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# ADVOCATE BECOMES DAILY NEWSPAPER TODAY

## wo Deep Oil ests Slated r County

ations for three new Eddy wildcat oil tests, including deep tests, have been an- ced.

announced this week were letion of two deep test wells oducers and plugging-aban- ent of a third.

st Western Drilling Co. will its No. 1 Grayburg deep unit 12,000-foot wildcat 23 miles of Artesia in SE NW 18-17-30. hardson & Bass will locate a llet wildcat 29 miles east 22 miles south of Artesia in ddy county. Location is NW 20-31.

rd wildcat is a 2,000-foot shal- test, the W. H. Swearingen No. earingen in SE NE 23-23-26, les south of Carlsbad.

hardson & Bass completed No. 1 Legg, 22 miles east of ad at 6,122 feet, producing rrels of oil and 204 barrels of a day after Sandfrac. Total was 15,854 feet. Location is W 12-25-30.

ndlind Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 Unit "C", 16 miles east of a is pumping 30 barrels of d 90 barrels of water a day 7,409 feet. The well, located E SE 32-17-28, was drilled to depth of 10,300 feet.

o deep tests were abandoned, mporarily. Makin Drilling o. 1 Boller-Kincaid & Watson, iles east of Artesia and four north, has been temporarily oned. Total depth is 10,012 Location is in SE SE 29-16-28. hardson & Bass have plugged bandoned their No. 1 Harri- 10 miles south of Carlsbad and iles east after drilling to 16,- feet. Location is in NW NW 30.

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ling report is as follows:

e Haynes No. 1 Malco, NW W 35-17-27.

al depth 1570. Testing.

Featherstone No. 5 State, E NW 2-17-31.

al depth 3852, shut down for ers.

rdson & Bass No. 1 Beeman al. NE SW 2-24-28.

al depth 8153. Plugged back d. Testing.

Baker No. 1 Raymond, SE 24-21-26.

al depth 2659, plugged back 2653, shut down for orders.

Curtis No. 2 Sunray, SW 36-17-28.

al depth 549. Shut down for ers.

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## mocrats Elect o Artesians to Positions

sians were named to key in Eddy county's Democratic ization at a harmonious coun- ention Saturday in Carls-

E. Brown, Sr., of Artesia was nously elected vice-chairman Democratic county commit-

H. R. Paton of Artesia was vice-chairman of the coun- anization.

H. "Dick" Westaway, Eddy assesor and long-time coun- ocratic leader, was un- sly elected chairman for a r term. State Sen. T. E. Lusk of Carlsbad was elect- retary-treasurer.

county convention had been ded by stormy sessions at Carlsbad and Artesia precinct gs. No sign of the precinct showed at the county con- , however.

e told the convention Artesia ed to nominate Westaway as chairman, but "the mayor Adair Gossett of Carlsbad) o quick for us."

e told the county convention asked to speak, "I'm saving under for Santa Fe."

addressing the convention B. "Buster" Mulcock, Ar- precinct chairman.

result of the Artesia con- e county Democratic by-laws mended, on a motion by to permit voting by proxy in ee meetings.

of proxies in the Artesia ee meeting was challenged group seeking to defeat Mul- chairman.

**FLORAL** piece was placed on grave of George Frisch, Spanish-American war veteran honored this year in Memorial Day services, by Mrs. Ken Jones, American Legion Auxiliary president. (Advocate Photo)

## Funeral Services For Mrs. Awalt Held Here Today

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. today for Mrs. Sarah Myrtle Awalt, 73-year-old resident of Artesia since 1909, who died at Artesia General hospital Saturday.

Rites were conducted in the chapel of Paulin Funeral home with Rev. J. E. Mitchell, Baptist pastor, officiating. Burial followed in Woodbine cemetery.

A native of Frio county, Texas, Mrs. Awalt and her husband, who was a carpenter and fur trapper, came to Artesia in 1909. Mr. Awalt preceded his wife in death in 1936. They had been married in Lower Penasco, New Mexico, in 1900.

Mrs. Awalt was the former Sarah Myrtle Champion, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Champion.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. E. M. Fuller, of Artesia and Mrs. Mary LaBadie, La Habre, Calif.; two sons, Frank and John Awalt, Artesia; a sister, Mrs. Alice Burns, Garden Grove, Calif., five grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

## *C of C Round-Up Committee Sets Weekly Meetings*

Chamber of Commerce offices will be moved to the location at Second and Main, formerly occupied by Toggery Shop, Mgr. Paul Scott has announced.

The move from present quarters at 303 W. Main to the new location at 201 W. Main will be made about July 1, Scott said.

Moving of the office was approved by the chamber's board of directors, Scott said, to provide a good location with more office space than is now available.

## Patriotism, Use Of Prayer Urged By Chaplain

Those who gave their lives in the nation's wars have left an objective for the living, Rev. Orvan E. Gilstrap, American Legion department of New Mexico chaplain, said Sunday in a Memorial Day address.

Speaking before an assembly at Woodbine cemetery, Rev. Gilstrap said 'They who have given their lives can no longer help us, but they have passed a trust to us."

Rev. Gilstrap, pastor of First Christian church of Artesia and American Legion post chaplain, spoke in services held at the grave of George Frisch, Spanish-American war veteran and longtime Artesia resident who died this spring.

Invocation and benediction were given by Rev. Ralph O'Dell pastor of First Presbyterian church of Artesia. Master of ceremonies

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## *Artesia Weather*

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

ARTESIA: Partly cloudy at times today, tonight and Wednesday. Slight chance for late afternoon or evening thundershower. Increasing winds this afternoon. Quite windy at times Wednesday. Little change in temperatures. Low tonight 62, high Wednesday 92.

| Day— | High | Low |
|---|---|---|
| Thursday | 91 | 56 |
| Friday | 86 | 59 |
| Saturday | 85 | 62 |
| Sunday | 93 | 62 |
| Monday | 93 | 60 |

## Police Minus Lead in $700 Store Break-in

Police were without clues today to the breaking and entering of Gamble's store, 314 W. Main, in which more than $700 in cash, checks and rifles were taken Sunday night.

The burglary was discovered by owner T. L. Welch, when he visited the store at noon yesterday.

Included in the loot was a safe weighing an estimated 300 to 400 pounds which was taken from its place in the office section of the store through a back door. It contained the cash and checks.

Police surmised entrance was gained by jimmying a back door.

In the safe were $144 in cash and $284 in checks, besides a number of valuable business and personal papers of the owner. A couple of defense bonds were also taken.

Four .22 calibre rifles and two high-power rifles were also taken —but no ammunition, Welch reported.

Investigating officers included Chief of Police Frank Powell, Patrolman Bill Gill, Deputy Sheriff O. L. Lusk and State Patrolman D. A. Bonine.

## Two Fires Monday Bring May Total To Eight Alarms

The Artesia fire department closed out the month of May with two calls yesterday—one on the west edge of town, the second on Church street, to bring the total for the month to eight.

Half the calls were in town.

A chicken house and outbuilding of D. A. Tyler on the Hope highway caught fire about 5:15 p. m. anad was controlled some 15 minutes later.

The second of yesterday's two calls came at 10:25 p. m. from 708 Church, where two mattresses outside Curley Russell's residence were burning. There was no damage to the building itself.

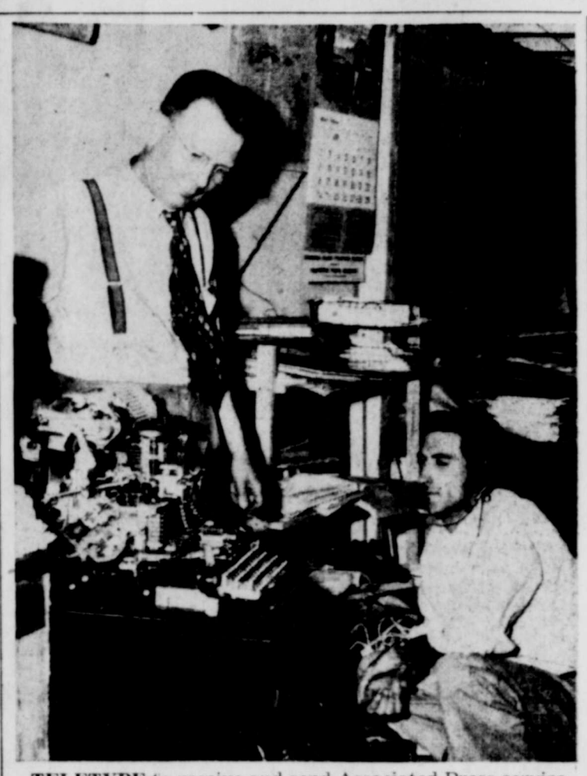
Of the eight calls, one was a false alarm which originated within the city, a fire department spokesman reported.

## *Swimming Pool Daily Schedule Is Announced*

Artesia's swimming pool is now on a regular schedule, Mgr. John Daugherty announced this weekend.

The pool is open every day except Saturday from 2 to 6:30 p. m. It is open to the general public Tuesday evening from 7 to 9. Special arrangements may be made for groups to use the pool other nights of the week.

Admission is 20 cents for swimmers under 12, 30 cents for students over 12, and 40 cents for adults.



**TELETYPE** to receive and send Associated Press service was installed this week-end at Advocate by Robin Adair (left), Albuquerque, AP traffic bureau chief, and Ralph Hall, Artesia, Mountain States T&T serviceman. Advocate will be only news medium in Artesia to receive full AP leased wire service and send out directly Artesia stories to all AP papers in the state. (Advocate Photo)

## Rising Employment, Business Forecast

Rising employment and business increases are being forecast by the Artesia office of the New Mexico employment service.

Mgr. Carl Foster said today "an employment increase is being noted in construction, retail trade, and agriculture."

The anticipated trend, he said, "is that employment will continue to rise locally, since construction on an addition to a local school is just starting."

Foster's report indicated the Artesia area has an estimated total employment of 4,200.

"Business has picked up, stimulating activity," his report said.

His office reported an active unemployment file of 291. Analysis shows 30 of the total are in clerical and sales classifications, 54 in service occupations, 65 semi-skilled, and 41 unskilled.

Tthe total unemployed figure of 291 people includes all but 5 per cent of the area's unemployed, Foster said.

Labor shortages are for general farm hand and a sylinder pressman, the manager said.

Cotton cultivating, chopping, and irrigating are main farming activities at present, Foster said.

He reported arrival of 133 Mexican Nationals in the past week to relieve the local shortage of general farm hands.

Foster said an adequate supply of local cotton choppers is available to meet local needs.

## Crackdown on Hot Checks, Charities Pushed By C of C

Assistance to merchants in reducing "hot checks" and solicitors for worthy causes is being offered this week by the Chamber of Commerce retail trade committee.

C. D. Hopkins, chairman of the committee, said the chamber's measures include:

1—A card on solicitations to be posted conspicuously in stores, reminding merchants to ask solicitors to show their credentials issued by the chamber. The credential will be issued "infrequently," Hopkins said, in comparison to the number of solicitations.

2—A large placard, also to be conspicuously posted, warning customers that writing checks on insufficient funds in a bank account is against the law in New Mexico.

Hopkins said credentials for solicitors will be given "only after a full and careful investigation by the chamber."

To receive chamber credentials for solicitation, the agent of a cause must fill out a searching questionnaire prepared by the chamber committee, Hopkins said.

The questionnaire is single-spaced and covers three legal-size sheets of paper.

It asks in minute detail the organization's purpose, officers, method of operation, actual use of funds received and other pertinent information.

The solicitation questionnaire

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## Daily Advocate Home Delivery

**For home delivery of the daily Artesia Advocate by carrier boy, phone No. 7.**

**Current subscribers who receive their Advocate by mail carrier will automatically receive their daily Advocate by carrier boy.**

**Subscribers whose Advocates are placed in boxes and wish the daily Advocate delivered should phone No. 7.**

## Fifteen School Custodians Enter Two-Day Course

Fifteen custodians of Artesia public schools will attend a two-day school today and Wednesday at Eastern New Mexico university.

The school is directed by A. E. Hunt, ENMU business manager. It wil give school custodians a well-rounded refresher course on their work," Hunt said.

Slated to make the trip from Artesia are Henry Terpening, Walker Lewis, Homer Cannon, B. D. Kimbrough, W. F. Martin, C. G. Howard, Herman Coffman, J. O. Walker, V. L. Ashby, Narcisso Pacheco, W. E. Bailey, Robert A. Birch, Andrez Alvarado, R. B. Kirkes, and Henry Jones.

They will be taken to ENMU in a school bus driven by G. E. Kaiser.

Instructor for the school will be L. O. "Tommy" Thompson, Los Angeles, editor and publisher of the Custodian, a national magazine.

## Newspaper 'In Field To Stay;' Sunday Issue Is Planned

The 50-year-old Artesia Advocate today becomes a daily newspaper.

Daily publication Monday through Friday of the Advocate was announced this morning by Orville E. Priestley, publisher. Priestley said a Sunday edition is being planned.

In an editorial statement, Priestley said "we had hoped to pick our own time to go daily—a time when we felt everything was right . . .This we have not been able to do. The choice of time was not left to us, but the decision is the same.

"We are in the daily newspaper field in Artesia to stay," Priestley declared.

Expansion of the staff for full-scale daily operations is rapidly being completed, the publisher said.

This week-end Associated Press teletypes were installed at the Advocate. The newspaper will be the only one in the city to receive a full-leased wire service from AP, six days a week.

**For an editorial on the Artesia Advocate entering the daily newspaper field, turn to page 14.**

Priestley pointed out the Advocate has been steadily built toward daily publication since he purchased the newspaper April 1, 1945, from Mrs. C. R. Blocker.

Since 1945 a new newspaper web press, another Linotype machine, a Fairchild Scan-a-Graver, and modern camera equipment have been purchased by the Advocate.

Also added since 1945 have been a stripcasting machine, numerous fonts of new type faces, and machinery for the newspaper's commercial printing department.

**THE PAPER** has also been made a member of the Audit Bureau of Circulations.

"Our investment in this newspaper is large," Priestley said. "It will be even larger in the days and weeks ahead."

The Advocate was made a twice-a-week (semi-weekly) newspaper in September 1949 after 46 years of operation as a weekly newspaper.

The newspaper was founded by Gayle Talbot, a Texas legislator, realtor, and newspaperman, Aug. 29, 1903. Talbot operated the newspaper for its first 11 years.

Until its purchase by Walter C. Martin in 1923, the Advocate after Talbot's ownership passed to a succession of owners. Martin became partners with C. R. Blocker in

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## Carrier Delivery Of Advocate Starts In Artesia Today

Carrier delivery of the daily Artesia Advocate begins today throughout the city.

Introductory copies of the daily Advocate are being distributed to every household in the Artesia area.

Advocate subscribers who have had the twice-weekly newspaper delivered in the past by mail carrier, will automatically begin receiving their papers by carrier boys.

Subscribers whose papers have been placed in post office mail boxes and who wish to have the paper delivered by carrier may call phone number 7.

Current subscribers to the Advocate will receive the daily Advocate.

Subscribers who miss their daily Advocate should report the miss to the newspaper office by telephone.

Carrier boys will deliver the paper in Artesia for 25 cents weekly.

## Advocate Installs Associated Press Full Leased Wire

With publication of the Artesia Advocate as a daily newspaper, readers will receive the benefit of full leased wire service by the Associated Press.

The Advocate will be the only news medium in Artesia to be a member of the Associated Press with full leased wire service coming directly into the office.

It will also be the only news medium able to send out directly by teletype to all other AP papers in the state news stories originating in Artesia.

Associated Press stories are marked in the date line which starts the story with the familiar logotype (AP).

The Advocate's Associated Press service begins at midnight every night. From midnight until 7 a. m., the teletype is connected to AP's national "A" wire.

At 7 a. m., the state wire report begins. It features New Mexico news gathered by the Associated Press bureau at Albuquerque, the sub-bureau at Santa Fe and member newspapers. Up-to-the-minute, late-breaking national news is inserted in the state report.

Wire service ends at 1 p. m.

AP's Albuquerque bureau schedules five-minute periods every hour from 7 a. m. through 12 noon for members to send stories on the teletype system. When stories are so "hot" they'll not wait for the message period, they are either phoned to Albuquerque or the wire circuit is broken and the story sent.

Installation of the wire service into Artesia Advocate offices was completed by Robin Adair of AP's Albuquerque office and Ralph Hall of Mountain States Telephone & Telegraph Artesia office Sunday afternoon.

## *Three Stolen, Lost Bikes Held By City Police*

Three bicycles are now being held by Artesia police at police headquarters.

The bikes were either stolen or lost.

Their owners may have the bikes by describing them at police headquarters.

## Third Typesetting Machine Purchased For Daily Advocate

Installation of a third typesetting machine at the daily Artesia Advocate is scheduled for the near future, Orville E. Priestley, publisher, announced today.

The machine will be an Intertype.

The Artesia Advocate now has two Linotype typesetting machines. One machine is devoted to straight matter production, such as this "body type."

The second sets type for advertisements in the newspaper, some headline type and display type for the Advocate's commercial department.

The third machine will be a combination machine, Priestley said.

When the Advocate was purchased by Priestley in 1945, it had one Linotype. A second was added by the present owner as part of the newspaper's preparation for daily publication.

## *Paving Contract On Mayhill-Weed Road Awarded*

Contract for paving of 3.3 miles on state road 24 between Mayhill and Weed has been awarded by the state highway department.

The contract calls for grading and bituminous surfacing of the road.

Low bidder at $189,524 was Lee Moore Contracting Co., El Paso.

# *Hope Fiesta Slated June 12*

The small Hope community west of Artesia will throw it's big-hearted annual fiesta Saturday, June 12, Mayor Ethel Altman has announced.

This year's fiesta really has something to celebrate.

For the first time fiesta guests will be served water from Hope's brand spanking-new water system.

Fiesta-goers driving by way of Artesia will go over a road from hich dangerous right-angle curves have been eliminated.

And even as Hope officially celebrates its new water system, efforts will be underway to secure completion of Highway 83 paving through the Sacramento mountains.

Hope is banking on that to increase traffic by tourists through town.

The fiesta will begin with registration and a get-together at 2 p. m.

It'll be formally kicked off with a parade at 3:30, featuring a host of floats.

Immediately after the parade, Artesia Roping club will stage a rodeo at Hope rodeo grounds.

At 5 p. m., coffee will be served to everyone, courtesy of the town's petticoat government, headed by Mayor Altman.

Supper follows, and then comes dancing from 8 p. m. to 1 a. m. Admission will be $1.25 a person for the dance.

Conspicuous to fiesta goers will be the bright new pump house and standpipe at the heart of Hope's new water system.

Built at a cost of $50,000, the water system has been one of the petticoat administration's chief objectives since taking office.

To secure the $50,000, Hope's petticoats had to raise 10 per cent —$5,000—if the government was to loan the town the other $45,000.

So Hope's petticoats went to Washington, got back some federal land that had been taken from Hope, then subdivided it and sold the lots.

Through cajolery, good-natured high-pressure salesmanship, and downright pleading, the lots were sold, the $5,000 raised.

The dangerous right-angle curves were eliminated when Hope and Artesia joined forces with Carlsbad legislators and secured an agreement under which the county would do grading and drainage, the state highway department paving and sealing.

## *Highway 83 Seal Coat Scheduled For Near Future*

Blacktopping of curves on highway 83 between Hope and Artesia haes been completed.

Sealing of the Hope-Artesia stretch of highway 83 is to begin in the near future.

The sealing cost of asphalt and gravel will smooth out the road and widen it slightly.

## Mrs. Bob Perkins Honored Guest at Wedding Shower

Mrs. Bobby Perkins, a recent bride, was honor guest at a wedding shower given for her at the home of Mrs. A. D. Law, 708 W. Washington, May 26.

The gift table was decorated with a bouquet of red roses.

Mrs. Bill Boyce had charge of the guest book, a gift of the bride's mother.

Refreshments of cake, punch, and gelatin were served after an evening of visiting.

Those attending were Mmes. Timothy Noe, Bill Boyce, J. B. Cox, W. E. McCullough, Faye Teel, Gene Parnell, D. E. Lee, Albert Richardson, the hostess and her daughter, Sylvia.

Unable to attend but sending gifts were Misses Betty Griffin, Lou Griffin, Sharon Haynes, Barbara Jones, and Laura Savoie.

Also Mmes. C. W. Woods, J. E. Sauve, Willard Griffin, Claude Dunn, Harold Ulrich, Harold Crouch, Nats Culberson, Raymond Payne, Jay Joplin, Francis Shook, Effie Wingfield, John Daugherty, Thelma Bishop and Frank Perkins of Sonora, Texas.

## Host of Area Women Attend Extension Meet

New Mexico Association of Home Extension clubs held its 11th annual meeting in Hobbs, May 25-27. The theme was "Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World."

Eddy county won the flag given the highest number attending outside of the host county. If a county wins the flags three years in succession, it gets to keep them.

Mrs. Holmes Smith and Mrs. Carl Lazenby carried out Eddy county's part in the workshop revue by showing pressing equipment and giving out patterns for the point press.

Las Vegas was selected for the 1955 meeting.

Eddy county women attending were Mrs. Orval Gray and Mrs. Ralph Pearson, Cottonwood; Mrs. Felix Cauhape, Hope; Mrs. Cecil Ginanni and Mrs. Walter Porter, Otis; Mrs. Carl Lazenby and Mrs. Holmes Smith, Happy Circle; Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. Jessie Edwards, Mrs. Gertrude Giddens and Mrs. Bertha Brewer, New San Jose; Mrs. Elise K. Clark, assistant home agent and Miss Marjorie Lee Howell, home agent.

Mrs. Felix Cauhape, Hope, Mrs. Walter Porter, Otis and Mrs. George Williams, New San Jose, were voting delegates.

## Mrs. Baldwin Is Elected to Head Methodist Class

Mrs. C. R. Baldwin was elected president of Sunshine class of First Methodist church Thursday evening at an outdoor picnic supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Durand, with Mrs. Clem Ratliff as co-hostess.

Other officers elected to serve with Mrs. Baldwin were Mrs. Calvin Dunn, vice president; Mrs. H. G. Ellis, secretary; H. G. Ellis, treasurer; C. A. Stalcup, teacher and Vernon Mills, assistant teacher.

Following the dinner and business meeting, a social hour was enjoyed.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Menefee, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Yeats, Mr. and Mrs. C. Stalcup, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Durand.

Mrs. Clem Ratliff, Mrs. A. L. Neatherlin, Mrs. George Teel, Mrs. Robert Cole, Mrs. Grover Kinder and Mrs. Calvin Dunn.

## *Jean Coll Is Tapped for ENMU Honorary Group*

Miss Jean Coll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Britton Coll, east of Artesia, has been tapped and initiated by Spur at University of New Mexico.

Spur is a sophomore honorary sorority. One is tapped for scholarship, leadership, participation and activities.

Miss Coll's activities include vice presidency of junior rally committee; vice president of her dormitory; publicity committee A. W. S. and vice president of Spur.

Miss Coll is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority and is majoring in business.

OLDTIMERS gathered to meet two veteran Artesia doctors during reception at Harvey Yates home Sunday. Dr. H. Austin Stroup and Dr. Chester Russell were honored by friends for more than 50 years service apiece. Left to right are Miss Ruth Russell, Mrs. O. E. Puckett, Dr. O. E. Puckett, Carlsbad, Dr. Stroup, Mrs. D. C. Russell, Dr. Russell, E. B. Bullock, Mrs. Bullock, Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Sr., and Dr. J. J. Clarke, Sr.

(Advocate Photo)

## Over 160 Friends Honor Two Artesia Doctors for Service

Dr. H. Austin Stroup and Dr. Charles Russell were honored at a reception Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Yates in recognition of their long years of service to the community.

Mrs. Harvey Yates and Mrs. S. P. Yates were hostesses.

Those assisting in the reception were Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, Mrs. Oscar Pearson, Mrs. L. M. Friend, Mrs. Howard Stroup, Miss Mim Stroup, Mrs. J. J. Clarke Jr., Mrs. J. T. Caudle, Mrs. M. A. Mapes Jr., Mrs. Creighton Gilchrist, Mrs. A. C. Sadler, Mrs. L. F. Hamilton, Miss Kathryn Walterscheid and Jimmy Yates.

Cookies were furnished by a The refreshment table was covered with a lovely cloth and centered with a three-tiered rafia epergne, filled with mixed flowers entwined with ivy, roses and pale yellow flowers and filled with grapefruit, lemons and bananas.

The cut glass punch bowl was set in a raffia basket stand twined with ivy vine.

Bouquets of garden flowers and potted plants completed the floral decorations in the home.

Punch and cookies were served throughout the afternoon.

One hundred sixty persons signed the guest book.

## *Personal Mention*

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Elgan returned last Friday from Silver City, where they went to attend graduation exercises at St. Mary's Academy Wednesday, May 26. Their daughter, Martha, was a member of the graduation class from eighth grade to high school. She made the highest average in her class and was presented a rosary. Martha will remain here for the summer.

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Mrs. Forrest Lee and children, Dean and Linda, left for two-week visit with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Falls and niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Baskill Gray, all of McAllen, Texas. Mrs. Gray is expected to return home with her aunt for a visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Painter of Fort Worth visited his parents, Mr and Mrs. Francis Painter over the week-end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hicks returned home Sunday from a three-week vacation spent in Wisconsin. They visited Mrs. Hicks' mother, Mrs. Lydia Omdoll in Waukesha, and his sisters in Madison, and also visited other relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Durham and Mrs. Kenneth Aldridge spent the week-end in Mineral Wells, Texas, visiting the Durham's relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kitchell of Albuquerque spent the week-end here visiting Mrs. Kitchell's sister, Mrs. Calvin Dunn and Mr. Dunn. On Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Kitchell went to Portales to attend baccalaureate exercises at Eastern New Mexico university. Mr. and Mrs. Dunn's son-in-law, Dale Doak is a member of the graduating class.

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Mrs. Jack Hastie, and daughter, Mrs. Charlie Kimbell, Mr. Kimbell, another daughter, Mrs. Walter Douglas, and Mr. Douglas, of Sacramento returned home Sunday from a week's visit at Blue Eye, Mo., where they visited another daughter and sister, Mrs. Nay Hightower.

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Mrs. H. W. Kiddy and Mrs. Mack Reasner left Roswell by plane Sunday afternoon for the Presbyterian National meeting of Women's Association at Purdue University at West Lafayette, Ind.

Bob McQuay spent the week-end here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. McQuay. Bob attends Eastern New Mexico university at Portales. He is to serve on the staff at the band camp to begin June 4.

The Galveston, Texas, flood was caused by a hurricane that piled up enormous waves that inundated the city.

## Mrs. Young Is Given Surprise Pink-Blue Shower

Mrs. Myrtle Young was surprised with a pink and blue shower Sunday afternoon, May 23, in the home of Miss Alice Gayle, sponsored by the Young Ladies' club of Artesia.

The young ladies club has just been recently organized. They are doing worthy work in the community helping the sick and needy. They have raised over $100 in a short period of time.

Mrs. Minnie Daniels is president of the club and Mrs. Mamie Ruth McGown is reporter.

## Social Calendar

**Tuesday, June 1—**

Alpha Nu chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha, meeting in the home of Mrs. A. E. Linell, 7:30 p. m.

**Thursday, June 3—**

Cottonwood Women's club, meeting in the home of Mrs. J. W. McNeil, 2:30 p. m.

Executive board of Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian church, coffee at the home of Mrs. Clark Storm with Mrs. John Gilmer as hostess, 9 a. m.

Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church, prayer retreat in the church parlor, 9 a. m., and monthly business meeting of the WSCS in Fellowship hall, 9:30 a. m.

Presbyterian Women's Assn. meeting in parish hall. Mrs. Harold Kersey in charge of program. Mrs. T. E. Vandever, Mrs. Paul Francis, Mrs. Charles Johnson, hostesses, 2:30 p. m.

**Friday, June 4—**

Esther society of Immanuel Lutheran church, meeting in the home of Mrs. Clem Weindorf, 1515 Yucca, 7:30 p. m.

## Births

**ARTESIA GENERAL HOSPITAL**

May 27 — to Mr. and Mrs. Henry White, son, Jackie Delores, 6 pounds 2 ounces.

May 28 — to Mr. and Mrs. William Puckett, son, Reynold Dean, 6 pounds 5½ ounces.

May 30 — to Mr. and Mrs. Gene Esley, son, Michael Lynn, 7 pounds 1½ ounces.

May 31 — to Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Garcia, daughter, Rose Mary, 7 pounds 7½ ounces.

## Iva Dell Haley, James W. Ferrell To Wed June 15

Miss Iva Dell Haley's engagement and approaching marriage to James William Ferrell, nephew of Mrs. B. W. Ankrom of Artesia, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest M. Haley, 100 S. Sherman street, Roswell.

The wedding will take place on Tuesday, June 15, at 8:30 a. m., at the First Church of the Nazarene, Roswell.

Miss Haley has been employed for the past three years in Artesia public schools.

The prospective bridegroom is employed by the Cabot Carbon Co., Hobbs.

## *Personal Mention*

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Jones over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lear of Hobbs. Sunday the group went to Mule Canyon on a picnic and on Monday they went to the head of Dark Canyon. On Monday Jean Holland accompanied them on this trip.

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Dr. and Mrs. D. N. Sschneberg were in attendance at the New Mexico Dentali Society meeting held in Santa Fe last week. They were registered at the LaFonda.

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Mrs. J. L. Montgomery and daughter, LaFaye, left this week for Dallas to visit relatives until June 14.

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Royce Mills took his wife and children to Fort Worth over the week-end. He returned home Monday evening and left his family in Fort Worth fo ra month's visit with relatives.

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Mrs. Bill Bullock and her sister, Miss Jewel Ford returned home on Sunday from a vacation spent in Ada, Okla., visiting relatives.

Mrs. T. C. Stromberg and daughters, Anna and Sara, and Mr. Stromberg's mother, Mrs. Adele Spurgeon, left last week for Ardmore, Okla., to visit Stromberg's brothers, then to Dallas and then on to Granfield, Okla., to visit Mrs. Stromberg's parents. They plan to be gone three weeks.

## Kishbaugh Funeral Rites Held Here

Graveside rites were conducted at 9:30 a. m. today at Woodbine cemetery for Mrs. Ellen Vorhees Kishbaugh, a former resident of Artesia who died May 26 in Azusa, Calif.

Memorial services for Mrs. Kishbaugh, who moved from Artesia to California in 1928, had been held in Los Angeles Saturday.

Mrs. Kishbaugh came to Artesia in 1902 to join her husband, the late Robert Kishbaugh, who had come to Artesia in a covered wagon, accompanied by his nephew, Tom Heflin, of Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Kishbaugh moved to California in 1928, and a year later he died. His body was returned to Artesia for burial.

Mrs. Kishbaugh was the last surviving charter member of the First Baptist church of Artesia, and was active in church work her entire life.

Surviving are two sons, William, of Sacramento, Calif., and Gordon

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...d Mrs. Harry D. Burke of ...announce the engagement ...aching marriage of their ... Adelia, to Wray Shild... ...n of Mrs. Amy Patterson and the late Jesse Shildneck, of Artesia.

Date set for the wedding is Sunday, June 27, at the First Baptist church, Portales.

The bride-to-be graduated from Portales high school this spring and plans to enter New Mexico A&M college, Las Cruces, in September.

The bridegroom-to-be graduated in May from Artesia high school and will enter New Mexico A&M college July 24.

## ...le to Be Graduated Today ...NM Military Institute

JIMMIE COGLE

...e Palmer Cogle, the son of ...Mrs. Lloyd E. Thompson ...nda, Calif., and 920 South ...t, Artesia, will receive a ...of science degree in math...al science during com... ...nt ceremonies at New ...Military Institute in Ros... ...l.

...Cogle is a nephew of Mr. ...John Boren, Artesia.

...Cogle entered the Insti... ...September 1950 and holds ...of first lieutenant in the ...Cadets. His activities at ...ute include membership ...ficers' club, the dean's list ...academic proficiency, ac... ...ticipating in the intra... ...rts program, and being a ...of the best squad during ...st year here.

He was also named as an honor military student his first year at NMMI.

Cadet Cogle will receiev a commission of second lieutenant in the armored division of the United States Army reserve corps upon his graduation.

Graduation ceremonies the morning of June 1, will climax a full schedule of commencement activities at the institute. Hiram M. Dow, civilian aide to the secretary of the army for New Mexico, will deliver the commencement address before the combined graduating classes of the high school, junior and senior college divisions of the school. Dow is a graduate of NMMI and served as president of the board of regents of the school for many years.

Chaplain (Colonel) James C. Bean, Fourth Army chaplain, delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating cadets Sunday.

## Advisors Urge Volunteers In Emergency

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A 15-man advisory group recruited from the ranks of labor and industry has recommended that in any future war emergency the nation should rely on voluntary measures rather than labor conscription.

The committee, in a report submitted Saturday to the office of defense mobilization (ODM), said that voluntary steps like those employed in World War II should suffice even for atomic warfare.

## *Chimpanzee Takes Excellent Photo of People*

LONDON—(AP)—The Daily Mirror published an excellent photograph today of people, taken by a chimpanzee at the London zoo.

The camera was wired to the chimp's cage.

He tripped the shutter by pulling a string.

## *Marriage Licenses*

Marriage licenses have been issued at the county clerk's office, Carlsbad, to:

Harold L. Williams, 26, and Janet Sue Yarberry, 18, both of Artesia.

Curtis Raye Teel, 23, and Betty Jo Thorp, 18, both of Artesia.

## *Personal Mention*

Betty Jo Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Jonnson spent the week-end here visiting her parents and sister. Miss Johnson is employed at Sandia air base at Albuquerque. She is to receive her degree in science and business administration from the University of New Mexico, June 10. She completed her work some time ago, but had to wait for the next commencement exercises to receive it.

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Georgia Ann Bradford is spending the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Bradford. They went to Hobbs to meet her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bradford of Odessa, Texas, and to bring the granddaughter here on Sunday.

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Mrs. Bill Martin, 605 W. Dallas, went to Lubbock over the week-end to visit her daughter and family. Her grandchildren, Bobby and Mary Reneau came home with her to visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Kiddy and children are vacationing in Oklahoma, where they are visiting relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sperry spent last week-end in Albuquerque visiting their daughter, Carolyn, who is attending the University of New Mexico.

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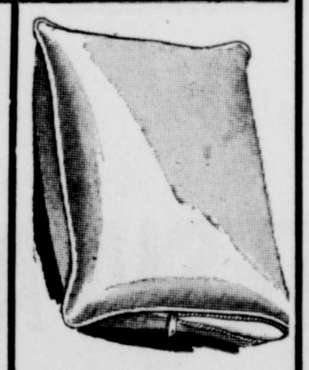

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# Artesia, Roswell Open Critical Series in NuMexer Park Tonight

Artesia and Roswell tonight open a critical Longhorn league series, with second-place Artesia battling to close league-leading Roswell's two-game lead.

Artesia goes against Roswell tonight at NuMexer Park after splitting a two-game Carlsbad series here, conquering the Potashers 5-2 last night.

Probable starter for the NuMexers tonight will be Bart Di Maggio.

All Artesia's runs came in the third inning last night, three of the five on big Bob Herron's two-on home run.

With Reuben Smartt and John Goodell on by safeties, Herron clouted his four-master over the centerfield fence after one out.

Next man up, third baseman Charlie Watts, hit to shortstop and was thrown out at first.

With two out, Floyd Economides and Paul Dobkowski hanged out a pair of hits, then were plated by Paul Kelley's big two-base slam.

Carlsbad's two runs were both unearned. The Potashers scored one in the opening frame when Raul Dieppa went to first on an error, advanced on another error.

The second Potasher run came in the fifth when Hardy went to first on another error, scored on hits by Jiminez and a two-bagger by Henderson.

Rookie Artesia starter Wayne Goodell yielded four hits, spaced well over the route.

Artesia batsmen hit Carlsbad's Jiminez for 1 1safeties.

The NuMexers hit Carlsbad's Jiminez for 11 safeties.

The NuMexers were charged with three errors, Carlsbad none.

It was Goodell's second win of the season, against two losses.

CARLSBAD

| Players— | AB | R | H |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dieppa, ss | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| P. Osorio, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Henderson, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Jackson, 1b | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Hobbs, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| E. Osorio, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Herring, c | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Hardy, 3b | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Jiminez, p | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| *Stack | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 31 | 2 | 4 |

*—Pinchhitter for Jiminez ninth.

ARTESIA

| Players— | AB | R | H |
|---|---|---|---|
| Diaz, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Smartt, ss | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| J. Goodell, 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Herron, lf | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Watts, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Economides, c | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| Dobkowski, 2b | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| Kelley, rf | 3 | 0 | 2 |
| W. Goodell, p | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 33 | 5 | 11 |

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WEEKEND ROUND-UP

## Phipps Suffers First Loss Of Year in Carlsbad Game

Jodie Phipps suffered his first defeat of the season Sunday night as Carlsbad's Potashers tipped the Artesia NuMexers 6-3.

The NuMexers went into the game dead tired from a trip back to Artesia from Sweetwater, where the Refiners dumped the Oilers two games straight Friday and Saturday.

On the trip the NuMexers bus broke down twice. The team, after a sleeples night, arrived in Artesia at 10:30 Sunday morning.

Friday the NuMexers downed Sweetwater 4-1, Saturday night 12-6.

A pair of homers paced the Carlsbad attack Sunday night. The Potashers scored two in the first when lead-off batter Raul Dieppa homered and Ike Jackson homed a free-tripper.

Elias Osorio scored two more with his homer in the eighth. Carlsbad wound it up with another pair in the ninth on a hit and a fielder's choice.

The NuMexers slammed out three in the bottom of the ninth on hits by Charlie Watts, John Goodell, and Paul Dobkowski.

Carlsbad was charged with two errors, Artesia 1.

Jodie Phipps yielded 11 hits to the Potashers, while Potasher moundsman Ted Williams meted out seven hits.

Scott Robnett went the distance in downing Sweetwater 12-6 Saturday night. Watts, Diaz and Goodell again hit heavily for Artesia. Diaz knocked out three, Goodell two, including a homer, and Watts three, including another homer.

It was Robnett's third win of the season, against two losses.

Artesia scored one in the first frame, four in the third, two in the fourth, one apiece in the fifth and sixth, and three in the ninth. Sweetwater scored four in the fourth, two in the ninth.

Friday Gilbert Johnson rationed out three hits in pacing Artesia's 4-1 victory.

All but two on the NuMexer batting order racked up hits, totting up a total of 11.

The game was tied 1-1 going into the ninth, when Artesia scored three runs on singles by Watts, Dobkowski, Dean Smith, and Reuben Smartt.

## Phipps Wins Either at Plate, Mound

Artesia's Jodie Phipps has two ways of winning ball games for the NuMexers—on the mound and at the plate.

Phipps is one of a very few Longhorn league moundsmen who is near the top of the heap in individual batting, according to League Statistician William J. Weiss, San Mateo, Calif., in his latest (Sunday) compliation.

Phipps' .429 batting is excelled by only two other Longhorn leaguers—Joe Salfran of Roswell with a .460 clip, and Ike Williams of Carlsbad's Potashers with a .438. alRIY

And 12th in Sunday's tabulation is another NuMexer—John Goodell, first baseman, whose record is .374. In 14th place in the latest tabulation is leftfielder Bob Herron with a respectable .370.

Other NuMexer individual batting averages: Floyd Economides, catcher, .339; Charley Watts at third with a .325; Paul Dobkowski, second base, .323; shortstop Reuben Smartt, .315; outfielder Dean Smith with a .280; and third baseman Mickey Diaz, with a .235.

Figures are from compliations including games of May 24 except the May 24 game with Sweetwater here.

Goodell's .374 is matched by Carlsbad's Ike Jackson's .374 for a tie of batting leaders in the bracket as league leaders on league formula for players having participated in a sufficiency of games to establish a continuing trend—excluding players who may have a higher individual batting average but who have played just a few games.

## *Hickson Named To Championship Softball Team*

Jerry Hickson of Artesia, a student at Eastern New Mexico university, is a member of the university intramural softball championship team.

The team was named this weekend by Dr. Joseph F. Dickson, intra-mural director and associate professor in health and physical education.

## Open Golf Meet To Start Here Under 20-30 Club

A 20-30 golf tournament to begin Sunday, June 6, is open to anyone wanting to play.

It is sponsored by Artesia 20-30 Municipal golf course on the Hope highway, west of town.

Jesse Sosa is in charge of the tournament. Entry fees are $2.50 per person.

Three trophies have been ordered. One will be given for first place; one for second place, one for consolation.

**DETAILS ASKED**

ALBUQUERQUE — (AP) — Gov. Edwin L. Mechem has wired the White House asking for complete facts on the Veterans Hospital budget slash. The slash has been opposed by veterans group. It threatens to close a wing in the Veterans Hospital at Albuquerque.

**CONFERENCE SET**

ALBUQUERQUE — (AP) — The New Mexico Conference of Social Welfare meets in Albuquerque on June 10-12 for panel discussions and forum meetings to seek practical solutions to problems facing New Mexico Indians. Representatives of the Navajos, Apaches, Pueblos, Utes and Mountain Utes will take part in discussions.

About five per cent more boys than girls are born in the United States.

TROPHY to winner in first annual Kiwanis club World Championship Steer Roping contest is presented winner Everett Shaw by Kiwanis Pres. Paul L. Frost. (Advocate Photo)

# Shaw Sweeps Steer Roping

More than 3,000 roping fans saw Everett Shaw sweep prizes in Artesia Kiwanis club's first annual world championship steer roping contest Sunday afternoon.

Shaw piled up the low time for five steers of 140.4 seconds.

He also had fastest time—18.7 seconds in roping a steer in the second round.

Kiwanis Pres. Paul Frost said the show was so well-received the club will put it on an annual basis.

Ken Aldridge, general chairman of the event for Kiwanis, said "next year we're going into the steer roping in a big way."

Total time on five steers for the contestants put John Pogue, Miami, Okla., in second with 140.4 seconds; John Dalton, Federal, Wyo., third, 160.7; Clark McIntyre, Limestone Gap, Okla., fourth, 173.4; Ike Rood, Raleigh, Calif., fifth 188.5; and Jim Sniveley, Pawhauska, Okla., 197.1.

Jim Sniveley was named hard-luck roper of the show. He had the largest total time—197.1 seconds—and the longest time for a single round—65.3 seconds in the fifth round. He was awarded a buckle by Kiwanis club.

As winner, Shaw captured 50 per cent of the purse, received from Frost a handsome cup awarded by Kiwanis, and a new hat. He also won $500—the entry fee—for having lowest time.

Round by round time for each of the contestants:

Shaw—20, 18.7, 23.2, 40.6, 26.9, total 129.4.

Pogue—25.5, 30.9, 23.2, 35.1, 25.7, total 140.4.

Dalton—19.5, 29, 27.3, 42.7, 42.2, total 160.7.

McIntyre—32, 36.7, 31, 24.3, 34.4, total 178.4.

Rood—40.4, 51.4, 24.6, 33, 39.1, total 188.5.

Sniveley—37.5, 20.2, 45.8, 28.3, 65.3, total 197.1.

Officials for the event were Bob Chipman, timer; Erbie Jessie, barrier, and Red Vaughn, flag judge; Millard Long, entrance book; Buff Douthitt, time.

Aldridge said Monday purses to be awarded the three high men were still being calculated by Kiwanis club and would be announced later.

Aloys Senefelder, a German, is credited with the invention of Lithography in 1797.

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TAOS — (AP) — Jac has been named pres Taos Chamber of Com board of directors f election by members. cers were H. H. Wo president; Kurt Zie urer; and Mrs. Ruth G tary.

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Curt Ouall is considering going to work in the oilfields.

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**GRAND OPENING** of Gambles store, 314 W. Main, was held four days last week by newcomers, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Welch.

Special bargains on many items throughout the store was one feature of the opening.

Gift winners were Juan Rincon tire: Mrs. C. J. Bratcher, 1204 Washington, linoleum rug: Mrs. Mick Rodriguez, 403 W. Adams, one gallon Hiawatha thermos jug: Mrs. Zora Smith, two gallons motor oil.

# County Welfare Cost $36,207 for April Maintenance

State Director Richard E. Strahlem stated today that according to current data released by the department of public welfare, 677 needy cases in Eddy county received $36,207 for maintenance requirements during April.

Of this amount, the largest payment was $18,162 to 701 children under the aid to dependent children program; $15,616 was paid to 372 old age assistance cases; $504 to 12 cases receiving aid to the needy blind; $1,392 to 33 aid to the disabled cases; and $532 to 20 general assistance cases.

In addition, 49 children were assisted under the child welfare services program; 162 children received care under the crippled children's program; and 13 persons were aided by the division of services for the blind. Fifty-nine cases received other special services.

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Tuition will be charged and based upon the number of persons enrolled in the course.

Tentative plans are for a six-week period beginning June 7, closing July 16. Hours for instruction will be 7 to 10 a. m., Monday through Friday.

For enrollment, call the principal's office, 1414 or Miss Marston at 1348-W.

**HOUSEHOLDER AWAKENED**

A noise sounding like a heavy blow to the side of her house was loud enough to awaken Mrs. Chester Mayes, 911 S. Roselawn, at 2:08 a. m. Sunday. Police, investigating after a telephone call, could find no cause for the noise. Mrs. Mayes said the noise was extremely loud, as though the house had been violently hit.

**AIRPORT REOPENED**

TAOS — (AP) — Zia airport at Cordillera, near Ranchos de Taos, reopened this week-end. It had been closed to commercial operation for three years.


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There are only 46 known copies left of the Gutenberg Bible.

Korea is separated from Japan by 110 miles of water.

Only about 19 per cent of Japan's area is agricultural land.

# Roswell, Big Spring Open Warfare on League Pitchers

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Roswell and Big Spring declared open season on Longhorn league pitchers Monday night and proceeded to blast each other's hurling in what ended up a 19-16 Roswell victory.

The 3-hour, 36-minute game was the wild spot in a four-game evening for the loop.

Other contests included Artesia's 5-2 triumph over Carlsbad, San Angelo's 4-1 victory over Sweetwater and Odessa's 7-5 decision over Midland.

Six pitchers appeared in the fiasco at Big Spring. They were clubbed for 45 hits, 26 for Roswell and 19 for the host Broncs. Big Spring had the evening's biggest inning, scoring 10 times in the sixth.

Julio de la Torre drove in seven runs for the Broncs with four hits. Matching his efforts for Roswell were Frank Salfran, Duane White and Weldon Day.

Surprisingly, de la Torre's home run was the only one of the game.

Considerably better pitching was the rule at Sweetwater, where San Angelo's Bill Ewen set the Spudders down with five hits. Newcomer Duane Peters pitched nine-hit ball in taking the loss.

Artesia scored all its runs in one inning—the third—as the NuMexers downed the Carlsbad visitors. John Herron's three-run homer was the big blow of the game.

Both Carlsbad runs off winner Wayne Goodell were unearned.

At Midland, Odessa scored four runs before the Indians could get a man out, then stayed ahead all the way.

**BILL FAILS**

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Sen. Chavez (D-NM) voted against a proposed constitutional amendment to lower the voting age to 18 which failed to pass the Senate by a necessary two-thirds majority. Sen. Anderson (D-NM) did not vote on the bill. It failed with 34 votes for and 24 against passage.

# NuMexer Round-Up

By The Associated Press

THE STANDINGS

| Teams— | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Roswell | 31 | 11 | .738 | |
| Artesia | 27 | 11 | .711 | 2 |
| Midland | 22 | 18 | .550 | 8 |
| Carlsbad | 21 | 20 | .512 | 9½ |
| Big Spring | 17 | 22 | .436 | 12½ |
| San Angelo | 15 | 25 | .375 | 15 |
| Sweetwater | 13 | 26 | .333 | 16½ |
| Odessa | 13 | 26 | .333 | 16½ |

LAST NIGHT'S GAMES

Artesia 5, Carlsbad 2.
Roswell 19, Big Spring 16.
San Angelo 4, Sweetwater 1.
Odessa 7, Midland 5.

TONIGHT'S GAMES

Roswell at Artesia.
Carlsbad at Big Spring.
Odessa at Sweetwater.
Midland at San Angelo.

BATTING AVERAGES

Through Monday, May 31
(Except Saturday, May 29)

| Players— | AB | R | H | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Herron | 156 | 34 | 58 | .372 |
| J. Goodell | 150 | 39 | 55 | .366 |
| Phipps | 25 | 4 | 9 | .360 |
| Dobkowski | 160 | 38 | 55 | .344 |
| Economides | 144 | 30 | 48 | .333 |
| Watts | 144 | 40 | 7 | .327 |
| Smartt | 171 | 37 | 54 | .316 |
| Smith | 128 | 24 | 39 | .305 |
| Kelley | 32 | 4 | 9 | .281 |
| Diaz | 146 | 20 | 37 | .253 |
| Dignosotis | 5 | 1 | 1 | .200 |
| W. Goodell | 16 | 2 | 2 | .125 |
| Johnson | 8 | 2 | 1 | .125 |
| Robnett | 24 | 0 | 3 | .083 |

PITCHING RECORDS

| Pitchers— | W | L | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| DiMaggio | 1 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Foster | 1 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Phipps | 7 | 1 | .875 |
| Robnett | 3 | 2 | .600 |
| Johnson | 3 | 3 | .500 |
| W. Goodell | 2 | 2 | .500 |

Tides are not the same the world over. They vary from less than a foot to more than 60 feet in the Bay of Fundy.

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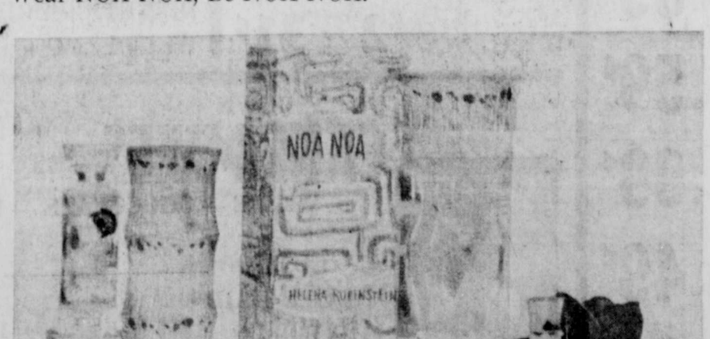


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# Dr. John J. Clarke Sr. Honored By State Dental Publication

DR. JOHN J. CLARKE, SR.

"Dr. J. J. Clarke needs no introduction to anyone connected with the dental profession of New Mexico," declares a lead article in the program issue of the New Mexico State Dental Journal noting the recently-acquired life membership in the dental associatioon of the well-known Artesia dentist.

"It doesn't take one long to appreciate the service and honor Dr. Clarke has bestowed upon our state and profession," the article concludes. "We are proud and grateful to count him among us."

Dr. Clarke is a native of New Orleans, where he was born in 1885. He took his preliminary education in private and public schools of Plaquemine, La. He attended Jesuit college and Louisiana State university for his pre-dental credits and graduated from New Orleans College of Dentistry in 1905, according to his biography carried in the dental society's journal.

"Dr. Clarke lost no time after graduation, marrying Odile Grimmer of Natchitoches in 1906. They have three children, all practicing dentists in New Mexico: L. R. and Catherine of Albuquerque and John, Jr., of Artesia.

"The doctor began his practice in White Castle, La., but soon removed to our state where he has continued to practice in Hobbs and Artesia.

"When we questioned Dr. Clarke on the honors and memberships acquired during his long and illustrious career, we got more than we bargained for," the article continues.

"However, the good doctor gave a very complete resume and told us to pick out the highlights. We considered them all worthy of mention and they are listed as follows: Charter member of the New Mexico Dental Society; past president, secretary and treasurer of the society; first delegate to the National Dental Society meeting in Birmingham, Ala., in 1906; past president and secretary-treasurer of the Southwest Dental Society; former contributing editor of the American Dentist.

"Dr. Clarke was appointed to the first state board of dental examiners in New Mexico by Gov. McDonald in 1912. He has been that board's secretary since 1926. He is past president of the American Association of Dental Examiners and a council member of the judicial body of the A.D.A.; he helped rewrite the constitution and body of ethics of the A.D.A. in 1951.

"He is a Fellow of the American College of Dentistry and a Fellow of the International Academy of Medicine and Dentistry He is an associate member of the American Academy of Roentgenology and an honorary member of various medical and dental organizations.

"Dr. Clarke is a life member of the Tulane University Alumni association, a member of the Catholic church and an honorary member of Rotary International. He is active in civic affairs and state politics and has served on the city council of Artesia. And that, as the doctor put it, is a general set-up as of today!"

## *Gary Blair Is Elected Officer In Fraternity*

Gary Blair of Artesia recently was elected secretary of Alpha Sigma Omega, social fraternity at Eastern New Mexico university.

Blair will serve his term of office during the 1954-55 school year.


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# Pope Attends Funeral Service For Mother

Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie Florence Pope, mother of Harold Pope of Artesia, who died in Enid, Okla., were held recently.

Mrs. Pope died after an illness of several months. She was 73.

The funeral was attended by her son and his family May 25 at Enid.

Interment was in the cemetery at Enid.

Mrs. Pope is also survived by another son, a daughter, two brothers, four sisters, 11 grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

She had lived in Enid since 1942. She was born in 1881 at Center Point, Ark. She later lived at Dierks, Ark.

She was married Dec. 22, 1898 to Robert H. Pope.

She was a member of the First Baptist church of Enid.

# Suspect Held Here on Grand Theft Charges

A Californian wanted for grand theft was arrested by Artesia city police Thursday afternoon at a local motel.

He gave his name as Joseph Rosario Ferlita, Jr.

Artesia police were notified to arrest Ferlita on charges filed by the sheriff at San Rafael, Calif.

Ferlita was charged with disposing of $35,000 to $40,0040 worth of chinchillas owned by a business in which he was a partner.

He was in Artesia as a salesman for a book company, selling encyclopedias, according to Chief of Police Frank Powell.

City police also impounded Ferlita's 1951 station wagon for nonpayment.

Chief Powell said that while Ferlita waived extradition, California authorities notified him they would not accept the waiver, and would seek to extradite Ferlita.

## *Billie Jean Muncy, Pat Clark Named Officers in FTA*

Two Artesia girls at Eastern New Mexico university have been installed recently as officers of the Future Teachers of America chapter at ENMU.

They are Billie Jean Muncy and Pat Clark.

# Police Arrest Drivers After Hot Pursuit

Two Artesia youths were fined $50, assessed $10 court costs, and given a 90-day suspension of drivers' licenses following two reckless driving chases last week.

State Police arrested Martin Hernandez, 19, Wednesday night for reckless driving. State Police took up the chase when Hernandez outdistance a city police car, which radioed for help.

Hernandez stopped when one of two patrolmen in the State Police car, Patrolman Glenn Painter of Hagerman, fired a shot in the air. The police car was driven by State Patrolman A. J. Smith.

Bobbie Branch was stopped by a city officer after a wild, fast chase through the city Thursday night. The chase hit 80 miles an hour on Hermosa before Branch was stopped on the dirt stretch of Hermosa west of Thirteenth.

**OFFICERS CHOSEN**

RUIDOSO—(AP)—Mannie Badillo has been named president of the Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce. Richard Crosby was elected vice-president, and Bernard Ronney, secretary-treasurer.


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# Kirk Douglas, Bride Honeymoon

LAS VEGAS—(AP)—Actor Kirk Douglas and the attractive Paris brunette who handled publicity for one of his European movies are honeymooning today after an elopement that caught Hollywood by surprise.

Douglas, 37, married Anne Buydens, 31, Saturday after flying here from the movie capital. They returned Monday so the rugged actor can resume work in a picture.

The two met in Italy last year when he was acting in a movie and she was doing publicity work for the film. Each had been wed once previously.

Douglas dated Miss Buydens for several months while he was abroad and when she arrived in Hollywood about a month ago he gave a cocktail party for her. With four friends they flew here for the ceremony.

Douglas was divorced in Los Angeles Feb. 8, 1950, by actress Diana Douglas. She aid their two sons live in New York. A representative of the Sahara said he was informed that Miss Buydens was divorced in Paris last March.

Mrs. R. J. Reed and son of Deming, spent the week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gray and other relatives.


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# Wind Erosion in Hope Area Critical, Weindorf Declares

The only way to save soil for future generations is through good farming practices and range control measures, according to Clem Weindorf, engineer for Penasco Valley soil conservation service.

He spoke to Kiwanis club at its regular meeting Thursday noon.

Wind erosion and drought problems was the topic of his address. Drought, from a national scope, includes 200,000 square miles covering parts of New Mexico, Colorado, Texas, Oklahoma, and Kansas, Weindorf said.

This is the fourth drought to hit this area since 1880. Drought forces people to leave dry land farm areas; but ironically, they return to the same land in better years, the soil conservationist said.

For the first 16 weeks in 1954 the above named area received an average of less than one inch of rainfall.

"There have been 11,650,000 acres of cropland and 5,250,000 acres of rangeland damaged by wind erosion during the present severe drought," said Weindorf.

He reviewed methods of controlling wind erosion, and stated we must be educated on how to handle our land to prevent loss of it completely."

He cited severe conditions caused by wind erosion in Hope area, embracing 32,000,000 acres irrigated land which has had little or no moisture since 1939.

Emergency measures now, leading into a long range program to start this fall, will be inaugurated in the stricken Hope area, he said.

Several questions were answered after the talk.

Guests of the club at the meeting were Dave Button and L. M. Parham.

# Schulze Honored By Store Workers At Country Club

J. C. Penney Co. employes entertained with a dinner at Artesia Country club Thursday evening honoring their retiring manager, Max G. Schulze.

A reading was presented by Mrs Trent G. Schmitz.

Mr. Schulze was presented a scrapbook of pictures and news clippings, collected from the years he has spent with the company.

He was presented a Masonic ring by employes.

Those attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Schulze, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Newell Crouch, Mr. and Mrs. Trent C. Schmitz, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Painter, Mr. and Mrs. James Hilton, and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Lucas of Carlsbad. Mr. Lucas is the manager of Penney's in Carlsbad.

Miss Sharon Haynes, Harvey Howard, Mrs. Helen Porter, Mrs. Emma Berry, Mrs. M. D. Sharp, and Mrs. W. E. Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Rodolph of Hobbs, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Lang of Roswell were unable to attend. Mr. Rodolph and Mr. Lang are managers of the Penney stores in their respective towns.

# Hannah Attends Modern Woodmen Chicago Meeting

E. A. Hannah of Artesia will leave this week to attend the 27th quadrennial head camp or national convention of Modern Woodmen of America, which convenes June 1 in Chicago. The sessions will continue from Tuesday through Thursday.

Hannah is the delegate elected to represent the New Mexico membership, being chosen as a national delegate at the state convention at Albuquerque, May 5.

In Chicago he will join with national officers, committeemen and 178 delegates, representing the fraternal society's membership in the United tSates and two Canadian provinces.

The head camp is the supreme legislative and governing body of the 71-year-old fraternal benefit society, and while in session, outlines policies for the ensuing four-year term.

Officers charged with administering the organiaztion's business affairs for the same period are also named by the delegates.

## *Sue Sudderth Chosen as ENMU Cheerleader*

Leading the cheering section at Eastern New Mexico university next year will be Gail Blocker, Hobbs; Sue Scott, Carlsbad; Carolyn Slone, Portales; and Sue Sudderth, Artesia.

The cheerleaders were selected by popular vote of the students, faculty, and staff recently.

The world's busiest waterway is the Detroit river. It carries more traffic in a ten-month season than the Suez and Panama canals combined in a year.

## *Chrysler Dealer Meeting Attended By Thad Cox*

Thad Cox of Cox Motor Co., Chrysler dealer for the Artesia area, has returned from Denver where he attended the first Chrysler sales conference ever conducted by means of closed-circuit television.

Several hundred of Chrysler's 3,300 leaders attended the meeting and were brought up-to-date by E. C. Quinn, president of Chrysler division, Chrysler Corp., on the division's plans to secure a greater share of the automobile market during the remaining six months of 1954.

The meeting was one of 26 held for dealers in hotels and theaters in major cities. The television broadcast, which brought Quinn and other Chrysler executives into contact with the whole dealer body, originated in New York City.

# Wilma Jo Young Of Hope Graduates From A-C College

Wilma Jo Young of Hope was among 150 Abilene Christian college seniors who received degrees at commencement exercises May 31.

Wilma is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Young, box 197, Hope. She is a 1949 graduate of Hope Yellowjacket high school. She majored in home economics and has a minor in education. She received a BS degree.

She was a member of W club, women's honor organization, Future Teachers of America, and the New Mexico club.

Jack Pope, associate justice of the fourth court of civil appeals, San Antonio delivered the commencement address Monday in Morris stadium, east of the ACC campus.

Dr. George S. Benson, president of Harding college, Searcy, Ark., preached the baccalaurate sermon Sunday, in the college church of Christ.

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# Twenty-Thirty Offers Prize To Boy Scout

Ladies' night was feature of 20-30 club meeting Thursday night at Cliff's Cafeteria.

After the dinner and a short business meeting the group went to the Sombrero room at Veterans Memorial building for dancing.

Charlie McCasland announced the club will give an embroidered neckerchief and slide to the Boy Scout in the club-sponsored Boy Scout troop No. 79, who brings back the most merit badges from Camp We-Hin-Ah-Pay.

The business meeting was devoted to ironing out last-minute details to get the Boy Scout troop off to Camp We-Hin-Ah-Pay in the Sacramento Mountains.

The boys were expecting several merit badges and some were expecting advancement in grades.

Scoutmaster Clarence Juarez, Jesse Sosa and Charlie McCasland took the 11 Scouts to camp Sunday.

The board of directors meeting of 20-30 will be held at the home of Lowe Wickersham at 7 p. m. on Tuesday, June 2. Purpose of the meeting is to get ready for the coming election of officers and to discuss other business which is ordinarily not brought before the entire club.

Guests of the club were Clarence Bell and a Boy Scout, Manuel Chavez.

# Radar Patrol Described to Lions Club

Uses of radar equipment on the highways and safety were topics of talks given before Lions club at its meeting Wednesday.

Speakers were I. R. Funk, State police captain from Roswell, who was a guest of A. J. Smith of the State Police, H. W. Kiddy, and Smith.

Funk said some people were against the use of radar, for it is setting a trap for them for their traffic violations.

Radar is in use in other parts of the state and is highly recommended to cut down speeding and its resulting highway fatalities, he said.

Radar shows, even at night, the speed of a vehicle if it is moving. The radar can only pick up moving objects, it was pointed out in the talks.

Guests of the club besides those mentioned were Jerry Nelson, son of Denzil Nelson; L. N. Brashears; Lincoln O'Brien, and G. H. Shelton.

Bert Jones opened the meeting in the absence of Ed Shockley.

# Funeral Is Held For G. E. Miller At Mayhill

G. E. Miller, 84, died Tuesday, May 25.

He was the father of Mrs. Houston Teel of Artesia.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, May 27, in Mayhill cemetery with Rev. Swanner, pastor of the First Baptist church, Alamogordo, in charge of the services.

He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Houston Teel, Artesia; Mrs. Maurice Teel, Junction, Texas; Mrs. Orville Lewis, Alamogordo; four sons, Joseph Miller and Jed Miller of Miller Flat; Charles, Sacramento; Ray, Gallup; 19 grandchildren, and 32 great grand children.

All of the children and a number of grandchildren were present for the services.

Rev. S. M. Morgan, J. T. Haile, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Teel of Artesia also attended.

Mr. Miller homesteaded his own place at Miller Flat, near Mayhill, in 1889. He taught school at Weed in 1898, and was then a traveling photographer.

## *F. J. Armstrong Elected Bethel Cemetery Head*

F. J. Armstrong was elected chairman of the Woodbine cemetery committee of Bethel Baptist church at a meeting held Friday night.

Elected to serve with him on the board were Billy Johnson, Rev. S. J. Pope, Rev. J. H. Horton, F. F. Armstrong, and Rev. G. F. Burton.

Other officers elected were Mrs. Ruby Young, secretary; Mrs. Merle Coleman, assistant secretary; and Booker Newton, treasurer.

Named to the decoration committee were Mmes. Merle Coleman and Macy Murray, and Orville Freeman, Early Ross, Paul Raglin, and Preston Starling.

It is almost 93 million miles from the earth to the sun.

**GPA TO MEET**

North Eddy county chapter of New Mexico Game Protective Assn. will meet at 7:30 p. m. Thursday at Junior high school. New by-laws for the organization will be presented members for discussion and action.

## *DeMolay Hayride First in Series of Summer Parties*

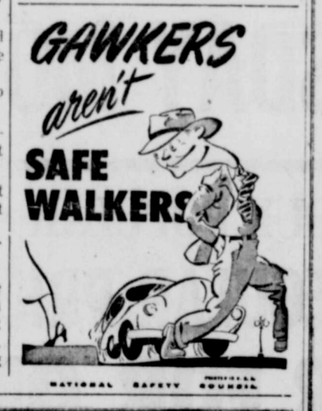
Boys of Order of DeMolay and their guests attended a hayride and picnic at the Joe Mitchell ranch near Hagerman Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sperry and Mrs. Joe Mitchell went along to chaperon.

Mr. Mitchell joined the group later.

The young people enjoyed a picnic lunch and song singing. About 20 attended.

The DeMolay boys plan at least one party of some kind throughout the summer, for each month.





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8:00 Ed Pettit News
8:15 Vocal Visitor
8:30 KSVP Calls for Cash
8:35 Designs in Melody
8:55 Lorne Green
9:00 Designs in Melody
9:15 KSVP Calls for Cash
9:20 Meet the Classics
9:55 News
10:00 Mostly Music
10:45 NuMexer Reports
11:00 Sign Off

WEDNESDAY A. M.
5:59 Sign On
6:00 Sunrise News
6:05 Syncopated Clock
6:45 Wind Velocity
6:47 Syncopated Clock
7:00 Robert Hurleigh
7:15 Devotional
7:30 Dave Button Show
7:35 Local News
7:40 State News Digest
8:00 Dave Button Show
8:00 World News
8:05 Theater Calendar
8:07 Dave Button Show
8:14 Weather
8:15 Swap Shop
8:30 News
8:35 Today's Top Tune
8:45 Crosby Classics
9:00 Flip Flop Show
9:25 News
9:30 Queen for a Day
10:00 Break the Bank
10:15 Capitol Commentary
10:20 Musical Cookbook
10:30 Coffee with Kay
10:40 Marvin Miller
10:45 Theater Calendar
10:47 Artesia School Program
11:00 Cedric Foster
11:15 Morning Devotional
11:30 Showcase of Music
11:45 Hymns for the Valley
12:00 Farm and Market News

WEDNESDAY P. M.
12:10 Midday News
12:25 Spotlight on a Song
12:30 Local News
12:35 Noon Day Forum
12:50 Siesta Time
12:55 Johnson's News
1:00 Game of the Day
3:25 Camel's Scoreboard
3:30 Adventures in Listening
4:15 Cavern Tour Times
4:17 Adventures in Listening
4:45 Jim's Western Shindig
5:00 Bobby Benson
5:30 Wild Bill Hickok
5:55 News
6:00 Gabriel Heatter
6:15 Perry Como
6:30 Fulton Lewis Jr.
6:44 Theater Calendar
6:45 Local News
7:00 Bill Henry
7:05 KSVP Sport Special
7:15 KSVP Calls for Cash
7:20 Organ Portraits
7:30 Squad Room
8:00 Ed Pettit News
8:15 Vocal Visitor
8:25 Robert Hurleigh
8:30 KSVP Calls for Cash
8:35 Designs in Melody
9:15 KSVP Call for Cash
9:20 Designs in Melody
9:30 Meet the Classics
9:55 News
10:00 Mostly Music
10:45 NuMexer Reports
11:00 Sign Off

THURSDAY A. M.
5:59 Sign On
6:00 Sunrise News
6:05 Syncopated Clock
6:45 Wind Velocity
7:00 Robert Hurleigh
7:15 Devotional
7:30 Dave Button Show
7:35 Local News
7:40 State News Digest
7:45 Dave Button Show
8:00 News
8:05 Theater Calendar
8:14 Weather
8:15 Swap Shop
8:30 Johnson's News
8:35 Today's Mystery Tune
8:45 Crosby Classics
9:00 Flip Flop Show
9:25 News
9:30 Queen for a Day
10:00 Break the Bank
10:15 Capitol Commentary
10:20 Hazel Markel
10:30 Coffee with Kay
10:40 Marvin Miller
10:45 Theater Calendar
10:47 Musical Cookbook
10:55 From My Heart
11:00 Cedric Foster
11:15 Hall of Records
11:30 Showcase of Music
11:45 Hymns for the Valley
12:00 Farm and Market News

THURSDAY P. M.
12:10 Midday News
12:25 A Little Bit of Music
12:30 Local News
12:35 Noonday Forum
12:50 Siesta Time
12:55 Johnson's News
1:00 Game of the Day
3:25 Camels Scoreboard
3:30 Adventures in LiLstening
4:15 Cavern Tour Times
4:17 Adventures in Listening
4:45 Jim's Western Shindig
5:00 Sergeant Preston
5:30 Sky King
5:55 News
6:00 Gabriel Heatter
6:15 Eddie Fisher Show
6:30 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
6:44 Theater Calendar
6:45 Local News
7:00 Bill Henry
7:05 KSVP Sports Special
7:15 KSVP Calls for Cash
7:20 Organ Portraits
7:30 Official Detective
8:00 Ed Pettit News
8:15 Vocal Visitor
8:30 KSVP Calls for Cash
8:35 Designs in Melody
9:15 KSVP Calls for Cash
9:20 Designs in Melody
9:30 Spanish Program
9:55 Petroleum News
10:00 Mostly Music
10:45 NuMexer Reports
11:00 Sign Off

FRIDAY A. M.
5:59 Sign On
6:00 Sunrise News
6:05 Syncopated Clock
6:45 Wind Velocity
6:46 Syncopated Clock
7:00 Robert Hurleigh
7:15 Devotional
7:30 Dave Button Show
7:35 Local News
7:40 State News Digest
7:45 Dave Button Show
8:00 World News
8:05 Theater Calendar
8:07 Dave Button Show
8:14 Weather
8:15 Swap Shop
8:30 Johnson's News
8:35 Today's Top Tune
8:45 Crosby Classics
9:00 Flip Flop Show
9:25 News
9:30 Queen for a Day
10:00 Break the Bank
10:15 Capitol Commentary
10:20 Musical Cookbook
10:30 Coffee with Kay
10:40 Marvin Miller, Storyteller
10:45 Theater Calendar
10:47 Hall of Records
11:00 Cedric Foster
11:15 Morning Devotional
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12:00 Farm and Market News



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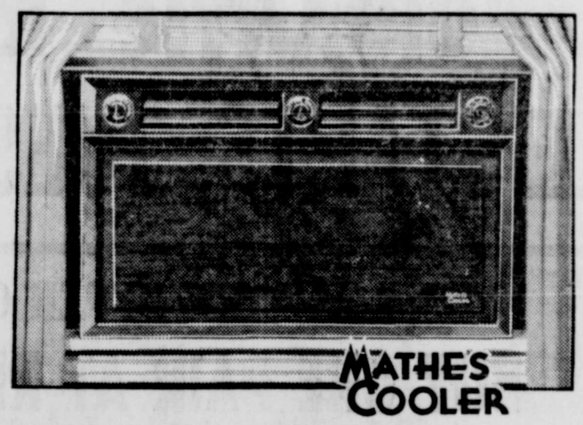


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## Police to Probe Case of Muscular Bar Bell Thief

As if prowlers, larcenous juveniles, and hot rodders weren't enough, Artesia police are now faced with the case of the muscular burglar.

Mrs. Louie Burch, 1116 W. Merchant, reported to police Saturday evening a set of bar bells had been stolen from the back yard of her home.

She alerted police to alert junk yards, as the muscle-building bar bells were heavy.

## Chamber Office To Be Moved About July 1

The Chamber of Commerce round-up committee, which seeks to boost membership in the chamber by more than 50 members this year, will begin weekly meetings this week.

Meetings will be held at 9 a. m. every Thursday at American cafe, according to C of C Mgr. Paul Scott.

The chamber now has a membership of 316. The round-up club is seeking to build membership to 370 in its current campaign.

## Patriotism—

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was Bill Dunnam.

A veterans' firing squad was commanded by Ken Jones, and the color guard by John Simons Jr. Mrs. Ken Jones placed a floral tribute on Mr. Frisch's grave.

"Patriotism is a wholesome regard for all our national institutions," Rev. Gilstrap declared. "A 30 per cent Christian cannot be a 100 per cent American, nor can a 30 per cent American be a 100 per cent Christian."

"God has every right to expect much from us," he declared, "for He has given us so much. We have a great responsibility to the teachings of God."

Pointing to greater church attendance throughout the United States, Rev. Gilstrap said that nevertheless there has been a trend "away from God in our time."

He emphasized the significance of prayer in national life.

The Mayflower compact, prepared as the Pilgrims neared America's shores, began with a solemn prayer, the Legion chaplain said.

Benjamin Franklin urged the first Congress of the United States to open its deliberations with prayer, a practice followed yet today.

It was significant, said Rev. Gilstrap, that Pres. Eisenhower humbly and unexpectedly included in his inaugural address a solemn prayer "not written by anaother, but spoken sincerely from the heart of a great man."

"To be a great nation," declared the pastor, "we must place, as the coins of our nation say, our trust in God."

## Two Deep Oil—

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William Hudson No. 5 Compton SE SW 8-18-27.
Total depth 1172, preparing to plug and abandon.

J. W. Baker No. 1 Lowenbruck, NE NE 24-21-26.
Total depth 2662. Testing.

B. R. Woolley No. 5 Woolley "C", SW NW 28-17-30.
Total depth 1927, shut down for orders.

Skelly Oil Co. No. 3 Dow "A" SE SW 16-17-31.
Drilling 11,905.

Sinclair Oil & Gas Co., No. 19 Keel "B", NW SE 5-17-31.
Total depth 3683. Preparing to treat.

Nix & Curtis No. 1 Gulf State SE SE 24-18-28.
Drilling 2840.

John A. Yates No. 1 Certain Teed Product, Inc., NW SW 13-20-26
Total depth 1001. Plugged back 710. Preparing to Hydrofrac.

Nix & Curtis No. 2 Muse-Fd. SW NW 15-21-28.
Total depth 2661. Swabbing.

John A. Yates No. 4 State NE SW 5-19-26.
Total depth 2518. Plugged back 1957. Swabbing.

Iverson Supply Co. No. 2 Gissler "B", SE NE 11-17-30.
Drilling 3174.

John M. Kelly No. 1 McMillan NW SE 36-20-26.
Drilling 9928.

Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 Welch Unit NW NW 21-26-27.
Drilling 4481.

Carper Drilling Co. No. 1 McElrath and Hinkle, SW NW 4-16-29.
Drilling 2559.

R. R. Woolley No. 13 Woolley "D", SE NW 31-17-30.
Drilling 2756.

Mildred Hudson No. 1 Malco-Federal, NE NE 3-18-27.
Drilling 289.

Catcus Drilling Co. No. 1 State "A", NE SW 36-19-30.
Total depth 695. Waiting on cement.

Weir Drilling Co. No. 8 Foster, SE NW 17-17-31.
Drilling 1215.

Aston & Fair No. Brigham SE SW 22-17-30.
Total depth 1947. Plugged back 1945. Running tubing.

Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. No. 7 Keel "B" NE NW 8-17-31.
Old well drilled deeper.
Total detph 3266. Swabbing.

G. Kelly Stout No. 1 Salt-State, SE NW 4-18-28.
Drilling 2225.

V. S. Welch No. 1 State-Solt, SE SW 4-18-24.
Total depth 620. Fishing.

Malco, Resler, Yates No. 119 State NE SW 14-18-28.
Total depth 500. Running casing.

**NEW LOCATIONS—**

Great Western Drilling Co. No. 1 Graybury Deep Unit, SE NW 18-17-30.
12,000-foot wildcat.

Richardson & Bass No. 1 Welch et al, NW SE 20-20-31.
7,500-foot wildcat.

W. H. Swearingen No. 1 Swearingen, SE NE 23-23-26.
2,000-foot wildcat.

**COMPLETIONS—**

Richardson & Bass No. 1 Legg, NW NE 27-22-30.
Total depth 15,854. Plugged back 6122.
Pumps 67 barrel of oil plus 204 barrels water per day after Sand-frac.

Richardson & Bass No. 1 Harrison, NW NW 12-25-30.
Total depth 16,705.
Plugged and abandoned.

Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 State Unit "C", SE SE 32-17-28.
Total depth 10,300. Plugged back 7409.
Pumps 30 barrel oil and 90 barrel water per day after acid.

Makin Drilling No. 1 Boller-Kincaid & Watson, SE SE 29-16-28.
Total depth 10,012.
Temporarily abandoned.

## Advocate—

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1924, and the newspaper remained under the same general ownership until its purchase by Priestley in 1945.

The newspaper was published briefly as a semi-weekly in 1911, but the increased publication schedule was not successful.

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**PRIESTLEY SAID** the newspaper's general policies will be continued in the future.

He declared, "We pledge now that we will continue to endeavor to serve this community as we have in the past. We will continue to work for the building of a greater Artesia; we will give of our time, our money, our efforts, and our energy."

He added, "We not only pledge to continue our efforts along these lines but we pledge our efforts to make the daily Advocate occupy the same high place among the newspapers of the state that has been occupied by the weekly Advocate and twice-a-week Advocate.

Read The Classifieds.

## Crackdown—

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and the companion reminders to businessmen are designed to cut down on racket solicitations, Hopkins said.

The placards concerning checks are printed in large type on big white placards for easy reading by store patrons paying for purchases or bills by check.

The big placards quote New Mexico statutes providing for arrest and punishment upon conviction of offering as payment a check not covered in full by a bank account.

Texas congressional districts have not been re-apportioned since 1933.

The Chinese are believed to have been the first to discover coal.

Read The Classifieds.

## Three Cadets Die in NMMI Swim Pool

ROSWELL — (AP) — Death last night of three cadets cast thick gloom over graduation ceremonies today of New Mexico Military Institute.

The three cadets drowned when they dived into the college swimming pool last night to start a pump which was to create bubble effects as part of the school's annual graduation ball.

When they rose to the surface, fumes from dry ice used in the stunt overcame them. A fourth cadet was rescued and may recover.

Col. Charles F. Ward, superintendent of the college, identified the victims as P. G. Vlohoupoules, Houston, Texas; D. W. Vertrees, Roswell; and Woody Moore Ruidoso.

Col. Ward immediately called the final ball. He said to graduation ceremonies, how would continue as planned.

The superintendent said boys were in their swimm trunks in the pool, which was tricately decorated and had bridge constructed across it.

"They were just finishing rangements to make a mist the whole scene," Ward "They wanted to make the look misty.

"You can say that carbon ide probably overcame them they completed the arrangem They definitely drowned."

V. P. Shoemaker, another c left the side of the pool to hose. When he returned, he the other three lying on the tom of the pool and gave the a

Shoemaker pulled one of boys out of the pool before himself, was overcome. Capt. Mateju, a high school instru brought out the body of anot


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# HAGERMAN NEWS

*Mrs. Byron Oglesby, Editor*

## Town Board Issues First License for Sale Of Liquor Under Amendment; Sewer Built

...new town board licensed ...st place of business for the ...ing of alcoholic beverages ...the Twenty-First Amend... A new ordinance was passed ...the licensing fee at $100 for ...n of Hagerman.

Hagerman Messenger re... ...financing of Hagerman's ...terworks system is to be on ...different basis than that of ...d. For the old issue of $16,... ...e town received only 90 ...n the dollar or $14,400 net. ...bonds bore 6 per cent inter... ...hich was $6.66 on the net ...s. On the 37-70 basis of the ...ant and loan, the town will ...4300 worth of bonds to ...ant and loan, the town will ...4,700 of which will be an ...t grant gift (if you know ...e mean.) With an inex... ...ble supply of almost pure ...at hand and funds available ...nstruction purposes, Hager... ...water difficulties will soon ...ed. Mayor J. T. West is to ...gratulated on his efforts ...e town citizens are indebted ...for the outstanding accom...ent.

...r meters were installed and ...began flowing through the ...ains in the late summer. ...West did not even wait for ...pletion of the water system ...e began to try to arouse ...ens' interest in sewer sys... ...e was able to convince them ...ecessity of a sewer system. ...August, 1935, the town ...oted to furnish its quota ...f expenditures for a sewer ...and the WPA to furnish the ...er.

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...N CONNOR resigned as ...rk, and Mayor West ap... ...J. T. Sweatt to that posi... ...D. Brannon resigned his ...on the board of trustees, ...A. Losey was appointed to ...ancy. Hagerman held its ...mmunity fair which was ...ed a great success. ...s usual when an administra... ...marks on a program of city ...ment, the officials are sub... ...to much criticism. Hager... ...no exception to this fact. ...ong election of 1938 was ...over whether the sewer ...would be added to the debt ...agerman already owed. ...r much controversy and the ...tion that only 50 cents per ...would be added to the peo... ...ater bills to take care of the ...bonds, taxes on their prop... ...erty would not be raised, etc., the bond issue passed.

Mr. West said, "We issued revenue bonds in the amount of $5,000, and the federal government spent $150,000 in the construction of our sewer system. We spent $1,200 more than the bonds, but our sewer and water systems today are worth $6,000 to $7,000, and we spent $41,000 on them." (July 7, 1951 interview.)

The election was very close one. Mayor West receiving a majority of only 14 votes. The town board of E. S. Bowen, W. A. Losey, J. V. Brown, and Perry Andrus were returned to office by a very slim margin. C. G. Mason was elected treasurer. The defeated candidates were for mayor, T. D. Devenport; for members of town council, C. G. Hansen, Clarence King, Harry Cowan, and Arthur Lewing; for town clerk I. B. McCormick; for town treasurer, Willis Pardee.

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**THE WATER** superintendent's salary was raised to $110 per month during the summer months. A petition was presented to the board of trustees by a group of citizens urging that all bars be closed at midnight. An ordinance was soon passed closing all businesses at 12 midnight which sold intoxicating beverages and forbidding Sunday sales. The town officers were instructed to see that this ordinance was enforced.

One of Hagerman's most beloved citizens passed away in Nov. 1936 —Oscar R. Tanner, who has served Hagerman as town clerk for 25 of its 31 years of incorporation. Mr. Tanner had carried on a real estate business in the same building since 1894 in addition to his civic duties.

The trustees purchased and had installed a new fire siren which could be heard for miles around. A new city ordinance provided that all businesses which sold intoxicating beverages must pay an occupation tax of $400 to the town of Hagerman. The WPA continued to assist the city with its employed.

The men completed a home economics cottage for the school. This building has four rooms and serves as a headquarters for several social events each year, in addition to serving as a center for the home economics classes which are offered by the school.

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**NEWS ITEM** in the Messenger March 29, 1938: "Mayor J. T. West will retire next week, following the election, from the office of mayor, which he has held for eight years. During this time the town has made some rapid strides in necessary and attractive improvements.

Roads have been built; others have been improved; streets graded and topped; curbs built, fire department improved, graders for the maintenance of the city streets purchased, the best water system in the state built, sewage disposal, and public buildings improved. These improvements put Hagerman at the top of progressive towns."

A city election was held on April 5, 1938, and the following men were unopposed for office: Mayor, C. G. Mason; treasurer, Dub Andrus; trustees, W. A. Losey, L. W. Garner, T. D. Devenport and Jim Michelet. Wayne Graham was a write-in candidate for clerk and defeated Jack Sweatt.

Through the cooperation of the town trustees, the school board, and the WPA the football stadium was built in the summer of 1939. This field is now lighted and is used in the spring and summer for baseball and softball games.

The first week in April, 1939, was declared as a clean-up week for Hagerman, and all citizens were instructed to build pens for their chickens or the policeman would pick up the chickens as city property.

As a further improvement to the city park, another lot was purchased and 25 elm trees were planted. The town water superintendent was given one week's paid vaction and his salary was raised $10 per month.

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**THE FIRE** department had accumulated a surplus of $600, which was made available to the city for improvement of the water supply. The town board immediately authorized the drilling of a new water well as an additional source of supply for the town.

Liquor licenses were issued this year with a new stipulation that only bottled goods would be sold and no drinking was to be allowed on the premises of the licensed stores.

The town board was in a mood for lighting up the outskirts of town, so they authorized the Southwestern Public Service Co. to install six new street lights in the outer limits of Hagerman.

The town roled out its red carpet for the visit of Gov. and Mrs. John Miles at the dedication of the city park and football stadium. An estimated 1,500 people attended the dedication and ceremonies that went along with it.

In 1939, J. E. Wimberly retired as editor of the Hagerman Messenger, which he founded in 1904.

## Hagerman News Briefs

Mrs. Joe Mann of Hagerman received word that her brother-in-law, Mrs. W. J. Cheatham of Lufkin, Texas, died Saturday morning. Mrs. Mann was unable to attend the funeral services due to Mr. Mann not having recovered sufficiently from a recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Cleek have sold their home on S. Winchester in Hagerman to Mr. and Mrs. "Fat" Lowe, newcomers to Hagerman. Mrs. Lowe is from Minnesota, her husband from Roswell. They were just recently married. The Cleeks bought the Mattie Willoughby home on N. Winchester where they now reside.

New construction now in progress about a mile south of Hagerman, will be the new Church of Christ. It is of cement block construction. It will have four classrooms, and an auditorium which will seat about 150. It is hoped that within another month that the building will be completed. The new pastor will arrive Sunday, June 6, along with his wife and one daughter. They are Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cooper of Kingston, Okla.

Mrs. G. Y. Fails and Mrs. Rufus King drove to Portales Saturday and returned the same day. Mrs. Fails was investigating the summer school there, and Mrs. King visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Neil King and family. Neil, who lived in Hagerman with his parents for several years, has transferred from the School of Mines at Socorro to the Eastern New Mexico university, Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Cleek will leave Thursday, June 3, to visit friends in Pampa and McLean, Texas, and will visit Mr. Cleek's mother in Hall, Tenn. Mrs. Cleek will enroll for summer school at Conway, Ark., June 7.

Mrs. Carl Ridgeley and Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ridgeley and Billy, went to Carlsbad Sunday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lowery, sister of Mrs. Carl Ridgeley.

Mr. and Mrs. DeBaun, parents of Mrs. Richard Long of Hagerman, have moved from Hagerman to Ruidoso to spend the summer, where Mr. DeBaun is employed. Mr. DeBaun had gone up about a month ago, and Mr. DeBaun joined him Wednesday. Sue will stay with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lang in Hagerman where she will be employed as secretary for Mr. Lahg cotton buyer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McKinstry of El Paso are the parents of a baby son, Howard Gregory, born May 21, their first child. Howard Gregory is the great-grandson of Mrs. Tom McKinstry of Hagerman.

Miss Bessie Ruth Williams is now on vacation from the gas company where she is employed. She left May 22 for a two-week vacation, visiting in Lubbock and planning to go to the Royal gorge in Colorado.

The art exhibit at the Roswell Museum had several entries from Hagerman. Mrs. J. W. Wiggins and Mrs. Harry Steinberger of Hagerman both received commendations. Mrs. Alex White and Mrs. Howard Templeton also had entries. This was the first showing of these selections. They will be on exhibit for about a month. A reception was held afterward.

Members of Methodist Youth Fellowship of Hagerman who attended the sub-district meeting held at First Methodist church of Roswell Sunday afternoon were Verna Jean Greer, Sharla Rae Menefee, Jodell Freeman, Orville Grady Freman, Milton Brown, Truman Menefee, Gloria Menoud, Jeannie Bob Hart. Adults from here attending were the Rev. and Mrs. A. A. McClesky, Mrs. Howard Menefee, Mrs. Horice Freeman, Mrs. Bill Knoy and Mrs. Jack Menoud. Truman Menefee, president of the sub-district, presided.

Atttending the annual assembly of the Nazarene churches held at Clovis Monday through Thursday, were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pilley, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kiper, Della Finch, Cairene Finch, and Rev. and Mrs. Eugene Culbertson, all of Hagerman. They returned home Thursday evening.

Alex White and Harry Boggs represented the local Lions club at the state Lions convention at Clayton Sunday through Tuesday.

Conducting the morning and evening services at First Baptist church was Rev. F. G. Ross of Agua Dulce, Texas. He was accompanied by his brother-in-law, Roy O'Brien, also of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. William Solomon had as house guests Monday through Wednesday an old school friend of Mrs. Solomon's, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Dohner of Marysville, Wash. The two women had not seen each other for 40 years, and much reminiscing was done. The Dohners left Wednesday to go through the Carlsbad Caverns, then on through Texas, Arkansas, Kansas, and Washington.

Mr and Mrs. Ables and family left Friday for points in Oklahoma to visit his parents and her mother. They plan to be back by June 1.

Theola Ridgeley accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Hayward Kent and family back to Morton, Kans., to spend a week with them. They came here to attend the wedding of their son, Francis Kent, to Sherry Ducas. Mr. and Mrs. Kent are the uncle and aunt of Theola.

## *Mrs. Lankford Is Hostess to Baptist Class*

Faithful Workers class of First Baptist church met Monday evening with Mrs. Elton Lankford as hostess at her home.

The meeting opened with the group singing of the class song, "To the Work," followed by the opening prayer by Mrs. W. R. Goodwin. Mrs. Joe Luce led the devotional.

A short business meeting was conducted with no new business being transacted Mrs. D. L. Newsom gave the closing prayer.

Refreshments of hot chocolate and cookies were served by the hostess, Mrs. Lankford, to Mrs. Joe Luce, Mrs. John W. Langenegger, Mrs. R. O. Sparks, Mrs. Maude Troublefield, Mrs. D. L. Newsom, Mrs. W. R. Goodwin.

## *Church Honors Mrs. Willoughby, Cliff Stark*

Members of Church of Christ entertained Wednesday evening honoring Cliff Stark, who had been coming from Artesia to conduct church services here, and Mrs. Mattie Wiloughby, who is leaving June 1 to make her home in Spokane, Wash.

Both Mr. Stark and Mrs. Willoughby were presented gifts.

Members of Church of Christ of Dexter were also invited to attend There was a large number from

At the close of the evening, re-

At the colse of the evening, refreshments of cake and coffee or punch were served to the large number present.

## *Next Ella Hedges Circle Meeting Season's Last*

Ella Hodges circle met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robert West.

A business meeting was conducted and earlier projects, funds, etc., were discussed. The next meeting will be the last meeting for the summer, and will be held at the home of Mrs. Leonard George, on June 23.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Max Wiggins, Mrs. Jack Langenegger, Mrs. Richard Lang, Mrs. Clarence Harshey, Mrs. John Rhodes, Linden Jenkins and the hostess, Mrs. Robert West.

Read The Classifieds.

## Sherry Ann Lucas, Francis Kent Wed, to Make Home in Roswell

Marriage of Miss Sherry Ann Lucas, daughter of Mrs. Joe Mann of Hagerman, and Francis W. Kent of Roswell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hayward Kent of Morton, Kans., was solemnized in the chapel of the Catholic church of Greenfield, N. M., Tuesday at 9 a. m.

Father Francis of Roswell read the marriage rites.

The bride, given in marriage by he rstepfather, Joe Mann, wore for her wedding a pink linen suit with white accessories. Her corsage was of white rosebuds.

For the traditionally something old, she carried a handkerchief belonging to the groom's grandmother, Mrs. John Kent; for something new, her complete wedding ensemble; for something borrowed, her earrings; and for something blue, her blue blouse of nylon. She carried a white leather Bible, a gift from her mother which she received several years ago.

Miss Theola Ridgeley, as maid of honor, wore a red and white dotted Swiss with red accessories. Her corsage was of red roses. Dale Brenenharp of Los Angeles served the groom as best man.

A reception was held immediately following the wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mann. The table was covered in a white lace cloth and centered with a three-tiered white decorated wedding cake topped with a wedding bell and a miniature bride and groom.

The cake was cut in traditional manner by the bride and groom. Punch and assorted mints and nuts and tea wafers were also served. Susie Boyce presided at the bride's book.

The bride is a junior in Hagerman high school and plans to finish her senior year next fall. She served as cheerleader in the Hagerman school for three years. She has been a member of Hagerman Methodist church for four years.

Th groom is employed by the Roswell Daily Record in Roswell.

After a week's honeymoon to points in Kansas, the young couple will make their home on Kentucky Avenue in Roswell.

Out-of-town guests included the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hayward Kent; his brothers, Eddie, Mike and David; and his sisters, Margaret and Carla. Also his grandmother, Mrs. John Kent and a friend, Bobby Millan, all of Morton, Kansas.

Other guests at the wedding and reception were Misses Susie Boyce, Lollie Urban, Joan Elliott, Margarite Huddleston, Theola Ridgeley, Doris Kiper, Manuela Aguilar; Mmes. Vedder Graham, Charlie Kiper, J. C. Ridgeley, Dale Brenenharp, Los Angeles; Larry G. Mixon, Bobby Millan, Lawrence Ridgeley, Lloyd Washington, Bob Ruede, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mann.

## New Lions Club Officers Named, Projects Slated

Regular dinner-meeting of Hagerman Lions club met Tuesday evening in the undercroft of the Methodist church, with an election of officers being held.

The dinner which preceded the meeting consisted of a roast beef menu, served by members of Belle Bennett circle, Mrs. Dacus Parker and Mrs. Bob Coons, assisted by Mrs. Horice Freeman and Mrs. Jack Menoud.

Pres. Bob Cumpsten presided over the business meeting, with the secretary, Howard Menefee, reading the minutes of the last meeting. The broom-selling program was discussed.

These brooms, made at Alamogordo by the students of the School for the Visually Handicapped, will be sold by Lions on June 8 and 9, to buy glasses for children of local residents of Hagerman vicinity, and other worthy causes.

A committee was appointed to divide the community into sections for personal contact. A display of these brooms and mops may be seen in the post office window.

A "white elephant" auction sale will be held by Lions June 5 on the vacant lot by Irby drug. A committee composed of Bobby Gragg, Elwood Watford, W. E. Utterback, Jack Menoud, and Tommy Bledsoe was appointed. If you have anything to sell, these men will be glad to pick it up.

An election of officers was held with the following results: President, Alex White; first vice-president, Wayne Graham; second vice-president, Dillard Irby; third vice-president, Dacus Parker; secretary and treasurer, Bobby Graggs; tail twister, W. E. Utterback; lion tamer, Jack Menoud; directors, Robert West and Bill Knoy.

Present were Bob Cumpsten, Howard Menefee, Horice Freeman, Robert West, Dillard Irby, Bobby Graggs, Wayne Graham, Dacus Parker, Jack Menoud, Tommy Bledsoe, Elwood Watford, Henry Jennings, G. Y. Fails, Charlie Lathrop, W. E. Uterback, Bill Knoy and a guest, Rev. A. A. McClesky.


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**MONS AND NOTICE**
**PENDENCY OF SUIT**
**STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

HOLT LIVESTOCK COM- a corporation, **THE EDDY** RUSSELL LIVESTOCK COM- a corporation, **MILTON D.** LLOYD T. **ATKESON,** following named **defendants** ne, if living; if **deceased,** unknown heirs: **MAUDE** DS, JENNIE M. **BUTLER,** ET SCHOOK, **MARY A.** LTON, M. B. **HEDGPETH,** LOVIE MADDY, FRANCISCO MOLLA, JAMES C. STARK-WEATHER, B. FRANK IMLAY, CHARLES B. EDDY, MARSHALL K. HOLT, CHAS. F. LIBBY, Trustee, CHAS. S. COOK, Trustee, DANIEL F. EMERY JR., Trustee, A. E. HULL, Trustee, THEODORE BORDEN, Trustee, J. A. EDDY, Trustee, M. E. CLARK, Trustee, JOHN BORDEN, Trustee, GEORGE N. BISSELL, Trustee, G. BLANDY, Trustee, AMOS BISSELL, Trustee, G. G. WILLIAMS, Trustee, ALBERT LANE, Trustee, O. M. FAIRCHILD, BERTHA P. FAIRCHILD, Unknown heirs of the following named deceased persons: RUBY SHARP, GEORGIA A. PARKER, (formerly GEORGIA A. HEDGPETH), E. A. CAHOON, J. B. ATKESON, (also known as JOSEPH B. ATKESON), D. E. HEDGPETH, (also known as DEMETRINES E. HEDGPETH) E. C. HIGGINS, JULIA MADDOX, J. A. HIGGINS, and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFFS, against whom constructive service is sought to be obtained.

GREETINGS:

You, and each of you are hereby notified that an action has been commenced and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein NEIL B. WATSON, WILLIE D. ATKESON, LAURA H. CAHOON, KATHARINE CAHOON WILSON, LOUISE CAHOON KELLER, MABEL CAHOON LAMON, DANIEL HEDGCOXE CAHOON, MARY LORENA HIGGINS, W. F. HIGGINS, FLORA MAY EDWARDS, MARY HIGGINS SMITH, S. O. HIGGINS, THELMA HIGGINS KESLER, EARL CURTIS HIGGINS, SAMUEL OTIS HIGGINS, J. VERNON HIGGINS and EULA HIGGINS, are plaintiffs, and you, and each of you are defendants said cause being No. 14471 in the civil docket of said Court.

The general objects of said action are to quiet and set at rest the plaintiffs respective titles to the property described in the Complaint in said cause situated in Eddy County, New Mexico in Sections 18 and 19, Township 17 South, Range 27 East, N.M.P.M.

You, and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 22nd day of June, 1954, judgment by default will be rendered in said cause against each of you so failing to appear, and plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

A. J. LOSEE is attorney for plaintiffs and his office address is Carper Building, Artesia, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court this 10th day of May, 1954.

(SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, Clerk of the District Court.
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By Nibroc

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GRANDFATHER Carl Setterstrom, 68, gets a hug from granddaughters Barbara, 9 (left), and Star, 11, in Brooklyn, N. Y., as he wears his mortarboard and academic gown in anticipation of becoming on June 10 the oldest graduate of Long Island university. He gets a B.S. in accounting. Setterstrom was in the U. S. Navy 42 years, retired as a commander. *(International)*

## Corsage-Making Demonstrated By Roswell Speaker

Hagerman Garden club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. S. Bowen for a regular meeting.

A business meeting was conducted with Mrs. Spurgeon Wiggins, vice-president, presiding in the absence of the president, Mrs. Charles Michelet.

Mrs. Elmer Lankford of Roswell was guest speaker. She demonstrated making corsages from fresh cut flowers, which was very interesting as well as informative.

At the close of the meeting refreshments of coffeee, lemonade, and refrigerator cookies were served to Mrs. W. E. Utterback, Mrs. Dub Andrus, Mrs. Lester E. Hinrichsen, Mrs. Spurgeon Wiggins, Mrs. O. J. Ford, Mrs. Jack Sweatt, Mrs. Edith West, Mrs. L. E. Harshey, Sr., Mrs. C. C. Holloway, Mrs. Harry Steinberger, Mrs. Elmer Lankford and the hostess, Mrs. Bowen.

**SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT**

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:

The following named defendants by name, if living; if deceased, their unkown heirs: J. R. HODGES (also known as JOHN R. HODGES), ELIZABETH HODGES and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF, against whom constructive service is sought to be obtained, GREETINGS:

You, and each of you are hereby notified that an action has been commenced and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein ROBERT E. FERGUSON is plaintiff and you, and each of you, are defendants, said cause being No. 14501 on the civil docket of said Court.

The general objects of said action are to quiet and set at rest plaiutiff's title in fee simple in the following described lands in Eddy County, New Mexico:

Lots 37, 38 and 39 in Block 3 of the Morningside Addition, Eddy County, New Mexico.

You, and each of you, are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 6th day of July, 1954, judgment by default will be rendered in said cause against each of you so failing to appear and plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

A. J. LOSEE is attorney for plaintiff and his office address is Carper Building, Artesia, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand a said Court this 24th da 1954.

(SEAL) Marguerite Clerk of the Distr By Leatrice Knigh

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## Hope News

By MRS. E. L. COX

Jerry Harris accompanied his aunt, Mrs. Charlie Hepler, to Allen, Tex., where they will get Mrs. Hepler's son, Lee. Lee has been attending Allen military academy the past two years. Mrs. Hepler will visit a sister and family in Corsicana, Texas, and will bring her sister and baby to Hope and Pinon for a seerval days visit with other relatives.

Charlie Barley made a business trip to Clovis Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davidson of Carlsbad attended the school meeting in Hope Wednesday night and attended to business matters while in Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McGuire spent several days last week visiting in the George O. Teel home.

Ruth Ann Cox spent from Wednesday night to Friday with Mrs. Haskell Harris, and other friends and relatives in Hope.

Raymond Davenport and Ernest Harwell of Dunken attended the school meeting in Hope on Wednesday night. The Glen Stevensons and Don Merritts also attended the meeting. Those from Elk attending the meeting were Leslie Bates, Jessie Bates, Charles Cleve, and Edmond Runyan. Those from the Flying H were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Joy, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Joy and W. R. Joy.

Ray Hill of Mayhill attended to business matters in Artesia Thursday afternoon.

Funeral services for Mr. G. E. Miller, an oldtimer of the Sacramento mountains, were held in the Mayhill Baptist church at 2 Thursday afternoon with burial in the family plot on the Auga Chiquita, near Weed. Mr. Miller is survived by four sons and three daughters. The sons are Jed and Joseph of Mayhill, Charlie of Sacramento, N. M., and Ray of Gallup. The daughters are Mrs. Arvel (Faye) Lewis of Alamogordo, Mrs. Huston (Lela) Teel of Artesia, and Mrs. Maurice (Winnie) Teel of Junction, Texas, and a host of grand children and great grandchildren as well as other relatives and friends. Another daughter and wife preceded him in death.

Shirley Cox spent Thursday night with her cousin, Mrs. A. J. Fisher. Mrs. Fisher brought Shirley home Friday night and were supper guests in the Lincoln Cox home.

Mrs. Jim Mayhill and daughter, Mrs. L. W. Vreeke were El Paso visitors on Thursday. Mrs. Mayhill and daughters-in-law, Mrs. John Mahill visited in Alamogordo on Tuesday.

Frank Crockett of Roswell is spending several days at his ranch near Elk, looking after stock and other business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Cox visited in the Kenneth Potter, Sr., home on Monday.

Mr. Austin Reeves of Roswell visited in the Loren Reeves home on Tuesday night and looked after business matters while there.

Edna Dove is spending several days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dove. Edna will return to El Paso where she will resume her studies at Texas Western where she was a student the past semester. The Doves also have as their guest their little granddaughter, Lavern Posey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Posey of El Paso.


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We had hoped to pick our own time to go daily—a time when we felt everything was right; that the town would give full backing and support; and there would be no thought of limiting the service of a daily paper to the city.

That, however, we have not been able to do. The choice of time was not left to us, but the decision is the same.

For some years now we have increased the facilities and equipment of our shop to prepare it for the publication of a daily newspaper. That investment has been large. We installed a second Linotype machine, we put in the web press, we built onto the present building to serve until such a time as we purchased a larger building or erected our own building.

We installed the strip casting machine; the Scan-a-Graver to provide our own cuts. We have purchased modern camera equipment for speed in securing and providing our own pictures.

During this same period of time we have improved and added equipment to our commercial printing shop to better serve our city.

Our investment is large. It will be even larger in the days and weeks ahead.

During our period of ownership we stepped the paper up from once a week to twice a week. Now we are stepping it up to five times a week and eventually we plan to provide a Sunday morning paper.

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During these years Artesia has been kind to us, and has given support and cooperation. We hope that our efforts will warrant a continuation of this support.

The Advocate during the past has sought to serve its community well not only with suport and backing of the paper for worthy projects, but also our gifts and our employe generosity with their time to community undertakings.

We pledge now that we will continue to endeavor to serve this community as we have in the past. We will continue to work for the building of a greater Artesia; we will give of our time, our money, our efforts, and our energy.

We not only pledge to continue our efforts along these lines but we pledge our efforts to make the daily Advocate occupy the same high place among the newspapers of the state that has been occupied by the weekly Advocate and twice-a-week Advocate.

We wish to voice our sincere thanks and appreciation for all the fine support, cooperation, and help of the past and speak now for this same fine relation in the weeks and the months ahead.

## Police Pretty Fast

A YOUTHFUL driver found to his sorrow the other night even his worked-over car could not elude the cars Artesia's city police use.

A police officer, noting double tail pipes on the youth's car, used his siren and red lights in an attempt to stop the car for a routine muffler check.

Instead of stopping, the youth stepped on the gas, thinking, as he later told police, he could easily outrun the police car.

The chase continued up and down city streets, finally ending on the unpaved stretch of Hermosa west of Thirteenth.

Asked why he had not stopped, the youth said he thought his car could outdistance the police car.

The officer pointed out that, in the first place, police cars are equipped with radios. The officer in the car can radio headquarters for another car to intercept, or set up a road block.

In the second place, said the officer, suppose he had been notified over his car radio by headquarters a hold-up or break-in had taken place. Suppose he then went to stop the car for a muffler inspection. When the car, instead of stopping, raced away, the officer would naturally think the driver involved in the crime. He would have been justified in firing shots.

The youth, accompanied on the wild ride by his young wife, was visibly shaken.

A night later State Police stopped two boys in a car east of Artesia only after one of the two patrolmen in the car fired a shot toward the sky.

The two boys in the car stopped, thinking the shots were being fired at them.

This business of attempting to elude police cars doesn't pay for youngsters; we think they're beginning to get smart. It cost the drivers of both cars $60 and their licenses for 90 days.

They got off lightly at that.

## Pictures in the Paper

GROUPS INTERESTED in having photographs of their activities or honored members in the Artesia Advocate have found their desire is deeply shared by the newspaper.

Such pictures are good for the organization, and good for the newspaper.

Arranging for picture coverage is simple: A club officer or chairman has only to call the Artesia Advocate and request a photographer be present for the occasion.

Sufficient advance notice is a boost to everyone concerned, since it allows proper planning for photographic coverage. That leads to better pictures to tell the story.

There is never a charge for pictures run in news columns.

When a straight portrait-type of picture of a person is especially desired for the newspaper, the Advocate encourages patronage of local commercial photographers, who are skilled in that field and equipped to do the job.

The Advocate over the past 18 months has continually added new equipment to improve its photographic news coverage of Artesia, both in quantity and quality. That expansion is continuing, and the improvement being pushed.

We have never felt that we have enough pictures; we are always seeking those photographs which will portray the city's activities. We seek to work with organizations in presenting photographic, as well as news story, coverage of their activities.

Photographic coverage is something newspapers everywhere are learning and developing; with assistance and cooperation aimed at doing the best possible job, that of the Advocate will develop to the point both the newspaper and its readers would like to see.

## Floods No Joke

AS THE FLASH flood at Roswell recently proved, the idea of destructive floods in the semi-arid Southwest is no joke, however much the idea tickles the funny bone of newcomers.

Roswell's disaster again points up proposals made by Army engineers for protection of Artesia, as well as Roswell and other cities in this region, against flash floods.

Engineers, after study of flood protection for Artesia and conferences with civic leaders, advanced a proposal for protection of the city, largely through an earth levee to be built west of the city.

The cost of the proposed program, however, is staggering on initial thought.

According to details of the proposal received by the Advocate from the Army engineer corps, the project calls for construction of what is referred to as "a levee diversion project."

It would protect Artesia from floods originating on Eagle creek.

Estimated original cost to the United States government would be $465,400.

The engineers specify that local interests should secure—without cost to the United States—all lands, easements, and rights-of-way necessary for construction.

It also calls on local interests to maintain and operate the project after its completion. First cost to local interests is estimated at $136,500, with a $2,000 annual cost thereafter for operation and maintenance.

It is understood that the first cost to local interest item of $136,500 would largely be used for right-of-way purchase.

Some local discussion indicates that large a sum might not be necessary, since right-of-way and easements might be secured at token cost.

The Chamber of Commerce has set up a special committee, headed by W. M. Siegenthaler, to investigate the Army engineer corps' proposal.

Then the possibility of obtaining easements and rights-of-way at low cost should be examined.


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NEW MEXICO EDITORS ARE SAYING—

## Public Business Will Be Better Handled in State When Women Take Active Political Roles

**LADIES AT POLLS**

Members of the New Mexico League of Women Voters were in state convention this week in the state capital where they attracted the attention of both the state candidates for governor, and the attention of all the state in their proceedings.

This women's organization is perhaps the healthiest innovation in American politics since the women were granted the right to vote. The League operates on a national level and each year shows a hearty gain in the number of local chapters.

The League is non-partisan. It is devoted to informing the women on the functions of the public offices, the records of officeholders and the programs of office seekers. It is rapidly taking the woman voter out of that group who vote blindly as instructed and who neither understand nor are interested in public affairs.

Our public business will be better handled when women participate fully in the elections and with understanding of what they are voting for and against. That is the objective of the League and we wish it success. — Tucumcari Daily News.

**GENTLEMEN**

The coming political campaign in New Mexico is likely to be an unusual one, with the top candidates acting as perfect gentlemen toward their opponents.

Clinton P. Anderson and Edwin Mechem, the rivals for the U. S. Senate, have in the past spoken with high regard for each other. Then there are John Simms and Alvin Stockton, the candidates for governor, both of whom are known for their reserve and good manners.

As a matter of fact, the candidates are going to be hard pressed to keep interest of the public up in the campaign, unless they can latch onto something that makes a lively issue.

In the first round Wednesday night in Santa Fe, Simms and Stockton spoke from the same platform, in a forum sponsored by the League of Women Voters. Both candidates spoke out plainly for repeal of the pre-primary convention, and for honesty in elections.

The backgrounds of both men are strikingly similar — both are second generation products of outstanding families, both have been successful in their private business affairs, and both have served in the state legislature, each as speaker of the house.

Simms is an attorney, and Stockton is a cattleman. They both know a lot about of New Mexico, and are learning more by the day. Whichever one is named governor of New Mexico, we expect the other will still be around and available for a long time to come. — Portales Daily News.

**WHAT RECESSION?**

Retail business in New Mexico is holding up remarkably well—it's even increasing — despite recession talk, according to figures from the New Mexico State Bureau of Revenue.

Collections of the state's two per cent sales tax in April of this year, on business done in March, for example, were $2,013,530.58, compared to collections of $1,901,515 for the same period in 1953. That represents a gain in revenue to the state of $112,014.68 and reflects a good size increase in sales retail volume.

In its monthly report of sales tax collections, the bureau breaks down its totals into 17 classifications of retail business. For the first quarter of 1954, 13 of those classifications showed increases over the same period of 1953. Four of them showed losses. Showing losses as compared with 1953 were retail building materials, amusement, agents and automotive car dealers—the big loser with a 14.1 per cent drop. The over-all gain was 10.4 per cent.

It might interest residents of Eddy county to know that this county's total gross income, in the tax report, was the second highest in the state. Bernalillo was first with $43,927,771, Eddy second with $18,870,493, and Lea trailing in third with $14,228,310. In fourth place was this county's neighbor to the north, Chaves county, with $9,495,504. — Carlsbad Current-Argus.

**LOSS TO STATE**

In the death of Miss Florence Dibell Bartlett, New Mexico has lost perhaps its geratest friend and benefactress. In her gifts of the Museum of International Folk Art and her fabulous El Mirador ranch to the state, Miss Bartlett donated more than a million dollars worth of properties to New Mexicans in particular and the world in general.

Her interest in preservation of folk art and in stimulating respect for the dignity of the craftsman was worldwide in scope; establishment of the Folk Art Museum culminated a longtime desire to help bring together the people of the world through the bond of their craftsmen. Donation of El Mirador ranch to the state has benefitted three phases of state activity: It provided a dignified and comfortable home for aged persons; the extensive ranch properties have been developed as an agricultural testing station; the income from the properties subsidizes in part operation of the museum.

Miss Bartlett was truly a friend of New Mexico, a person who had a deep understanding and sympathy of the wasy of our pepole. Her death is a distinct lots to the state.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

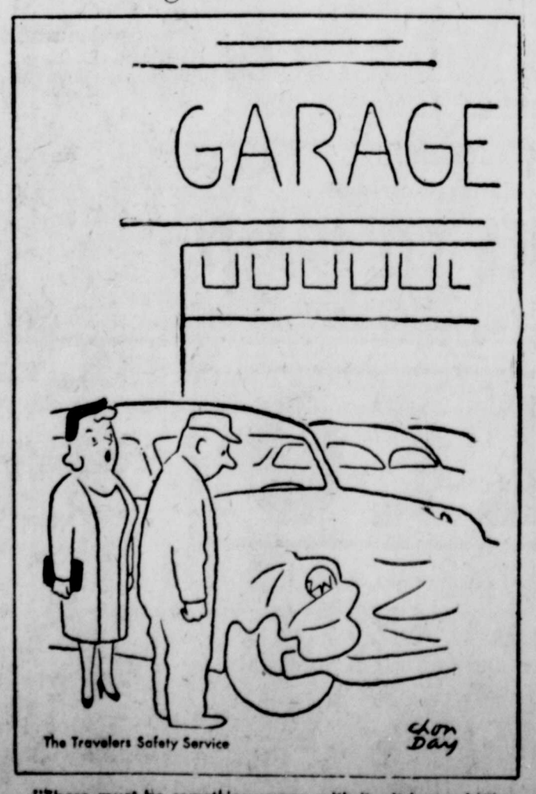
**STORM SEWERS NEEDED**

Carlsbad has been so dry for so long that it hasn't been necessary to worry about it, but two good rains in the past few days have caused concern among many residents about the lack of a drainage system.

Rains both Friday and Monday, although far from cloudburst size, sent water pouring down Main street at curb-high depth. Several othe rstreets were similarly turned into temporary rivers. There was no actual damage, but imagine what might happen if a sudden two or three-inch downpour water would overflow the streets and pour into many buildings in the downtown area.

Many cities have extensive storm sewer systems to take care of water run-off. It hasn't rained enough in Carlsbad to justify such an admittedly large expense for many years, but if these rains continue for any long period of time, Carlsbad may have to start considering a storm sewer system. — Carlsbad Current-Argus.

## *The Passing Scene* by Chon Day




"There must be something wrong with it, it keeps hitting things!"

FROM YOUR CONGRESSMAN

## House Committee Sets Full Hearings On Army 'Land Grab' in New Mexico

By JOHN J. DEMPSEY

Congressman from New Mexico

THE HOUSE armed services sub-committee has agreed to hold full hearings on the Army's request for approval of acquirement of 647,800 acres of land in New Mexico for an antiaircraft and guided missile testing field. Objection has been made by the New Mexico cattle growers, wool growers, oil and gas, and education associations, as well as by Land Commissioner Walker and others on the ground that the defense department already has more than 2,000,000 acres in our state under its control and that the additional land need is open to serious question.

Chairman Cunningham of the subcommittee has advised me that my request for hearings to be held in New Mexico will be granted if possible. If not they will be held in Washington. I have advised the subcommittee that the objectors will not be insistent if the Army shows beyond doubt that acquirement of the land is really necessary to proper conduct of the defense program. Assurance has been given by the chairman that the committee will have to be fully convinced of that need before the Army request is approved.

This is the same additional acreage that the Army was talking about acquiring a year ago but has not, up to now, been able to justify. Taking of so much ranching and farming and out of production has a serious impact on New Mexico's economy and it is hoped that at least a co-use plan can be worked out which will lessen that impact considerably. Approval by the Armed Services Committees of both House and Senate must be given before the land can be acquired.

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A DETAILED survey of flood damage at Roswell has been ordered by the chief of engineers of the Army and is nearing completion. I will, as a member of the house public works committee, obtain authority from that committee for the Army engineers to draw up plans for including Spring creek in the Rio Hondo flood control area.

Spring creek, which caused the flash flood that did an estimated $1,000,000 damage, had not previously been considered dangerous as a flood source. The fact that the Army engineers were already on the ground in connection with the Rio Hondo survey makes it possible to obtain prompt action on extension of the flood control area.

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TWO ACTIONS taken by the senate finance committee which is considering the tax revision bill already passed by the house will benefit New Mexico industries. House concurrence in both is expected.

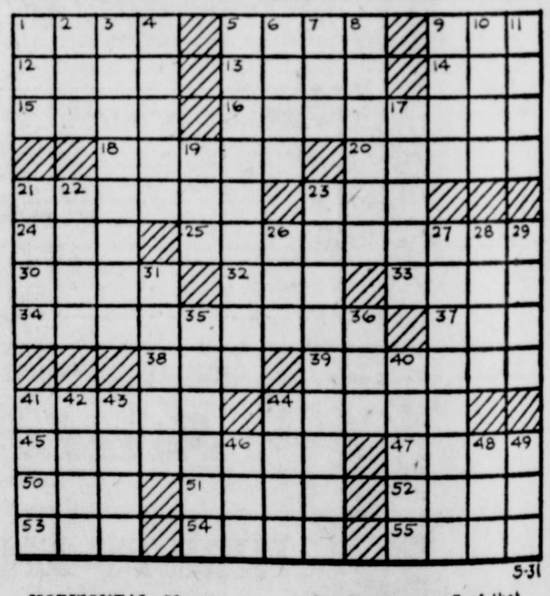
The committee has increased depletion on uranium from 15 to 23 per cent. Although uranium miners had asked a higher rate, the proposed increase will be beneficial due to the high discovery and production costs in that mining activity. Development of this industry in New Mexico and adjoining states has been rapid due to the impetus provided by the atomic energy program.

The senate committee also has rejected a proposal to cut the depletion rate on oil and gas production from 27½ per cent to 15 per cent. The amendment offered by Senator Williams (R-Del.) was rejected mainly because it would tend to reduce oil prospecting activities and inflict an additional burden on an industry that already is seriously handicapped by excessive importation of foreign petroleum products.

## Jim Thorpe, Pa.

BURGESS Anthony Herman of East Mauch Chunk, Pa., hands Burgess James Walker of Mauch Chunk, Pa., a sign bearing the new name of the twin communities: Jim Thorpe. Name change was voted overwhelmingly by voters in both communities. *(International)*

## *CROSSWORD - - - By Eugene Sheffer*



**HORIZONTAL**

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9. lease
12. of grandparents
13. pier
14. lug
15. Wise Men
16. farness
18. of war vessels
20. abounding in marsh grasses
21. essay
23. follow assiduously
24. burning
25. weaken
30. one
32. groove
33. peruse
34. artist on interior of house
37. floor covering
38. Hindu cymbals
39. put into notation
41. behind
44. silent
45. small glow
47. prejudice
50. ever (poetic)
51. storage place for green fodder
52. whit
53. prepare flax
54. rip
55. afresh

**VERTICAL**

1. card game
2. pulpy fruit
3. possessing great personal attractiveness
4. assumed name
5. of landed property
6. Indigo-plant
7. of that thing
8. native sodium carbonate
9. magnifying or diminishing glass
10. apiece
11. three, at cards
17. presage
19. by way of
21. dull sound
22. sharpen
23. that which sets off an explosion
26. hush!
27. oxygenation
28. tight
29. verge
31. clan symbol
35. most unusual
36. fabulous bird
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Answer to Saturday's puzzle.

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## 6—For Rent

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NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING
STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO: William Crandall, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: The following named defendants, if living, if deceased, their unknown heirs: William Crandall, Margaret Crandall, I. V. Whitesides, Sarah I. Whitesides, M. Pearl Whiteside and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, GREETINGS:
You are hereby notified that suit has been filed against you, and each of you, by Manuel Huerta, also known as Manuel Huertas, as plaintiff, in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Eddy, that being the Court in which said No. 14462, the general object and nature of said suit being to quiet and set at rest plaintiff's title in fee simple in and to the following described property, situated in Eddy County, State of New Mexico, to-wit:
Lots 1 and 3, in Block 22 of the Artesia Heights Addition to the City of Artesia, New Mexico, as the same appears on the recorded plat thereof, subject to mineral reservations previously made of record.
DONALD S. BUSH, whose office address is 216 Booker Building, Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney for plaintiff.
You and each of you are hereby further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 28th day of June, 1954, judgment will be rendered against you by default.
WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of said Court this 6th day of May, 1954.
(SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, Clerk of the District Court.
38-4t-T-44

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARJORIE P. LOWERY, Deceased. No. 1986
NOTICE OF DATE FIXED FOR HEARING PROOF OF WILL
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Notice is hereby given that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Marjorie P. Lowery, deceased, has been filed for probate in the Probate Court of Eddy Country, New Mexico, and by order of said Court, the 28th day of June, 1954, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. at the Probate Court room of Eddy County, New Mexico, in the City of Carlsbad, is the day, time and place set for hearing proof of said Last Will and Testament.
Therefore, any persons wishing to enter objections to the probating of said Last Will and Testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the time set for hearing.
Done at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this 6th day of May, 1954.
(SEAL) MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk.
38-4t-T-44

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.
IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF J. C. JOHNSON, DECEASED. No. 1923
NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT AND DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP.
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:
EFFIE J. SHERMAN, MINNIE LEE BROWN, DELBERT F. JOHNSON, BEN MILAN JOHNSON, ULYSSES S. JOHNSON, ROSA JOHNSON, J. H. HORTON; all unknown heirs of J. C. JOHNSON, deceased; and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in, or to the estate of said decedent,
GREETINGS:
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that J. H. Horton, executor, has filed his Final Account and Report in this cause, and the Honorable Ed H. Gentry, Judge of the Probate Court has set the 6th day of July, 1954, at the hour of 10:00 A. M., in the Probate Court at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing of any objections to said Final Account and Report, and the settlement thereof. At the same time and place, the Probate Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of the estate ,the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof.
A. J. LOSEE is Attorney for the executor and his office address is Carper Building, Artesia, New Mexico.
WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court on this 24th day of May, 1954.
(SEAL) MRS. R. A. WILCOX, Clerk of the Probate Court. By Ethel B. Wilson, Deputy.
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