteville, Ark., to visit relatives for a month or two.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pate, who sold their residence on Second Street to C. E. Mann, left this week for Dalhart, Tex., where they will make their home.

officially announced by the war production board.

Collection of Scrap Paper by Lions Club Here Will Continue

Members of the Lions Club reminded this week that they still are collecting scrap paper and intend to continue the practice as long as war continues and paper is of value in the national defense.

A large pen into which old paper may be thrown is located on the vacant lot at 412 South Fourth Street.

Dr. Glenn Stone, president of the Lions Club, said collections will be made if 57, 75-W or 705 is called. However, he asked that paper be allowed to accumulate as much as possible, so as to make a trip to the while of the club members.

Oil Activity

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Skelly, Lea 2-B, SW SW 23-17-31. Total depth 3,855 feet; plugged back to 3,779 feet; rigging up pump.

Martin & Stidham, Stephens 1, NW NE 22-16-29. Total depth 3,855 feet; shut down for orders.

Mizel & Randel, Friess 1, NW SE 19-17-31. Total depth 3,521 feet; plugged back to 3,444 feet; swabbed 25 barrels oil per day.

Danciger, Turner 15-A, SE NW 19-17-31. Drilling at 3,390 feet.

J. O. Wood, Green 1, NE SW 7-7-29, rank wildcat in Chaves County. Total depth 790 feet; shut down for orders.

V. S. Welch, State 1, NE NE 36-16-30. Drilling at 2,880 feet.

R. A. Nipper, Yates 1, NW SW 8-20-29. Drilling at 185 feet.

Sanders Bros., Evans 2, SE NE 4-17-30. Total depth 2,966 feet; swabbing and flowing 60 barrels oil per day.

Harry Tellyer, State 1, SE NE 36-16-30. Drilling at 2,725 feet.

Sanders Bros., Evans 3, NW NE 4-17-30. Total depth 2,970 feet; 5/8-inch casing cemented.

Me-Tex Supply Co., State 3-X, NE NW 16-18-31. Drilling at 800 feet in new hole.

Sanders Bros., Leonard 3, SE SW 34-16-30. Drilling at 1,755 feet.

Sanders Bros., Leonard 4, NE SW 34-16-30. Drilling at 2,660 feet.

Sanders Bros., Etz 2, NE SE 34-16-30. Drilling at 2,330 feet.

Brewer Drilling Co., State 1, NE SW 15-14-29, Chaves County. Drilling at 2,525 feet.

Stroup, Yates & Flynn, Hartz 1, NE NW 16-21-23. Total depth 2,885 feet; shut down for orders.

W. P. Dooley, Ramapo 3, NW SE 36-17-27. Total depth 567 feet; shut down for orders.

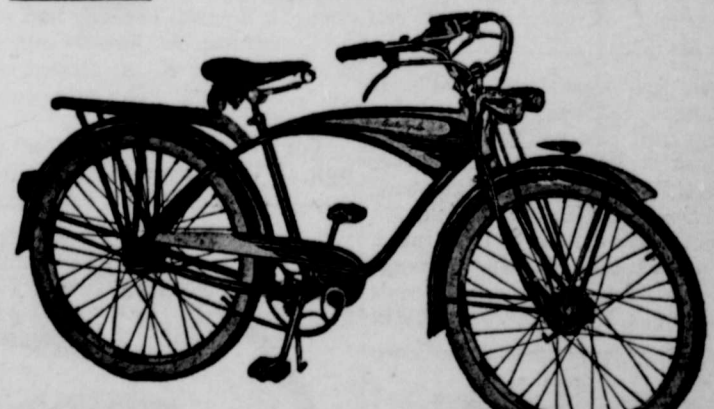
Etz Oil Co., Etz 1-E, SE SE 25-16-30. Drilling at 1,330 feet.

Nay Hightower, Grier 2, SW NW 31-16-31. Location.

Nay Hightower, Grier 5, SW SW 30-16-31. Rigging up.

Morton & Elder, Morton & Elder 3, SW NE 7-17-30. Total depth 2,858 feet; shot with 450 quarts nitro; flowing through casing while cleaning out.

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