# Artesia Advocate

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## Train Now, Not Roswell C. of C. Under Fire, Is O'Bryan Advice A group of players representing the Roswell Chamber of Com-

England, Speaks at Ci- collection made. Here Last Friday.

was advice given at a public meet- has attracted large crowds. ing here Friday evening under the auspices of the Artesia Civilian Deed with the entertainment, but it The office is open from 2 to 5 fense Council at Central School by is merely being shown in various o'clock each afternoon for registra-Mrs. Pamelia O'Bryan of Carlsbad, communities as a gesture of good tion of women who wish to assist who served as an air raid warden will. in Bristol, England, and who ex-perienced at one time fifty-eight ber of Commerce will entertain the The phone number is 123. air raids within five weeks.

old Miller of Carlsbad, Eddy Coun- tion ty civilian defense coordinator.

meeting and he introduced Mayor Emery Carper, chairman of the council, who in turn introduced Mrs. O'Bryan and Miller, as well as Mayor Sam Horne of Carlsbad, Major Charles Morgan, battalion commander of the State Guard and a member of the Civilian Defense Council, and Capt. Oren C. Roberts, commander of the local State Guard company.

In his talk, Miller explained the construction of civilian defense corps, from the functioning of the staff through the enlisted person- Dooley, in NW SE 36-17-27, was nel of the fire, police, air raid the only completion reported from warden, public works, utilities and the Eddy County oil fields the last communications and emergency week, while two new locations were medical service corps.

said that were one to come, it would the Ramapo No. 3 made a top alnot head for the heavily fortified lowable, eighty barrel well.

motors. At first it seems, she said, that surely everyone will be killed, but after a few raids the people become accustomed to them and find that only a relatively small number of casualties result.

It is a relief, Mrs. O'Bryan said, to find that one can go ahead with his work, except when the planes are actually overhead.

In training for civilian defense, it is imperative that the people learn to keep cool, remain calm and attend to their tasks in an Barney Cockburn, Etz 3, SW SW

orderly manner. This country is going through Drilling at 2,400 feet. the same period they did in Eng- (continued on last page, column 3) land two years ago, Mrs. O'Bryan said, when the boys were leaving

for service and preparations were being made. But in England they now are conscious of the war twenty-four hours a day. A serious question was raised from the floor by W. E. Kerr, superintendent of schools, who

asked Miller which method should be employed in the schools in case with instructions to hurry.

various communities, but he said by Lt. Com. J. L. Brown, executive that the OCD advises the children officer of the Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps at the University of the Market of the Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps at the University of the Market of be kept in school.

Baird suggested that parents confer with Kerr on the question, so as to enable the school authorities to work out a plan for adoption in Artesia.

## Dexter Boy Is Winner Legion

Tom V. Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Parker of Dexter, won first place Friday afternoon in the area "C" division of the American Legion's annual oratorical contest, held in the auditorium of Artesia Junior-Senior High School, in competition with other boys and girls of Southeast New Mexico.

Second place was awarded to Jean Blakney of Roswell and third

gional contest. The national finals serve.

## Is to Present Play in Artesia

merce will present an entertain-ment, "M'Liss," in the Central Friday Evening-Will Carlsbad Woman, Former School auditorium here at 8 o'clock Monday evening. It will be free Air Raid Warden in to everybody and there will be no

been presented under the auspices Sservices, Inc., has established a of the Roswell Chamber of Com-Train now, and not under fire, always has been well received and lowing the public civilian defense

Roswell board and members of the On the program with her as the cast of "M'Liss" at a dinner Mon- cal group last week by Mrs. Wilother principal speaker was Har- day evening prior to the presenta- liam Woolston of Albuquerque,

## N. M. Baird, warden chairman of the One Completion Is meeting Friday until a later date, for Artesia, was chairman of the One Completion Is in order to allow time for registration of members first Made, Two New Oil At the meeting Mrs. Pamelia O'Bryan of Carlsbad, a former air

Ramapo No. 3 Is Top Allowable in Shallow Formation-Wildcat News

The Ramapo No. 3 well of W. P. staked.

He stressed the possibility of an feet and plugged back to 570 feet, Drilled to a total depth of 591

The new locations: Neil Wills,

Maljamar area in Lea County: 7-16-31.

Drilling at 920 feet. Barney Cockburn, Etz 1, SW NW 35-16-30.

Drilling at 3,160 feet.

Drilling at 2,575 feet.

Barney Cockburn, Etz 2, SE SE 35-16-30.

Total depth 2,972 feet; running casing.

35-16-30.

#### Naval Officers Will Visit High School April 8

Opportunity for university freshmen next fall to be sure of comof an air raid, to keep all the child- pleting four years of college and ren there, or to send them home, of preparing themselves for commissions in the U.S. Naval Re-Miller said that the problem is serve upon graduation will be ex-being met in different ways in the plained in detail to interested men

> open to freshmen entering the un- from in many weeks. Contest Here courses along with their regular parents and Herbert Carr. work. These special courses count The splendid spirits of all were toward the degree requirements. reflected in the various messages passed on to The Advocate by mem-Enlistment in the corps carries re-lease from the provisions of the thought, "Don't worry." Selective Service Act, so long as Besides young Ashton, others the student remains in good stand- who were heard from in one mething in his work. Upon graduation, od or another included a cablegram N.R.O.T.C. students will be given from 1st Lt. J. D. Thorpe, son of a brief training course, then com- Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Thorpe, who is missioned as ensigns in the U.S. in the Philippines, to his wife here;

Naval Reserve. Commander Brown also will explain the new U. S. Navy V-1 pro-Charles Mitchell, son of Mr. and gram for accredited colleges and Mrs. D. W. Mitchell, south of Daywent to Leah Lane of Carlsbad.

Young Parker now is entitled to qualifying for N.R.O.T.C. training may take a two or four-year colsanta Fe Friday and the winner there will go to Denver for the re-ton a commission in the Newsl Po there will go to Denver for the re- for a commission in the Naval Re- Heard from indirectly was Mar-

will be at Annapolis, Md., with the Parents of high school seniors Eva Langford of Hagerman and

### **AWVS Establishes** Headquarters at The Artesia Hotel:

Friday Evening-Will Elect Later

vilian Defense Meeting packed with fun and laughs, has American Women's Voluntary merce in a number of Southeast the Artesia Hotel, after action New Mexico communities and it Friday evening at a meeting, folmeeting in the auditorium of Cen-

in the work planned by the AWVS

A "go-ahead" was given the lostate chairman, but permanent organization was deferred at the meeting Friday until a later date, tration of members first.

raid warden in England, and Har-Wells Are Located old Miller, also of Carlsbad, Eddy County civilian defense coordinator, spoke, both continuing the remarks they made earlier in the evening at the civilian defense meeting. Miller especially stressed that there must be no jealousy between various groups serving in the defense of the nation, that they all have a common war to fight.

> Mrs. Woolston, that no woman who are finishing this week. is a member of the AWVS will be The thirty who completed the appointments.

day through Saturday.

#### Choate & Brown, Etz 1, NW SW Ted Best Announces Opening Music Studio At the Woman's Club

the Golden Gate Exposition.

## NOW TUBE TROUBLE

Contrary to previous re-ports, men will not have to e the same razor blade a week for scraping chins, as the Office of Price Administration has found there will not be a shortage after all.

But if men wish to get any more shaving cream to go with their ample blades, they will have to save the old tubes for swapping. This is by order of the War Production Board, issued because toothpaste and shaving cream tubes are made of tin. They are to be collected by merchants and saved awaiting orders of the WPB.

The order is effective immediately. And there are some teeth in it to make it stick: A maximum fine of \$10,000 and a year's imprisonment may be meted out to any dealer who fails to

But it will be kinda tough on the young blades who wish to have their first shave, having no collapsed tube for trading purposes.

# **Employees Pass**

pleted the standard Red Cross first Eleven new women volunteers aid course here, bringing to about were signed up at the meeting, ninety the number of graduates

at any time required to leave her course successfully were the 100 home community and that only in per cent enrollment of a class Saturday and if it is found, after Samelson defended. Mrs. O'Bryan, telling of her experiences, spoke of the indescribable noise of an air raid, from the bombs bursting and the airplane

Archer & Jones, State 1, SE SW come qualified instructors in air continue with the advanced course, raid precautions, for teaching also being taught by Dr. Stroup, classes here. The course in Albu- which started last evening at the querque is being conducted Mon- city hall. The doctor also started composed of members of the com-They will meet at 7:15 o'clock each readers. Tuesday and Friday evenings.

Ted R. Best, who has been E. J. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Albert ment by the administration for teaching music in the valley the Richards, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pir- eight years and then by election last four years, has announced the tle, Mrs. L. M. Friend, Ormond the last two years, after a city opening of a studio at the Artesia Loving, Dallas Golden, Lee Fran-ordinance was passed providing Woman's Club building on Friday cis, Herman D. Jones, L. E. Naylor, that the police judge be elected. afternoons.

Leland Price, W. D. Burks, Clyde
Classes now are being organized
for both string and wind instru
Roberts, Ulas Golden, G. E. Kaiserved as justice of the peace of
precinct 6, which adds to his ex-Pleas Cowan, A. W. Harral, Ed perience on the bench. Best has trained many young Shockley, Lowell Kidd, H. W. Kid- Judge Ballard's friends point out (continued on last page, column 7) esty and mature judgment.

#### Carlsbad to Get Only Race City A Training School For U.S. Air Corps

Will Cost in Excess of Five Million Dollars-Independent of Roswell

project has been approved by the to succeed themeslves. War Department. was announced in Washington.

training of pilots in twin-engine spective polling places for the first ing for Eddy County schools in bombers, and for the training of to fourth wards. bombardiers, and in this respect Air Base reported.

The Carlsbad training school will be independent of the Roswell base operate under the supervision of the West Coast Training Center.

ber of men to be stationed at Carlstraining base has not been made Carlsbad has been under consid-

eration as a possible location for Spend Sunday in Rocky Arroyo, an Army training base for some time, but no previous announce-First Aid Test time, but no previous announcement of the selection of this location had been made public.

#### Thirty more persons have com- PAPER BRINGS SCOUTS \$4.65 LAST SATURDAY

bringing to about thirty the num- since the courses started, while an- Saturday through the collection of tary tactics were practiced, with a there will be no more money availber in the growing organization. other 337 are enrolled, including old paper and selling it. And they simulated attack in the afternoon. It was brought out, on authority of members of the State Guard, who were so busy they could not make

the most extreme emergency will taught by Dr. H. A. Stroup and the city is fairly well cleaned up,

# For Re-Election City

Judge W. H. Ballard has ananother group Tuesday evening, nounced his candidacy to succeed himself as Artesia municipal police munications and utilities corps un- judge and has authorized The Adder the civilian defense set-up. vocate to place his name before its

He has served the Artesia com-The graduates of the firemen- munity in the capacity of police SCS first aid classes: Mr. and Mrs. judge about ten years, by appoint-

boys and girls in the Pecos Valley, dy, Odis Holly, J. W. Brown, M. that he is running for re-election including a group who played at Murphy and C. G. Howard of Ar- on his reputation for fairness, hon-

tioned up to Wednesday evening for the city election to be held here next Thursday and there is no contest except for police judge. W. H. Ballard, incumbent, and J. D. Josey are running for police

magistrate. An Air Corps training school, to Other candidates are Mayor Emcost in excess of five million dol- ery Carper and Aldermen A. G. lars, was assured Carlsbad Tues- Glasser, C. O. Brown, Fred Brainday, when it was announced the ard and Arba Green, all running

Construction The polls will be open from 9 will be under supervision of the o'clock in the morning to 6 o'clock district engineer at Albuquerque, it in the evening at the American maintenance fund was granted for The school is to be devoted to the School and the city warehouse, re- schools at the annual budget hear-

The legal deadline for a candi- et changes also were made. will be similar to the installation date or his friends filing a petition being made in Roswell, Lt. Col. so his name will appear on the under the direction of the county J. G. Armstrong of the Roswell printed ballots is five days prior to budget commission are tentative, the election, which is today.

### administration, he added, and will State Guard Holds and as that will not be known until he West Coast Training Center. Further information on the num- All-Day Military bad and other information on the Camp, Maneuvers

Complete Even to a Field Kitchen

its most extensive field day to date Sunday, when a camp was estab-Artesia Boy Scouts made \$4.65 lished in Rocky Arroyo and miliall of the calls for which they had Howard Stroup, one battalion made likely less, because of a falling off

Although the comissary, which set up a field kitchen, and a scout all school officials attending the force arrived at the site of the hearing that in view of the inday's games about 7 o'clock, the creased cost of living and the loss arrive until 9 o'clock, when a reg-dustry, teachers' salaries should be

noon, one of the telephone communications was cut by the "en-

activities, the company stood retreat and policed camp and broke basis, Eddy County will share more up about dusk. Two meals were served under the direction of H. D. Daughtry, mess sergeant.

Capt. Oren C. Roberts, company current year. commander, considered the exercises and working out of the attack quite successful and said for Carlsbad, are to be used for the many similar practice jaunts are employment of additional teachers.

were the officers of the Artesia which is subject to the valuation of High School Cadet Corps, who the Artesia school district, as fixed took part, serving as orderlies and by the state tax commission. This

ing directed at present to the new tion of the increase was made berifle range northeast of the Pecos cause of prospective additional members of the State Guard will and sinking was \$16,000, a reducbe required to have target praction of \$2,400 under the current

## Rather Than a Little Big One

After reading a splendid paper "This is going to be a most dif- on the growth of America and the with it seems that I have almost this "a big little city than a little forgoten how to write, then there big city," Andy Corbin asked memisn't too much that I can tell. I bers of the Rotary Club Tuesday am in perfect health, feel fine and noon to submit at the next meeting suggestions for the city, six of "Gosh, there is one good thing which will be given to the Chamber

It is just a little cool at night, then started to boom with the discovery not too hot in the daytime. I can of oil and how it has progressed "Just to let you know everything just picture what it's like there at since then, with modern stores, ome now. Kind of cool, no? good hotel facilities, residences "Just as you guys are probably which are the pride of owners and day. Hope to be home soon, so wondering what the situation looks have become homes, rather than like over here, we are also trying houses, and of how the WPA and to imagine what the U.S. is like PWA projects helped modernize have been working hard for the the city.

tainly am not, and tell everyone this little short and simple letter fine school plant, Morris Field and Tuesday evening, all of which and above all please don't worry the municipal swimming pool and came out of national headquarters. about me. If you could only see tennis courts, and the city hall and Besides troops 8 and 28 of Artesia Memorial Hospital, all of tesia, troop 65 of Hope has signiwe are I know you wouldn't worry. which make this one of the finest fied its intention to have a team in the contest here, but the others

grand prize of a \$4,000 scholarship to any university awarded to the wilner.

Will be welcome to discuss these brother of Mrs. J. C. Floore, Jr., of Artesia, in a letter from Lt. J. R. wasn't any more, but I am still doing O.K. If it doesn't get any more, but I am still wasn't any more, but I am still doing O.K. If it doesn't get any group. W. E. Kerr, superintendent of schools, will have further information regarding this visit.

Welcome to discuss these brother of Mrs. J. C. Floore, Jr., of Artesia, in a letter from Lt. J. R. wasn't any more, but I am still doing O.K. If it doesn't get any worse, I will make it back. Just and of us after we whip the Morning.

"P.S.—I have been promoted to a staff sergeant."

On this question he requested that the suggestions for a staff sergeant."

I will be welcome to discuss these brother of Mrs. J. C. Floore, Jr., of doing O.K. If it doesn't get any worse, I will make it back. Just don't worry too much, as I can a staff sergeant."

Trix Maxwell of Artesia, health don't worry too much, as I can a staff sergeant."

I well and all right.

"Love—John.

"P.S.—I have been promoted to don't worry too much, as I can a staff sergeant."

I will be welcome to discuss these brother of Mrs. J. C. Floore, Jr., of doing O.K. If it doesn't get any doing O.K. If it doesn't get

## School Budget Election Tuesday Is Police Judge Maintenance in No further candidates had peti-oned up to Wednesday evening Artesia Upped

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Tentative Increase of \$3,600 Is Granted at Annual Hearing in Carlsbad Friday — \$5,000 Is Asked.

Legion hut, city hall, Central the coming school year for Artesia Carlsbad Friday, while other budg-

All allowances made at that time as about 50 per cent of the maintenance fund is distributed on a basis of average daily attendance the end of the school year, adjustments may be made later.

The budget commission consists of R. H. Grissom, educational budget auditor; Harold Miller of Carlsbad and Hollis G. Watson of Artesia. Representing the Artesia schools were Charles Morgan, president of the board of education; Glenn Booker, a board member, and W. E. Kerr, superintendent of

The Artesia men presented a re-The State Guard company had \$5,000 for the maintenance fund, quest for an increase of about chiefly for an increase in teachers' salaries and additional teachers.

State officials have figured that Under the command of 2nd Lt. than during the current year, and an attack on the camp, which the in the sales tax, which on oil alone amounts to about \$1,000 a day at the present time.

main body of the company did not of teachers to the Army and inular military camp was estab- raised. However, until more revenues are in sight, the money will Police Judge Here is practice included the establishment of telephone communication for Edduction Communication Communication for Edduction Communication Co tions and regular guard duty. In County is in that it was the first the simulated attack in the afterbudget auditor which showed an increase in the average daily attend-At the conclusion of the day's maintenance fund is apportioned on an average daily attendance largely in these funds, which, it is estimated, will give the county an additional \$12,000 more than the

These additional funds, amount-

For Artesia the direct charge With the State Guard company budget was approved at \$16,638, figure is an increase of \$2,000 over Attention of the company is be- the current year. The greater por-

> The entire budget for the county was tentatively set at approximately \$306,000, whereas the budget for

> the present year is \$294,000. The budget for the rural schools remains about the same as at pres-

ent, while Hope will lose two

#### District Scouts To Have Contest Here on Tuesday

Boy Scouts of district 8, comprising Artesia, Hope, Lake Arthur, Lakewood, Mayhill and Weed, will compete in a first aid contest at the Artesia Junior High School gymnasium at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening. The winning team will represent the district at a contest for troops of the Eastern New Mexico area council in Roswell April 11.

Members of the various troops contest, in teams of four. Each "Mom, I do so hope that you get He called attention also to the team will be given four problems

## Letters From Boys in War Zones Indicate ed, will be one of the best. The members of the State Guard will They Are Well; Tell Their Folks Not to Worry tice, which probably will start later year. The

High School Wednesday, April 8. ers and husbands in the war zones, novel. Enlistment in the N.R.O.T.C. is some of whom have not been heard The parents of all others heard

iversity who can qualify physically and mentally under Navy regula- from G. D. Ashton, who was retions. Students so enrolled may ported seriously injured to his par- Charles Mitchell on a card to his carry the usual course of studies ents, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Ashton, parents. His card was dated Feb. ficult letter to write. To start statement that he would rather see leading to the B.A. or B.S. degrees, by the War Department on Dec. 14 and that of Sgt. Flowers was but must take several specialized 20. Cards were received by his dated Feb. 10, while the message

Sgt. Robert C. Davis, son of Mr.

ion Columbus Owens, son of Mrs.

versity of New Mexico, when a as a deluge of reassuring messages the attention of The Advocate. As university group visits Artesia arrived this week from sons, broth- Lt. Brown says, it reads like a

directly from their sons, except from Sgt. Davis was undated. Here are the messages, all

Sgt. Davis Writes

is under control. Have gained five home now. Kind of cool, no? pounds and haven't been sick a 'Keep 'Em Flying.'

"Your loving son "Sgt. Robert C. Davis "P. S .- Don't worry, for I cer-

From Charles Mitchell

"Well, I guess you thought I

"Lots of love.

Flowers Writes Mother "Feb. 10, 1942

have plenty to eat, wear, etc.

about this place and that is the of Commerce for consideration. warm weather. I surely do like it. He pointed out how Artesia

since the outbreak of war.

are well and all right.

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#### JAPAN WON'T WIN

An article, "Japan Won't Win," by Dr. Alfred Crofts, professor of political science at Eastern New Mexico College, Portales, probably is more worthwhile than anything we could set down here, so we are turning this department over to him today. Dr. Crofts spoke at the annual banquet of the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association March 19 and his address was enjoyed by those present, but hundreds of people in the Artesia territory were precluded the pleasure. While the article published here is not identical with his address, Dr. Crofts incorporated in it a number of the same thoughts and it will give Advocate readers an opportunity to "listen" to him, as did we.

The Yellow Hurricane has invaded Malaya, the Philippines and be divided against itself, that the East Indies; it advances toward Australia and India. Fifth Col- house umnists, informed by short wave from Berlin and Tokyo, feed the 3:25.) rumor that Japan is invincible.

I therefore offer the quite simple reassurance that Japan will not comprise the lesson - sermon is win. Japan's army has been fighting its best in China since 1937, the following from the Bible: but the navy was helpless to assist after operations moved 700 miles "Little children, keep yourselves inland. The airforce was of little use except to bombard undefended from idols."—(I John 5:21.) towns, and the even more formidable Japanese spy system was totally helpless against Chinese counter espionage.

Successes since Pearl Harbor have been achieved by complete "Divine Science deals its chief of courtesy. integration of the four services: The navy has operated at all times blow at the supposed material within fifty miles of the land forces, and the air force alone has made foundations of life and intelligence possible the advances made by both land and sea. Their total effect It dooms idolatry. A belief in oth- OUR LADY OF GRACE CHURCH will be the singing of old familiar has been overwhelming. They have fought often at favorable odds of er gods, other creators, and other ten to one, with the additional advantage of meeting the enemy piece- creations must go down before meal. The isolated garrisons at Hong Kong, Manila, Malaya and Christian Science. Java could not reinforce each other. Japan controlled the air, and sent overwhelming forces against each in turn, isolating it, while the others awaited their fate. England and Holland were simply without strength; the United States was handcuffed by its suicidal Neutrality Act. Large numbers of the Malay races, including the wretched Aguinaldo, actually accept the Japanese slogan of a Pan-Asian struggle against the White Race.

Japan's program of conquest follows a familiar pattern: In four successive wars, she has concealed her true strength, made a treacherous and shattering assault, won several decisive victories, and then attempted to cover her exhaustion by dictating a victorious peace. In 1895, the Chinese empress, who had embezzled the entire navy appro- p. m priations to build her summer palace, had no choice except surrender. In 1906, Czar Nicholas was weakened by revolutions in Europe and glad to buy a cheap peace in the Pacific. There seems to be little doubt that if the war had continued, Japan was doomed-her victories had been more costly than Russia's defeats.

The attack on China revealed the full scope and schemes of Japanese methods. After eight months of unbroken success, the Nipponese commanded every strategic or industrial center and made their customary peace overtures. But China decided to fight on. Since then, for three and one-half years, Japan has gained nothing; and has, tice, 7 o'clock Wednesday evening. instead, thrown away the million men who might have given her absolute victory in the present war for the World.

In this newest war Japan has now won all her easy victories. The price does not seem to be excessive. Her losses in shipping totaled fifty war vessels and 200 transports and supply ships before the Battle of Java. Nearly a thousand planes have been destroyed, and perhaps 75,000 soldiers put out of action.

America could replace this loss. But can Japan afford it? Her total pre-war merchant marine included one thousand ships. Of these, one-fifth are gone; and more are descending every day into the ocean graveyards off New Guinea. The attack on Australia, to be successful, will swallow a staggering tonnage of vessels. Japan's shipyards can tend a most cordial welcome. We hardly replace in a year the destruction of one month. If she cannot are always delighted to have you salvage at least one-half of her present war cargo space, her adventure worship with us. to the south will be useless; she will be unable to carry the oil or the iron of the Indies to her industrial centers. Her whole grand scheme of empire will fizzle into a murderous filibuster.

The attack on Australia is a far different matter from that on Singapore. For the first time since the China Incident, her weakened armies must advance far beyond the support of the navy into the heart of a continent. Japan must meet defense in depth, based on airdromes a. m. a thousand miles from the sea. Australia has wisely excluded the Japanese immigrant (let California and Hawaii take note) and hence Tokyo has no Fifth Column to welcome its armies south of the Equator.

Australia's seven millions are outnumbered ten to one; but the Japanese supply line is extending dangerously beyond 3,000 miles. Man for man, the Anzacs are vastly better soldiers than Javanese conscripts or even the Filipino scouts. Lastly, America, which has rightly hesitated from risking large forces in the vulnerable South Sea Islands, will concentrate gigantic stores of men and munitions in Australia. If Japan wins, she will be exhausted. But America can retreat to New Zealand, Samoa, Hawaii and Alaska, tightening her naval cordon and gathering strength for the attack which must destroy the Yellow Peril for all time.

Japan has merely exchanged her position for that of the United Nations last December. She holds a series of weakly defended outposts. The United States will choose the point and time of attack on p. each. Control of the air must soon pass to the United States: American plane production is approximately ten times that of Japan; her special music and songs. shipyards can launch sixteen tons to Japan's one. Japan will soon face the task of fighting a defensive war in an age when defense is impossible. Her attack on Australia is not dictated by the chance of victory. It is a program of despair. She cannot stop attacking-dare not allow the United States to accumulate strength for even a few

She is playing the game of the world or nothing. A less fanatical people would have slowed down its offensive to reduce losses; but the Japanese are like the thoroughbred that holds its pace to the death.

504 South Priest in charge and the death. The last Japanese convoy will fight as furiously as the fleet which first attacked Manila. America needs a strong heart. She is certain to win 8 a. m.

if, disregarding early defeats, rejecting peace overtures, she carries the contest, which she did not seek, to its conclusion.

#### TO THE BOYS ON BATAAN

Mrs. G. W. Epley of Midland, Tex., has written a poem in honor of the boys from Artesia in the Philippine Islands. The title of the poem is the name of the outfit to which they are attached, but present newspaper practice precludes the use of the name, other than "Coast Artillery." The poem:

> Let's give them a rousing cheer, These fighting men from home; Your town should be quite proud Of these boys, your very own.

They left their homes and loved ones Each was some mother's son; To give their lives, if need be, Until the battle's won.

What death could be more honored, If death it has to be,

Than dying for their country; Yes, dying for you and me?

So hats off to the Coast Artillery, Our brave and fighting men; Let's give them a cheer, a rousing cheer, And pray our boys will win.

very age group.

special music by the choir.

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Evening worship, 7:30 o'clock.

their church home while in the

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Constantino Gonzales, Pastor

North Roselawn

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and study not about but the Bible.

third Thursdays; circles second and

fourth Thursdays; brotherhood,

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be in charge of the service, Mrs.

S. M. Morgan, Pastor

Bible school, 9:30 a. m.

Training Union, 7 p. m.

Evening worship, 8 p. m. Weekly Services

Mass, Sundays, 9:30 a. m.

dan Weishaar.

third Thursday.

Sunday school, 10 a. m.

I. L. Morgan, Th.D., Pastor

Win through this bloody struggle Back to their native shore; To sweethearts, wives, and mothers, Dear God, we ask no more.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES 613 West Main

Sunday school, 10 a. m. Sunday service, 11 a. m. Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.

"Unreality" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in city. all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 5.

The Golden Text is: "If a house cannot stand." - (Mark.

the citations which

The lesson - sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook:

Visitors always welcome.

#### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE "The Church with a Burning Message" Fifth and Quay Streets

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Young people, 6:30 p. m. Evening preaching, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 Go to church Sunday. We wel-

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#### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Fourth at Grand

Church school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Christian Endeavor, 6 p. m. Evening services, 7:30 p. m. To our visiting friends we ex

Henry S. Stout, Minister

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST Seventh and Grand

Sundays Bible school for all ages, 10

Morning service, 11 a. m. Young people's meeting, 6 p. m. Evening service, 7 p. m. Wednesdays

Ladies' Bible class, 2:30 p. m. Wednesday night meeting,

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Corner Fourth and Chishol

Sunday Services Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Evening worship, 7 p. m. Weekly Services

Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 C. A. program, Friday, 7 p. m., The public is invited to attend

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## Sands of Time

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

(From The Advocate Files for March 31, 1927)

The Artesia Rotary Club had its the wearers. tenth consecutive 100 per cent meeting at Tuesday's luncheon.

All of the early fruit in the Hope section was killed in a cold spell last week.

Albert Richards left Saturday morning for El Paso, where their brother, Lum, is seriously ill in Hotel Dieu.

drove to Roswell and brought home for the week end their son, Guy Mexico Military Institute.

be the first time in history such an attempt will have been made. Specialized training and equipattempt will have been made.

At a meeting of the basketball FIRST METHODIST CHURCH ed captain for the 1927-28 basket-Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock ball squad. He played a starring each Sunday morning; classes for game at forward the last season and should be a capable captain. Morning worship at 11 o'clock;

Linell were united in marriage fense Organization. on Saturday, March 19, by the Rev. Visitors and friends of the Mr. Thompson of the Presbyterian church are always welcome. New- Church in Roswell. They are loservices and to make our church

Donald S. Berry, special agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation, warned New Mexico officers against relaxing vigilance in traffic control despite restrictions of automobile and tire sales. He told authorities attending a week- CURRIER ABSTRACT COMPANY long traffic school in Albuquerque that problems on the road will be 101 S. Fourth increased by older cars, thin tires, Everyone is welcome to these a reckless attitude attributed to the services. Even if you do not speak war and by increased travels in Spanish, you will feel at home, for military and production areas.

> Social Security forms and systems-The Advocate.

Stanley Carper, organist. There ers, silent and audible. Priest in charge, Rev. Fr. Bren- Paul's welcomes you to attend this

Easter Sunday, April 5: 8 a. m., Easter celebration of the Holy Communion with hymns and message. This will be the only service in Saint Paul's Easter Day.

gregation will assemble in the church yard to enjoy breakfast to-gether. Coffee and milk will be provided by the committee. We welcome you to this service and

#### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Quay and Sixth Street

Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Worship service, 10:45 a. m. Easter music and message, theme: 'The Message of the Empty Tomb.

be a service held in Saint Paul's satisfying. Mission from 2 to 3 p. m. Mrs. E. Mid-week service, Wednesday,

explaining the various insignia certain percentage in regular in-

Joe Richards and Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Brainard

Symbols of the Passion with pray-

Following the service, the conbreakfast.

Rev. H. Heard, Rector

Evening service of praise, prayer and sermon, 8 p. m., theme: "The Survival of Personality After Death." If you are interested in the future at all, hear this mes-Good Friday, April 3: There will sage for something interesting and

Bigler and Mrs. M. Corbin will 8 p. m.

Oren Orahood, D.D., Minister

## Are You Serving

adopted and the general duties of vestments.



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ment are needed for this type of work. Instructors for the local defense organization receive training conducted by the Chemical Warfare Service of the War Department.

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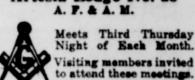
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#### Hope Items

(Mrs. C. B. Altman)

J. H. Sadler of Portales was here ast week visiting friends. Mrs. John Teel attended to bus iness in Carlsbad Saturday. Mrs. Don Riddle was a guest of

Miss L. A. Young, a representative of a book company, was visit-

ing here last week. Marshal Puckett and mother, Mrs. Joe Puckett, of Carlsbad vis-

ited friends here Sunday. and Mrs. T. E. Young, Sunday.

spent last week end here with his half of the crop during both sea- as the breath of life leaves them.

is at home until after the Easter year ago.

Sunday morning.

Hardin and Pete Wood. Jesse Young motored to Carlsbad last week to meet his sister,

Miss Lella Young, who arrived by bus from Modesto, Calif. Mrs. Dave Bunting, Mrs. Bob Fulton and Mrs. H. N. Smith of Artesia were guests Monday of

Mrs. E. L. Landreth and Mrs. B. Miss Eunice L. Crockett, who was here three weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crock-

New Orleans. The Girl Scouts gave a farewell party last week for two of their members, Mary Pearl and Willie Pearl Wood, who are moving to a

farm near Cloudcroft.

port and son, Edgar, passed licenses expired March 31. The remember, as if it were yesterday use next winter, says Ernest Lyckbership appeal." through Hope Friday en route to license year began April 1 and when he came to us. He was a man of the New Mexico Extension the Watts ranch to spend the week all sportsmen were urged to buy strong, guaranteed, gum-dipped service.

Anti-freeze will keep well if end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. their licenses before going out.

tended the convention in Carlsbad Saturday were Miss Martha Kletke, R. M. Stinnett, Ben Marable, Mrs. Sadie Payne, Miss Elnora Massad

He extended an invitation to the any license vendor. Hope people to attend sunrise servat the lake near Dexter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Attebury and will be any great reduction in the family of Carlsbad, motored to number of fishermen, but believes Hobbs Sunday to spend the week they may not fish as often. end with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dunne "After all," Barker said, "we

and Miss Marjorie Johnson. Trimble, Mrs. Ella Trimble and emergency, and there is no better Mrs. James Robertson left Tuesday recreation for that purpose than for Fort Sumner to attend the hunting and fishing. But let's not funeral of their brother-in-law, forget that winning the war is the Fred Robertson, Monday morning No. 1 item on our calendar this

at his home in Fort Sumner. of Luna County, arrived Saturday for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Nora Johnson. He was accompanied to his home in Deming by Mrs. Wallace Johnson, who had been here two weeks visiting, while Mr. Johnson was attending to bus- gone up, but you can still buy your iness in the northern part of the

The faculty and students of the high school gave a picnic party at the rodeo park Monday evening, complimenting the English teacher, Jesse Young, who is leaving Friday for Fort Bliss to enter the Army. After a lot of fun and good eats, Mr. Young was presented a lovely radio.

#### SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

The Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending March 28 were 21,639, compared with 19,091 for the same week in 1941. Received from connections were 8,906, compared with 7,171 for the same week in 1941. The total cars moved were 30,545, compared with 26,262 for the same week in 1941. The Santa Fe handled a total of 30,630 cars during the preceding week of this year.

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#### **New Mexico Cotton** Is Lower in Grade, **But Staple Longer**

The U. S. Department of Agriculture estimates New Mexico upland cotton ginned this season to average somewhat lower in grade Mrs. Wayne Coalson in Carlsbad and longer in staple lengths as compared with ginnings a year ago, the final report of the season dis-

white strict middling and above con- blowout. stituted slightly more than 33 per cent of the total ginnings, while along with laughing tread, proud of Mr. and Mrs. Foy Young of in that category. The proportion sure. The next he was thump, Carlsbad visited his parents, Mr. of cotton extra white middling and thump, thumping along the road, below was about unchanged and ac- grievously hurt and whistling the

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mc- sons. The proportion of spotted We got to Martin as quickly as grades increased substantially with we could, pulling to the side of the Miss Frances Johnson, who has estimates of about 27 per cent this road on a soft shoulder in order been attending school in El Paso, season against about 14 per cent a that he might be as comfortable as

It also is estimated that staple Mrs. Edward S. McAuliffe, who lengths 1 3/32 inches and longer had been visiting her parents near comprised approximately 73 per Hollywood, Calif., returned home cent of the total ginnings this season wall and regretted all the time we had carelessly banged him against curbs. We smoothed down his tread and asked forgiveness for all Emmett Potter left Tuesday af- cent last season. The proporion of ternoon for the San Andres Moun- lengths 11/8 inches and longer intains to haul wool for Charlie creased from about 23 per cent a him are well solded

> About half of the upland cotton ginned in New Mexico during the 1941 season was tenderable on futures contracts.

ico cotton to be 96,077 bales for the again. 1941 crop, of which 86,934 bales were upland cotton. Last year total ginnings were 114,583 bales.

## ett, left Tuesday for her home in New Licenses For Fishing Due,

of sportsmen was called to the fact them.

Teachers from Hope who at- general warm water fishing sea- miles on this earth.

Barker predicted that fishing ice on Easter morning to be held this year will be better than usual, because of better water conditions Mrs. Nora Johnson and Miss and heavy stocking of nearly all Frances Johnson, accompanied by waters. He does not think there

must keep ourselves physically fit Mr. and Mrs. John Teel, Luther and mentally alert during the war year. If we don't win it, we might Wallace Johnson, county agent have to hunt and fish under laws made by Hitler and enforced by

the Japs.' "Emphatically no!" the warden said, when asked if there was any increase in the price of licenses this year. "Everything else has license at the same old price.'



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## Discourse About Passing of

people quit writing us letters and spare is a strict smoothie. There sent a man to see us personally was faced by this household yesterday, relates Henry McLemore in a feature in The Dallas News. The story continues:

Our right front tire, that we had tenderly christened Martin at the thin you can see his air right Last season grades of extra time of the big freeze, suffered a

this season about 14 per cent fell his twenty-eight pounds of pres-

possible. It tore our hearts to watch him go. We patted his sideson, compared with about 64 per tread and asked forgiveness for all the times we had gotten him stuck him around curves and banged his year ago to almost 56 per cent this head on rocks. All the whole he kept up his mournful whistle and

sagged closer to the unfriendly rim. I have heard hunters say that there is no more touching sight than to look into the eyes of a dy-The Bureau of the Census re- ing deer and that to experience this ported total ginnings of New Mex- is to vow never to hurt a deer

Well I've never looked into the eyes of a dying deer but I am sure it cannot compare in sadness with looking into the eyes of a dying casing. Not in these days anyway. After all a hunter knows there are more deer where his deer came from, and the woods will continue Barker Warns to be gladdened by the frolic and play of the graceful critters, but, when an automobilist looks into the The 1942 fishing and hunting li- eyes of a dying tire his sadness is

15 and June 1 to Nov. 30, while the it shames us to recall it — we cooling system be flushed with goal of \$50,000,000, Davis revealed general trout season does not open treated him like a stepchild. Some- clean water after draining and be- that chapters now report a total of until May 15, with special seasons times he got his proper pressure, fore refilling. Farmers whose \$61,172,000. It is expected that at on certain waters. Full details of sometimes he didn't, but we were tractor tires are filled with anti- least \$65,000,000 will be reached The Rev. J. P. Lancaster of Dexfound on the game law digest obry visited friends here last week.

Seasons and bag limits may be happy in the belief that since late freeze and water should drain this out, flush well and refill with ter visited friends here last week. tainable free upon request from we had made up for this mistreatment by lavish care.

But now he is gone, when we had every reason to believe that he was good for 12,000 more miles. Cut down in the prime of his tread.

The spare has taken his place. The one and only. Somehow, the of Martin. In the first place, the lawsuit.

spare is a strict smoothie. There is no trusting him. He is a slicker, Cross Until Spring pure and simple, and may betray us at any moment.

Yes, we trust him, whether we want to or not. He is all we have. When he goes-and that time canthrough his skin-our means of transportation will be gone. Then One minute Martin was rolling we will have to take up walking. That dreaded means of transportation fit only for the use of babies making a trip between mamma and

papa in the living room. Mr. and Mrs. Garth McAuliffe counted for a little more than one- sad tune that tires always whistle tin for only one reason—to help you prepare for that day when your front tire passes on. That day is coming to you. Death and taxes are not the only two sure things any more. Now it is death, taxes and no more tires.

During the first few minutes a recent meeting. when your tire goes, you will be inof the work to be done.

mile without collapsing.

pavement at one-tenth of a mile to be launched early in 1943.

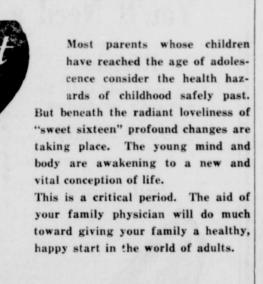
SAVE ANTI-FREEZE;

Mrs. E. L. Landreth and Mrs. B. censes now are on sale by license heightened by the knowledge that mobiles, tractors and trucks may the organization. In view of this M. Ballard were hostesses Sunday vendors throughout the state, it he is looking on a soon-to-be-ex- not be available next year because decision, the Red Cross feels that at a duck dinner. The guests in- was announced by Elliott S. Bark- tinct species, and that before very of war needs for chemicals used in it is justified in holding, independcluded Miss Madeline Prude and er, state game warden. Attention long the highway will be bare of their manufacture, so New Mexico ent of any fund raising efforts by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Daven- that all old hunting and fishing Martin was so young to go. I radiators and save anti-freeze for which includes its roll call mem-

> The warden explained that the ward to a happy 25,000 or more stored in a cool place in airtight glass containers or stone jugs. son is open from April 1 to April For the first year of his life, and USDA engineers suggest that the scription of the original minimum

> > More young people between the ages of 3 and 21 are killed by accidents than by any disease.

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In an effort to relieve in some men and women in all communities efforts during wartime, the Amer- Addn. to Artesia, \$1 &c. can Red Cross has decided to postpone its regular 1942 fall member- Huerta, lot 2, blk. 22, Artesia Hts. ship roll call and hold it simultan- Addn., Artesia. eously with its next war fund campaign early in 1943, Norman H. Huerta, lot 6, blk. 18, Artesia Hts. Davis, national chairman, an- Addn. to Artesia, \$25. nounced. Authority for the chair- TAX DEEDS-

"For twenty-five years," Davis consolable. You will want to be said, "the Red Cross traditionally tano Saiz, lot 5, blk. 10, Artesia alone, with perhaps only a friend- has held its membership roll calls Heights Addn. to Artesia, \$10. ly vulcanizer to cheer you up. Your in the fall months, to finance the DISTRICT COURTfeet will hurt at the very thought normal operations of the organi- No. 7793. Elizabeth Ogle vs. zation, and to build up its member- Harlie Ogle. Divorce. Later you'll snap out of it. You'll ship, which is the largest of any creak a little at first, but before non-governmental organization in you know it you'll be covering as the country. Today we are enmuch as three or four blocks with- gaged in a bitter war requiring out a great deal of trouble. Then, Red Cross operations which will one fine day, you will cover a whole cost much more than the roll calls can provide. This makes the larg-You'll be happy, proud of your er war fund appeals. To conserve release from the slavery of the the manpower of the Red Cross automobile, and the only time you and its millions of citizen volunwill miss an automobile will be teers for their operating duties, the when people pass you in one, and Red Cross has decided, barring unyou recall how much more pleasant forseen emergencies, to combine it was to whizz along at forty miles its 1942 roll call with the next war per hour than it is to pound the fund campaign, which is expected

"Although combining our efforts into one appeal a year, we shall IT MAY BE SCARCE still emphasize the membership principle of the Red Cross, which is so deeply rooted in the volun-Anti-freeze solutions for auto- tary and democratic character of farmers will do well to drain their other groups, one campaign a year

Davis said that the current war fund campaign was nearing a successful conclusion. Having recent-

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Artesia, lot 5, blk. 4, Forest Hill. Kemp Lumber Company to Fred Knowles, lot 10 blk. 12, Chisum Addn. to Artesia, \$900.

QUIT CLAIM DEEDS-George E. Currier to F. W Brumfield, lots 11-14, blk. 13, Morningside Addn., \$10.

H. A. Denton et ux, to Pomposo measure the increasing burden on Heights Addn. to Artesia, \$10 &c. Catona, lot 4, blk. 18, Artesia Eva J. Speck et vir, to Fred S who are engaged in money-raising Knowles, lot 10, blk. 12, Chisum H. A. Denton et ux, to Cruz

M. Dudgeon et ux, to Falomena

man to plan this combination was State Tax Commission to J. A voted by the central committee at Hoover, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, blk. 20, F. H. Addn. to Artesia, \$80. State Tax Commission to Callen-

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#### **Annual Election** Artesia Woman's Club Officers

The annual election of officers of the Artesia Womans Club was held at the regular meeting Wed-

nesday afternoon at the clubhouse. The office of the president was not filled at this time. Other officers elected were: First vice presond vice president, Mrs. Morrison the First Christian Church, all-day ident, Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr.; sec-Livingston; recording secretary, Mrs. T. E. Johnson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. D. M. Schneberg, and treasurer, Mrs. R. C. Parker.

Mrs. Schneberg presided at the meeting. Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr., gave a very interesting report on the state convention in Albuquerque last week.

Mrs. G. U. McCrary and Mrs. Fay Hardeman were hostesses.

#### **Muncy Celebrates** Anniversary Here Friday Evening

H. L. Muncy, one of the old-timers of the Pecos Valley and Artesia initiation; birthday supper, lodge are interested in teacher education. vicinity, enjoyed a surprise birth- hall, 6:30 p. m. day celebration on his seventieth anniversary Friday evening.

A daughter, Mrs. George Williams, and Mr. Williams, were Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Sr., hostess, 2 hosts at a turkey dinner on the p. m occasion, with refreshments served from a buffet. Covers were laid Dungan, hostess, 2 p. m. for the honoree and Mrs. Muncy, and the following members of the family: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Muncy, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Muncy, Mr. and style show, clubhouse, 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Nevil Muncy and Billie Jean; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Muncy, Jr., Miss course, ladies' day. Georgie Lee Williams and Jimmie Cunningham and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burns, hostess, 8 p. m. Mrs. Williams.

A large white cake, beautifully decorated and bearing seventy canpiece at the dining table.

In addition to many gifts, Mr. 6:30 p. m. his three children, Mrs. John Beck- First Christian Church, Mrs. Cile Ruby Kennedy, daughter of Mr. ett, Mrs. Bill Lunquist and Roy Kidd, hostess, 2:30 p. m. Coast and his grandson, Delbert L. Bert, hostess, 2 p. m. telegram from his son, Herbert, 2:30 p.m. of Globe, Ariz., came. A message

## Winnie Jo Harper

Winnie Jo Harper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Harper of Ar-Mexico College, has been selected Friday as a medical patient. as one of the three majorettes for the band at the college next year. Glennis Fahsholtz of Pleasant Hill and Eleanor White of Portales were the other two selected.

#### Funda Bridge Club Of Carlsbad, With Mrs. Sadler Tuesday

Mrs. A. C. Sadler entertained \* members of the Funda Bridge Club \* from Carlsbad Tuesday afternoon \* at the L. P. Evans home for a reg- + ular meeting.

Refreshments were served after \* several rounds of contract. Guests present were Mrs. Joe Stanley Smith, Mrs. Walter Doss, \* Mrs. Barney Hopkins, Jr., Mrs. Ben K. Lohman, Mrs. R. R. Othick, \* Mrs. T. H. Calvani, Mrs. Robert Lennon and Mrs. Jim Bass, all of \*

#### MRS. BALDWIN HOSTESS TO FORTNIGHTLY CLUB

Carlsbad.

Mrs. C. R. Baldwin was hostess to the Fortnightly Bridge Club Tuesday when she entertained with a fried chicken luncheon.

Golden bells and sweet peas used in the house decorations added to the springtime atmosphere.

Mrs. R. C. Parker was a guest of the club. Members present were Mrs. J. B. Atkeson, Mrs. C. R. Blocker, Mrs. Glenn Booker, Mrs. Landis Feather, Mrs. John Lanning, Mrs. Charles Martin, Mrs. Leslie Martin, Mrs. Albert Richards, Mrs. William Linell and Mrs. Lewis Story.

Mrs. Atkeson held high score of the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Koelling and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Koelling of Blackwell, Okla., former Artesia people, were through here several days ago and visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Collins on their way to the Carlsbad Caverns. They left this community twenty-eight years ago. The men were farmers in the Artesia community a number of years.

#### Social Calendar

Telephone 7 or 99

#### THURSDAY [TODAY]

Presbyterian Woman's Association, membership tea; Dr. W. S. at the church, 2:30 p. m. Methodist Society of Christian Service, covered dish luncheon, at

the church, 1 p. m. Christian Woman's Council of meeting, covered dish luncheon, at

the church, 11 a. m. Baptist Woman's Missionary Society, royal service program, busi- for 1941-42 would be chosen. ness meeting, covered dish luncheon, at the church, 12:30 p. m.

Archer, hostess, birthday luncheon,

P.E.O. sisterhood, Mrs. Glenn Booker, hostess, 2:30 p. m. Fidelis Sunday School class of to the total college enrollment. the First Baptist Church, Mrs. B. C. Aaron, hostess, 2 p. m.

Rebekah Lodge, regular meeting;

Atoka Woman's Club, Mrs. Clyde

#### WEDNESDAY

Junior Woman's Club, spring Artesia Ladies' Golf Clug, golf

THURSDAY [NEXT WEEK]

The Order of the Eastern Star. dles, which was baked by Mrs. official visit of the worthy grand Mrs. Harry Carder; Misses Maur-Nevil Muncy, formed the center- matron, Mrs. Ruth Notgrass, cov- ine and Ora Everett, daughters of

Muncy and his mother, Mrs. Hoop- Ruth Circle of the Baptist Wom- Miss Bettynelle Lanning, daugher Groh, and Mr. Groh, call from an's Missionary Society, mission ter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lanning

weeks with her sister, Mrs. L. E. in today. Knoedler. Miss Leaf is a nurse in the Cook County Hospital there. Instructors Meet Selected Majorette She will accompany her mother, Mrs. Cecelia Leaf, home to Moline, Ill., after her visit here.

J. W. Kennedy of Artesia was tesia, a freshman at Eastern New admitted to a Carlsbad hospital

#### CHILDREN ASKED TO ATTEND EGG HUNT

All children who are 10 years of age or under are \* invited to attend an Easter \* egg hunt at Central Park at \* 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, which is being sponsored by the Junior Woman's Club.

Junior Club women are asked to bring their colored Easter eggs to the Toy Library at the city hall between 1 and 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon, or take, \* them to Mrs. Hugh Parry or Mrs. S. Y. Yates.

Anyone wishing to donate \* eggs may contact Mrs. \* Hugh Parry, phone 747-W.

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#### Miss Ruby Kennedy President of FTA

Miss Joy Elmer Morgan, chairman of the National Education Association of the United States, has announced Eastern New Mexico College as being among the Dando of Carlsbad, guest speaker, first twelve schools in Future Teachers of America Club rank-

> Miss Ruby Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kennedy of Artesia, a junior at the college, is president of the club.

Miss Morgan said it would be from this list of twelve top chapters that the banner FTA chapter

Among points taken into consideration in electing a winner the association considers character of projects undertaken, general ef-D.G.B. Rummy Club, Mrs. A. M. ficiency, continuity of strength over a number of years, reports showing achievements, achievements of graduated members, and a number of members in relation

> One of the main projects undertaken by the college FTA this year ago to John Oller of Las Vegas. is a booth for selling Defense Stamps, and a meeting of high school seniors in that section who

The Eastern New Mexico chapter is the only higher education college in New Mexico with a FTA chapter. The chapter was founded

#### Students Home for The Easter Holidays

Several students from the colleges and universities are home and will be home the latter part Artwood Pirates Bridge Club, of this week for the Easter holi-

Students from Eastern New Mexico College, Portales, are, Miss Edna Carder, daughter of Mr. and ered dish supper, Masonic hall, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Everett; Miss In addition to many gifts, Mr. 6:30 p. m.

Muncy had the pleasure of having Young Woman's Guild of the Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Harper; Miss and Mrs. J. W. Kennedy, and Clyde Muncy call him from the West Chatterbox Bridge Club, Mrs. A. and Preston Dunn, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn.

Overton, Tex. While at dinner a study, Mrs. James Dew, hostess, a freshman at the University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, will arrive Friday. Charles Baldwin, son from every absent member of the Miss Ann Leaf of Chicago, Ill., ar- of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin also family was received on this oc- rived Monday for a visit of two a student at the university, came

## On Friday Evening

Instructors of the Red Cross first aid classes met Friday evening at the home of Mrs. C. C. Dannenbaum for a coffee.

Rules for the instructors to follow were made at this time. Members presented Mrs. Ralph Roberson, Jr., chairman of the Red Cross committee, with a gift.

Dainty refreshments were served. Instructors present were Miss Natalie Murdock, Mrs. J. J. Clarke. Jr., Mrs. S. P. Yates, Mrs. M. C. Francisco, Mrs. Oscar Samelson Wallace Hastings, Ralph Roberson, Jr., and Ross Wedemeyer.

The next meeting will be April 24 at the home of Mrs. J. J. Clarke.

All instructors received their certificates Wednesday.

Jack Kennedy, who was taken to a Carlsbad hospital last week, quite ill, is somewhat improved.

Landis Ed Feather, a student at State College, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Feather, from Saturday to Sunday.

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New Mexico Highlands Queen

Beauty queen for 1942 at New Mexico Highlands University is by a committee of socially prom-Mrs. Betty Rickard Oller, who was inent Las Vegas women, are: Joyce secretly married more than a year ago to John Oller of Las Vegas.

Her picture will lead the women's Her picture will lead the women's section of the 1942 annual, "The Southwest Wind."

#### MRS. HOGSETT ATTENDS GRAND CHAPTER OF O.E.S.

Mrs. W. S. Hogsett, worthy maickson, and grandson, Bobbie, in ron of the Artesia chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, was among those from Artesia who attended the Grand Chapter in Albuquerque March 19-21.

Her name was inadvertently omitted last week from the news account of the meeting.

Farley, and Gloria Weatherill, Roy. All of them will be pictured with Mrs. Oller in the year book. Mrs. C. E. Lannom returned last

week from a two-week visit with

her daughter, Mrs. Maurine Ear-

Phoenix, Ariz.

Her attending beauties, elected

Mrs. Cassie Henson of Puente, Calif., arrived Sunday for a visit with her son, Tex Henson, and Mrs. Henson, this week.

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## Patriotic Pageant To Be Presented

More than 250 students will take part in the patriotic pageant at the senior high school auditorium at 8 o'clock Friday evening, April

Pupils from the joint Junior Red Cross of the senior high school and elementary grades under the direction of Mrs. I. L. Spratt and H. O. Miller, music teachers, will present the pageant, "ABC of Amer-

Colorful costumes, gay songs and folk dances will add much to the attraction.

A free will offering will be The public is invited to attend.

#### KONGENIAL KARD KLUB LAPSLEY HOME FRIDAY

Mrs. M. A. Lapsley entertained the Kongenial Kard Klub Friday evening, at which time members gave Mrs. Foster Hurst a surprise birthday party. She was presented many lovely gifts.

Those present were Mrs. Hurst, Mrs. H. C. Adams, Mrs. W. J. Cluney, Mrs. L. A. DeLouche, Mrs. Dave Bunting, Mrs. Andy Compary and

Mrs. Hugh Elvin: Birthday cake and coffee were served at the close of the rounds of contract. Mrs. DeLouche received high score award.

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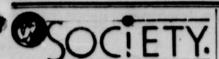
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#### DISTRIBUTED FUNDS

The Little Theater of Artesia, which recently disbanded for the duration of the war, has divided its funds between the American Women's Voluntary Services, Inc., the U.S.O. and the Artesia Community

Checks were issued Wednesday to the three organizations.

#### MRS. HOGSETT HOSTESS TO D.G.B. RUMMY CLUB

Mrs. W. S. Hogsett was hostess to members and guests of the D.G.B. Rummy Club Friday after-

Cole and Mrs. Nathan Kelly, Tuesday evening. guests, and Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs.

Refreshments were served after the games. Mrs. Archer held high well, a deacon. for the members and Mrs. Kelly high for the guests.

#### THE H20 BRIDGE CLUB MET FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Members and guests of the H2O Bridge Club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. B. Atkeson.

Mrs. Jeff Hightower was a subwere Mrs. J. Hise Myers, Mrs. G. Thelma Yates, hostess. R. Brainard, Mrs. Fannie Bruton, An April Fool's D. gins and Mrs. Earl Darst, mem-

the close of the rounds of bridge.

#### **B&PW LUNCHEON AT** HOTEL ON FRIDAY

The Artesia Business and Proday at the Artesia Hotel for a was an April Fool's party. luncheon. Covers were laid for

members are taking the Red Cross and Mrs. Bryan Shoemake. first aid course.

Mrs. J. W. Johns presided at the MRS. MAPES ENTERTAINS meeting. Miss Beth King gave the national bulletin and Mrs. R. C. Horner gave a discussion on 'Budgeting for Taxes."

Miss Juanita Denton discussed Club Monday evening.

'Nutrition,' giving interesting The Easter color school points how the business woman ried out in the decorations and recan keep fit.

#### **Church Activities**

#### Young Woman's Guild

The Young Woman's Guild of Pearl Naanes. the First Christian Church met last Thursday at the church for a cov- score prize and Miss Higgins cut. ered dish luncheon.

Plans were made for a food sale THE CHATTERBOX CLUB April 4, at Peoples Mercantile Company.

The afternoon was spent in last Thursday at the home of Mrs. planting flowers and grass at the S. E. Chipman.

church Members of the Guild present Dougherty, Mrs. J. Clark Bruce, were Mrs. Sam Stewart, Mrs. Ho- Mrs. John Mauer, Mrs. A. L. Bert, mer Borland, Mrs. Kenneth Wag- Mrs. James Allen, Mrs. Walter a head injury. goner, Mrs. Cile Kidd, Mrs. Walter Nugent, Mrs. Dave Saikin, Mrs. Hefner and Mrs. Britton Coll.

#### The Ruth Circle

The Ruth Circle of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Jack Morland for the monthly

During the afternoon several amusing Bible contest games were played.

Refreshments were served after the meeting to fifteen members and two guests.

#### The Dorcas Circle

The Dorcas Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Dale

Mrs. J. S. Mills, president of the class, presided at the business meeting.

The hostess served refreshments to Mrs. S. M. Morgan, Mrs. W. S. Johnson, Mrs. Bogard Jones, Mrs. V. S. Holley, Mrs. F. O. Ashton, Mrs. C. L. East, Mrs. C. P. Med-ders, Mrs. R. J. Sutcliff, Mrs. L. P. Holland, Mrs. Una Powell, Mrs. Mills, Mrs. R. F. Barton, Mrs. W. M. Gray and Mrs. Joe Luce, all members of the class.

#### Junior Auxiliary

The Junior Girls Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church enjoyed an James Nellis, Mrs. B. E. Kennedy Easter egg hunt at the home of and Mrs. Henry Paton. Mrs. Garland Stuart Monday af-

Following the hunt games were afternoon. played and refreshments served to twenty-six members.

#### The Fellowship Class

The Fellowship Class of the First Baptist Church met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Willard with twelve ladies playing in the Teague with Mrs. Wesley Gililian co-hostess for the monthly business

Mrs. Walter Johnson was in charge of the business meeting. Mrs. Pete Jorden was leader for the Bible study.

Those present were Mmes. Buster Walker, Garland Stuart, Gene Roberts, James Dew, Kirk Yeager, Jack Morland, W. C. Willis, Walter Johnson and Peter Jorden.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

#### Two Are Honored On Birthday Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Carper were at Maljamar honoring their twin ed by her daughter, Mrs. B. N. daughters, Mrs. Grady Booker and Muncy, Jr. Mrs. Glenn Booker, whose birthday occurred that day.

After lunch they visited the repressuring plant at Maljamar.

Those present were Mrs. Nell Albert of Roswell, sister of Mr. Carper; Mrs. Bertha VanWyngarden, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Booker and children, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Mr. and Mrs. Carper.

#### PRESBYTERIANS HAVE

#### ANNUAL CHURCH SUPPER

Those present were Miss Ina per of the Presbyterian Church The Rev. Henry S. Stout presid-F. E. Fainter, Mrs. A. M. Archer, ed at the meeting after the supper.

Wilton Tarbet was elected an day. elder at this time and Tim Max-The Presbyterian Woman's Association were hostesses on this

#### ARTWOOD CLUB HAS APRIL FOOL PARTY

main salad course, with guests Mrs. T. E. Johnson and Mrs. Harchoosing four of the specials vey Yates. Mrs. Higgins held high score at from the following menu: High float; one of Heinz 57; Maid of Orleans; dairyman's best; Nuggets of gold; Irish chips; hidden tears; lovers' greens; dago's pride, and sweet sixteens.

The rounds of bridge were not fessional Women's Club met Fri- played according to rules since it of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Muncy, who Seger's daughter, Mrs. E. R. Hazle Mrs. Emmett Goodrich. Mrs. Dru

Guests present were Mrs. S. Luncheon meetings are to be held Murphy, Mrs. Elmer Breckenridge, Overton, Tex., on Senior Day re- on a vacation trip to be spent at Jackson and Mrs. Horace Golden. instead of evening meetings since Mrs. R. D. Collier, Mrs. Lee Burns cently at Overton High School.

#### JUST-A-MERE CLUB

Mrs. M. A. Mapes, Jr., entertained the Just-A-Mere Bridge

The Easter color scheme was carfreshments.

Members present were Miss Edna Drury, Miss Shelia Higgins, Miss Helen Gorman, Miss Isabelle Macdonald, Mrs. Howard Rutz, Miss Alma Sue Felix and Miss

Miss Gorman received high

The Chatterbox Bridge Club met

Members present were Mrs. Fred home Wednesday.

A. W. Harral and Mrs. Oren C. Roberts. game of Bingo was played and re-

freshments were served. Mrs. Harral received high score prize, Mrs. Bruce, cut, and Mrs. Mauer, low. Mrs. Bert received the Bingo prize.

#### MISS PIOR PRESIDENT

Miss Sybil Pior, a freshman at who recently was initiated into the Friday. women's professional national speech fraternity, Zeta Phi Eta, was president of the pledges before she became an active member in the fraternity.

Miss Pior is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pior of Artesia.

#### ABNORMIS BRIDGE CLUB ON TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. Ralph Shugart was hostess to the Abnormis Sapiens Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon. Substituting guests were Mrs. John Rowland, Mrs. C. G. Ross, Mrs. C. C. Harris and Mrs. C. T. Hopkins.

Members present were Mrs. J. W. Berry, Mrs. Ruger Durand, Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Mrs. J. Hise Myers, Mrs. J. M. Story, Mrs.

After the bridge games Mrs. Shugart held high score of the

#### LADIES' GOLF CLUB

#### BLIND BOGIE MEET

The Artesia Ladies' Golf Club met Wednesday at the golf course blind bogie meet with Mrs. J. S. Ward and Mrs. Floyd Springer winning prizes.

Mrs. T. F. McGivieney of Carls-

bad was a guest of the club. Mrs. Harvey Jones and Mrs. Garland Rideout were co-hostesses.

The club will meet next week at the Brite Spot for a luncheon with Mrs. J. S. Ward, Mrs. C. J. Dexter and Mrs. Howard Whitson,

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#### THE MIERCOLES CLUB MAHONE HOME FRIDAY

The Miercoles Bridge Club met Friday afternoon at the home of hosts at a birthday lunch Sunday Mrs. A. P. Mahone, who was assist-

> The Easter theme was carried out in refreshments and decora-

Those present were Mrs. Otis A. Roberts, Mrs. D. M. Schneberg, Mrs. Charles Martin, Mrs. Glenn Booker and Mrs. John Rowland, guests of the club, and Mrs. Howard Williams, Mrs. Elzie Swift, Booker and children and the hosts, Mrs. J. W. Johns, Mrs. T. E. Johnson, Mrs. Lewis Story, Mrs. F. C. Hart and Mrs. Raymond Bartlett,

Mrs. Story held high score of the About seventy-five persons at-

#### tended the annual chicken pie sup- MRS. MAPES HAS BRIDGE-LUNCHEON WEDNESDAY

ess at a bridge-luncheon Wednes-Decorations used carried out the

shoes with the guest names burned past few months. on each were given as favors and house decorations.

Guests were Mrs. Howard Members of the Artwood Pirates Hugh Parry, Mrs. S. P. Yates, Mrs. in Portales Sunday with Mrs. Den-Bridge Club enjoyed an April Fool Stanley Carper, Mrs. Lewis Story, dy's brother, Willie McCormack. Party Wednesday evening at the Mrs. Glenn Booker, Mrs. John Lanstituting guest. Others present home of Mrs. J. O. Wood with Mrs. ning, Mrs. J. T. Caudle, Mrs. Wal- family left Monday to make their

Mrs. Johnson received high prize

#### DELBERT MUNCY DIRECTS BAND

visits here every summer, was fea- and family. Lanning, Mrs. J. O. Wood, Mrs. M. which he organized and directs in son, Dennis Carl, left Wednesday Mrs. William Wise, Mrs. A. L. Delbert, who is a senior class- City, Okla.

man, plays a cornet as well as

## Hospital News

other instruments.

is very much improved and back ployed at the copper mines.

Ferrell Price, young son of Mr. and bring someone with them. Mrs. Sunday evening at 8 o'clock wood community, underwent an camp. appendectomy last Thursday after-He was returned to his

Elmer Wood of Hope was treat-

Steve Sosa of Lake Arthur, an freshments of coffee, hot chocoemployee at the J. A. Nelson farm late and cookies were served. Binin the Cottonwood community, had After the rounds of bridge a the second finger of his left hand ame of Bingo was played and reamputated Monday. The injury was sustained at the farm in an accident in handling pipe.

hospital staff, who was a patient Dyckie O'Donnell and Willie Bryfor several days last week, went ant. Various games were played to Roswell Sunday and is at the and refreshments were served by home of her niece, Mrs. Paul the hostesses. Others present to PLEDGES, ZETA PHI ETA Schultz, while receiving medical bid Betty goodbye as she left for

treatment.

Albert Rust, who has been treated for burns for several weeks, is Hardesty and Everett Hardesty. still showing marked improvement.

Washington, D. C., where he has a Taylor led the devotional and Mrs. government job.

**Cut Flowers** 

Corsages

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**Potted Plants** 

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#### **Loco Hills Items**

(Mrs. E. C. Abston)

Vera and Jimmy Evans are ill this week of tonsilitis.

Dennis Carl Robinson is recovering from the measles. Britt Martin returned to his ome in Graham, Okla., Saturday. Mrs. Horace Golden is on the

sick list this week of throat trouble. 13.25. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Phelps made a business trip to Carlsbad

spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Morgan. Mrs. C. C. McCullough, who is

attending beauty school at Roswell, spent the week end at home. Ernest Thompson and mother went to San Antonio, Tex., Monday to choice light weight fed steers and plan to make their home there. 14.00, medium and good grade fed Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fannin left on a vacation trip Sunday. They will dogies downward to 10.50; good to Mrs. M. A. Mapes, Jr., was host- visit relatives at Ranger and Dal-

las, Tex. have returned from Kermit, Tex., 15.00. Dutch theme. Small wooden Dutch where they have been living for the

the tallies were made of Dutch a Carlsbad hospital. He underwent lambs 11.40-11.65; best held upgirls. Tulips were used in the an operation for appendicitis last week and is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland E. Dendy Mr. and Mrs. Bill Royer and

lace Gates, Mrs. Fletcher Collins, home in Tulsa, Okla. Mr. Royer R. Brainard, Mrs. Fannie Bruton, An April Fool's Day special Mrs. Marshall Rowley, Mrs. WilMrs. Nevil Muncy, Mrs. S. O. Higmenu was served before the liam Bullock, Mrs. John Collins,
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Cranford and family, for several days of last week, were their daughter, Janice, who is attending ing for a visit with her parents, and Mrs. Grady Booker, traveling. school in Portales, and Mrs. H. G. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Paris. Rowley, mother of Mrs. Cranford. They returned home Sunday.

Mrs. George Till and children of Lubbock, Tex., spent Friday with spend several days.

Williams, north of Hope.

and Mrs. S. Price of the Cotton- Goodrich lives at the Franklin About forty persons attended the benefit game party given Friday evening by the Red Cross Auxiliary in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dru ed at the hospital Wednesday for Taylor at Maljamar. Mrs. Dan Yancy assisted Mrs. Taylor. Re-

Betty Jean Hyson was honoree at a farewell party given for her Mrs. Lura Ross, a member of the Friday evening by Jo Louise and Ray, Ariz., that evening were Mrs. Delbert Swindle and her in- Sally Barrett, Jackie Strand, Lois Drake University, Des Moines, Ia., fant daughter expect to go home who recently was initiated into the Friday.

Jackson, Louise Brown, Betty Jo Owens, Bobby Harrison, Harold

> The Esther Circle met in the home of Mrs. E. C. Abston Tuesday R. E. Bean left Sunday for afternoon of last week. Mrs. Dru O. C. Rogers conducted the Bible

#### Livestock Report

The livestock report on the Kansas City market:

13.60, good to choice 170-300 lbs. change of climate for him. 13.40-13.60; sows 12.85-13-15; few

Gladys Morgan of Kermit, Tex., higher, curtailed supply consisting Calif., is expected. mostly of medium and good grades scaling downward from 1,150 lbs; she stock steady to strong; bulls strong to 15 higher, vealers fully steady, stockers and feeders steady to weak; three loads strictly good steers 11.25-13.60; few short fed choice heifers 11.50-13.00; medium to good cows 8:50-9.50; good to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morgan, Jr., choice vealers 12.50-14.50; few

Sheep: Salable 9,000; total 20,500; lambs slow, about steady; Gerald Westall of Maljamar is in few opening sales 98-108 lbs. fed ward to 12.00.

> Motorists, be alert at intersections, and watch for cars to your right. They have the right-of-way.

Aboard ship United States Marines man the secondary batteries

Miss Mary Louise Paris of Chicago, Ill., arrived Saturday morn-

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Llambley and study. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Lora Seger spent the week the hostess served light refresh-Delbert Muncy, young grandson end in Seminole, Tex., visiting Mrs. ments to Mrs. Kenneth Shirey, Taylor, Mrs. B. W. Williams, Mrs. tured with his swing-time band Mr. and Mrs. Carl Robinson and O. C. Rogers, Mrs. J. W. Pulliam, San Antonio, Tex., and Oklahoma The next meeting will be with Mrs. Taylor, Tuesday afternoon, April 14 at 2 o'clock.

The attendance was ninety-two her mother, Mrs. H. E. Mahres, Sunday at the Sherman Memorial who returned home with her to Sunday school. The Rev. Mr. Ribble of the Church of Christ in Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mulcock and Carlsbad conducted the morning + children, Georgia Gale and Buddy, service. He was assisted by three spent Tuesday and Wednesday of other members of that church from also held a song last week with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Artesia. They also held a song service at 3 o'clock Sunday after-S. O. Pottorff, vice president of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Hyson and noon with several young people the First National Bank, was a daughters, Joyce and Betty Jean, from Artesia taking part. The medical patient from Thursday of left Friday to make their home in Rev. A. F. Waller, pastor of the last week to Sunday. Mr. Pottorff Ray, Ariz., Mr. Hyson will be em- Church of Christ at Artesia, conducted the evening service. The The young adult class of the Rev. W. C. Garrett of Roswell will Miss Peggy Hamill, daughter of Sherman Memorial Sunday school be in charge of the Easter services Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hamill, a med-will have a meeting at the home next Sunday, which will begin a ical patient for the second time of Mrs. J. E. Goodrich next Tues- revival to continue through the recently, was released Monday and day afternoon, April 7, at 2 o'clock. Week. The Easter program to be is considered improving nicely. All members are invited to attend presented by the children will be

#### REV. PHILLIPS ILL AFTER HEART ATTACK

Hogs: Salable and total 2,500; day of last week, was reported this Base at Lakehurst, N. J., for special uneven, steady to 10 lower than morning to be somewhat improved, training with a group of young previous day's average closed act- but still quite ill. It was learned men. During the few minutes the ive mostly steady, no shippers, top that his physician had advised a train was in, Leon said he had seen

Cattle: Salable 4,800, total 4,900; Mrs. Phillips, arrived Monday to entertainment together. calves: salable 450, total 550; fed be with his father and a daughter, steers fairly active, strong to 25 Miss Virginia Phillips of Pasadena,

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bert and son, Lyle, drove to Albuquerque Friday to see their son and brother, Leon, The Rev. Lee P. Phillips, pastor who was going through by train of the Church of the Nazarene, from the Naval Training Station who suffered a heart attack Tues- at San Diego to the Naval Training Willie McCasland of Artesia at the Carroll Phillips, of Alhambra, station in San Diego earlier in the Calif., a son of the Rev. Mr. and week and that they had gone to an

Calvin Bailey, who is stationed at Brooks Field, Tex., will be home SUBSCRIBE FOR THE ADVOCATE

Sunday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bailey.





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I believe a public official should have the welfare of his constituents uppermost in his mind at all times. I believe courtesy and fair treatment by public officials will create respect for the law, and in most cases, produce

the desired correction. I believe a public official should realize that his acts and deeds very often make an indelible impression on our

younger generation. I believe everyone should exercise his franchise to vote. This in my opinion is not only a privilege, but an obligation to yourself, your family and your country.

J. D. JOSEY

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SUN.—MON.—TUES., APRIL 5—6—7



### Pix Rhapsody

piciously-launched saga of indigo A. D., 1942. which we're going to have an opportunity to see when it arrives cil of the City of Artesia, New rhythm, "Birth of the Blues,"

names in the cast. Each name fair-ly screams its entertainment pow-election shall be held, to wit: er: Bing Crosby, Mary Martin, Brian Donlevy, Carolyn Lee, Jack Teagarden, the bandleader, and Rochester. What a line-up for Mrs. Journal of the Bounds of the Bound laughs and music! Incidentally, preview critics and audiences don't mince any words in calling the new picture just about the best of its CLERKS: kind ever produced. Certainly the stuff of which swell pictures are made is there.

"Birth of the Blues" is a tribute to those trail-blazing bandsmen who opened their hearts to the blues rhythms played by Negroes and worked for many years to convince the country this music ought to be listened to, danced to, enjoyed. Those songs now come out of a blast furnace whipped up by saxes, trumpets and trombones as Dixieland jazz. And don't forget this music is handled in the picture by masters.

Bing Crosby, in "Birth of the Blues," is one of the venturesome bandleaders who assembles the best talent he could find to play the spirited Dixieland jive. He plays the clarinet, Brian Donlevy the trumpet, and Jack Teagarden, of course, performs on that miraculous trombone of his. Pretty Mary Martin is the boys' musical helpmate, and where a better one can JUDGES: be found, we just don't know.

## OFFICIAL CALL FOR REGULAR BIENNIAL ELECTION FOR THE CITY OF ARTESIA.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the regular biennial election of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, for the purpose of electing a mayor at large to serve for a term MAYOR: Emery Carper (Two-year of two years, and for the further

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for each of the four wards, being Wards No. 1, 2, 3 and 4, respectively, in the City of Artesia, New Mexico, to serve for a term of four years, and for the further If ever a picture showed more promise of being hit movie entertainment than Paramount's auspiciously leurophed angre of indice.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN: This commentator, for one, is nial election, and the hereinafter floored by the impressive list of named places have been designat-

> FIRST WARD VOTING PLACE: American Le-

Mrs. Jeff Hightower Mrs. Morrison Livingston Mrs. J. T. Caudle Alternate: Joe Foster

Mrs. Jno. Lanning Pete Loving Alternate: O. H. Brown SECOND WARD VOTING PLACE: City Hall.

JUDGES: Mrs. C. O. Brown Mrs. Nora B. Clayton Mrs. Charles Morgan Alternate: Mrs. Fay Hardeman CLERKS:

Mrs. Jess Truett THIRD WARD VOTING PLACE:

JUDGES: Mr. A. C. Crozier Mrs. A. P. Mahone

Alternate: Mrs. Will Linell CLERKS: Mrs. P. V. Morris

Mrs. Marvel Archer Alternate: Mrs. R. N. Russell FOURTH WARD VOTING PLACE: City Ware-

(908 W. Quay). Mrs. H. B. Gilmore Mrs. Lloyd Simons Mrs. Max Schulze Alternate: Mrs. Beatrice Blocker.

CLERKS: Mrs. Nolan Pollard Mrs. I. C. Keller Alternate: Mrs. B. E. Spencer Nominations filed are as follows,

FOOD FOR

FREEDOM

Plant the Best-Raise More

SEE US FOR

Garden Seed Fertilizer

• Farm Seed

Second Ward: Four-year term C. O. Brown Third Ward: Four-year

Fred Brainard Fourth Ward: Four-year term-Arba Green POLICE JUDGE:

for county officers who shall have actually resided in the City of Ar-April 4, 1909, prohibiting unlawful tesia for thirty days next preced-

I, Emery Carper, Mayor of the Interior. Register. City of Artesia, New Mexico, under and by virtue of the power vested in me, do hereby issue the foregoing official call for the regular biennial election. EMERY CARPER,

T. H. RAGSDALE, Clerk

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

CORMICK, Deceased.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FIN-AL ACCOUNT OF J. M. JACK-SON, ADMINISTRATOR.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: mick Buchanan, Loften McCormick, B. Franklin McCormick, Sr; all unknown heirs of Horace M. Mc-Cormick, deceased; and all un-known persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent; GREETING:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That J. M. Jackson has filed his final account and petition for discharge as administrator of the estate of Horace M. McCormick, de-ceased; that the Honorable J. T. the day, time and place for hear- decedent.

for the administrator.

WITNESS, My hand and the seal of said Court on this 11th day of March, 1942.

MRS, R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Probate Court. (SEAL)

United States Department of the United States Department of the Interior, District Land Office, Las Cruces, New Mexico. Notice is hereby given that the lands herein described in the Artesia Oil and Gas Field, New Mexico are offered to the qualified bidder of the highest amount offered per acre as a bonus for the privilege of leasing the lands under section 17 of the leasing act as amended by the act leasing act as amended by the act of August 21, 1935 (49 Stat. 675; 30 U.S.C. 185) at the royalty rate scale in the lease form shown in Mrs. Walter Nugent scale in the lease form shown in Alternate: Mrs. Jno. Vandagriff Circular 1386 at a sale to be held in the United States Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico at 10 o'clock A. M. April 22, 1942 in the following parcels: Parcel No. 1, T. 18 S., R. 27 E., Sec. 1, SE'4; Parcel No. 2, T. 18 S., R. 27 E., Sec. the U. S. Marines, minus clothing after a swim, saw the Nicaraguan 12, all. The successful bidder must bandit, Manuel Jiron, and arrested deposit on date of sale with the officer in charge of the sale a certified check on a solvent bank or cash for one-fifth of the amount bid by him and file the showing of there!

qualifications to receive a lease required by section 7 of Circular 1386. The remainder of the bonus and the annual rental at the rate of \$1.00 per acre must be paid and a \$5000 corporate surety bond must be furnished prior to the is-suance of the lease. Bids may be submitted for both parcels of land POLICE JUDGE:
Two-year term—W. H. Ballard—
J. D. Josey (one to be elected).
Polls will be opened at nine

such parcels and all other holdings of the bidder in the Artesia field is not in excess of 2560 acres, sepclock a. m. and closed at six arate leases to issue for each paro'clock p. m., and any qualified cel. Bidders are warned against elector under the laws of the State violation of Section 59, United combination or intimidation of bid-

#### CALL FOR BIDS

Municipal School District No. 16 will receive bids on school furniture and equipment as follows: 20 Bookkeeping tables 4 Typewriter desks

1 16 mm Sound Film Projector

CHARLES MORGAN. President Attest: W. E. KERR,

Secretary

WILL AND TESTAMENT OF ELIZABETH WRIGHT BLAKE, DECEASED. No. 1007

TATE AFORESAID.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:
ALBERT BLAKE, of Artesia,
New Mexico; all unknown heirs of Hardin has set the 24th day of April, 1942, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. at the Probate Court and all unknown persons claiming about our setbacks in the Eastern and all unknown persons right, title or in-

Neil B. Watson, whose address day of May, 1942, at the hour of is Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney 2 o'clock P. M., at the Probate This year our battlefront is the Court room in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing objections, if any, to said Final Account and Report. At the same time and place the Probate Court of said County will proceed to interpret 11-4t-14 the Last Will and Testament of said decedent and to determine the heirship of said decedent and ownership of her Estate, and the interest of each claimant thereto and therein, and the person or persons entitled to distribution of the res-

idue of said Estate.
G. U. McCrary, whose postoffice address is Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney for said Executor. WITNESS my hand and the seal said Court on this 31st day of

March, 1942. MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Probate Court, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Drive like hell-and you'll get



## Dere Folks:

What the Boys Write Home Through The Advocate

425th School Squadron, Kaye Field, Columbus Air Base, Columbus, Mississippi. Dear Dad:

Dont be too surprised at receiving a typewritten letter from me ing the election and who shall have ders. The right is reserved to re- although I'll admit it isn't often registered as required by law, shall ject any and all bids in the dis-be deemed a qualified voter. ject any and all bids in the dis-tunity, or I might say privilege, of 10-5t-14 using a typewriter. Tonight I'm in charge of quarters, so I have all the equipment of the orderly roor at my disposal, typewriter, paper The Board of Education, Artesia envelopes and just nearly everything with nothing to do but write letters. Everyone should rate a letter from a soldier tonight.

hour inspection of my airplane. Specifications may be had at the I've been working on it for three Office of Superintendent of Schools days now and I'm really glad that on or after April 2, 1942. Bids will it's finished. One day is the usual be received by the Superintendent time for an inspection, but it seems of Schools until 12 noon April 13, as if every 100 hours the thing has IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HORACE M. Mc
1942. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and
all bids.

1942. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and
all bids. sides having nearly everything worn or defective it is hard to get parts for some reason or other, This time I had to replace the left generator and two instruments. 14-2t-15 Few people realize that an airplane requires so much more mainten-IN THE PROBATE COURT OF ance than an automobile, and con-EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF sequently we have to maintain an Ella McCormick Davis, J. E. Mc-Cormick, Maggie McCormick Carson, Addie McCormick Ward, Etta

NEW MEXICO.

NEW MEXICO.

exceptionally large parts department. I have my plane on the "initial" now. Being on the "initial" now. itial" means that as far as I or my "AM" exams, so I get \$82 a fore the war is over I will be a complete and in perfect condition. being in the Army more than a Due to the shortage of parts this year. I hold a "second "AM" rat-NOTICE OF HEARING OF FIN. is the first time mine has been on AL ACCOUNT AND REPORT an "initial" since I've had it. It ALBERT BLAKE, EXEC- wouldn't be that way now, but one UTOR OF THE LAST WILL of the Hudsons ground-looped the AND TESTAMENT AND ESparts I needed. The other fellows got several parts and instruments,

Room in Carlsbad, New Mexico, as terest in or to the Estate of said war area. It looks like we have a the day, time and place for hearing objections, if any, to said final account. 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 estate, and the interest of each discharge as Executor aforesaid;

We could lose this war, but we won't. America has never lost a war, and if I know anything about the spirit of the men in our Army, and the new equipment we're receiving every day we won't lose Sunday at the Ocotillo Theater, then we don't know of it.

This commentator, for one, is cil of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, as judges and clerks to hold and conduct the regular biennial election, and the hereinafter thereof.

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Noil B. Watson, whose address.

#### ARTESIA

## BUSINESS DIRECTORY

A Thumbnail 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

Pete L. Loving, General Insurance, 301 Wash. Ph. 518 AUTOMOTIVE Artesia Auto Co., Wrecker Service\_\_\_\_Ph. 52

INSURANCE

ACCOUNTANTS, PUBLIC STENOGRAPHERS Blanche McCoy, Stenographic, Report Serv.\_\_Ph. 770 This afternoon I finished a 100-ELECTRICAL REPAIRING

Doc Loucks, Rewinding All Kinds, 107 Quay\_Ph. 65 **FEEDS** 

E. B. Bullock, Feed, Flour, Coal, Seeds\_\_\_\_Ph. 86 SHOE REPAIRING Hefley's Shoe Shop, Expert Repairing 108 S. Roselawn

COMMERCIAL PRINTING Artesia Advocate, 316 W. Main—Call Us\_\_\_\_Ph.

production lines. the post inspectors can tell it is month, counting my \$10 bonus for master sergeant.

ing now, which pays as much as Have I written you since I made anything in the Army, that is for corporal? Last month they made enlisted men except master serme corporal and crew chief on a geant, technical sergeant and a Lockheed-Hudson. I also passed "first AM." Maybe someday be-

Your son Corp. William T. Bartlett, Jr.



# This Isn't News!



WHEN A DOG BITES A MAN, cub newspaper reporters are told by their editors, it isn't news; but if a man bites a dog-that's news!

Natural Gas Service isn't news to you, according to that definition. We make it our business to see that it isn't news. You have come to take Natural Gas Service and its dependability for granted. That is what we want-it shows we are doing our job.

It would be news if you got up tomorrow morning and the gas wouldn't come on. It would be news if the flow of gas into your home were interrupted several times during the day. It would be news if we telephoned you and told you we had run out of gas and wouldn't have any more until sometime next week.

None of that happens. Natural Gas Service is regular and dependable. That's why it isn't news.

New Mexico Eastern Gas Company

Telephone 50

sponded the prospective groom, "we've been married fifty years,

but the pension office won't help

us unless we have a marriage cer-

Mrs. Wade Reed of Topeka,

Kan., keeps that gun loaded now.

While entertaining, she thought she heard a noise. Reed investi-

gated, but found nothing. It gave

Mrs. Reed an idea, though. She

seized her gun to show the guests

es unattended on the streets.

Jackson, S. C., according to a post

advises, before you come hunting

lar," an official said, "but she's the

finest dog we've ever seen with

painted nails. That should be

John O'Keefe and E. M. Cox

have been attending a memory

training school in Kansas City. The

O'Keefe introduced the mayor-by

the wrong name. After the lunch

Cox couldn't locate his car. He

When Glenn Sigmon built his

home at 1313 Gladden Street, Col-

umbia, S. C., he got permission for

ber in the draft lottery. It is 1313.

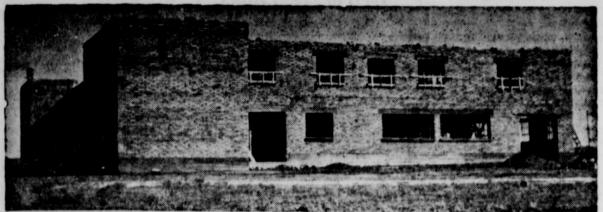
Electric Company of Casspolis,

Mich., to take its poles off his

identification enough."

an affidavit might do.

#### New Aviation Defense Building at Highlands



KNOW YOUR

NEIGHBOR

CHILE—COASTAL EMPIRE

its unappreciated dignity and im- come.

Switzerland. Cape Horn and the Republic.

rapidly developing industry. To traveling public."

Chilean archipelago are about as far from the bleak desert country

the north is the great Central Val-

ley, famed as one of the world's

garden spots. Here all the pro-

ducts of the temperate zone and

most of those of sub-tropical cli-

mates grow luxuriantly. This is

the most thickly settled and the most highly cultivated part of the

country. And here, in a fertile

valley between mountains and sea,

is the beautiful capital city of San-

tiago. On the coast, only 116 miles away, is the equaly famous port

of Valparaiso.

Located at Las Vegas' new half- all vocational-defense shops having as aircraft engine mechanics and million-dollar airport, this hangar and aviation shop is nearing comand aviation shop is nearing comthe State Department for Vocathe State Department pletion for New Mexico Highlands tional Education. Scores of boys ple, of building and doping wings gun was empty. The visitor University. Here students under are being turned out regularly un- and fuselages of airplanes destined screamed and ran. Mrs. Reed just the Civil Aeronautics Authority der this program skilled not alone to fly when their rebuilding is learn to fly, and here are located as flyers, but in other fields such completed.

war, both for the making and

mending of wounds, it is priceless,

too, as a nutrient for man and his

In times of peace and normal de-

mand, Chilean nitrate was second

only to Chilean copper, another

war need now. As a world-produc-er of this metal, Chile is outranked

only by the United States. The

country has, in addition, surpluses

husbandry.

If that drop of iodine smeared of iron and coal. After more than

over bruise or abrasion could share a hundred years, the mining of gold

what she had learned in a pistol

shooting defense class. She stalked into the bedroom, and shoved the pistol out through a window-right screamed.

WORLD NEWS

From Near and Far, Some Timely, Some of

the intelligence and tendencies of has been resumed. Recent discovits human beneficiary, it would, eries of oil seepages may be her-A telephone call from The Dallikely enough, have much to say of ald of another great industry to las, Ore., to Ol' Baltimo' has given portance, in war as in peace; of its | Chile's is a republican form of \$99. The soldier blithely charged boys. parent, nitrate of soda; of the ni-government, with executive, legis-it to the city. City Recorder Joe trate's power in life and death in lative and judicial branches. Its the human family; and, finally of the world's only producer of natural nitrates on a commercial scale—

steers traced the bill and reported to the captain. The captain said he would see that the bill was paid out of the lads' pay of \$44 per "To mah phia. "She has no license or colone adopted nearly a hundred years month. Chile, an empire in itself, a great before. This older constitution sweetie—"

ribbon of 286,396 square miles, spread along the rim of the Pacific for nearly 3,000 miles, reaches far-Magistrate Ambrose ther south than any other nation of the American Continent. It is tion, in turn, superseded a still oldsometimes referred to as "the Cal- er one, Chile's first. It was drafted Magistrate Haddock of New York ifornia of South America." If by a committee appointed by the studied his face and turned his there is some similarity as to rela- famous General O'Higgins shortly mind back to childhood days. "I tive location, shape and topography, after the Chileans, with the help sentence you to thirty days, Jigger, the parallel cannot be carried too of the Argentine patriot and sol- and you're lucky I don't give you dier, General San Martin, defeated an additional sentence for stealing Two Californias, nearly, could be Spanish royalist forces. This tri- my shoes thirty-four years ago, contained within the boundaries of umph, the Battle of Maipo, April he said. Jigger blushed at the men- was unable to remember where he Chile. They would hold Germany, 5, 1818, marks the end of Spanish tion of his old nickname but denied left it. Belgium, Denmark, Holland and power in Chile and the birth of the it was he who had taken the judge's shoes when he was swimming in

It will be the fellows-not the the number to be changed to 1315, fields, as San Francisco is from the state highway commission at girls-who'll scream, "Help!" when explaining he'd been dodging 13's New York. The belt line, at its its next meeting, Governor Miles they go swimming at Spring Mill all his life. Now he has his numbroadest, is about the distance from Said. The limit recently was requested of all states by President W. F. Caudell, superintendent, has Stretched out between the great Roosevelt, as a move to conserve Andean Mountain range and the precious rubber. Highway Engin-Pacific, Chile has a climate varying eer Burton Dwyre, who said no employ women life guards, gate- and suing to get the Fruit Belt

ern desert to the snow and ice of meeting, explained: "The commisthe stormy deep south. Nature has sion has legal power to set specific Speaking of helping hands: portioned the country, roughly, limits on individual sections of Leonard Brands' truck got mired into three productive zones. In the road. While its authority to set a down in a mud hole near Glasgow, extreme south, adjacent to the state limit requires a broad inter- Mo. The crew of a passing Misstrait of Magellan, are good graz- pretation of the law, we are sure souri River steamboat saw his preing areas where stock-raising is a we will have the cooperation of the dicament, pitched him a hawser,

### **BRIEF FORM**

**Human Interest** 

A proposal for a forty-mile state of the north, where are the nitrate speed limit will be presented to from the heat of the baked north- date had been set for a commission

A 77-year-old couple applying for

#### Recorder Jack Utz of St. Joseph, Mo. He sought details. "Oh," re-Are You Serving Civilian Defense?

This is one of a series of releases tificate. Ours burned up in a fire from the Office of Civilian Defense years ago." The clerk suggested explaining the various insignia adopted and the general duties of the wearers.



BOMB SQUAD

Bomb squads will be identified by a red diving airplane in white triangle set within blue circle. Some bombs dropped in an air At New Rochelle, N. Y., William Wiggins, a junk dealer, paid a \$5 attack may fail to explode or have fine for violation of an ordinance delayed action fuses. These bombs must be removed as soon as possiwhich was dug out of the records as automobiles and tires became ble to a place where they can be scarcer. The charge: Leaving horsof removal usually falls to a picked group of men from the regular police force who have been carefully Looking for Private Bill Smith? Well, there are 500 of Mr. and trained for this exacting work. Mrs. Smith's little boys at Fort

The wearing of this insigne is limited to workers enrolled as locater section spokesman, and members of the Bomb Squads in nearly half of them answer to the the Artesia Civilian Defense Orname of William. So, the section ganization.

Willie, get the name of his outfit. ninety-four-acre farm near Mott-The same goes for any of the 350 ville, Mich. He had no success. a Negro soldier the blues. It cost Johnsons and the 300 or so Jones Finally his patience ran out. He telephone Deputy Sheriff R. J. Mann he'd just chopped down nine Dogdom's No. 1 glamor girl, a of the poles. Service to fifty councanine cutie with red-enameled toe try consumers was interrupted and nails, is waiting for her owner at the company had to stretch a new S.P.C.A. headquarters in Philadel- line south of Rostowskis farm, but no action was taken against him.

> Mrs. James K. Parr, Jr., of Kansas City wired her husband in Los Angeles that she was expecting the stork. Hubby rushed for his motorcycle and started the 1,900mile, 68-hour trek. He stopped only long enough to sleep two two went to a luncheon. Major hours. Fifteen minutes after ar-John B. Gage was the speaker. riving in Kansas City his wife gave birth to twins.

#### BUILDING PERMITS

model and add two rooms at 310 Dallas, \$2,300.

Fred S. Knowles, add storeroom at 910 Texas, \$100. B. G. Robinson, garage at 708 West Quay, \$1,000.

Dr. H. W. Crouch, partitioning at 701 Main, \$400.

High speed and poor tires, like whisky and gasoline, never mix.

Boone County, Iowa, Selective Service officials puzzled over the intent of the following message on a postcard received from some Mrs. Stella R. Glasscock, re- draftees they had ordered inducted into the Army: "Having a wonderful time; wish you were here."

> STONE and STONE OPTOMETRISTS

## HAPPY AGAIN

#### His Debts Are Consolidated

If you are troubled with debts, let us explain to you how to consolidate them with a personal loan. Whenever you are in need of immediate cash, see us. Pay us back out of your earnings.



## Foundation Investment Co.

ERNEST W. HOUY, Resident Manager 108 W. Main Artesia, N. Mex.

## Paying More Than 30c for Oil?



#### Change to Conoco Nth

Get the Best Oil Obtainable Buy Defense Stamps With the



Opposite Artesia Hotel SEE PIRTLE Artesia, N. Mex.

#### REPAIR—DON'T DISCARD

Sage advice to those who consider the cost of machinery and frequently the uselessness of replacement.

Phone 35

## Save Rubber

### LOCO HILLS

Special Mail Route DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY

Leave Artesia Postoffice 11 a. m.

All Rates

## Typewriters for Rent-The Ada marriage license puzzled County

2000

Return 3:30 p. m. 20020

Reasonable 2000

C. O. McDonald SPECIAL CARRIER

#### And last, but by no means least, is the zone of the nitrate fields. LET US FIGURE THE JOB FIRST The eyes of the nations of a world at war, as the struggle in defense of the ideals of the New World PECOS VALLEY GARAGE moves toward decision, will turn with more and more eagerness to-AND MACHINE SHOP

ward Chile's desert storehouse. For nitrate, with its by-product, iodine, is a principal item in the manufacture of explosives. A necessity of

# W. H. BALLARD Candidate for Re-election

Police Judge OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

**ELECTION TUESDAY, APRIL 7** 

Running on His Reputation for Fairness, Honesty and Mature Judgment

Your Support Respectfully Solicited

(Political Advertisement)





Own where the desert slew gold-hunters—down where 100° heat is "cool" down in Death Valley six cars streaked. All were alike . . . all ran till wrecked. All started with 5-quart fills of oil-locked in. All conditions were alike-certified. Five cars-five boasted brands of oil-went as dead as the cattle skulls in the sands.

while the other oil still had quarts to go!

That was Conoco Nth motor oil, which can refill your crankcase today with the Nth degree of mileage and engine endurance. Changing from weakened Winter leftovers to Conoco Nth gives your engine OIL-PLATING for Spring. And OIL-PLATING is closely fastened all over inner engine parts as if "magnetized" against all draining back down to the crankcase. Bonded in place-even on straight-up surfaceseven overnight-oil-PLATING can cut down the raw rubbing of precious parts during starting and running.

That's all against hollowing out your engine till it eats too much oil, and may demand replacements that are getting scarcer. But another big thing is to keep the oil itself in shape. And Conoco Nth oil -at a popular price-comes to you with Thialkene inhibitor . . . the modern synthetic developed to check or inhibit effects that would otherwise degenerate your oil.

The science of it is a long story, but the mileage is a thousand times longer, and Death Valley proved it. So can you by changing today for Spring, at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station. Continental Oil Company





RATE: 10 cents a line for first insertion and 5 cents a line thereafter, with minimum single-insertion charge of 50 cents. An average of five words, abbreviations or initials usually constitutes a line and charges are based on this average. Cash must accompany all ads sent by letter. A service charge of 25 cents will be made in addition to the line charge on all classified ads placed and charged by persons who have no open account on the books. A similar charge will be made for ads which do not carry the name of the advertiser.

#### FOR SALE

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

FOR SALE-New and used sewing rent machines. Singer Sewing Ma- State-Federal chine Agency, first door east of

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

FOR SALE-Baby chicks. Hatched every Tuesday and Friday. English White Leghorns, White Wyandottes, White Plymouth Rocks, County, a distance of 6.89 miles, Rhode Island Reds and Buff Or- at an estimated cost of \$125,000, pingtons. Book your order early, through the pooling of state and as early orders are the only ones federal funds. sure of getting filled when wanted. McCaw's Hatchery, one-half block south of Morris Field.

bury's poultry medicines and dis- The county chairman quoted Lions Club. and fountains. McCaw's Hatchery, be let by the state highway com- Stout pointed out that democracy 5-tfc Roads.

Embryo-Fed chicks come from well ment, with the balance to be fur- Oil Activitybred, well managed flocks fed a nished by the state, Westaway special breeding ration to put plenty of body-growing material into the egg. Ask for Purina Embryo-Fed chicks and start them on Purina Startena. Wilson & An- funds was made possible because

FOR SALE-Pomona water-lubri-

de luxe town sedan, with heater, & Chemical Company. defroster, seat covers and five good tires. About 7,500 miles. Not a Leslie Martin, local manager of "cheap" car but a good buy. In- Price's Creameries, Inc., attended surance paid. H.J.F., care The a meeting of all branch managers Advocate.

FOR SALE - Good bundle and stacked feed at the Blocker farm. R. E. Bisbee, tenant, 31/2 miles ern New Mexico College, Portales, from Artesia. Inquire, Mrs. C. R. spent the week end at home visit-Blocker at The Artesia Advocate. ing his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal-

FOR SALE OR LEASE-Garage building formerly operated by Artesia Body Shop. L. F. Gore, to leave Friday for Safford, Ariz.,

FOR SALE-Registered 1064 cotton seed; also good alfalfa hay. W. T. Haldeman, phone 388-R2. 12-tfc

FOR SALE-Two 200-amp. gaso- christ, who is stationed there, for Pierce, 102 East Grand. 14-3tp-16 transferred to some other field

FOR SALE - White Spitz thoroughbred pups, 6 weeks old. 601 Washington. Mrs. V. L. Pierce.

FOR SALE-1,000-gallon butane tank and 1,000-gallon steel tank; Mahone, 707 Grand Ave. frijole bean seed. B. E. Spencer Box 593, Artesia.

FOR SALE-1940 Chevrolet sedan, Fourth. good condition and good rubber; 21,400 miles. Inquire Advocate of- FOR RENT — Modern three-room fice. 8-tfx

#### WANTED

MALE HELP WANTED - Movie operators and managers, Artesia Mrs. R. O. Cowan. district, circuit work. 1416 Gulf States Bldg., Dallas, Tex. 14-1tp FOR RENT—Furnished apartment.

WANTED TO BUY-5 or 6-cubicin good condition. All cash. T. H. Metcalf, Loco Hills, N. Mex. 14-1tp James Thigpen.

#### LOST

LOST-Large silver Persian cat, female, near Mann Drug, \$5 reward. Mrs. H. A. Keinath, phone 392-J1, or Toggery Shop. 14-1tc R. Vandagriff.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

HOME LOANS without red tape, FOR RENT-Small cottage, modthrough the Roswell Building ern for light housekeeping or and Loan Association. J. S. Ward, sleeping apartment. Shower, autolocal representative. 201 Ward matic heater, utilities paid. 308 N. Building, phone 178.

### **Political** Announcements

RATES Strictly Cash With Copy

State Offices	\$30.00
District Offices	25.00
County Offices	
Senator and Representative	
Probate Judge	
Surveyor	
County Commissioner	. 15.00
Precinct Offices	

The following condidates submit their announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Pri-

FRED HILL Artesia

## Road Will Link Potash Plants

the construction of a highway connecting the United States Potash special Easter services. Company and Union Potash & Chemical Company plants in Eddy Rev. Stout Repeats

Advertisements for bids for the construction were ordered and the

Agreement entered into between last week's issue of The Advocate. OUR CHICKS HAVE A PAST- the bureaus calls for \$91,000 to be That we're proud of. Our Purina contributed by the federal govern-

5-tfc of its access to the military-vital Etz Oil Co., Etz 1-E, SE SE 25potash deposits and recent magnesium developments.

cated turbine pump. Will slip the branch from Highway 66 to the inside 8-inch well casing. Capacity United States Potash Company. It 600 gpm. W. R. Hornbaker. 5-tfc will replace the unimproved road FOR SALE-1940 Chevrolet special topped branch to the Union Potash

Saturday.

Clyde Dunn, a student at East-6-tfx vin Dunn. He was accompanied by a friend, Ralph Drake, of Portales.

> Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hastie plan Charles Kimbell, and Mr. Kimbell. They expect to be gone about ten

Mrs. Creighton Gilchrist left the first of this week for Wichita Falls, Tex., where she will visit Mr. Gilline driven welders. Jay R. several days. Mr. Gilchrist will be

soon.

14-1tp

#### FOR RENT

ROOM FOR RENT -- Private entrance, private bath. Mrs. A. P.

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#### Communion Service At Methodist Church 6 to 9 This Evening

There will be a continuous communion service at the Methodist o'clock this evening. This will permit persons to come alone or in groups at the time that suits them

The pastor will be present during the entire period to administer the

The Methodist Sunday school is planning a special service for 9:45 o'clock Easter morning, and is expecting a record attendance.

The Easter church service will be held at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. The Rev. Dr. I. L. Morgan, pastor, will preach the Easter sermon and there will be special Easter musical numbers by the

Approval was given Friday for of group singing, solos, trios and expects to realize.

### Paper at Lions Club Meeting Wednesday

The Rev. Henry S. Stout, pastor 5-tfc contract was to be let April 13, of the First Presbyterian Church, according to R. H. Westaway, who last week at the Rotary Club FOR SALE - Poultry equipment Eddy County assessor and county meeting delivered a splendid paper and supplies. Merit All-Mash Democratic chairman, after a tel- on "What Are We Fighting For?" Starter, growing mash, broiler ephone conversation with Burton read the same paper Wednesday mash and laying mash. Dr. Sals- G. Dwyre, state highway engineer. noon at the weekly luncheon of the

infectants, brooder stoves, feeders Dwyre as saying the contract would The paper, in which the Rev. Mr. one-half block south of Morris mission and the Federal Bureau of is jeopardized when men lose their religious faith, was summarized in

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Danciger, Turner 15-A, SE NW 19-17-31. Total depth 3,444 feet; shut down for orders.

16-30. Drilling at 3,030 feet. The road will be an extension of E. L. Fulton, Cowell-State 1, NE NW 36-17-27. Total depth 465 feet; running

casing. now extending from the black- McDonald Oil Co., Grier 1, SW SW 30-16-31. Drilling at 2,600 feet.

Martin & Stidham, Stephens 7, how. NW NE 22-15-29. Total depth 3,855 feet; cleaning

NW 16-18-31. Drilling at 2,910 feet.

19-17-31.

Morton & Elder, Root 4, NE NW 7-17-30. Drilling at 2,110 feet. phone 186, Carlsbad, N. Mex. 12-tfc to visit their daughter, Mrs. R. A. Nipper, Yates 1, NW SW

8-20-29. Drilling at 990 feet. Sanders Bros., Evans 4, NE NE emergency use.

Drilling at 2,830 feet. Sanders Bros., Leonard 3, SE SW

34-16-30. Drilling at 2,960 feet.

SE 33-16-30.

SE 33-16-30.

Drilling at 2,850 feet. Sanders Bros., Leonard 4-E, SW SE 33-16-30.

Location. Sanders Bros., Etz 3, SE SE 34-16-

Drilling at 2,080 feet. Sanders Bros., Leonard 5, SE NW 34-16-30. Drilling at 2,330 feet.

Stroup & Yates, Koonze 1, SE NW 21-19-31. Total depth 620 feet; casing cemented.

Texas Trading Co., State 1, NW NW 32-16-31. Drilling at 3,250 feet.

V. S. Welch, State 1, NE NE 36-16-30. Total depth 3,105 feet; plugged back to 3,092 feet; drilling up junk.

Neil Wills, Wills 1, NW SW 13-20-28. Total depth 906 feet; flowed 24 barrels oil per day.
. O. Wood, Green 1, NE SW 7-7-

29, rank wildcat in Chaves Coun-Drilling at 1,830 feet. Nay Hightower, Grier 2, SW NW

31-16-31. Drilling at 430 feet. Harry Tellyer, State 2, SW SW 36 Drilling at 1,500 feet.

Social Security forms and sys

#### Letters From—

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Ashton Likes Hunting

The card from G. D. Ashton to his parents was not seen, but here munion service at the Methodist is the one addressed by him to Church in Artesia from 6 to 9 Herbert Carr and received the of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scott, were "Feb. 14, 1942

A. P. Mahone hello. How are Cottonwood. communion, and also to baptize any things there? Talking to Charley who may present themselves for Mitchell now. He just came up. tain the Cottonwood Woman's Club account of himself before the sea this rite, and to consult with any First time I've seen him since I've Friday, April 3, instead of April son closes April 15 for a month been here.

"A pal, G. D. Ashton," Young Mitchell also penned a line to Carr on the same card: "Hi, you old rascal. Charley.' The letter from Lt. Brown to Mrs. Eva Langford about her son,

#### written at sea and dated March 21: Is Downed at Sea

'Dear Mrs. Lankford:

This is merely a short letter to Members of the Methodist choir inform you that if you do not hear will present their Easter cantata, from your son, Marion Columbus "Life Everlasting," by Petrie, at 8 Owens, for the next two or three clock Sunday evening at the months, please do not worry—he is now having the biggest adventure went to Lake Arthur Saturday Everyone is invited to attend this of his life; the type of adventure special musical program, composed one reads about in novels, but never quartets, as well as the other

"Just exactly where Marion is nents of this vessel.

routine scouting hop. The two be with Mrs. Knoedler. planes were expected to return to the ship by 5:30 p. m., but they did merce players presented their pronot appear. Sunset was at 6:20, gram last Thursday night at the and still no planes. Two more Cottonwood School gymnasium. planes from another ship were also The play, "M'Liss," was the prin-

its ship. no avail. The nearest land was a served refreshments. small island about 175 miles away. Actually there was land in all directions, and the planes are that the men reached land some-

nearly a week, all ten men were picked up by an Allied plane and children. Funeral services were taken to another island where we held at 2 o'clock Saturday afterhave an air base. At the present noon in Roswell and burial was in Sanders Bros., Leonard 1-E, SE SE time they may be assisting the air South Park Cemetery there. force there. Perhaps by the time Total depth 2,969 feet; waiting this letter reaches you, Marion will on test; flowed 100 barrels per have managed to get a telegram to you. I have no idea of the facili-Sanders Bros., Leonard 2-E, NE ties available. Our captain hopes Sanders Bros., Leonard 3-E, NW the boys do get back they will have some tall tales to tell.

"Those are the only facts I have. The main thing is that your son is in friendly hands, and is in good comforting feature to any pilot. health. Please don't worry about him. He is having an experience to you in this matter, or in any which had me worried at first, but other concerning your son, please everything is turning out happily do not hesitate to write me. now. I have flown with Marion for many hours, and he is a fine man to have in the back seat-a

### Cottonwood Items Old Stagecoach

(Ora Buck)

Mrs. I. P. Johnson of the Cot-

tonwood has been on the sick list for several days.

is good here. Don't know just his mother, Mrs. A. G. Lane, and Pecos River, said the other day he be in charge. when the game will run out. Tell other relatives at Lake Arthur and was about ready to get out again

2, as it was announced last week. and a half. An oil company presented a pic-ture show and oil demonstration at the Lake Arthur School gymnasium
Wednesday night of last week. A Wednesday night of last week. A large crowd was present.

Mrs. Callie Leaf, who has been visiting in the home of her daugh- the route between Roswell and ter, Mrs. Larry Knoedler, and Mr. Carlsbad from 1892 until New Knoedler and children, plans to leave soon for her home in Mis-

ter, Albert Hudson, accompanied ing forward to many a fishing by a group of Roswell Masons, trip this season.

now, or what he is doing, I do not wood community was painfully but Seven Rivers with her parents in However, the following not seriously injured last week, 1879 at the age of 6 months and facts may prove of interest to you. When he drove a tractor over wire grew up in the valley. She enjoys Names of places I cannot give you and in some manner the wire flew the fishing trips as much as her because of their confidential na- up, striking him about the body husband. ture, revealing the wartime move- and legs. He was on crutches a few days.

"Marion took-off at 2 p. m. Mrs. B. E. Green and Mrs. Carl Needham, were Mrs. George Wat-March 12. His pilot was Ensign Manda entertained the Ladies' Aid son, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Miller, an aviator with 800 at the home of Mrs. Green with a 1 Needham, and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. flying hours experience. They were o'clock luncheon last Thursday. Senton, all of Carlsbad; Mr. and acompanied by another scout sea- After the meal the meeting was Mrs. Ben Green and family and plane flown by Ensign J. H. opened by group singing. Mrs. Mrs. Etta Steele, Roswell: Mr. and Graves, with Hulegaard, RM3c, in the back seat. Their mission was a program. The April meeting will Mr. and Mrs. Willard Needham and

overdue. Two days previous a cipal part of the entertainment, VEHICLE LICENSE fifth plane had failed to return to with some specialty numbers as an added attraction. The program "Needless to say we were very was arranged by the Chamber of worried. That night all the ships Commerce entertainment commitsunrise the next day all remaining same program at Lake Arthur. planes took-off and searched the However, about forty persons from area. I participated in this search the Lake Arthur community at- in the Crile building, remained myself, and it was very thorough. tended the play last Thursday there. The search continued all day long, night. After the evening of enterutilizing ships and planes, but to tainment, the cast members were

well, a former resident of Lake equipped with rubber boats, emergency rations, fresh water, fishing gear, etc., so we still held the hope that the men reached lead to be a serious thirteen desired to Lake Arthur, died at 1:15 o'clock Friday morning. She had been in ill health six week and her condition hecame serious thirteen desired to Lake Arthur, died at 1:15 o'clock Friday morning. to her death. Mrs. Gann was a resident of the Pecos Valley the "After a week of worry we re- last eight years and resided at ceived word that all five missing Lake Arthur one year before mov-8-tfx in El Paso last Thursday through Me-Tex Supply Co., State 3-X, NE planes had been found, and that ing to Roswell to make her home the ten men were well and fit. They with her son. She was born in had reached the nearest island by Kelso, Tenn., Jan. 12, 1891, and Mizel & Randel, Friess 1, NW SE air, had landed in a lagoon (prob- was married in 1910 to W. R. ably on the 13th) and had remained Campbell at Fayetteville, Ark. To there until found by a patrol plane them were born a daughter, Mrs. Total depth 3,521 feet; plugged 6 days later. The island is small Jud Taylor, and two sons, William back to 3,444 et; fishing for but friendly. There are no villages, A. and J. C. Campbell, all of Rostools; swabbing 60 barrels per but the inhabitants live in small day.

But I riendly. There are in small well. She was married in 1935 to C. W. Gann. Mrs. Gann was a landed in the same lagoon—quite a member of the Presbyterian reunion they must have had. I'm Church. She is also survived by sure our boys were the popular three brothers, Tom, John and people in the crowd, because we had Aaron Eslick, all of Fayetteville, equipped our planes with a carton Tenn.; and three sisters, Mrs. of cigerettes and matches for R. L. Hardy Nashville, Tenn.; Mrs. J. V. Bantley of Fay-"After living with the natives for etteville, and Mrs. H. S. Durham

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the friends and to get our own personnel back with neighbors for their words and deeds Total depth 2,965 feet; preparing us in due time, though it may be to shoot.

Use to the own personnel back with of kindness and sympathy during the illness and at the time of the death of own backward. death of our husband and father, Jim J. Mathis.-Mrs. Mathis and children.

> "If I can be of any further help "Sincerely yours,

"J. R. Brown, "Lt. (jg) USN"



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## Driver, 72, Looks To Fishing Trips

George Needham of three miles north of Artesia, old stagecoach on the sick list a few days last driver who spends a large percentage of his time during the and give the catfish fits. And he Mrs. James Thigpen will enter- probably will have made a good

But the point of this story is that he just had passed his seventy-Sunday of last week at the Need-

ham home. The coach driver, who covered Years' Day, 1894, has passed an- ed out that the lay instructors are other milestone, but his enthusiasm teaching their first classes at this to live and to fish is as great as it The district deputy grand mas- has been in the past, so he is look-

Although he is one of the real night to make the annual official old-timers here, having come from inspection of the Masonic Lodge Coleman County, Texas, in 1891, he is a mere newcomer compared Douglas O'Bannon of the Cotton- with Mrs. Needham, who came to from going to classes in which

At the family reunion Sunday of ast week, besides Mr. and Mrs. daughter, Charlene, Cottonwood; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Needham and family; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Needham and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Barnett and son, all of Artesia.

### OFFICE IS MOVED

The vehicle license office was moved from the Crile building on present searched the area. Before tee. They recently presented the South Roselawn Wednesday to the Pior Rubber Company store. The oil conservation office, also

Typewriters for Rent-The Ad-

#### Presbyterian Women Sponsor Good Friday Service Tomorrow

Women of the Presbyterian Church will sponsor a Good Friday service from 9:30 to 10 o'clock Fri-

day morning at the manse. Mrs. Henry S. Stout, wife of the "Hello, pal, I'm O.K. Hunting Wade Lane of Carrizozo visited warmer months fishing on the of the Women's Association, will pastor and spiritual life secretary

All women of the church are being urged to attend.

#### Red Cross—

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tesia and Louis Berry and Leonard Olson of Hope.

Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., Red Cross first aid chairman, said this morning there has been some misunderstanding regarding the no visitor rule for classes. She pointtime and that the presence of visitors might be confusing to them. However, Mrs. Roberson said, later on, with the consent of the individual instructor, it may be that visitors will be allowed. In the meantime, she asked that erstwhile visitors cooperate and refrain they are not registered.

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