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Writers Workshop members and guests will hear Mrs. Orville E. Priestley speak tonight at 7:30 at the Artesia Library. A former teacher and experienced writer, she promises to bring valuable advice to local story-tellers.

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Artesia Weather

Partly cloudy with occasional thundershowers through Friday. Little change in temperature. Low tonight 70, high Friday 100. Temperatures for the last 24 hours recorded at KSVP were low 65, high 98.

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Flame-Swept Fishing Vessel Reports Strange Submarine

Carlsbad Sailor, Artesia Driver Injured In Crash

A Carlsbad man, home on leave was seriously injured early this morning when the car he was driving collided headon with another driven by a 22-year-old Artesia man. Hospitalized with major injuries was Jerry Hanel, 19, while the driver of the other vehicle, Jon Wayne Solt, of 922 S. Roselawn, escaped with minor injuries.

CRIMINAL SUIT FILED ON MARKET

WASHINGTON (AP)—Atty. Gen. Brownell today announced a criminal antitrust indictment against Safeway Stores, Inc., operating a nationwide food chain. He said it charges conspiracy to monopolize the retail grocery business in portions of Texas and New Mexico.

Mystery Surrounds Radio Reports Of Sub Picking Up Sinking Ship's Crew

NEW YORK (AP)—A fantastic saga of the sea—and possibly one of its greatest hoaxes—was touched off in the pre-dawn hours today with a strange radio report that survivors from a flame-swept fishing boat had been picked up by a foreign submarine.

Ike Will Take Compromise On Highway Bill

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower was reported willing today to compromise on highway and housing legislation in an effort to get bills through Congress in its closing days.

Many hours later it was just as big a mystery as when the story began to unfold at 2:25 a.m. A sweeping air and sea search produced only one feeble possibility of a clue to whether anything at all actually happened.

Hears SOS

The affair got off to a frantic start when a tugboat out of New York picked up a radio message from what was said to be the 40-foot fishing boat Blue Star.

Priorities Told

The President was represented as giving high priority in conferences with GOP leaders to school construction, minimum wage, polio vaccine and Upper Colorado development measures.

Lack of Moisture Cutting Yield In Grass, Grains

ALBUQUERQUE (AP)—Generally light yields are reported from the winter grain harvest now in progress in New Mexico's eastern plains section.

Strike Mob Forces Ship To Pull Out

SHEBOYGAN, Wis. (AP)—A cargo of clay that sparked mob reaction under violence in a 15-month old Kohler Co. strike left last night aboard a foreign freighter sailing under sealed orders.

'Routine' Flight Moves Full Regiment To Japan By Air

FT. CAMPBELL, Ky. (AP)—A thin but steady stream of the nation's largest transport airplanes—a parade which at its westbound peak will be some 9,000 miles long—roared off toward Japan today.

Accident Victim Believed Dead Before Car Crash

A 60-year-old man was crushed under a jeep last night on State Road 3 west of Villaneuva in the Las Vegas area. The district attorney's office was trying to determine if he was the victim of a heart attack.

Body of Missing Train Engineer Found in Wreck

FORT SUMNER (AP)—The Santa Fe Railroad today announced the body of E. G. Abernathy, one of five killed in a freight collision Tuesday, has been recovered.

From The Files Of 50 Years Ago

Quite a number of Artesia people spent Tuesday at Hope and were entertained in the old fashioned country ways of "fo de war" times. A great dinner with barbecue and most everything good to eat was free to all.



RECOVERED BODY—Rail workers cool down the smoldering wreckage of a gigantic freight train smashup near Fort Sumner Wednesday in an effort to locate the body of a missing engineer, one of five trainmen killed in the head-on crash of two Santa Fe freight trains.

Prison Guards Ask Armed Aid in Wake of Con Revolt

WALLA WALLA, Wash. (AP)—Eight unarmed guards marched into cell block 6 today to begin a strike by wing search of the State Penitentiary for weapons prisoners may have hidden during a two-day revolt.

Solon Doubts Right In Putting Full Reserve Program Burden On Vets

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator Russell (D-Ga.) today questioned the propriety of requiring veterans to continue to carry the chief burden of the administration's new military reserve plan.

conducting an unarmed cell-to-cell search for weapons while the tough prisoners remained in the cellblocks.

The guards demanded that state patrolmen and national guard troops be sent in with them on the shutdown and the prisoners ordered out on the compound.

Storm Drops .30 Inches Of Rain

Artesia got another heavy but shorter burst of rainfall last night along with some thunder and lightning as a storm dropped .30 inches of moisture over the area.

Fish, Game Land Opened To Oil

SANTA FE (AP)—Two parcels of land in San Juan and Roosevelt counties, are up for oil and gas leases by the State Department of Fish and Game.

Russell protested against terming the administration program a new approach to the problem, declaring that as has been the case in the past the reserve burden will fall on men who volunteered or were drafted for military duty.

Big Free Barbeque Highlights Old Timer Day Planning

More than 1,000 pounds of top meat is going into Payne & Co., coolers this week to be served at a free barbeque dinner served to oldtime Artesians the first day of the Golden Jubilee celebration.

NUMEXERS DROP MIDLAND 6 TO 4 ON BLOOPER BALL

Indian Bobble On Hit Gives Artesia Win

MIDLAND (AP)—A blooper single that was good for four bases and three runs gave Artesia a 6-4 victory over Midland here last night in a Longhorn League game.

With two on and one out in the eighth and Midland owning 4-2 lead, Catcher Bob Boyd dumped one of Romp Soto's fast balls in to short left center. Don Deckman made a dive for the ball and when the sphere eluded Glenn Burns and rolled to the wall all three runners scored on the error.

It was all the Numexers needed to win for Edde Locke but they added insurance in the ninth on Tom Jordan's double and a single by Locke.

The Numexers and Indians move their series to Artesia tonight for the final game.

Artesia's first run came in the fourth inning when Dan Howard lined a single through second and went to third when the ball rolled through outfielder Al Jimenez. He scored on Dobkowski's fly ball.

Preacher Roe Faces Baseball Court Of Censure for Admitting Spit Ball

NEW YORK (AP)—Elwin "Preacher" Roe, the drawing humorist from Ash Flat, Arkansas, is being drummed out of the lodge for having owned up in black and white that he employed the spitball as a regular stock in trade during those great seasons he had with the Brooklyn Dodgers toward the end of his career.

Baseball men—even those who were victimized by the Preacher's outlaw pitch—feel that the veteran spoke out of turn and say they would not have violated such a sacred pledge for the \$2,000 that Roe is said to have received. Leo Durocher, for example, accuses Preacher of selling out for "30 pieces of silver." Those are strong words even if Leo's figures are not accurate.

Baseball writers, many of whom knew all along that Roe was dipping into the old saliva, are aggrieved that they permitted themselves to be scooped. There is a sort of unwritten law within the profession that certain things, such as a player's drinking habits and cheating on the field, are not discussed in print. A colleague says that now he will never give the Preacher his vote for baseball's Hall of Fame.

The whole thing is more silly than anything else, and we can imagine that Roe, who has a highly developed sense of humor, is getting many a chuckle out of the storm he kicked up. Some good may come of it, though, if the end result is that the diamond magnates become realistic and lift the 35-year ban on the spitter.

There is no reason in the world now that they should not. The pitch was banished at a time when the owners were just beginning to realize that the home run and lots of hitting drew crowds. They decided to make it a hitter's game. First they hamstringed the pitchers by every means they could think of, and then they introduced the rabbit ball.

Now, if we can read the signs correctly, the fans' taste has gone full cycle. The high-scoring game has lost its fascination and nothing comes nearer packing a park than the prospect of a duel between a pair of shutout artists. A great many persons, including Commissioner Ford Frick, feel that anything which might be done to help the pitchers and cut down the flow of mound replacements would be a God-send.

The old charge that the spitball was "unsanitary" was only the owners' excuse for banning a pitch the hitters disliked. Former spitball artists such as Burleigh Grimes and Frank Shellenback will defy you to explain, or to have a sanitation expert explain, how the throw could possibly be a health hazard, and to whom. By the time the whizzing ball ends its flight, they say, the moisture it started out with has disappeared almost entirely. Anyway, if the catcher doesn't complain, who else has reason to?

Major League Baseball

NATIONAL LEAGUE
By The Associated Press

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Brooklyn	56	24	.700	—
Chicago	44	37	.543	12½
Milwaukee	41	36	.532	13½
New York	39	40	.494	16½
Cincinnati	36	38	.486	17
St. Louis	35	41	.461	19
Philadelphia	34	44	.436	21
Pittsburgh	28	53	.346	28½

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS
Brooklyn 10-1, Pittsburgh 5-4
Milwaukee 5, Chicago 1
New York 4, Philadelphia 2
Cincinnati 6, Cincinnati 4

FRIDAY'S SCHEDULE
Brooklyn at New York, 7 p.m.
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh, 7:15 p.m.
Cincinnati at Milwaukee, 2.7 p.m.
Chicago at St. Louis, 8 p.m.

Minor League

TEXAS LEAGUE
By The Associated Press

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Dallas	61	37	.622	—
San Antonio	52	42	.553	7
Houston	50	44	.532	9
Tulsa	49	45	.521	10
Shreveport	49	47	.510	11
Fort Worth	46	47	.495	12½
Okl. City	42	53	.442	17½
Beaumont	31	65	.323	29

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS
Tulsa 3, Fort Worth 2
Oklahoma City 3, Dallas 2
Houston 3, San Antonio 2
Beaumont 2, Shreveport 1

BIG STATE LEAGUE
Team W L Pct. GB
Waco 10 7 .588 —
Texas City 8 6 .571 ½
Harlingen 10 8 .556 ½
Corpus Christi 9 9 .500 1½
Austin 8 9 .471 2
Port Arthur 6 8 .429 2½

WEST TEXAS - NEW MEXICO
Team W L Pct. GB
Pampa 43 30 .590 —
Albuquerque 42 33 .560 2
Plainview 40 36 .526 4½
Amarillo 38 37 .507 6
Clovis 35 38 .479 8
Abilene 36 40 .474 8½
Lubbock 35 41 .461 8½
El Paso 32 46 .410 13½

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS
Plainview 7.5, Clovis 0.6
Albuquerque 9, Lubbock 8
Amarillo 9, Pampa 8
El Paso 8, Abilene 1

San Angelo Holds One Game Lead In Longhorn Play

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

San Angelo hung on to its one-game lead in the Longhorn League last night, using extra-base hits to whip last-place Hobbs 5-1.

In other games Artesia held second place by beating Midland 6-4, and Carlsbad defeated Odessa 5-2 in 10 innings.

At San Angelo, lefthander Marshall Epperson held Hobbs to six hits but lost a shutout in the ninth when Alex Cresco homered with none on base.

Artesia scored three times in the top of the eighth and once in the ninth for its victory over Midland. A single by catcher Bob Boyd did the trick in the eighth. Don Deckman dived for it, missed, Glenn Burns tried for it, missed and the ball rolled to the wall while three runners scored.

Pete Simone held Big Spring to four hits to bring Roswell its victory. Manager Stubby Greer led Roswell batting with four hits in four trips to the plate.

Carlsbad scored three times in the top of the 10th to beat Odessa. Catcher Ike Jackson scored the winning run when he opened the extra inning with a walk. Then Goldie Gholson singled home Duke Henderson, who had singled, and Pedro Osorio, who had doubled.

Amarillo Dumps WT-NM Leaders

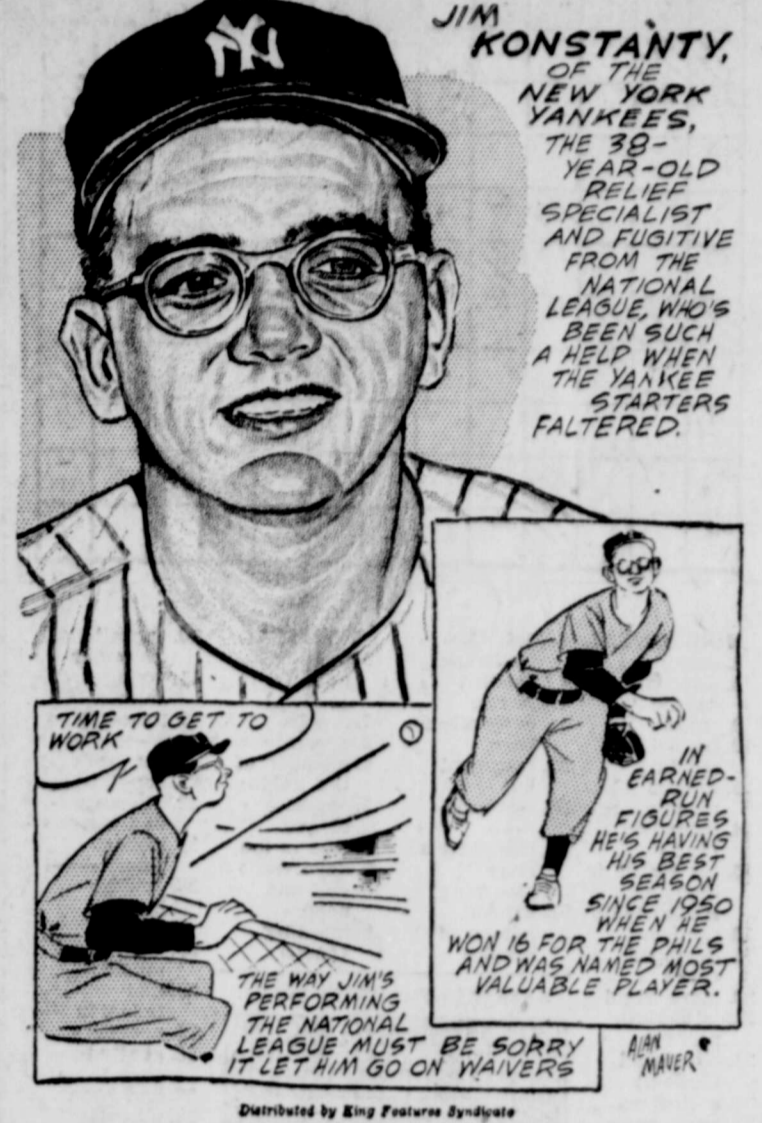
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Carl Heron homered in the eighth last night to give Amarillo a 9-8 West Texas-New Mexico League decision over circuit-leading Pampa.

In other games, second-place Albuquerque edged Lubbock 9-8, bottom-ranger El Paso slumped down Abilene 8-1, and Clovis and Plainview split a double bill. Plainview the first 7-0 and Clovis the second 6-5.

At Pampa, Heron broke an 8-8 tie to give his Amarillo mates the victory. Pampa scored three runs in the bottom of the seventh to square away with the visitors.

JIM-DANDY FOR YANKS - - By Alan Maver



Australians Have Davis Cup Hopeful in Young, Lew Hoad

NEW YORK (AP)—An unusually optimistic Harry Hopman believes he has the man to whip America's Tony Trabert in a pivotal battle for the Davis Cup.

The Australian Davis Cup captain won't say so outright but he doesn't leave much doubt that he thinks a "much more relaxed and settled" Lew Hoad will outgun the Yankee blaster at Forest Hills, Aug. 26-28.

"I think Hoad has the prospects of being the greatest player in the world by the time the challenge round comes around," said Hopman. "Lew is much more relaxed and settled now. He hasn't been distracted like he was in Australia last winter when he was courting."

"Now that he is married he has settled down. He'll be able to concentrate on tennis."

"On a stroke-by-stroke basis, Lew is the best player in the world. He has the best repertoire of strokes than anyone. Only in the past 15 months he hasn't put the strokes in action. The last time he showed it was in December of 1953."

It was then that the husky youngster made a smashing Davis Cup debut by leading the Aussie forces to a 3-2 victory over the United States. Hoad whipped Trabert in a five-set duel of power and crushed Vic Seixas in straight sets.

Although Hoad was beaten in straight sets at Wimbledon by Budge Patty and Trabert went on to capture amateur tennis' greatest individual prize, Hopman said he wasn't "unhappy" over the results. The singles defeats by Hoad and Ken Rosewall to Denmark's Kurt Nielsen

'Oldsters' Doing All the Winning Nowadays for Baltimore Orioles Despite Young Bonus Boys

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Manager Paul Richards may have a sound idea for the future with his youth movement at Baltimore, but when it comes to winning here and now it's the old guys who get the job done for the Orioles.

With a flock of recently signed bonus youngsters on the roster, it was veterans like Jim Wilson (33), Dave Philley (35), Hoot Evers (34), Freddy Marsh (31), Chuck Diering (32), and Hank Majeski (38), who were in the lineup as the Orioles posted the New York Yankees 4-0 last night.

The victory didn't mean too much to Baltimore, down in the basement 27½ games out of first, but it pared the Yanks American league lead to 4½ games over Cleveland's Indians, who beat Kansas City 8-4.

Wilson, too, lined a two-run single as the Orioles scored all their runs in the fourth inning off Whitey Ford, who like Wilson is on the All-Star pitching staff. It was Ford's fourth defeat.

It was the second shutout of the year for Wilson, who had a no-hit game with Milwaukee last season, and it gave the Orioles two straight victories after losing 12 in a row.

Boston moved up on the third-place Chicago White Sox. The Red Sox beat Washington 7-5 after Detroit had knocked off Chicago 5-3. That left Boston 1½ games behind Chicago.

In the National, Brooklyn split with Pittsburgh, winning 10-5 and losing 4-1 in a two-nighter; Milwaukee snared Chicago 5-1; New York beat Philadelphia 4-2, and St. Louis defeated Cincinnati 6-4.

Cleveland tumbled the A's, who had won 10 of 12, as Bobby Avila doubled across two runs and Ralph Kiner homered for two more in a six-run eighth. Herb Score won in relief while Tom Gorman of the A's suffered one of his infrequent failures for the defeat.

Ted Williams, (who else) kept the Red Sox rolling, hitting his 11th homer, a double and a single to raise his batting average to .402 as Boston made it six straight. Ted's homer, good for two runs, produced a 5-4 lead in the fifth. The second game of the scheduled two-nighter was rained out and rescheduled for tonight.

Pittsburgh had three consecutive homers by Jerry Lynch, Frank Thomas and Dale Long—tying a major league mark held by many clubs—off Carl Erskine while losing the opener. In the nightcap, Vern Law fanned 10 and chipped in a run-scoring double as the Bucs scored three in the eighth off reliever Ed Roebuck, who had preserved Erskine's ninth victory in the first game.

Last-place Pittsburgh now has clipped Brooklyn's league leaders more times than any other club.

Tigers Give Sain Walking Papers

DETROIT (AP)—Ferris Fain, disgruntled because a bad knee forced him out of the regular lineup, has been released unconditionally by the Detroit Tigers after several run-ins with his teammates.

In an announcement yesterday, the Tigers said they released Fain because of his physical handicap, but it is no secret that Manager Bucky Harris was displeased with his conduct on the road trip. Sources close to Harris said the manager asked the club to get rid of Fain.

Sam Jones, no-hit pitcher for the Chicago Cubs, is a former member of the Cleveland Buckeyes of the Negro American League.

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Ted Williams Beats Defense Fielding Shift

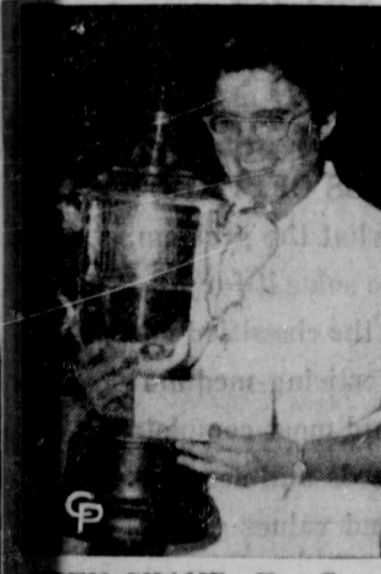
BOSTON, July 7 (AP)—Ted Williams, left-handed slugging sparkplug of Boston's fast-moving Red Sox, is having some fun wrecking the shift against him.

Ted, pounding out three hits in four official trips last night to raise his average to .402 in 25 games, did a job on Washington without once pulling the ball to right field.

His two-run homer in the fifth inning that was the big blow in the 7-5 victory went 400 feet into the left corner of the center field bleachers.

He singled in the second inning on an infield hit to the left side and in the sixth switched his stride to send a double down the left field line while the Nationals' players were moved well around to the right.

The shift on Williams came about in 1946 when then Cleveland Manager Lou Boudreau first pulled it. Since then it's become standard defensive equipment for Red Sox opponents.



OPEN CHAMP—Fay Crocker of Montevideo, Uruguay proudly displays the trophy and a check for \$2,000 she received for winning the women's National Open championship. Miss Crocker's 299 total bettered Louise Surges and Lena Turk who tied for second in the Wichita, Kansas (International Soundphoto)

AT THE THEATERS TODAY

Landsun
James Mason - Janet Leigh
"Prince Valiant"
(Cinemascope)

Ocotillo
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Circle B Drive In
Roy Rogers
"Man From Oklahoma"
Glenn Ford - Geraldine Brooks
"Green Glove"

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3:30 Jack's Place
4:55 Crusader Rabbit Adventure
5:30 Petticoat Profiles
5:55 Garden of Melody
6:00 Superman, Adventure
6:30 INS Daily Newsreel
6:50 Weather Story
7:00 Red Worley
7:30 Water Front, Preston Foster
8:00 Fireside Theater
8:30 I Led Three Lives
9:00 Nine O'clock News
9:10 Sports Desk
9:20 Moonlight Serenade, musical
9:30 Heart of the City
10:00 Town and Country Time
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12:30 Local News
12:35 Noon Day Forum
12:50 Siesta Time
12:55 News
1:00 Game of the Day
3:25 Camels Scoreboard
3:30 Ruidoso Review
4:00 Adventures in Listening
4:15 Lucky Weekend—English
4:30 Lucky Weekend—Spanish
4:45 Adventures in Listening
5:00 Sergeant Preston
5:30 Local News
5:45 American Business
5:50 Harry Wismer
5:55 News
6:00 Gabriel Heatter
6:15 Eddie Fisher
6:30 Antique Shop
6:45 Fulton Lewis Jr.
7:00 Lyle Vann News
7:05 Dugout Chatter
7:15 Organ Portraits
7:20 New Neighbor Time
7:30 Treasury Agent
8:00 Artesia School Program
8:15 Spanish Program
9:15 Designs in Melody
9:30 Radio Playhouse
10:00 News
10:05 Mostly Music
11:00 Sign Off

FRIDAY A. M.
5:59 Sign On
6:00 Sunrise News
6:05 Syncopated Clock
6:45 Early Morning Headlines
6:55 Bill Pennel Reads the Bible
7:00 Robert Hurleigh
7:15 Button Box
7:35 Local News
7:40 State News Digest
7:45 Button Box
8:00 World News
8:05 Button Box
8:14 Weather Story
8:15 Button Box
8:30 News
8:35 Meditation Time
8:45 Second Spring
9:00 Florida Calling
9:25 News
9:30 Queen for a Day
10:00 News
10:05 Musical Cookbook
10:15 Swap Shop
10:30 Musical Cookbook
10:40 Local News
10:45 Musical Cookbook
11:00 Cedric Foster
11:15 Bible Study
11:30 Showcase of Music
11:45 All Star Jubilee
12:00 Farm and Market News

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It May Come to a Halt

The tendency on the part of public servants and public officials to continue to reduce the hours their offices are open to serve the taxpayers may come to a sudden halt if the trend continues.

In one county in the state a recent movement to close the county offices on Saturday morning—they have closed Saturday afternoon for a good many years—has brought forth a sudden protest. And the result is that a little probing of the law books is underway.

One attorney has already pointed out that public offices and he was speaking of county offices, are supposed to open every working day to serve the public and that the county commissioners have nothing to say about these offices. He stated the law provides for the period they are to be open or closed.

It is perfectly possible, it has been pointed out, that the county officials and clerks who have been enjoying a half holiday on Saturday every week in the year besides all of the other holidays, may be returning to work now on Saturday afternoons.

There was apparently an effort to stretch the holidays just a little too far.

But the tendency to close public offices on Saturday has continued from Washington through the state government down to the county and the city. Certain state offices over the state such as the welfare and unemployment offices have been closing on Saturday for many months now although there is usually a demand for the service these offices offer on Saturday mornings.

It is possible that since the question has been brought up because of the closing on Saturday mornings by certain county officials in various counties in the state, that some of the state offices may also be remaining open on Saturday mornings if not all day Saturday.

But it has always been a little strange that these public officials, who are paid by the taxpayers and whose offices are maintained by the taxpayers money, can take Saturday off but the taxpayers have to stay on the job to earn enough to pay their taxes so the officials can be paid and the offices can be kept open.

It is time the taxpayers reminded the public servants they are working for those paying the bills instead of the officials acting as though the taxpayers were working for the public officials.

Suit Filed—

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Texas had been put out of business.

Safeway is the second of the major food chains whose practices have been questioned by the government in recent years.

The Justice Department, then under Atty. Gen. J. Howard McGrath, brought a civil anti-trust action against the A&P national food chain in 1949, charging monopolistic practices and seeking to break that chain into a number of smaller independent companies.

Case Settled

This case was settled by consent decree in January, 1954, under the current administration.

Under this consent judgment, the corporation agreed to discontinue some of the practices about which the government complained, but the chain was continued intact.

In relation to the action against Safeway, The Justice Department said that company last year sold more than 155 million dollars worth of food products in Texas and New Mexico, the volume of items being substantially greater than any of its competitors.

Of the indictment, Atty. Gen. Brownell said in a statement:

Strong Words
"The type of predatory and illegal conduct charged in this indictment is particularly deplorable because its impact falls largely upon local merchants, who form the core of our American private enterprise system."

"To permit such large interstate organizations to wipe out local trade in this manner could only result ultimately in monopoly, with all of the evils which hurt the general public."

U. S. Atty. Heard Floore in Dallas told Judge T. Whitfield Davidson an order would be presented to him for the impounding of certain records.

This indicated that the government will hold documents said to total at least 15,000 subpoenaed for grand jury consideration.

The three counts alleged: A conspiracy for a monopoly in violation of the Sherman Antitrust Act, an attempt at a monopoly in violation of the act, and violation of the Robinson-Patman Act of 1936.

No Arrests
Summonses instead of arrest warrants will be issued against Warren and Cliff.

The Sherman Act of 1890 embodies the federal law on the subject of unlawful restraint on trade monopolies. The Robinson-Patman Act is a supplement to the other anti-trust law.

Both statutes are criminal and provide punishment by fines or imprisonment or both.

The 20-man federal grand jury which returned the indictment devoted approximately four weeks to hearing evidence on the govern-

ment contention that Safeway in Texas, Oklahoma, and New Mexico was lowering its prices in order to drive competitors out of business. At El Paso, Tex., D. Kimmel, manager of Safeway's El Paso division, which takes in all New Mexico and the El Paso area, declined to comment.

No Comment
Kimmel said any comment on the suit would have to come from the Safeway legal department in Oakland.

Only eight days ago Safeway Stores filed a suit in U. S. District Court at Albuquerque attempting to smash New Mexico's 1955 lead law.

The chain store firm charged the law is "arbitrary and discriminatory restriction upon trade in violation of the federal Constitution."

The law being attacked by the company prohibits merchants from limiting the number of advertised items which any customer may buy. This has the effect of allowing a competitor to buy up the below-cost bargains offered by a store trying to attract customers.

Today's action marks the latest chapter in one of the bitterest battles of recent New Mexico history.

During the Legislature last spring, housewives all over the

Mystery—

(Continued from Page One)

communications failed.

Fire on Board

Among other things, the tugboat was told that fire continued to sweep the craft, that there was an explosion in the engine room, that the boat had a hole in the stern and that it was sinking. Life rafts were said to have been destroyed by the flames.

At one time, said Capt. Mitchell C. Sullivan of the tugboat, his radio informant expressed belief he would have to jump off the fishing boat.

Then there was a scream and 20 minutes of silence.

Finally, between 3:35 and 3:40 a.m., the radio telephone voice ceased, through once more and, in extreme agitation, reported: "A submarine is surfacing about 350 yards from us. It is coming alongside. It is proceeding to take survivors aboard. It is not an American submarine."

Last Message

Following this were these last words: "I don't think they'll let me talk any more."

From the start the tug captain who lives at Talcottville, Conn., relayed his communications to the Coast Guard in New York.

The Coast Guard sent four ships and two planes racing to the location given by the "Blue Star."

But the searchers found—save for the unmarked life jacket—nothing.

With the first report concerning the submarine, it was surmised that it might have been a vessel of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, stationed at a U. S. base on the East Coast.

However, this was not borne out by checks of sub bases.

It turned out that the only sub shown to be in the vicinity was an American craft some 35 miles away from the scene.

Five Listed

As for boats by the name of Blue Star, Marine records list five. Three are on the East Coast and two on the west.

One belongs to an official of a New York Life Insurance Co. He said his craft was not involved.

Little was known of the other two on this coast, save that one supposedly is based at Miami, Fla.

Among those who flew over the area concerned was Associated Press Photographer William F. Achatz of Philadelphia. He spent nearly an hour scanning the ocean at low level.

He said afterward he spotted no trace of any ship, wreckage or survivors.

The Coast Guard's search had covered 3,700 square miles within six and a half hours.

Carlsbad—

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But Hanely can look forward to many months in the hospital, a local doctor said.

The sailor received a fractured collar bone, broken bones in the right hand, and most serious injury, broken vertebra which in all probability will keep him in a cast for months.

Hanely was scheduled to be transferred to Walker Air Force Base hospital later today.

No cause of the accident was given in the police report.

state organized Statehouse marches and flooded lawmakers with protests against a proposed bill to set minimum percentage mark-ups on sales in the state. The bill also would have prohibited loss leaders. It was rejected by the Legislature.

However, a short time later the Legislature passed the no-limit bill without much public controversy. This is the law, which became effective in June, now being challenged by Safeway.

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The Firms listed below under This New Classified Section are prepared to meet your every need!

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Benjamin Moore Paints
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RILEY & PRUDE OIL CO.
210 W. Centre SH 6-3396
Butane and Propane
Weed and Insect Burner
Day and Night Service

Plumbing and Heating

ARTESIA PLG. & HTG.
712 W. Chisum SH 6-3712
Plumbing Supplies, Water
Heaters

Specialist, furnace repair

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Furniture and Appliances
Mattresses, Floor Coverings
113 S. First SH 6-3132

for Information

DIAL SH 6-2788

About Advertising

in the
Business-Building Section

WHO DOES IT?

CROSSWORD - - - By Eugene Sheffer

HORIZONTAL
1 attire
5 sword
9 chart
12 curved
13. Asiatic mountains
14 palm leaf
15 his statue is high in Philadelphia
16 rambler
18 S-shaped curve
20 more rigid
21 intolerant persons
24 blockhead (colloq.)
25 originates
27 clerk orcrier
31 son of Jacob
32 show to be false
34 apple or lemon
35 small merganser
37 persons of Vienna
39 twilight
41 laid up
42 exclaiming rudely

VERTICAL
1 political party (colloq.)
2 epoch
3 apostate
4 member of the cabinet
5 opposite of gee
6 woe is me
7 daydreams
8 ebb and neap
9 morning (poet.)
10 opposite of aweather
11 young salmon
17 formerly
19 a — in the back
21 supplicates
22 Mohammedan cleric
23 Robert Lewis —
26 Jewish high priest
28 variety of music
29 Solomon
30 necessity
33 grafted (her.)
36 had been
38 nine-day devotion
40 prospect
42 Gael
43 edible moisture
44 pseudo-artistic
45 unit of inheritance
48 bearded moisture
50 "Cakes and —"
51 pronoun

Answer to yesterday's puzzle:
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Yesterday's Cryptoquip—DAFT CLASS PICNIC EXHAUSTS THE PATIENCE OF SIX RUFFLED CHAPERONS.

Prison—

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heard that Arthur Hawman, county prosecutor, had announced he would prosecute the ringleaders. Hawman said he would ignore Harris' promises to seek leniency for the revolt leaders. The prosecutor added he would bring them into court "just as soon as we obtain all the facts."

The state official also agreed to order release of men now in isolation and segregation wards to normal prison life, and he accepted a demand for establishment of an inmate council.

Charles Simon, head of the prison classification department whose removal had been demanded by the prisoners, was shifted to other duties in keeping with a Harris promise made the rebels.

The prisoners said Simon is unduly slow in preparing parole studies. Simon denied the charge.

It also was agreed to speed up interviews with inmates when requested; to arrange for services of an attorney to advise the prisoners; to investigate complaints of delay in mail delivery, and other minor concessions.

Strike—

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About 100 persons watched the ship depart the same dock 24 hours earlier was filled with a milling crowd estimated to include 1,000 persons at times. The mob beat up a nonstriking Kohler worker, broke windows in the home of another nonstriker and tipped over his car, three rocks at an auto damaged unloading equipment bound for the dock. The plumbing were firm, located in the nearby village of Kohler, has been the scene of a strike by local 833 of the UAW-CIO since April 5, 1954.

A recent study of business executives in the United States indicates that 88 per cent of them have college backgrounds.

MOTOR REWINDING AND REPAIRING
Fletcher Electric Company
900 S. First SH 6-4541

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ARTESIA BUILDING & LOAN ASSN.
113 South Fourth Dial SH 6-2171

Routine—

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Bishop and at two-hour intervals by others.

One carrying 23 newsmen and 67 paratroopers, left at 8 a.m. The load quota of each plane was 90 men with their personal equipment as contrasted with the C124's capacity on shorter flights of 200 fully armed troops.

Altogether 43 planes will take off from here in two days on the 18,000-mile mission of swapping two airborne combat teams between the United States and Japan.

The planes are taking almost 4,000 officers and men of the 508th Airborne Regimental Combat Team to Ashiya, Japan.

Within 60 hours of their arrival in Japan, the C124s will take off again to return the 3,100 troopers of the 187th Airborne Regimental Combat Team to Ft. Bragg, N. C.

The movement will total 31 1/2 million passenger-miles, a new record.

Maj. Gen. Chester E. McCarthy of Portland, Ore., commander of the 18th Air Force, said the exchange is the largest and longest troop movement by air ever undertaken.

McCarthy commanded the Korean airlift for 2 1/2 years, and had charge of the movement of 4,000 men from Japan to Korea in 17 hours to quell prisoner-of-war riots in 1952.

But we are treating it as routine—an exercise demonstrating our capabilities of airlifting anything or anybody, anytime, anywhere.

Solon—

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years ago, only to have it die in the Hour. The aim of that program, he said, was to build up a combat-ready reserve without calling on veterans of active duty.

He declared also that an erroneous impression has been "created in the public mind that the nation's military reserve has been deteriorating, and that it has suddenly become dangerously weaker than at any time in our past history."

Actually, he said, the "nation's military reserve today is larger and more efficient than any time in our history."

Earlier, Rep. E. Keith Thomson (R-Wyo.) said he planned to urge the Senate committee to retain in the bill his amendment to require that a youth volunteering for a new special training program be at least 19 or a graduate of high school.

Thomson, a World War II veteran, said "The Pentagon is opposing this but I think they are wrong."

New techniques in building welded steel swimming pools have reduced costs so much as to start a new boom in private pool construction.

where," McCarthy told newsmen. The airlift is coordinated with the shipboard movement of 433 families—about 1,300 women and children dependents of soldiers of the 508th.

The dependents will be greeted by their husbands and fathers upon arriving about 10 days hence. McCarthy said the airlift is part

of the new Army operation known as "gyroscope," involving the replacement of entire overseas units every three years.

The first plane was commanded by 1st Lt. David Brazel, Carlsbad, N. Y.

Stops are scheduled at Travis Air Force Base, Calif., Hickam Field, Hawaii, and Wake Island.

CHARTER NO. 7043—RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 11
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ARTESIA IN THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1955.
Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, Under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$3,527,711.44
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,184,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	423,125.13
Corporate stocks (including \$18,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	18,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$13,280.53 overdrafts)	5,961,256.13
Bank premises owned (\$107,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$34,000.00)	141,000.00
Other assets	4,040.27
Total Assets	11,250,145.96
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	7,876,155.41
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,176,098.43
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	329,499.83
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	1,025,352.17
Deposits of Banks	70,817.42
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	67,137.23
Total Deposits	\$10,545,981.06
Total Liabilities	10,545,981.06
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock: Common stock, total par \$300,000.00	300,000.00
Surplus	300,000.00
Undivided profits	113,143.88
Total Capital Accounts	713,143.88
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	11,250,145.96
MEMORANDA	
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	1,445,887.4
Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on demand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof	926,458.8
Real estate loans insured under Titles II, VI, and VIII of the National Housing Act	4,125.2
Loans insured or guaranteed by Veterans' Administration—insured or guaranteed portions only	29,336.2
Total amount of loans, certificates of interest and obligations, or portions thereof, which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed")	959,943.2
I, C. F. HAMMETT, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
C. F. HAMMETT, Cashier	
Correct—Attest: CHAS. K. JOHNSON, FRED COLE, CLYDE GUY, Directors.	
State of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of July, 1955, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. (SEAL) MARY VANDEVENTER, Notary Public My commission expires May 22, 1959.	



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CLASSIFIED RATES
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Errors will be corrected without charge provided notice is given immediately after the FIRST INSERTION.

Deadline
For acceptance of classified advertising is 9:00 A. M. day of publication, 10 A. M. Saturday for Sunday publication.

21-Apartments, Unfurnished
FOR RENT—Three-room unfurnished modern apartment and two-room and bath furnished small house, 409 W. Quay and for sale—large electric ice box, in perfect condition Dial SH 6-2624.

Three-room apartment, has cook stove, 910 1/2 W. Washington. Dial SH 6-3605.

23-Houses, Furnished
Clean three-room house, some furniture, no dishes or linens. Reasonable rent. Inquire at 512 West Chisum between 9:30 a. m. and 3 p. m.

Small, furnished house, close in, shower, air conditioned, utilities paid. Inquire 308 N. Roselawn

24-Houses, Unfurnished
Five-room unfurnished house, wired for electric stove and automatic washer. Call after 2 p. m. at 408 W. Richardson.

MERCHANDISE
77-Miscellaneous for Sale
FOR SALE—Double garage, to be moved, \$300. Inquire Mrs. Lansing, Toggery Shop.

Representative for
Montgomery Ward & Co.
APPLIANCES
Bill Goodlett
West Side Service
SH 6-4400 — SH 6-3824

80-Musical Instruments
FOR SALE OR RENT—Complete line of Buescher band instruments, also violins, viola, cello, basses. Used pianos bought and sold. Roselawn Radio & TV Service, 106 S. Roselawn. 56-tfc

PIANOS
For Sale! — For Rent!
New and Used
Rent can be applied on cost if you wish to purchase.
STORY & CLARK
JANSSEN PIANOS
Low Down Payment!
Convenient Terms!
Howard Music Co.
In Artesia, Dial SH 6-3569

82-Sporting Goods
FOR SALE—30-40 Krage rifle, Good condition. \$60. See at 505 W. Washington. 7-7-55

87-Wanted to Buy
WANTED TO BUY—Used clothing, men, women and children; also handle magazines. 107 South Roselawn.

AUTOMOTIVE
104-Automobiles for Sale

OK Used Cars
1951 GMC 1/2-ton Pickup. This would be mighty useful around that farm or ranch. It is equipped with heater, turn signals, combination rear bumper and trailer hitch also pickup bed racks. \$795
1950 Ford V-8 Fordor. This is a local-owned car with radio and heater. Good condition. \$595
1953 Pontiac 4-door, equipped with Hydramatic, radio, heater and white sidewall tires. Excellent condition with very low mileage. Come in and test drive this fine car today. \$695
1950 Buick 4-door Special. Local one-owner car with the famous Buick Dynaflo transmission, radio and heater. Lots of service left in this excellent car. \$695
COME IN TODAY AND LOOK OVER OUR FINE STOCK OF USED CARS

RENTALS
20-Apartments, Furnished
Nicely furnished two-room apartment, electric refrigerator. Newly redecorated. \$8 per week, bills paid. 406 North Fifth.

INSTRUCTION
19-Education—Instruction
Finish High or Grade School at home, spare time, books furnished, diploma awarded. Start where you left school. Write Columbia School, Box 1433, Albuquerque.

RENTALS
20-Apartments, Furnished
Single apartment, furnished, carpeted, air conditioned, bills paid. Mrs. Leah F. McDonald, 802 W. Quay, or Dial SH 6-2953.

RENTALS
20-Apartments, Furnished
Nicer furnished apartment, electric refrigerator, merspring mattress, nice and clean, close in; \$8 pr week, utilities paid. 406 N. Fifth. 97-tfc

RENTALS
20-Apartments, Furnished
Clean, modern apartment, 1, 2, 3-bedroom furnished and unfurnished, newly decorated, stove, refrigerator washer, water, and air conditioner furnished. In apt. Vaswood Apts. Dial SH 6-4712. Inquire 1501 W. Yucca, Vaswood Addition. 66-tfc

WE HATE TO BE HOMELESS
But that's what the situation seems to be for all six of us. We're normal healthy kids and would like a nice furnished Artesia home of three or four bedrooms to live in.
S. Mommy and Dad also want to live in it!
If you have a house for us, won't you please call our Daddy. He's the editor of The Artesia Advocate and his name is Rick Raphael.

Guy Chevrolet USED CAR LOT
107 North First Dial SH 6-3551
Open 7:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M.

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WE HAVE
Mountain ranches, Farms, or Retreats. G. I. Homes. Closing Costs Only. First Street Business Location.
Owners: Don and Loretha Teed Res. Dial SH 6-2113
Salesmen: S. J. "Sandy" and Lucille Harris Res. Dial SH 6-6992

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK By R. J. SCOTT

SCRAPS

ANDREW CARNEGIE HAD A HUMAN ALARM CLOCK. HE EMPLOYED A COON FIRE 6 FEET BELOW HIS WINDOW EACH MORNING TO AWAKEN HIM.

WAS UPPER MICHIGAN COVERED BY GLAZIERS 50 MILLION YEARS AGO? YES.

ONE OF THE DINOSAURS—LIZARDS OF SEVERAL MILLION YEARS AGO—WAS ABOUT THE SIZE AND MUCH THE SHAPE AS AN OSTRICH.

HUSTINGS. ANY OF VARIOUS LOCAL COURTS OF VIRGINIA.

HUSTINGS. THE PLATFORM FROM WHICH SENATOR ZAKARYAS RAN FOR PARLIAMENT WAS FORMERLY NOMINATED.

LEGAL NOTICES
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF TOM BRYAN, Deceased.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTRIX
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Tom Bryan, deceased, by the Honorable Ed H. Gentry, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, and has qualified as such.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file or present the same as provided by law within six (6) months from the 30th day of June, 1955, the date of the first publication of this notice, or the same will be barred.

MATTIE I. BRYAN, Executrix. 6/30-7/7-14-21

NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION OF STATE LANDS CHAVES COUNTY
Sale No. 3029

Office of the Commissioner of Public Lands Santa Fe, New Mexico. DATED at Santa Fe, New Mexico this 2nd day of June A. D. 1955.

(SEAL) E. S. Walker, Commissioner of Public Lands, State of New Mexico. 6/9-16-23-30 7/7-14-21-28 8/4-11-18

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Use Advocate Classified Ads

ETTA KETT

GUESS WHAT TODAY IS? WEDNESDAY!
HERE'S A LITTLE GIFT FOR A CERTAIN PERSON. I KNEW YOU'D FORGET!
WOW!!
PERFUME! I WAS WAITING TO SEE IF YOU FORGOT!
YOU CAN FORGET A WOMAN'S AGE—BUT ALWAYS REMEMBER HER BIRTHDAY!
PHEW! THAT WAS CLOSE!

DATING IS CINCHY FOR BOYS, I MEAN!
YOU CAN SAY THAT AGAIN!
ANY TIME A GUY'S TEMPERAMENTAL HE CAN GET A DIFFERENT GIRL FOR EVERY MOOD.
SO WHAT HAPPENS WHEN WE DATE? YOU GUESSED IT!
GIRLS HAVE TO HAVE A DIFFERENT MOOD FOR EVERY BOY!

BIG SISTER

I SLEPT LIKE A TOP BETH!
IT'S THE FRESH SALT AIR THAT GAVE US ALL A GOOD NIGHT'S REST.
IF YOU WANT ME FOR ANYTHING, BETH, I'LL BE WORKING ON THE ROOF.
NOTHING, DAD. THANKS—BE CAREFUL.
SAY BUDDY! DO YOU WANT TO GO HUNTING FOR PRATE TREASURE?
I HAVE TO HAND DAD BOARDS AND SHINGLES UP THROUGH THE ATTIC, DONNIE—YOU GO ALONE.

OH, BOY! THE RAFT IS ON SHORE! IT MUST HAVE DRIFTED IN!
NOW, HOW DID IT EVER DRIFT WITH THIS HEAVY ANCHOR ON IT??
WILL YOU LOOK AT THAT LITTLE ISLAND OUT THERE!! I DIDN'T SEE IT THERE YESTERDAY!!
I'LL JUST RAFFLE OUT TO IT—
BETTER NOT, DONNIE! THE TIDE IS LOW—AND CHANGING!

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY

I REMEMBER EVERYTHING UP TO A POINT. WE WAS ABOUT TO RESCUE THEM POOR FLOOD VICTIMS UP IN COON, CRICK HOLLOW, AN' THEN I HAD A SUDDEN HEART ATTACK.
THEN I SPOSE YOU TOOK COMMAND AN' DONE THE FINE JOB OF SAVIN' EVERY MAN, WOMAN AN' CHILD.
NOT ME, CAPN. I WASN'T EVEN IN THE PILOTHOUSE. IT WAS LITTLE ANNIE WHO DONE IT ALL.
GOOD GRAY, CAPN. ANNIE IS THE LITTLE GIRL YOU ALLUS CALL MESS' BOY!
HELP! SOMEBODY!! QUICK!! FETCH THEM AIRY-MATIC SPIRITS OF AMMONIA! CAPN BARL IS HAVIN' A CONNIPION!!

CISCO KID

ADAM, WHAT DO YOU MEAN, YOU DON'T TRUST CISCO? DO YOU THINK HE DOESN'T KNOW THE TRAIL?
OH, I RECKON HE KNOWS THAT ALL RIGHT!
I DON'T LIKE THE WAY HE MAKES SHEEP EYES AT STARDUST!
HOW'S THE DRIVING, SENORITA?
JUST FINE, CISCO!

MICKY MOUSE

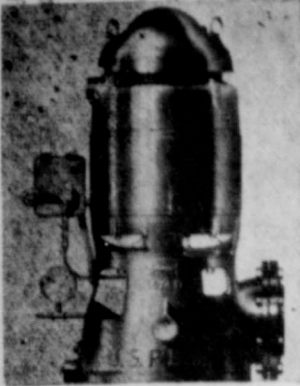
WAKE UP, DAWY... WHY... THERE MIGHT BE INJUNS SNEAKING UP ON YOU!
NO THEY WON'T! I SET A TRAP FER 'EM!
TRAP? YEP... SOUNDS LIKE IT SPRUNG RIGHT NOW!
SPRONGG!!
YEP... I KETCHED ME A SURE-NUFF INJUN!
MR. SLOCUM... THE MAILMAN!

MANDRAKE THE MAGICIAN

PRINCESS NARDA TO RETURN CROWN JEWELS TO COCKAIGNE
AMBASSADOR WILL RECEIVE GEMS IN PUBLIC CEREMONY AT EMBASSY.
Himm—SHE'S TRYING TO GET RID OF THEM BEFORE I GET THEM. SHE WON'T!
WE GOT GOOD PUBLICITY ON THIS. YOU CAN BE SURE THE CLAY CAMEL'S READ IT.
YES, BUT WILL HE COME? WILL YOUR PLAN WORK?
I'M AFRAID TO CARRY THESE JEWELS. WHERE'S MANDRAKE?
HE WOULDN'T TELL ME. HE JUST SAID TO ESCORT YOU TO THE EMBASSY.
TOMORROW—MANDRAKE'S TRICK.

For Rent
Situations Wanted
Help Wanted
For Sale
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ARTESIA BUSINESS AND INDUSTRIAL REVIEW



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"Just Come as You Are"
Home Cooked Dinners
Steaks — Chops
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105 EAST GRAND DIAL SH 6-3452

It's Jim's, of Course, for That
Fine Food — Quick Service
Increasing Popularity Proves That
We Serve CHOICE FOOD, Properly Prepared.
And, Don't Forget Our World-Famous Root Beer,
and All Fountain Service!
JIM'S DRIVE IN
1012 South First Dial SH 6-3432

Complete Menus Are Feature Of Driller Cafe's Service

Complete menus—from full dinners to coffee and pancakes—are available for breakfast, lunch, and dinner at Driller's Cafe, 328 W. Main.

Operated by Bill Thomas, Driller cafe is one of Artesia's longest-established cafes.

Thomas purchased it seven years ago in partnership with his brother Tommy. It was previously owned by Ray Carter and operated as Carter's cafe.

"We are operating a cafe at which the average man can afford to eat," Thomas says. "If he wants to take the whole family to dinner, he can do it again sooner with our prices."

Specialty of the house is "wop salad," which Tommy says is based on a recipe he brought with him to Artesia. It's an authentic Italian dish which makes a hit with Driller customers.

The cafe is open every day from 6 a. m. to 8 p. m. Thomas is chief cook.

The business is jointly owned by the brothers, who also own the American Cafe.

Waitress service is available at the cafe throughout the day.

Thomas, two years ago remodeled the cafe in a blue and white decor, which offers customers cool surroundings during warm summer weather. The cafe is air conditioned for further comfort.

It is fully staffed throughout the day for efficient service to customers, many of whom are hurried and cannot afford to dawdle during food preparation.

Radiator Firm Expanding Space, Service

Jack's Radiator Exchange & Service at 311 S. First is in larger quarters than ever and offering more service.

Jacks Staggs, owner, has announced his firm has taken over the entire building formerly shared with a garage.

In addition to radiator manufacture, repair and service, Staggs now offers lawnmower sharpening with Artesia's biggest automatic lawnmower and blade sharpening machine.

Staggs has earned a top local following for his economical and long-lasting repair of radiators, as well as radiator sales made possible by his own manufacturing setup.

Staggs claims radiators and batteries are the most neglected parts of the average automobile. He aims to remedy the radiator part of the situation.

This is Artesia's only exclusive radiator sales and service center. In addition to service and re-

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Leone's Offer 24-Hour Roll Film Service

People most often visit Leone studio at 415 W. Main for roll film development.

It's Artesia's only 24-hour service center for roll film development and printing.

But the studio isn't limited to that service alone. It is equipped to handle nearly all photographic requirements on the premises. Specialties, such as color processing of still and color film, is handled by Leone through special laboratories in the Southwest.

Film brought in to Leone's one day are processed and available in prints just 24 hours later.

The studio also handles portraiture, copying, and commercial photography.

It's owned by Mrs. Lavene Smith and her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Thompson, Mrs. Smith, Mr. Thompson and Mrs. Mildred Carroll staff the studio.

Mrs. Smith has been a part-owner of the studio for 14 years. She previously operated a photo shop in Las Vegas, N. M., for a number of years before coming to Artesia.

She guarantees fine photographic words which the most discriminating families can display with pride. Mrs. Smith has engaged in portraiture for more years than she likes to remember, and is adept at getting a subject to achieve a natural pose.

Also handled by the studio are cut film development contact or jumbo size prints by machines, and enlargements clear up to 18 by 24 inch photos.

pair, Staggs also assembles new radiators. He manufactures some 200 a year, sells them locally to auto dealers and operators of large truck and automotive fleets.

"We save most people with radiator trouble an amount of money that surprises them," Staggs declares. "When a radiator can't be put in shape by cleaning and a few simple repairs, a new core is usually needed."

Where many shops sell the customer a whole new radiator, Staggs just sells the core, if that's all that's needed. A new radiator would include a brass water tanks and frames that are expensive and aren't usually needed.

Staggs' lawnmower service sharpens lawnmowers and blades with cutting surfaces from 5 to 39 inches long. It will also sharpen lawn shears.

Staggs has operated his present business nearly 5 years.

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HEAVY DUTY operation is what this pump, installed by Bristow Pump Co., of Artesia is designed to do. L. H. Johnson, stands beside his new equipment now in operation on the Johnson farm southeast of Artesia. This is just one of the scores of various types pumping and pumping equipment handled and serviced by Bristow throughout southeastern New Mexico. For additional information about the pumping equipment which can best serve agricultural and industrial businesses, call SH 6-2063.

Payne Packing Company One Of Largest Local Firms

Since opening its doors five years ago, Payne Packing Co. of Artesia has become one of the largest privately-owned industries in Artesia.

Each year the company spends nearly \$1 million buying cattle and hogs in the Pecos Valley. More than 7,000 animals are processed through the clean, well-equipped plant annually.

In the past 12 months the company has sold over 2 1/2 million pounds of beef, pork, and by products in Eddy, Lea, Chaves, and Otero counties.

The firm employs four full-time salesman maintaining contact with customers throughout the four county area. The plant keeps busy three big tractor-trailer rigs delivering its products.

Payne takes animals on the hoof, slaughters, then prepares the meat for consumption.

Payne's payroll has never been less than \$75,000 annually.

It's owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Payne—he's easily recognized by the whip he always carries, frequently, as his trademark.

The Paynes went into business in 1950. For 28 years previously Payne had been a rancher. He has lived in the Pecos Valley 33 years.

On the company's payroll are 15 persons working full time. Payne's offers a ready local market for beef—more than 90 percent of the meat used in the Artesia plant is raised locally.

Payne, furthermore, is still planning on expansion of his business—he sees no end in sight to the steady customer support based on good value offered in Payne's products.

DEATH EXPLAINED
ALBUQUERQUE (AP)—Dist. Atty. John Murphy reports a pathologist has found Mrs. Caroline "Killy" Hart, 44, died of "acute alcoholism." Her body was found in the garage at her home Monday night. She was the wife of an official of the Santa Fe Operations Office of the AEC.

There are 66 total eclipses of the sun in the average century, say the National Geographic Society.

NAVAJO BUDGET INCREASED
GALLUP (AP)—The Navajo Tribal Council has approved a \$2,516,647 budget for the fiscal year of 1956. The 1955 budget is \$2,460,913. Of the large increases, one is for law and order—\$519,130 for 1956, compared with \$353,358 for 1955.

CONSTRUCTION BOOMS
ALBUQUERQUE (AP)—The Albuquerque city building supervisor has estimated the valuation of construction in the city at \$24,298,767 for the first six months of 1955. Archie Garland says if the trend continues, 1955 could become a record year.

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