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Operators Are Watching Two Wild Cat Wells

Getty and Shell Wells Command Attention—New Location Staked Southeast of the Vacuum District.

The lull in the oil activity over southeastern New Mexico has extended into an other week, but the prospects are bright that additional producers will be completed in the Vacuum district, western Lea county in the next seven or eight days.

A summary of the developments during the period includes the staking of six locations for new wells, all in Lea county. One new well of particular interest is located in wild cat territory, four miles southeast of the Vacuum area. Also a number of wells have been completed in several of the principal producing districts, but these have been small, ranging in size up to fifty barrels daily. Much geophysical work is being done in eastern New Mexico and more particularly in districts away from production. Approximately eight geophysical crews are at work for major producing companies with attention centered in Roosevelt county and the northern portion of Lea county at the present time.

Of particular interest to oil operators is the Riggs 1 of the Getty Oil Company, eastern Lea county NW sec. 1-26-37, which was drilled to 3,358 feet and plugged back to 3,346 feet, where it was shot with 260 quarts of nitro. The test is estimated to be flowing seven barrels per hour while workmen are cleaning out. Also the Repollo Oil Co. State 1, SE sec. 6-17-34, near the Vacuum area, drilling at 1,861 feet and reported to be running high on anyhydrite.

In the Vacuum field, the Texas Company, Corbin 1, SW sec. 10-18-33 has drilled to 4,820 feet. On a swabbing test the well is said to have swabbed thirty-two barrels of oil in sixteen hours, after swabbing the oil down to the bottom of the casing.

Locations made the past week include the Continental Oil Co., State 1-16 No. 1, NE sec. 16-18-35, four miles southeast of the Vacuum field. Schafer et al., State 1, NE, sec. 26-20-36 in the Monument district. Shell Petroleum Corp., State 2-A, NE sec. 31-17-35 in the Vacuum field; Peters et al., May 1, SE sec. 27-22-37, sand belt; Western Gas Company, Carry 1, SE sec. 1-24-36; in the South Cooper area; Culberson and Irwin, Alston 3, NE sec. 27-25-37, in the Jal field.

Eddy County

Barnett et al., King 1, SE sec. 23-26-30.

Shut down at 980 feet for orders.

Fredrick et al., Reed 1, SW sec. 28-24-28.

Fishing for bailer at 1,985 feet.

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Fraud Charges Are Dismissed Against 4 in Potash Trial

ALBUQUERQUE—The number of defendants on trial in federal court at Albuquerque for mail fraud in connection with the sale of stock in the New Mexico Potash and Chemical Co., was reduced from ten to six Tuesday as the court acceded to defense motions for dismissal of charges against four men.

Federal Judge T. Blake Kennedy over ruled dismissal motions against the remaining six, however, and the defense was to open its case yesterday morning.

Charges were dismissed against E. R. Seward, W. R. Seward, H. E. Seward and Harvey O. Garst on grounds they acted as salesmen for their own stock for which they had paid a valuable consideration.

Caswell Neal, defense attorney, had asked for a sweeping dismissal on the basis the evidence failed to show they were involved in a conspiracy, or that they had any knowledge that a conspiracy had been perpetuated, or was to be perpetuated.

Dismissing the jury during argument on the motions, Judge Kennedy indicated he considered the burden of proof yet rested with the government.

He said it was up to the prosecution to show the stock in question was not worth what it was sold for.

Tidwell Hangs Up A Record Mohair Production Lately

W. C. Tidwell, Pinon rancher and member of the Pinon Avis Angora Goat association hung up a new record in mohair production on a spring clip. Mr. Tidwell, who last week finished shearing his goat herd, found on tabulating his clip that he had made the highest average of any grower to report in that section. He sheared 802 head of goats 264 kids and 538 adults. The clip from the adults averaged 6.17 pounds per animal and 4.83 pounds per animal from each kid.

The record mohair production was not merely a matter of luck, according to Mr. Tidwell, but was due to the quality of his herd and demonstrated beyond a doubt that it pays to breed and raise quality animals, as near thoroughbred as possible.

Many Cattle Move To Wheat Fields in The Past Ten Days

More than twelve cars of cattle have been moved out of the valley to Clovis wheat fields within the past ten days under a steady market demand. The sales were made principally through P. Moody, local cattle buyer to Merrell and Abernickle of Clovis. Shipments include 200 head for C. H. Foster of Lake Arthur, consisting of eighty cows and 120 steer and heifer calves, shipped from Lake Arthur; fifty-seven cows, twenty-five calves and three bulls, belonging to Wicher Angell of Lakewood and shipped from the Lakewod pens; 200 steer calves purchased for Merrell and Abernickle of Clovis through C. Stewart of Carlsbad and shipped from the Loving pens; seventy-five cows and thirty-four calves brought through P. Moody, local cattle buyer and sold to Merrell and Abernickle of Clovis from the Tom Terry farm, also a car of fat cattle shipped to Kansas City by E. B. Bullock.

Several stockmen and sheepmen have taken advantage of the rising market to dispose of their stock. Stocker cattle have averaged from seven to eight cents per pound and a few have topped the market at nine cents.

CASH AUSTIN DEAD

Cash Austin of Farmington, past state commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, died in the Veterans hospital in Los Angeles, California Sunday morning. Mr. Austin underwent a major operation there three weeks ago. He had been critically ill for several weeks.

Mr. Austin, well known here to numbers of local people, was a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hightower. Mr. and Mrs. Hightower, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. S. W. Blocker, left Monday afternoon for Farmington to attend funeral services.

Full military honors will be accorded Mr. Austin, late adjutant and quartermaster of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in funeral services to be held at Farmington today, it was announced yesterday. Twice he served the organization as state commander. A native of Lampasas, Texas, he lived at Portales and Clovis before moving to Farmington in 1925.

HOUSE PASSES NEW BILL FOR NEW MEXICO COTTON

The house of representatives passed and sent to the senate yesterday an amendment to the new farm bill to provide a uniform basis for cotton acreage allotments in Arizona, California, New Mexico and Oklahoma.

Under the amendment, allotments in these states would be based on the average acreage planted to cotton during the two preceding calendar years plus the acreage diverted from production under the Agricultural Adjustment or Conservation programs.

INCREASE IN FREIGHT RATE EFFECTIVE 28TH

Notices have been recesived of an increase in freight rates for all western railroads effective March 28th. The increase ranges from five to ten percent and does not affect commodities on which an increase was granted the latter part of 1937. The increased rate so far as it affects this section will average slightly above five per cent. Agricultural products take a five percent increase, horses and mules ten percent, sugar shipments, etc., ten percent.

Mr. and Mrs. George Teel, C. S. Walker and Lit Prude, all of Hope were among the Farm and Ranch visitors here Monday.

Water Loss in Pecos River Channel Will Be Light, Is Belief

The loss of irrigation water in the Pecos river between the Alamogordo dam above Fort Sumner and Lake McMillan will be slight, according to a preliminary estimate made by Carlsbad project officials Friday. However, complete data is not available. L. E. Foster, project superintendent said 38,750 acre feet of water had been released from the Alamogordo dam. A total of 5,000 acre feet of water had reached Lake McMillan Friday. In a preliminary estimate, engineers calculated the loss between the Alamogordo reservoir and the river bridge east of here at about eleven percent.

Adams Acquitted Of Manslaugther Charge Friday

Milton B. Adams, Waco, Texas advertising specialty salesman, was acquitted of the charge of manslaughter in the Chaves county district court at Roswell Friday, in connection with the death of D. E. McKinney and daughter Lois, who were killed two miles east of Roswell on December 18, 1937. In rendering a evrdict the jury was asked to consider the question as to whether or not Adams was drunk at the time of the accident. Adams is said to have admitted on the stand that he had been drinking, but was not drunk. He claimed that the headlights of another car blinded him so that he did not see the Adams car parked on the right side of the highway.

The jury rendered the verdict of acquittal after a four hour deliberation of the case.

Previously, Conrad LaRivera and George Gonzales were held not guilty on the charge of rape. The Adams case completed the cases to be tried by jury during the present term of the Chaves county district court.

Jail Breakers Are To Be Tried Apr. 19

Trial of three prisoners who attacked Fred Hill, county jailor, in an attempt to break jail March 11, was set for April 19 Saturday when they pleaded not guilty to charges of attempting a jail break and assault with deadly weapon in arraignment before District Judge James B. McGhee.

The three prisoners, Hugo Hall, held for larceny, C. L. Burke, held for car theft, and Merle Mesh, held for federals for transporting a stolen car over the state line, were held to district court under $5,000 bond when arraigned earlier in justice of the peace court.

Hill was attacked and severely beaten with a piece of brass fixtures when he entered the jail to remove a trash can. Although he was struck in the head six times, inflicting deep scalp wounds, and kicked in the eye by the prisoners, Hill overpowered them and put them back in their cells.

Judge McGhee sentenced Victor Arozo to thirty days in jail for driving while drunk when he pleaded guilty.

CONCERT AT ROSWELL

Another of the cooperative concerts or entertainments sponsored by the Community Concert association at Roswell will be given at the Roswell Junior high school auditorium. On March 30th, the Columbia Concert Co. will present Fowler and Tamara in ultra modern dance interpretations, beginning at 8.30 p. m. See the announcement elsewhere in this issue.

OIL ALLOWABLES TO BE SET ON SATURDAY

SANTA FE—State Land Commissioner Frank Worden said Monday the state oil conservation commission would meet here Saturday to set the oil production allowable for the month of April.

The commission, which has been following the recommendations made by the U. S. Bureau of Mines on the basis of market demand, set the daily production figure for March at 105,100 barrels.

GETS GOOD SHALLOW WELL

Ernest Scoggin last week completed a good shallow well on his farm, about a mile west of Artesia. The well was drilled to a depth of 158 feet and made better than 1,000 gallons per minute on an initial test.

LaGuardia to Address WTCC Convention



Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia, of New York City, chief executive of America's No. 1 city, and one of the most colorful figures in public life today, will address the 20th annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, in Wichita Falls. Mayor LaGuardia will speak before a convention general assembly on Tuesday afternoon, April 26. He is an outstanding headliner on a three-day program of business and entertainment expected to attract a banner attendance to the convention in Wichita Falls, on April 25, 26 and 27.

Architect Employed By Commissioners To Draw Plans For Court House-Jail

Roy Vorhees of Roswell was employed as architect to draw plans and specifications for the addition to the county court house at Carlsbad and the new jail by the Eddy county commissioners court meeting at Carlsbad Monday. The court has held several sessions this week studying plans and specifications, but it is expected that it will be several weeks before plans are ready to be submitted to the contractor. It was also understood that the state had made an optional bid on the county bond issue at 2¾ percent. By optional bid, it was explained the state would buy what ever amount of the bond issue the county would need in financing the improvements.

Convention Plans Made For Spanish American War Vets

At a meeting of the Legion committee and Auxiliary representatives held at the hut Friday evening, the following plans were made for the Spanish-American War veterans who will hold their convention here April 23rd. Jack Kennedy was made chairman of the committee with Mrs. Ada McCann secretary.

The convention will convene at the hut at 10:30, April 23rd. Welcome addresses will be given by Hollis Watson, Mayor, S. A. Lanning for the Legionnaires and Mrs. Irvin Martin for the Auxiliary unit. Over one hundred visitors are expected at this time. At approximately eleven, a parade of the convention delegates, their wives, Legion boys and Auxiliary members will be held down town. Following this the visitors will attend a barbecue at the hut given by the Legion boys.

Business sessions of the convention will occupy the guests from two until four at the hut and after a short recess an evening's entertainment with dancing at the hut will be given.

Alex McGonagill will be chairman of the barbecue, Oscar Samelson chairman of publicity and decoration and Mrs. Irvin Martin chairman of the entertainment. The committee on arrangements was composed of Mmes. Irvin Martin, Ada McCann, Raymond Bartlett, E. N. Bigler and P. V. Morris. Also Jack Kennedy, Jack Hastie, John Vandagriff, Lon Nealy, Oscar Samelson, Jesse Truett and E. N. Bigler.

Business houses and homes are asked to co-operate to make the convention a successful one by decorating the town with flags, and patriotic bunting. The welcome and entertainment of the convention is expected to be typical of the Artesia hospitality.

Two cars of the sheriff's department are now equipped with short wave radio sets, it was learned at Carlsbad yesterday.

Mail Delivery Starts April 1st

To the patrons of the post office interested in the inauguration of city delivery of mail, you are advised that the public cooperation as a whole is very gratifying and the erection of mail receptacles in the resident sections of the delivery zones is practically unanimous and that the first delivery of your mail to these boxes will be made in the firenoon of April 1st, as scheduled. There will be two deliveries each day with the exception of Sundays and holidays and Saturday afternoons. All local mailings mailed after 12 o'clock noon, March 31, for delivery on April 1st will be under the two cent stamp rate for city delivery as is the regular rate at all city delivery offices and all patrons outside the delivery zone desiring the service of the postman may erect (what is called) an extension box at the nearest point of travel of the postman and such box will be served on regular schedule.

Street letter boxes will be erected at the following described locations for deposit of outgoing mail and schedule of collection service will be posted on each box for your information of mailing. At the corner of 4th and Main, at Dunn's Garage; in front of the Hardwick Hotel at 113 Main, and in the lobby of the Artesia hotel. For the resident section at the corner of 2nd and Washington; corner of Roselawn and Grand; corner of 6th and Richardson, and corner of 8th and Richardson.

Your street numbers should be used in all correspondence to assure prompt and accurate delivery and any business wishing both business and residence delivery must furnish their correspondents proper numbers of the address where such mail is desired to be delivered. Your good service depends greatly on your cooperation, all of which we trust to have at the local office.

TWO MILLION DOLLAR ROAD FUND AVAILABLE

SANTA FE—New Mexico's federal allotment of more than $2,000,000 for road work has been made available to the state but letting of contracts awaits approval of the Bureau of Public Roads, State Highway Engineer Grover Conroy said yesterday.

Conroy said bids will be called upon receipt of the bureau's approval.

TRAFFIC COUNT

There were 3,085 autos passed through the state's twenty-one ports of entry carrying 7,532 passengers on a twenty-four hour traffic count made February 28th. These statistics were compiled by Joseph A. Bursey, director of the New Mexico Tourist Bureau. The port of Anthony led the count with 810 autos.

Project Farmers Seek A Separate Farming District

Carlsbad project farmers want a separate administrative area under the new agricultural program. The state committee meeting in Roswell last Thursday rendered a decision saying it looked with favor on a separate district, but there was not time to set up for a new area before cotton planting time. The Carlsbad irrigation district Friday filed an appeal with the United States secretary of agriculture saying that if the project remained a part of the single county unit, project farmers would lose from $100,000 to $150,000. Project officials said the Carlsbad district would receive an allotment of 11,189 acres of cotton under a separate setup, wheras under the county unit system the acreage would be only 8,800 acres, a loss of 2,389 acres.

Carbon Monoxide Fatal to Carlsbad Man Monday Nite

Jerre Haggard, 56, owner of the Haggard Motor company of Carlsbad and formerly one of New Mexico's most prominent bankers, died at his Carlsbad home Sunday night, the result of carbon monoxide poisoning.

He was found at about 11:30 p. m. by Mrs. Hagagrd, who had become worried because her husband had not come home, and went to the garage to see if the car was there.

She saw Haggard in the car seat, as if asleep. The motor was still running.

Mrs. Haggard called the fire department and an inhalator was rushed to the home in an attempt to revive him, but he was dead when they arrived.

Mrs. Haggard said he had gone to the office to do a little work, and was driving an old automobile. He had complained that the car was leaking badly and of the odor of gas about it, she said.

Nathan Wright of the Carlsbad fire department said he found the doors of the garage open.

Haggard had lived in Carlsbad since 1935, when he moved there from El Paso and established an automobile agency. He was a member of the Kiwanis club and one of Carlsbad's most popular business men.

Born in Rockwood, Tennessee, he moved to Albuquerque in 1908. In the Duke City he was cashier of the State National bank, vice president of the American Savings and Trust company.

Odd Fellows To Gather In Carlsbad From Five States on April 5 and 6

Odd Fellows from five states will gather at Carlsbad on April 5 and 6, in one of the state's greatest celebrations when the Carlsbad Odd Fellow lodge will play host to Judge Thomas G. Andrews of Oklahoma City, it was announced at Carlsbad Saturday.

One hundred candidates are expected to be initiated into the order from various parts of New Mexico. The Carlsbad lodge is preparing to entertain 500 visitors. High lights of the session include a trip through the Caverns, a banquet at the Crawford hotel and exemplification of degree work in the Carlsbad armory.

The program for the two day session at Carlsbad is as follows:

Tuesday, April 5th

9:00 a. m.—Registration, Crawford hotel.

7:30 p. m.—Conferring of First Degree by Eddy Lodge No. 21, I. O. O. F., Armory.

7:30 p. m.—Rebekahs entertain visiting ladies, I. O. O. F. hall.

Wednesday, April 6th

10:00 a. m.—Trip through Carlsbad Cavern with Grand Sire and Mrs. Andrews.

7:30 p. m.—Banquet, Crystal Ball Room, Crawford hotel, Toastmaster, Dr. C. T. Kibbe.

Welcome address, Victor L. Minter.

Response, D. D. Monroe.

Welcome address, Mrs. Wm. N. Bloxom.

Address, Grand Master James T. Fryar.

Address, Deputy Grand Master Don W. Schutz.

Address, Grand Secretary Lem A. Wright.

Principal address, Judge Thomas G. Andrews, Grand Sire.

Messrs. T. H. Flint and Terry A. Hornaday are transacting business in Houston, Texas this week.

Annual Farm Ranch Institute Is A Success

Crowd of 150 to 300 See Free Show and Attend Demonstration — Two 4-H Calves Are Sold At Auction.

The first annual District Farm and Ranch Institute, held here Monday, which incidentally was officially the opening of spring (and a windy day) was declared a success by officials of the institute, who expressed gratification at the public response for the first effort.

Starting Monday morning at the lot west of the L. P. Evans shop, crowds estimated at 125 to 150 were present to witness the demonstrations, beginning at 11:00 a. m. It was difficult to get an accurate check on the number of people attending since the crowd was milling and coming and going all the morning. Demonstrations were given by Clayborn Wayne of State College on "Seed Selection" and by W. H. Tolbert of State College on "Care of Cattle and Sheep."

The Artesia school band led off the afternoon's program with a twenty to thirty minute band concert under the direction of E. L. Harp. The band, appearing in uniform, were roundly applauded at the conclusion of the program or concert.

At 1:45 p. m., a free picture show on subjects of farm and ranching was given at the Ocotillo theater. At the conclusion of the show a showing of 4-H club heifers and an auction of 4-H club steers was held on the lot across the street from L. P. Evans' shop.

Two 4-H club Herefords were auctioned to the highest bidder. The Hereford steer, owned by Chas. Johnson of Lake Arthur was sold to Joe Nunn, local cattle buyer for twelve cents per pound. The steer weighed about 875 pounds. The Hereford steer of Jimmie Ogden of Loving was bid in by J. C. Jessee for the Joyce Pruit stores. The Ogden steer weighed about 800 pounds and brought 11¾ cents per pound. A Hereford calf was also exhibited by Donald Smith of Roswell.

Jersey heifers on exhibit included one each by Enea Grandi, Jr., and Harold Grandi of Loving, Dean Nichols, Kenneth Nichols, Tom Forni and Harold Bradshaw of Artesia. Also, Donald Humble of Chaves county, who exhibited a Jersey calf.

Flood Control Hearing April 18th At Roswell

ALBUQUERQUE — An important public hearing on flood and erosion damage and control of the Rio Grande will be held in Roswell Monday, April 18, by the Rio Grande-Pecos flood control committee of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Chief purpose of the public hearing, says Hugh G. Calkins, committee chairman, is to have local people and groups outline the extent of their flood and soil erosion problems and resulting damage in the drainage area of the Pecos river, and their recommendations for control measures.

"In this hearing are to be included reports by local people in New Mexico from the headwaters of the Pecos in northeastern part of the state south to the Texas line.

"Similar meetings will be held at Santa Fe April 15, El Paso April 20, and at Fort Stockton, Texas, on April 22. Besides local people the U. S. Reclamation Service, International Boundary Commission, state engineer, state water commissioner, and other groups are invited to take part in the flood control hearings," Calkins says.

DISPLAYS NEW AIR CONDITIONER

In the show window of the Oasis cafe, Bill Mount has on display a new type of air conditioner, which he designed. The conditioner is portable, equipped with a specially designed fan and is capable of pulling through a room, 3,500 cubic of air per minute. The machine was made in Chicago and there is a patent pending on the design.

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THE HOUSING SITUATION

Communities of the southwest and a few in the Pecos Valley in particular are still suffering from a housing shortage, which will probably continue for several months. The housing situation here as is generally known has been acute for two years or more. Whether attractive interest rates, if government loans can be secured, will provide the stimulant needed remains to be seen.

While much repair and remodeling has been done here in the period, the community was in a fair way to start a substantial building program when the business upturn was followed by labor troubles, higher prices and then the let down. This situation has had a psychological effect on the public which still exists to some degree.

With the stable business condition that existed here the past ten or twelve years, the condition should be an incentive to do more substantial building, especially in the form of nicer homes and not rent houses. Under this situation it seems that a home for those steadily employed ought to be a sound investment. If a few of the nicer type of homes are built, it will release the present houses for rent houses and thus take care of every phase of the housing situation. Certainly it will add much to the attractiveness of the city.

It's history that practically everybody refuses to sell his stocks and real estate, when buyers offer twice what they are worth.

THE HOSPITAL BOND ISSUE

Judging from the expression and comments, a number of local people are laboring under the impression that if the $30,000 is voted in April, Artesia will have a hospital debt of $60,000, counting the bond issued voted in April, 1936. For the benefit of those who may be laboring under an impression of this sort, you may recall that the 1936 bond issued was invalidated by the state supreme court a few weeks ago, which voids the old issue. If the voters approve the bond issue to be voted on April 5th, it will be the only debt created by the hospital.

If the issue is not approved, then it will be two more years before we have an opportunity to vote a hospital, regardless of the need in the meantime. Public spirited citizens feel that the community has grown to the point where a hospital is an absolute necessity.

The editor of the Texas Weekly, in a recent address on the subject of taxes said federal taxes alone was costing the average family $5.00 per week. The average family is now paying $3.50 per week in taxes and the government is borrowing the $1.50, which brings up the subject of the balanced national budget and how long the nation can operate by increasing the national debt.

HOME TOWN BOY MAKES GOOD

Hitler's return to Austria where he achieved local fame as a paperhanger and house painter, is the everlasting success story which has stirred poor boys since Abel hustled out and got the best of Cain in the stock raising business. Over and above all the brutality, ruthless wickedness and double crossing of international politics, Hitler's return to his native land, to Austria where he was a son of "poor but honest parents," is in perfect form. He even paid off the mortgage on the farm, took over Austria in one piece and made it his private playground, for Jew baiting and Red hunting! He foreclosed on the farm and now owns it.

Hitler is a monster—certainly! He has been inhuman in his treatment of defenseless minorities—of course! He has been the associate of unspeakably low companions—as no one will deny! But he is the home town boy who made good, the hero of the Dick Whittington story of success. And as such he may live in history a thousand years from now when the evil that men do is interred with their bones. It is awful but not more terrible than the survival stories of many heroes whose shortcomings were glazed in the halo of the golden mists of time.—William Allen White in The Emporia Gazette.

IN THE YEARS AHEAD

In the critical years that lie ahead, it is gratifying to realize that everyone knows more than anyone, and that in past times when fateful issues were presented to all the people, they voted the correct solution.

It is worth remembering that under our constitutional government, with suffrage limited only by age, the people, although groping along slowly, have kept the nation on a relatively solid basis and have retained their rights, whereas several hundred million other people, elsewhere in the world, have forfeited the privilege which Americans hold so dear.

This is the only place in the world where machine service has been so well mastered and exploited for the beefnit of all the people. This is also the only place in the world where the people grasp the idea that machine service is inescapably a servant of the many instead of a tool by which the few can dominate the many. The vast flow of products from the machines is destined for the mouths, backs, heads, and feet of the many. The few always had everything they wanted. Not until we had machine service could the many enjoy more than a mere substance.

The American people understand these things. If some of the senior minds cannot go along with the machine age, and its implications, to the destiny that lies ahead, it's too bad. The important thing to remember is that the economic problems of today cannot be solved by referring them to the next generation.—The Imperial Magazine.

JOB PRINTING AT THE ADVOCATE

Chislings

Siz: "You say you were once cast away on a desert island, entirely without food. How did you live?"

Diz: "Oh, I happened to have my insurance policy in my pocket and I found enough provisions in it to keep me alive till I was rescued."

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"Pa, what are cosmetics?"

"Cosmetics, my son, are peach preservers."

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A democracy is a state where people who can't run their own business know all about running the government, while a fascist state is one where people who can't run the government know all about running other people's business.

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The young farmer had just finished his course at the agricultural college and returned home to help his father. The father, anxious to learn how much knowledge the young man absorbed at school, asked his opinion about late plowing.

"Plowing," replied the graduate, should not be continued later than ten or eleven o'clock at night. It gets the horses into the habit of staying out late, and unduly exposes the plow."

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Enthusiastic youth: "Now, sir, I wish to take an active part in the batttle of life. What would you suggest I do?"

Experienced man: "Get married."

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"Tell the boss I'm here to see him," growled the big- broad-shouldered man to the slender office boy. "My name is Johnson."

"So, you're Mr. Johnson," replied the boy, looking the tall man over. "How very awkward!"

Johnson: "What'd you mean—awkward?"

Boy: "Why, sir, I've got orders to throw you out."

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The political atmosphere in two states has been cleared. Governor James Allred of Texas announced Saturday night he would not seek a third term as governor of that state and the referendum held over New Mexico several months ago settled the third term for Governor Clyde Tingley.

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Gentle zephyrs from California are quite common in New Mexico now.

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LOUISVILLE, Kentucky—Federal income tax clerks don't know whether the man was kidding or not, but here's what they received in the mail from a tax payer assessed $7.40.

"My salary was $400 a month."

"Somebody got my job, the finance company took my car, the bank took my home, my wife took the furniture, and somebody took my wife.

"All I have left is my health and education and I would be glad to have the opportunity to work out the bill in your department."

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Mrs. W. T. Haldeman could qualify for the "Believe it or Not Column." She has some silver fish (probably a specie of the gold fish) that do not reproduce by laying eggs. These fish, believed to be native of the tropical waters, will die if the water is too cold. They have to have warm water.

CHURCHES

SAINT ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH
504 South Ninth Street

Sunday Service
8:00 a. m.—Mass in English.
8:45 a. m.—Catechism class in English.
9:30 a. m.—Mass in Spanish.
Wednesday
7:30 p. m.—Choir practice.
Friday
7:30 p. m.—Lenten devotions and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Seventh and Grand

Sunday
Bible school 10:00 a. m.
Lord's supper at 11:50 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.
Young people's meeting 6:00 p. m.
Wednesday
Mid-week meeting 7:00 p. m.
Ladies Bible class 2:30 p. m.
We cordially invite the public to attend our services.
Allen E. Johnson, Minister.

METHODIST CHURCH

Corner First and Grand
Sunday school meets at 9:45 Sunday morning with classes for every age group.
Morning worship at 11:00 o'clock. Good music and sermon.
Epworth League for both intermediate and senior groups meet at 6:45 Sunday evening.
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N. Y. P. S. and Junior Y. P.,—6:30.
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Midweek prayer meeting every Wednesday evening, 7:30.
W. F. M. S. meets every first and third Thursday afternoon at 2:30.
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CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bro. J. V. Wheeler of Pueblo, Colorado will be here Sunday, March 20 to preach for us morning and evening. Come out and hear him.

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9:45 a. m.—Bible school.
11:00—Morning worship.
6:00—Training service.
7:00—Evening worship.
Wednesday evening 7:00—Teachers meeting; 7:45, prayer service.
Thursday afternoon, 2:30—W. M. U.
S. M. Morgan, pastor.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Aubrey B. Gregg, acting minister.
9:45 a. m.—Church school classes. C. O. Brown, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Worship and Holy communion with sermon.
5:00 p. m.—Vespers based on the theme of New Mexico's saintly geography.
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Sunday
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship
Sermon: "According To Capacity."
6:30 P. M.—Christian Endeavor
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.
Sermon: "Convict Number One."
Wednesday
4:00 p. m.—Junior choir and K. Y. B.
7:00 p. m.—Adult choir practice
Henry S. Stout. Pastor.

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"Reality" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all societies and churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 27th.

The Golden Text is: "They that trust in the Lord shall be as Mount Zion, which cannot be removed, but abideth forever."—(Ps. 125:1).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "I have set the Lord always before me: because he is at my right hand, I shall not be moved."—(Ps. 16:8).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science text book: "God is infinite, therefore ever present, and there is no other power nor presence."

The Baptist church at Fort Sumner recently inaugurated a bus service to transport rural school children to and from Sunday school.

Kernels From An Old Nut

During the past week news broke that a former president of the New York Stock Exchange had been expelled from the exchange, had been indicted for embezzlement in the courts of New York; had admitted sole responsibility for his company's failure and had confessed to "wrong doing" Apparently the amount of his misappropriation will reach to the staggering sum of eight hundred thousand dollars.

Aside from the amount involved in this startling episode there is another phase to it that has an even greater unfortunate significance. His past high standing, in both social and financial world, makes the evil influence of his example all the more poisonous. There are hundreds of thousands of men and women all over this land who will proclaim as evidence that men in high places may flaunt with impunity, the laws they impose upon their less influential brothers. That is not wholly true; but it is true that the evil influence of one's misdeeds is in exact proportion to his standing in the community, or in the world, in which his influence is felt.

It is for this reason that the indifference to social conventions, the fast life and the Reno divorce of the Four Hundred (or four thousand) effects so adversely the social institutions of this day. Nobody ever mentions the fine domestic life of thousands who occupy positions of emminence in the social, political, business and professional world; but let one of these flaunt the social conventions and tongues everywhere start a barrage of comment calculated to undermine our social structure. Bringing the matter down to our own lives, it must be taken as an accepted fact that none of us know, with any certainty, the extent of our own influence. For my own self, I have never forgotten a casual observation—which was obviously true—of a very simple country bumpkin. It may be that the neighbor's boy who admires your ability to play a French harp, places the same estimate on whatever else you do or say. How important then that every one of us weigh well the possible effect that what we do or say may have on somebody else.

I forego any discussion of the right or wrong of a particular act; but I urge that none of us can overlook the possible effect of our influence. Saint Paul said: "If meat make my brother to offend, I will eat no flesh while the world standeth."—I Cor. 8:13. Would that we might all scrutinize our own conduct with as strict a standard.

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The newly organized cavalry troop has enrolled about forty to date and enlistment is still under way.

Merle Roady, who has been working in Mountainair for several weeks, returned to Artesia last week.

Chas. Horne suffered a broken arm the past week.

The Artesia-El Paso air line highway is being improved.

Monday Crews Brothers of Artesia sold to I. C. Brown of Electra sixty head of cows at $40.00 per head.

Tom Bradshaw has returned from Nebraska, where he has been spending the winter.

Mrs. C. A. Sipple and daughter, Miss Hazel, Ray Sipple and Lee Myers left Monday by auto to join Mr. Sipple on the ranch in northern Colorado where they will spend the summer.

George M. Williams has purchased a residence in south Artesia from Ada L. Dawns.

George Gage and family have moved here from Hope.

Miss Ruby Turnkett and Mrs. Herman Jones were in Roswel last Saturday.

We have forms to comply with the Social Security law—Advocate.



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C. E. Smyers of Clovis, division superintendent of the Pecos division of the Santa Fe railroad passed through Artesia Friday on an inspection trip.

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Lower Penasco

(Mary Sunbeam)

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duncan have recently moved into the house on Bryan Runyan's place which was formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Runyan. Mr. Duncan is one of our highway maintenance men.

Edward McGuire, school bus driver for the Duncan and Four Mile communities, states that he is now bringing about eight children to our Lower Penasco school.

Mrs. Jake Cox and Mrs. A. J. Fisher were in Roswell a few days under the care of a doctor. We are informed that they are both feeling better.

Mack Griffin made a trip up to the fox farm on business one day last week.

Morris Sowell of near Weed was a valley visitor one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Cox and baby daughter were Roswell visitors recently.

A. C. Trotter visited near Artesia one day last week.

Richard Jay of Felix was on the river the other day.

Mrs. Fred Brantley and daughter, Mrs. Maymie Frazzell of Mayhill were taken to the valley where they will be under the care of a doctor. We hope they will soon be well enough to return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bates took their smoll son, Jean to El Paso, Texas last week where he is still receiving treatment for an injured eye.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vickers of Sacramento were in Roswell last week, bringing back by truck two nice work horses and a fine looking Jersey cow. These folks are formerly of our neighborhood. We are predicting some good farming to take place on the Vickers farm this year.

G. E. Miller spent the night on the river with friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jackson and family of Artesia spent the week end with Mrs. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Latham, near Mayhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Jones of McDonald flat spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Adna Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Crockett, formerly of Roswell, have returned to Artesia to make their home. They are domiciled on the Kepple place, just west of the city limits.

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Hope Items

J. D. Christopher, Bill Allen and E. C. Gage of Carlsbad visited friends and relatives here Friday. They left for Los Angeles, California, where Mr. Christopher and Mr. Allen will make their homes. Mr. Gage will visit before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Medcalf entertained at their home Wednesday evening with a pitch party honoring J. D. Christopher, Bill Allen and E. C. Gage, of Carlsbad, who are visiting them.

George Currier, and a Mr. Barton of the regional resettlement office in Amarillo, Texas, were here Monday attending to business in the local office.

R. W. Waggersmith, chief of project development and Martin Rheinholt, range specialist, were in the resettlement office Friday and Saturday, attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. R H. Bynum and family of Artesia spent Sunday here visiting their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Teel and family.

J. P. Parks and Robert Parks made a business trip to Roswell Saturday.

Maxine Bunting of Roswell spent the week end in Hope visiting friends. She was the guest of Bobbie Wood while here.

Mrs. Earl Summers and daughter Earlene, of El Paso, Texas are here visiting Mrs. Summers' sister, Mrs. J. C. Bumgardner.

Among those who have been ill recently are Mrs. Mark Brewer, Mrs. Hilary White, Sr., W. S. Medcalf, Mrs. Charley Barley and Mrs. C. R. Walker, Jr.

Mrs. Sam Zumwalt of El Paso, Texas spent the week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hilary White, Sr. and other relatives.

Ernest Middleton, former resident of Hope, was here Friday from Hot Springs, attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Thompson, who have been here a short while, left Monday for Hot Springs, where they expect to make their new home.

Will Buckner of Weed is seriously ill at his home there, is was learned recently.

Frances Johnson of Carlsbad spent the week end in Hope.

Lit Prude was in from the ranch this week attending the Farmers Institute held in Artesia Monday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Charles Walker, Sr., who have spent the winter months as residents of Hope, left Wednesday for Albuquerque where they will spend the summer in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heinrick and Mrs. Heinrick's father, George Wilson, of Bakersfield, California were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Riddle, Monday night when they stopped in Hope for a short visit before continuing a trip to Chicago. They visited the caverns Tuesday.

Jessie Buckner, who has been in Chicago attending the Cain's Electrical Engineering school for the past three months, returned to his home here Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curry were Carlsbad visitors Saturday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Chester Teague.

Forty guests were entertained at the school gym Friday evening by the faculty when the guests enjoyed an evening of bridge, forty-two and pitch. High scores for the three divisions went to Mrs. Virgil Craig, forty-two, Elizabeth Muncy, bridge and Mrs. A. A. Smith, pitch.

Ernest Bunting drove to Alamogordo Tuesday morning and transacted business, returning to Hope that evening.

Mrs. Walter Bishop, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Webber, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Burk and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, arrived here Friday from Big Spring, Texas to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bishop, Sr. They returned to their homes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bishop, Sr. entertained with a bridge party at their home Friday evening, in honor of the above guests. Their friends from Hope who were invited were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Seeley, Mrs. Billie Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Will Keller and Tom Coffin.

Mrs. Merle Terry, who has been assisting in the Irvin Cox drug store, has accepted a position as assistant in the nursery school, located with the public school. Mrs. Terry began her work Monday.

Bulldog Flashes

(A. Reno)

The baseball team continues to show marked improvement and the heretofore inexperienced candidates begin to appear skillful in the old club game. Games have been tentatively scheduled with Hagerman and Lake Arthur, while the chances for a game or two with the Potash team are good. A team has been selected by Coach Joe Greeno from the score and a half of promising players. The lineup is as follows: Grant and Porch, catchers, first base, Irby and Hernandez; second, Sturgis and Stonebreaker; third, Ansley, Evarts and Truett; shortstop, Rice and Green; outfield, Juarez, Burgess, Phillips, Morgan and Thompson. Sharing the pitching duties will be Clendenen, Evans, Walker and possibly Navarette. As utility man, Ashton. There is a great deal of competition for each of the positions, particularly at shortstop and second base. From present appearances, Joee Greeno has some raw material from which he can produce a fast team.

Those who have not yet seen the new Artesia high school building should do so. The speed of construction is very commendable and the beauty of the building will not be matched by any high school in the valley. Already the virtues, if such a word may be applied to a construction, are visible.

Now that the typing class has been moved to the new north wing at Central, and the journalism class has been placed in the auditorium, we believe it would be a good idea to have journalism classes in the typing room, since the publication class is far too noisy for the auditorium. The production of the paper, however, warrants the noise. Also, it is necessary for those in the journalism class to go through study hall to reach a typewriter. The shorthand class would, of course, have to be moved, but, as far as we know, the shorthand class is not nearly so noisy as the journalism class, nor do they need quick accessibility to typewriters.

The Rev. S. M. Morgan of the Baptist church was chosen to deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the seniors during the commencement exercises.

The complete high school library of 1,200 books has been catalogued completely by author, title and subject this year. Mr. Luke, library sponsor, is now listing the junior high library.

Petroshorts

It is estimated that 11,000,000 American motorists have never bought a new car.

More people were killed in their own homes and at work in 1937 than met death in highway accidents.

State gasoline taxes now cost more than state real estate, personal property, corporate income and individual income taxes combined.

More than twice as much oil has been produced in the United States than was reported to be available in 1915.

Clyde Champion, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Champion and a student at the Chillicothe Business College at Chillicother, Missouri took a prominent part in the annual state club carnival at the college Friday night.

LOCALS

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hathorn Saturday.

Phil Porter was a business visitor in Roswell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vandagriff were in El Paso the first of the

Frank Tigner is adding a porch to his residence on West Main street.

J. H. Hooten, Lower Penasco merchant was transacting business here yesterday.

C. S. Powell is remodeling and adding a roof to a residence he recently purchased on Washington street.

J. R. Attebery returned last Thursday from Albuquerque, where he served on the federal grand jury for several days.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. McCrory of the oil field was reported seriously ill with pneumonia Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Reeves of the Lower Penasco community were shopping and visiting friends here Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Brown and son of Clovis spent a few days here the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gribble.

Miss Margaret McCrory, a student at the Normal University at Las Vegas spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCrory of the oil field.

Harry Woodman of Roswell made a short visit with his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Simpson here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus S. Smith of San Antonio, Texas, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Henderson of Midland, Texas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Laughlin of the Cottonwood community Saturday morning.

John O'Brien was reported seriously ill Saturday suffering from complications following an operation after pleurisy and pneumonia set in.

Pete Loving returned last week from Albuquerque where he attended a convention of the General Insurance Company of America in session at Albuquerque Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kingston, Mrs. Beasley and Walter Knowles all of Lake Arthur, returned Monday from Albuquerque where they were called as witnesses in the trial of fourteen officials of the Potash and Chemical Co., charged with issuing worthless stock.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hopkins have moved recently from Carlsbad and are domiciled at 203 West Chisum street. Mr. Hopkins is on the sales force of the Sears Motor Co.

Miss Helen Crandall, state home agent, is spending the week in the county and has visited several extension clubs in company with Miss Katherine Whitchurch, county home agent.

Several valley residents are attending the session of the Order of Eastern Star, in Albuquerque. Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green and Mrs. Jessie Morgan are among the lodge members attending from here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foster and son, Mr. and Mrs. Don Myers and daughter spent the week end in the mountains at Ruidoso.



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SOCIETY

COSTUME BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. W. C. Martin entertained a number of young friends celebrating the birthday of her daughter, Orlena, Thursday evening. The party was a lovely affair with costumes of aprons and overalls worn by the guests adding just the correct zest to the fun. Games of many sorts were played. A grand parade down town added to the fun and the girls' costumes were lovely, charming and ridiculous.

A prize for the best looking boy was won by Shirley Bartlett with an overall costume of many patches. Betty Flinchbaugh won the prize for the loveliest girl in a costume of pink checks with a wide white sash tied in a huge bow in back and a bonnet to match.

A birthday cake with Saint Patrick's colors predominating, candies, nuts and favors were served by Mrs. Martin in the late evening. Guests invited for the affair were Janice Mann, Helen Jean Evans, Betty Sue Hannah, Delores Mayrhofen, Peggy Hamill, Charlene Martin, Ada Kirkley, Pearl Estelle Kemp, Gladys Jackson, Mary Glasscock, Vera Evans, and Anna Jean Johnson.

PEGGY HAMILL ENTERTAINS SATURDAY

Members of the seventh and eighth grades were the invited guests as Peggy Hamill and her mother, Mrs. H. A. Hamill entertained Saturday evening with a weiner roast in the backyard of their home.

A large bonfire was built outside and around it the guests gathered for their games and to roast weiners and marshmallows. Songs added to the gaiety of the good time that was the pleasure of the many guests attending.



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THURSDAY (TODAY)

The Homemaker's circle will meet at the Baptist church for a covered dish luncheon, work day and Bible study.

Mrs. John Williams will entertain the members of the Young Matron's Missionary society at her home, at 2:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Reynolds will be hosts to the Swastika Bridge club at their home this evening at 7:00 o'clock with a dinner-bridge.

The Charlotte Burnett circle will meet at the Baptist church at 2:15 to go together and present a program of Bible study at the Spanish church for the Spanish women.

FRIDAY

Father-son banquet at Methodist church at 7:00 p. m.

Mrs. Ada McCann will entertain the Past President's Parley with a luncheon at the Legion hut at one o'clock.

Mrs. J. Hise Myers will be hostess to the H.2.O. club at her home this afternoon at 2:30 p. m.

The Viernes club will be entertained at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. E. E. Gillispie, hostess.

The Miercoles club are invited guests at a luncheon bridge at the Artesia hotel at one o'clock. Mrs. Hollis Watson, hostess.

MONDAY

Mrs. A. B. Coll will entertain the Past Matron's club at her home today at 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Mrs. Keith Miller will be at home at her apartment on Roselawn at the Shearman home to members of the So So club at 2:00 p. m.

Mrs. C. M. Houk has invited the First afternoon club for dessert-bridge at her home at 2:00 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foster will be at home with a dinner-bridge for the Thursday club at 7:00 p. m.

DELEGATES FOR DISTRICT CONVENTION ANNOUNCED

At the last regular meeting of the Artesia Woman's club, the following delegates for the third district state convention of the F. W. C. to be held in Clovis April 2nd and 3rd were elected: Mmes. John Lanning, Howard Williams, C. R. Blocker and I. L. Spratt. Their alternates were Mmes. Jeff Hightower, John Rowland, Morrison, Livingston and E. J. Foster. Mrs. J. M. Story will be a delegate to the convention by rights of her office as president.

In the short business session of the club Mrs. Frank Wilson was appointed as chairman of the Welfare and Mrs. Jesse Truett, chairman of the American Citizenship. Ten dollars was set aside for the campaign fund of Mrs. J. D. Atwood, who is running for the office of recording secretary of the G. F. W. C.

Mrs. C. R. Blocker spoke briefly on the Club Institute work and a musical program presented by Miss La Verne Schnoor and her high school girls ended the afternoon's meeting.

EXTENSION GROUP MEET WITH MRS. BUFORD

Mrs. Lynn Buford entertained the Extension Group at her home, Tuesday afternoon. Miss Katherine Whitchurch, county demonstrator was in charge of the meeting. The afternoon's theme was "Thin Batter Breads." Miss Whitchurch demonstrated muffins under this topic.

Distinguished guests of the club were Mrs. Helen Crandall, who is connected with the state work of the Extension clubs and Miss Erna Ruth Wildermuth of Arizona who is observing the extension clubs in New Mexico preparatory to county work.

Four new members attended the club and were Mmes. Fred Daugherty, Frank Palmer, M. Murphy and Nell Doolin. Other members present were Mmes. Cecil Eaton, Adrian Fletcher, Alta Oliver, John Williams and Ralph Barr.

The hostess served refreshments following the meeting which was given an added interest as Mrs. Crandall spoke on the state work of the group and 4-H clubs.

ARTESIA GUESTS OF CARLSBAD MATRONS

Miss Mary Woods and Miss Ethel Bullock were the week end guests of Mrs. Robert Morgan and Mrs. Joe Gants of Carlsbad, respectively, the past week end. Mrs. Gants will be remembered as the former Miss Opal Martin and Mrs. Morgan as Miss Winifred Detterick of Artesia. While visiting in Carlsbad, Miss Woods and Miss Bullock were honor guests at a buffet supper given by Mrs. Gants on Saturday evening and a waffle supper given by Mrs. Morgan, Sunday evening.

JOINT CLASS MEETING

The Dorcas and Fidelas Sunday school classes of the First Baptist church held their regular monthly meeting in a joint session at the home of Mrs. E. A. Anderson, Tuesday afternoon. After the regular busines, a short but interesting program was rendered which was followed by a social hour, which was enjoyed by the twelve members present. Refreshments of angel food cake and ice cream were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be the fourth Tuesday in next month at the home of Mrs. Charles Ransbarger.

EASTERN STAR GRAND CHAPTER

The Order of the Eastern Star grand chapter will convene in Albuquerque today. Artesia will have several visitors attending the sessions among whom will be Mrs. Jessie Morgan, grand secretary, Mrs. John Rowland, grand page, and Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green. Mr. Green is a past worthy grand patron, Mrs. Calvin Dunn, worthy matron of the local chapter, Miss Grace Shearman and Mrs. Means, the latter from Hope.

J. W. Bradshaw accompanied one of the parties who motored to Albuquerque and will attend to business while there.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Evening service at 7:30 p. m. every Sunday except the first Sunday in each month.

Celebration of Holy Communion at 7:45 a. m. on the first Sunday in each month.

Church school every Sunday at 5:00 p. m.

The Rev. F. B. Howden, Jr., Rector.

New Service Station To Be Ready For Business Short Time

A new Phillips service station, located at First and Richardson, now under construction, will be opened shortly after the first of next month, it was learned yesterday. The station has been leased to Roy Langston, who has purchased modern equipment and plans to give twenty-four hour service.

The building, twenty-four by forty feet will be modern in every respect with an office, rest room and a lubrication room, equipped for high and low pressure lubrication jobs, also a modern wash rack.

CHURCH SOCIETIES

Nazarene F. M. S.

The women of the Nazarene church met at the church Thursday afternoon for a work day. The hours passed quickly by as the ladies were engaged at their quilting. An average attendance of members of the F. M. S. was present for the meeting.

On the next regular meeting day which will be one week from today, the society will again meet at the church with the lesson for the day to be led by Mrs. E. L. Askins, the pastor's wife.

Presbyterian Missionary Society

The new officers of the Presbyterian Missionery society were duly installed at the meeting held at the home of Mrs. V. L. Gates, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. E. J. Strang served as installing officer and the following women assumed the duties of leading the work of this church group for the coming year: Mrs. R. G. Knoedler, who has so successfully headed the society this past year was re-elected president and installed; Mrs. Jesse Truett, vice president; Mrs. Rex Wheatley, secretary; Mrs. Gail Hamilton, treasurer; Miss Emma Clark, secretary of stewardship; Mrs. Ed Paul, secretary of spiritual life group; Mrs. Russell Rogers, secretary of membership, and Mrs. W. E. Kerr, secretary of missionary education were also installed.

This date was also the regular missionary program day and the program of "Foreigners in America" was led by Mrs. Frank Smith. Mrs. William Linell led the inspirational devotional service of the society.

Repair work on the church was discussed by these women who have by their untiring efforts made such marked progress in the appearance and welfare of their church this past year. Thirteen members were present. Following the business and program, the hostess, Mrs. Gates served refreshments to her guests.

Methodist Missionary Society

The Methodist Missionary society held their literary program meeting at the home of Mrs. W. Leslie Martin, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. R. O. Cowan was in charge of the program on "Christian Social Relations," a department of work of the Methodist societies. The theme at this time dealt with the work among the negroes, Indians and needy people of the United States. Mrs. Cowan was assisted in presenting the instructive program by Mmes. O. S. Matteson, George Frisch, Roger Durand and Reed Brainard.

The society made plans to serve the Father and Son banquet held at the church this week. Tuesday of this week was decided upon as a work day at the church. Quilting was done on this day.

A very delightful refreshment course was served by the hostesses Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Jim Jackson and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin during the social hour. The meeting was well attended.

Episcopal Guild-Auxiliary

The review of "The Divine Commission," study book of the Guild-Auxiliary was given by Mrs. M. A. Corbin as they met at the home of Mrs. Van P. Welch, Thursday afternoon. A short business session and the book review comprised the program for these church women.

The next week's meeting (today) will be at the home of Mrs. Neil Watson. After the regular routine of the day a pleasant social hour was enjoyed with the hostess, Mrs. Van Welch, serving refreshments.

Christian Women's Association

Mrs. Albert Richards was the gracious hostess to the members of her church society at her home Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Nathan Kelly, president of the Christian Women's association, led the devotional service which prefaced the meeting. A Bible study with questions and answers has been the program of this group of women for the past several meetings and all present took part in the study.

After the business meeting and study the group enjoyed a very delightful hour of visiting with each other. Refreshments attractively served by the hostess, Mrs. Richards, were the pleasure of the guests. Next meeting, two weeks from this date will be an all day session with a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. John Lanning. Members are asked to keep the date in mind and attend if possible.

Baptist Circles

The Homemaker's' circle of the Baptist church enjoyed their usual work day and covered dish luncheon at the church, Tuesday. The Bible study was postponed until today's meeting at which time Mrs. Nora Womack will lead. The quilt which the circle has pieced and quilted was finished at the meeting and will be sold at an early date.

A Bible study was the program of the Charlotte Burnett circle at the church, Thursday. The pastor, the Rev. S. M. Morgan was in charge.

Catholic Ladies Society

Mrs. Stanley D. Wasson was the gracious hostess to the members of the Catholic Ladies society as they met at her home Thursday afternoon. In keeping with the patron Saint of the day, Mrs. Wasson gave a short history of the life of Saint Patrick. The study in which this club is engaged was led by Mrs. D. D. Sullivan.

The next meeting (today) will be held at the home of Miss Grace Wietig. The society meets each week and the attendance has been very fine. Following the business session and program the hostess served a lovely refreshment plate to her guests.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

Thursday Afternoon Bridge Club

The Thursday Afternoon Bridge club were very charmingly entertained by Mrs. Luther Caraway in her home, Thursday afternoon with a contract party. Saint Patrick's green, shamrocks and clay pipes were artfully used for decorations for the party. The refreshment course as well as the clay pipe favors, paid tribute to the Irish.

Mrs. H. M. Smith and Mrs. J. B. Wallis were guests of the club for the afternoon. High score was won by Mrs. Charles Morgan with Mrs. A. M. Archer second high and consolation going to Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. Bildstone Entertains Club

Mrs. Margaret Bildstone was hostess to the Bridge-Its club, Thursday evening, at her apartment. Yellow and white snapdragons with their waxy green foliage were used with other suggestions of Saint Patrick. Mrs. T. A. Edmondson and Mrs. I. L. Spratt were substitute guests of the club.

Mrs. Spratt won high score at the evening's game of contract. Following the game the hostess served a tasty salad plate and dessert.

Saint Patrick's Party for Supper Club

Members of the Thursday Evening Bridge and Supper club were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bowden, Jr., at their home, Thursday evening. The appointments of the party were in keeping with the date, March 17th.

Following the delightful supper served by the hostess the club had the pleasure of their usual game of contract. High score was won by Mr. and Mrs. Bowden, with second high going to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foster.

Viernes Club Meets with Mrs. E. J. Foster

Friday afternoon was the time, with the home of Mrs. E. J. Foster for the place of the Viernes Bridge club meeting. A spring party with early flowers evident in tallies and other appointments was given by Mrs. Foster for her club members.

Contract was played during the afternoon with the high score of the game awarded to Mrs. Wren Barker and second high to Mrs. M. Webb. Mrs. Webb and Mrs. Joe Holyfield were guests of the club at this time, in the absence of two members. Following the game, the hostess served a very lovely refreshment plate.

Mrs. Mary Evans Entertains At Hotel

Mrs. Mary Evans was hostess to the members of the 1937 Bridge club with a luncheon and contract party, at the Artesia hotel, at one o'clock Friday. Guests other than the regular members of the club were Mmes Hugh Donald Burch, Charles Morgan and Lewis Story.

At the contract tables high score was won by Mrs. Howard Whitson, and second high by Mrs. Raymond Bartlett.

P. E. O., Chapter J

Mrs. G. R. Brainard was hostess to the P. E. O., Chapter J, at her home Friday afternoon. The newly installed president, Mrs. Fred Cole, presided over the meeting in a very efficient and gracious manner.

An interesting and detailed report of the convention committee headed by Mrs. V. L. Gates and composed of Mrs. W. C. Martin and Mrs. Fred Cole was heard at this time. The state convention of the P. E. O. will be held in the city in April. Plans for the entertaining of state and supreme guests have been in the making through this winter.

The program was given by Mrs. Rex Wheatley. The rapid development in recent medical research was the theme of Mrs. Wheatley's thought. She reviewed in a concise and lucid manner a book of much popularity recently, namely, "The American Doctor's Oddesy" by Victor C. Heizer.

Mrs. Brainard served a very dainty refreshment course after the program. Her home was lovely with hyacinths artfully arranged. The rooms have recently been redecorated and are particularly charming.

Benefits For Rebekahs

The Rebekah lodge gave a very lovely benefit entertainment at the hall Friday evening. Tables were set up for bridge, dominoes, checkers, and star checkers which the many guests enjoyed during the evening. The Saint Patrick motif was carried out in the appointments of the party.

The members of the lodge served refreshments after the games had been completed. Mrs. Mattie Metcalf, president of the Past Noble Grand club, was chairman of this successful affair.

Funlovers Introduce Pledges

As the Funlovers graduate from high school this spring the annual time for choosing their pedges from the freshman class arrives. Last Friday evening the club held their regular dance at the Woman's club building. The room was attractively decorated with a false ceiling of rainbow streamers and all members were attractively attired in formal frocks in honor of the formal presentation of their pledges.

At nine o'clock the following girls were presented by the president, Miss Lela Bess Mann: Mary Baird, Sybil Pior, Wanda Story, Catherine Louise Williams, Bettynelle Lanning, Peggy Linell, Edna Carter and Jane Shugart. La Vern Izzard was also introduced as a new member of the club. As each girl was presented she was greeted by an older member of the club and a very lovely corsage was given to her. Escorted to a line the members and pledges led in a grand parade.

Twenty-five or thirty couples attended the dance. Music was furnished by records and a nickleodian. Hostesses for this dance included Misses Lela Bess Mann, Betty Jo Brainard, Rachelle Swift, Dorothy Berry, Helen Merideth Gates, Annadele Williams, Dorothy Gilmore and Eunice Cadell.

The past week has been devoted to the initiation of these pledges. Saturday found them on Main street, green hair ribbons in evidence, selling candy. Other initiatory tasks have been planned for the girls during this week.

Sewing Club Organized

Mrs. Don Myers was hostess to the newly organized sewing club as they met at her home Tuesday afternoon. Guests for the afternoon were Mmes. W. J. Bowden, Jr., Neil Watson, Francis Matthews and E. J. Foster. New members were elected to the club at this meeting.

Following a very delightful social afternoon the hostess served an attractive plate lunch. Lilacs, iris and flower blooms were arranged in a pleasing manner as decorations for the home.

Artwood Pirate Club Organized

A party worthy of Elsa Maxwell tradition was given on March 16th by Mrs. Henry Bivens at the S. A. Lanning home. It was the first of the parties of the Artwood Pirate club named such since members of the club are both from Artesia and the Cottonwood.

The scheme of the hostess is most extraordinary. As each guest asked for admittance to the home they were given a pirate hat and escorted through a gauntlet of previously arranged guests where an invitatory introduction to the club was generously given and some times painfully received. A poem cleverly written by the hostess gave instructions as to what was to be done at all times.

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St. Patrick colors were further carried out in the serving of the sandwiches and punch at the close of the evening to the following members: Mmes. Bill Tigner, Walter Hammond, Elbert Murphy, Paul Vandagriff, Frankie Schultz, Oliver Vandagriff, Ben Thompson, Don Thorpe, Miss Thelma Smith and the hostess, Mrs. Bailey Smith.

Fortnightly Bridge Club

Mrs. W. Leslie Martin was hostess to the Fortnightly Bridge club with a one o'clock luncheon and bridge at her home Tuesday. The rooms and tables were attractively decorated with spring flowers. Following the luncheon, the club enjoyed their customary game of contract.

High score was won by Mrs. I. L. Spratt, who, with Mrs. Laywell Van Antwerp, were the substitute guests of the club.

So So Club

The So So club were charmingly entertained by Mrs. D. A. Miller at her home Tuesday afternoon. The club spent the afternoon hours sewing and chatting. Mrs. Miller served a very lovely refreshment course to her guests in the late afternoon.

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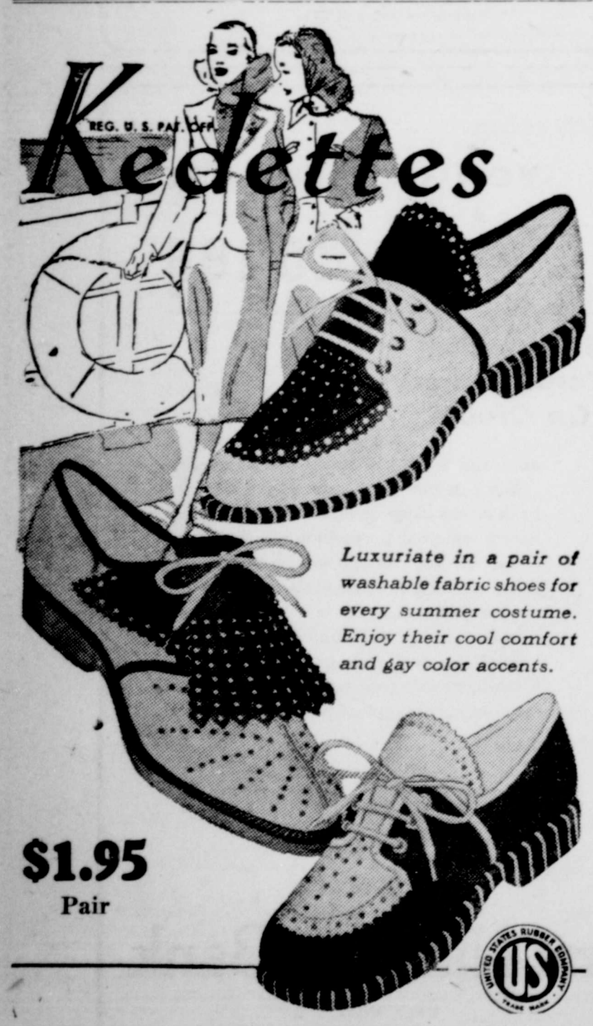
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College Judging Team Wins Honor

The livestock judging team from State College, consisting of Pete Mocho, Olen Caviness, Glynden Easley, Richard Duval, Jonathan Norris and Paul Hudson won first place in the judging of beef cattle at the Fat Stock Show held at Fort Worth, Texas, March 11-20. Glynden Easley of Portales was high man in the judging of beef cattle and Olen Caviness of Causey was fourth in the judging of sheep and hogs.

This team also won third place in the judging of mules and fourth place in the judging of all classes (cattle, horses, mules, sheep and hogs.)

There were fifteen teams in competition, the top five teams in judging of all classes being Texas A. and M., Wisconsin, Nebraska, New Mexico and Kansas. The State College team was coached by P. E. Neale of the department of animal husbandry.

LUMP-SUM PAYMENTS

The Social Security board is now making lump-sum payments to wage earners in covered employments who have reached age 65, or to the estates or relatives of such workers who died before that age. The amount in each case represents three and a half percent of the total wages, as defined in the social security act, received by such worker after 1936, and before he reaches age 65 or dies. Applications for these lump sums should be directed to the Social Security Board, 109 Federal Building, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

TWO GET SENTENCES

Michell Phillips, who entered a plea of guilty to forgery was sentenced to serve from one year to eighteen months in the state pen by District Judge James McGree, presiding over a session of the Chaves county district court at Roswell Thursday. Judge McGhee also sentenced W. T. McClellan to thirty days in the county jail on a drunken driving charge.

FREEZING WEATHER HERE SATURDAY

The thermometer dipped again sharply Saturday to give residents of this section another touch of winter. The mercury dropped to twenty-six degrees above zero Saturday night and plenty of ice was in evidence Sunday morning.

Ray Soladay of Carlsbad is chairman of the "Air Mail Week" from May 15 to 21.

PROTEST MEETING ENDS

The protest meeting called by the District Grazing board of district 6 of the Taylor grazing act ended at Roswell Friday. Several protests were made and these involved principally range boundaries. Members expressed opinion that the boundary disputes might be worked out satisfactorily in most cases.

The board was also pleased with the fact that there were fewer protests than at the corresponding period of a year ago.

TWELVE ELK

Twelve elk arrived at Santa Fe yesterday from Oklahoma, to be taken to the Amarillo division of the Carson national forest, state Game Warden Elliot Barker said. They are being shipped in trucks.

Barker will accompany the caravan to the forest and superintend the releasing of the big animals.

Twelve antelope have been traded for the elk. They have already been sent to the Wichita federal game preserve at Cash, Oklahoma.

ATTEND CONFERENCE

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harp left this morning for St. Louis, Missouri to attend the National Music Educators' conference which will open Sunday, March 27th and close Friday, April 1st.

Mr. Harp is a member of the National Music Education Broadcast committee with P. W. Dykema of the Columbia University of New York City as chairman.

VOTERS STILL CAN REGISTER

Registration boks in the city election closed Saturday but voters still had six days in which to register in the forthcoming city election, April 5th. Registration lists will be posted at each polling place for the four wards. Those who have not registered should do so at once, as the time is short. Additional registrations may be added only by court order.

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ASSETS

Loans and discounts		348,820.92
United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed		74,021.49
Other bonds, stocks, and securities		31,800.00
Banking house, $9,000.00 Furniture and fixtures, $2,655.00		11,655.00
Real estate owned other than banking house		3,000.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve bank		293,192.35
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection		641,378.78
Cash items not in process of collection		138.35
Total Assets		1,404,006.89

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		1,066,320.93
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		137,233.05
State, county, and municipal deposits		104,978.24
Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding		4,417.86
Deposits secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	$ 89,018.81	
Deposits not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	1,223,931.27	
Total Deposits	$1,312,950.08	
Capital Account:		
Common stock, 500 shares, par $100.00 per share	$50,000.00	
Surplus	10,000.00	
Undivided profits—net	31,056.81	
Total Capital Account		91,056.81
Total Liabilities		1,404,006.89

MEMORANDUM: Loans and Investments Pledged To Secure Liabilities:

United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	$	44,503.12
Other bonds, stocks, and securities		30,000.00
Total Pledged (excluding rediscounts)	$	74,503.12
Pledged: (b) Against State, county, and municipal deposits		74,503.12
Total Pledged	$	74,503.12

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T. H. FLINT,
H. G. WATSON,
R. A. SHUGART,
Directors.

(SEAL)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of March, 1938.
J. BETH BISHOP, Notary Public.

My Commission expires December 31, 1941.

LOCALS

Chas. Morgan, superintendent of the Continental Refinery plant here plans to leave for Ponca City, Oklahoma Saturday to attend a Continental superintendents' meeting.

Miss Marion Coll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Coll of Artesia and a student at the Texas State College for Women at Denton, Texas was recently appointed chairman of the Alice Freeman Palmer club dance of the college, which is to be held in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Hines and daughter Goldie Mae and son Danny, all uf Tucumcari, stopped here Friday for a visit at the homes of the Rev. and Mrs. John S. Rice and the Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Walker, while en route to Carlsbad to visit with a daughter.

T. A. Edmondson of Cheyenne, Wyoming and Denver Colorado arrived Sunday for a short visit with his wife and son, Tommy Jim. Mrs. Edmondson and Tommy Jim have been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Mary McDonald and sister, Miss Isabelle MacDonald.

C. E. Smyer, superintendent of the Pecos division of the Santa Fe railways, J. A. Noble, division engineer, Ross Curtis, of the bridge and building department and C. A. Williams, district roadmaster, were in Artesia, Tuesday on business matters.

Wallace Anderson received a message this morning stating that his sister, Mrs. Stephen Wright had died at her home in Burbank, California. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson left immediately for Burbank, going by way of El Paso, Texas to take his mother, Mrs. Joe Anderson on to Burbank.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clements of Hope are attending the New Mexico Cattlemen's convention in session at Santa Fe.

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Baptists To Have District Sunday School Convention Here March 31st

Thursday, March 31 the District Sunday School convention will meet with the First Baptist church of Artesia. The sessions will begin at 10:00 o'clock, a. m. and close at 9:00 p. m. The Rev. E. A. Herron, state Sunday School secretary, will be in charge of the program for the day which will consist of a presentation of every phase of Sunday Schol work. He will be assisted by a group of workers who have received wide recognition in their various fields of service. A large crowd from the Pecos Valley district is expected at the meeting.

Those who will appear on the program are: Jasper N. Barnette, Nashville, Tennessee, general leader; J. C. Hockett, Missouri, young people's and adult leader; Miss Blanche Linthicum, Nashville, Tennessee, junior leader; the Rev. Harry P. Stagg, Albuquerque, state corresponding secretary, inspirational speaker; Mrs. Watson W. Hibbert, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, intermediate leader; Mrs. Robert R. Bowie, El Paso, Texas, primary leader; Mrs. Gilbert Phillips, Hobbs, beginner leader; Mrs. H. D. Bush, Roswell, cradle roll leader; Mrs. J. B. Savage, Roswell, extension leader; H. C. Reavis, Albuquerque, book exhibit secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett and daughters, Betty and Billy Sue drove to Roswell, Wednesday for the recital of the Institute of Educational Music. Betty plays the violin in the school while Billie Sue does the accompanying.

A. D. Hill, Sr., was transacting business from his home in the Cottonwood community yesterday.

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Southwest Reported As Greatest Storehouse of Petroleum on Globe

FORT WORTH, TEXAS—Terming the Southwest the "greatest storehouse of petroleum on the globe," W. R. Boyd, Jr., executive vice president of the American Petroleum Institute, told the spring meeting of the Institute's Division of Production, southwestern district, here recently that nearly ten billion barrels of crude oil are to be found in Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas and New Mexico.

In 1891 it was predicted that the oil possibilities of Texas would be found negligible, Mr. Boyd said, pointing out that the "prophets of disaster" still "cry the scare of scarcity and seek to create alarms for impending shortage of oil." He quoted a recent survey by the Institute's Committee on Petroleum Reserves as showing that the nation's proven reserves on January 1, 1938 totalled 15,500,000,000 barrels, constituting the largest reserves in history.

"Total production of crude oil in the United States between August 27, 1859, when Colonel Drake brought in the first commercially productive well at Titusville, Pennsylvania, and 1891, a period representing the first thirty-two years of the American Petroleum industry," Mr. Boyd explained, "mounted to approximately half a billion barrels. Last year Texas alone produced more oil than that. Altogether the southwest has produced six and one-half billion barrels of oil, or about one-third of the nation's total production to date.

"These data demonstrate how prone to err are those who cry the scare of security and seek to create alarms for impending shortage in the nation's oil supply. In 1891 Dr. David T. White, of the U. S. Geological survey, making what probably was the first survey of oil reserves, pessimistically reported that Texas apparently had no real oil-producing possibilities. The good doctor may have been influenced by the words of those unenlightened souls who boasted they would drink all the oil produced west of the Ohio river.

"We are still being forced to listen to the prophets of disaster. Only a few weeks ago it was publicly stated in Washington, D. C., that the oil reserves of this nation would be exhausted in November, 1941. Unfortunately, we cannot take these prophecies as lightly as they may deserve to be regarded. They are the vocal indications of the new trend in political thought toward socialism. Already it has resulted in burning down many good barns to destroy a pitiably few rats. Yet I fear we may expect the conflagration to continue.

"The most recent non-political, non-partisan, uninspired, and reliable estimate of the nation's' oil supply was made public early in February by the Institute's Committee on Petroleum Reserves. This committee, after months of consultation with the best available engineering minds in the industry, placed proven reserves as of January 1, 1938 at 15,500,000,000 barrels. These are the largest reserves in history. The southwest, which scarcely figured in the 1891 survey, is estimated to possess nearly ten billion barrels of crude, or better than sixty per cent of the nation's total visible supply.

Commenting on the economics value of the petroleum industry in the southwest, Mr. Boyd declared it had brought into this territory $8,000,000,000 in new money; accelerated the growth of population; and created business and jobs which account for one-fourth of the total income of the region. The industry disburses for wages, leases, rentals, royalties, supplies and taxes more than one billion dollars a year, he said. He estimated that individual expenditures from wages paid by the industry create trade for 14,000 retail stores, while the industry itself spends close to $500,000,000 a year for the material and services of outher southwestern industries.

Mr. Boyd placed the annual petroleum tax bill at $206,360,00 for the southwest alone, explaining that this sum not only is almost as large as the $260,000,000 paid annually in wages but is sufficient to increase nearly by fifty per cent the industry's purchases from other southwestern industries.

"Sooner or later we will have to decide whether money is to flow freely in the channels of trade, or merely go for taxes," he declared, adding that the industry in 1937 paid $81,000,000 in state and local taxes, $41,350,000 in federal taxes, and collected $65,875,000 in state and $17,335,000 in federal gasoline taxes from its customers.

Mr. Boyd warned that the increase in state gasoline tax rates in other regions directly and adversely affected the southwest. "The money which comes into the southwest to pay for the crude and refined products here produced comes out of the pockets of consumers in other sections of the country," he said. "Every additional dollar which those folks must pay in taxes on petroleum products is a dollar lost to the southwest."

Asserting that the growth of the southwest is an example of the benefits of large-scale industrial enterprise, Mr. Boyd declared that the petroleum industry has done so much for the four southwestern states that it might be expected they could create a precedent and set an example of the proper treatment of industry. He denounced as unfair the penalizing taxation being imposed upon the industry and its customers, stating that "the growing number of politicians and political aspirants who pretend to serve the people by openly attacking and penalizing the petroleum industry are benefitting only themselves."

He called upon oil men to take a continuing interest in government, legislation, and taxation for the protection of the industry and to customers, and to win public good will, assure the enactment of constructive legislation, and promote the development of fair and equitable taxation." '

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Blue Team Wins Scotch Tourney

A high March wind did not particularly deter the enthusiasm in the ladies Scotch golf tournament held at the golf course Sunday afternoon. There was a heavy demand on the local rouge and lip stick supply, just prior to the time for the men who acted the part of ladies, to don their female apparel. The costumes varied from an ear ring worn by Chet Dexter, which he lost to the more elaborate dress worn by B. E. Spencer, with silk stockings used to hide his long handle underwear. All and all, it was one of those affairs that rivaled the limb display often seen in the Ziegfield follies.

The blue team, ably captained by William Linell and Boone Barnett won from the red team captained by Fred Henderson and Joe Hamann, and as result the red team furnished weiners, buns and coffee to the golfers and their families at 5:00 p. m.

Results of th tourney are as follows: (winning team given first): William Linell, Mrs. Lanning vs. L. Price, Mrs. Clayton. Don Marshall, Mrs. M. A. Corbin vs. M. G. Schulze, Mrs. Howard Whitson. H. D. Burch, Mrs. Burch vs. J. Welch, Mrs. Welch. Lanning, Mrs. J. K. Wallingford vs. J. Clark Bruce, Mrs. C. J. Dexter. L. B. Feather, Mrs. Story vs. Neil Watson, Mrs. Watson. C. J. Dexter, Jack Spratt vs. J. S. Ward, H. Whitson. J.K. Wallingford, Ruth Bigler vs. J. S. Bigler, Mrs. M. G. Schulze. B. E. Spencer, Mrs. L. B. Feather vs. V. P. Welch, Russell. L. C. Reynolds, Fred Henderson vs. Hugh Kiddy, Tom Ragsdale. Boone Barnett, Phillip Kranz vs. Oscar Samelson, Mrs. Laura Watson. J. A. Clayton, Mrs. Clayton vs. J. Terry, Owen.

TAXES

Taxes are paid in the sweat of every man who labors, because they are a burden on production.

If excessive, they are reflected in idle factories, tax-sold farms, and hence in the hordes of hungry tramping the streets and seeking jobs in vain.

Our workers may never see a tax bill, but they pay in deductions from wages, in increased cost of what they buy, or (as now) in broad cessation of employment.

Expenditures of Government from Pres.

There is not an unemployed man—there is not a struggling farmer—whose interest in this subject is not direct and vital.

CANDIDATE ROOSEVELT,
in an address at Pittsburgh, Oct. 19, 1932.

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General News Briefs

Thomas Jasosky, nineteen year old Newark probationer, who admitted writing six letters to Murray Levine, demanding $30,000 for the return of Levine's son, Peter, was held Saturday on $25,000 bail. Police said Jasosky denied committing the crime, but said he knew who did it.

Representatives of three states Saturday signed the tri-state Rio Grande compact, at Santa Fe, dividing the waters of the great river.

Elimination of the recent rabies outbreak in the Navajo Indian reservation in Arizona and New Mexico was reported Saturday by John Collier, Indian commissioner.

Republicans Monday annoúnced they were concentrating on 113 congressional districts in an effort to seat 113 congressmen in the November election in the northern and eastern states.

Declarations that Arthur E. Morgan, TVA chairman would reject any demand by President Roosevelt for his resignation were made Monday by his friends.

Japanese troops Monday failed to crack Chinese defense in a bloody battle along the ancient Grand Canal near Shanghai.

Scott P. Squyers, commander in chief of the Veterans of Foreign wars will arrive in Roswell this afternoon for his second visit to that city and will address veterans at a get-together meeting at Ingalls hall this evening.

Senator Dennis Chavez announced Tuesday he would support the "Anti-Tingley" ticket in the Albuquerque city election April 5th.

The senate judicial committee of the senate Tuesday offered its proposal to establish twenty-one new federal judgeships over the nation.

A government witness Tuesday in the trial of ten people charged with using the mails to defraud in the stock sale of the New Mexico Potash and Chemical Co., told the federal court at Albuquerque that 414,000 shares of the potash stock had been sold.

Eddy County Farm News

Fred Barham, county agent announced here yesterday that his office was getting in a few applications for payments under the 1937 ACP program.

Judge Garrett, assistant county agent met with the Artesia 4-H club boys here Tuesday afternoon and discussed a club project for another year. Arrangements were started for purchasing calves and pigs for the club members, who desire.

Ducks Start North Breeding Grounds

WASHINGTON, D. C.—"Wildlife Week," which is being celebrated over the nation this week, will see the vanguard of ducks and geese in coastal waters from Philadelphia northward on their flight to breeding grounds of the northwest. Also, the inland states are reporting a heavy flight, contrasted with recent years.

"We had a good flight last fall, the best in about seven years," said Ira N. Gabrielson, chief of the Bureau of Biological Survey, "and the flocks have held up in good shape all winter. Major calamities, such as big spreads of oil waste on feeding grounds, have not been reported. If there is no drouth in the prairie states, a marked improvement next fall can be expected. We have saved our capital stock through the crisis, and sportsmen in general have been understanding and cooperative."

Many ducks and geese have already left this section. There are still a large number on a sanctuary established on the E. P. Malone farm, in the Upper Cottonwood community.

Health Column

A good way to make thousands of tourists proud they came to Artesia and the Pecos valley is by a spring clean up and keep clean program.

In addition to the impression it makes on the tourist it will protect our children's health and the public's health. Our cafes, soda fountains and bars should give special attention to public drinking glasses, china and silverware. These glasses and dishes, if not properly washed and disinfected, may harbor a million trenchmouth, diphtheria, tuberculosis, siphilis or any one or more other saliva-borne disease germs that on an average winter day disable 1,500,000 Americans.

In many large cities new ordinances are being passed and enforced, requiring thorough disinfection of food and drink. In Brookyln, New York, thirteen restaurant owners accused of using improperly cleaned drinking glasses in their establishments, were fined $3.00 each.

We expect visitors from many of these cities.

We urge each operator to make his place of business so it will attract tourist trade. Many tourists are wise enough to make a quick inspection of the general appearance before deciding when to eat or drink.

WEBSTER TRIAL SET FOR APRIL 4

ALBUQUERQUE—Trial of Virgil G. Webster, charged with embezzlement of $21,000 of county funds during his term as chief deputy county treasurer, was set for Monday, April 4, in the district court, by District Judge Mabry Monday.

FLOWER SALE NETS $107.45

J. W. Kennedy, commander of Clay Green camp No. 7, of veterans of the Spanish-American war announced yesterday that the flower sale held under the auspices of the veterans here Saturday netted $107.45. Six ladies assisted in selling the flowers and included Audie and Ora Everett, Shirley Bartlett, Ruby Kennedy, Helen angell and Ada Kirkley.

The sale of flowers here was the most successful of any to be reported in the state thus far. Part of the proceeds go to the disabled veterans and part to the state convention fund.

The veterans are very appreciative of the cooperative spirit shown by the public.

NOTICE OF BOND ELECTION, ARTESIA NEW MEXICO, TO BE HELD APRIL 5, 1938.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at the general municipal election to be held in Artesia, New Mexico on Tuesday, the 5th day of April, 1938, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M., and six o'clock P. M., at the polling places designated for said municipal election, there will be submitted to such qualified electors of the City of Artesia as shall, in the year next preceding such election, have paid a property tax therein, the following question:

"Shall the Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, contract an indebtedness on behalf of the City and upon the credit thereof, by issuing the negotiable coupon bonds of the City in a sum not exceeding $30,000.00, for the purpose of building and constructing a municipal hospital in said City."

Ballots to be used in voting on the question submitted shall be prepared and furnished by the City Clerk to the Judges of Election, to be by them furnished to the voters, and ballots on the question submitted shall be deposited in separate ballot boxes to be provided by the City Clerk for such purpose. The election shall be held and conducted and the returns thereof shall be returned, canvassed and declared, as nearly as may be, in the manner prescribed by law for elections of municipal officers.

The Judges and Clerks selected to conduct said general municipal election shall conduct said bond election.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City Council has caused this Notice to be published. this 8th day of March, A. D., 1938.

H. G. WATSON,
Mayor.

ATTEST:
PAUL A, OTTS,
City Clerk.
(SEAL)

10-4t-13

OFFICIAL CALL FOR THE REGULAR BIENNIAL CITY ELECTION IN AND FOR THE CITY OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO AND NOTICE OF THE APPOINTMENT OF BOARDS OF REGISTRATION, JUDGES AND CLERKS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the regular biennial election for the purpose of electing a Mayor at large of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, to serve for a term of two years and for the further purpose of electing one alderman for each of the four wards, being Wards Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 respectively, in the City of Artesia, New Mexico, to serve for a term of four years and for the further purpose of electing one alderman for Ward No. One to serve for a term of two years, is hereby called and will be held on the first Tuesday in April, being the 5th day of April, A. D., 1938, as required by Law. Polls will be opened at 9:00 A. M. and closed at 6:00 P. M. on said date.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following persons have been appointed by the City Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, to act as Boards of Registration and the hereinafter named places be and are hereby designated as the places of registration in the respective wards.

FIRST WARD

BOARD OF REGISTRATION: T. E. Hinshaw; Mrs. Jno. Lanning; Howard Williams.

Place of Registration: Light Plant, 207 S. First Street.

SECOND WARD

BOARD OF REGISTRATION: Mrs. W. H. Gilmore, Mrs. Alva Hogsett; Mrs. Walter Nugent.

Place of Registration: City Hall.

THIRD WARD

BOARD OF REGISTRATION: Mrs. Dick Atteberry; A. C. Crozier; Mrs. P. V. Morris.

Place of Registration; Residence of P. V. Morris, 612 Richardson St.

FOURTH WARD

BOARD OF REGISTRATION: Lee Francis; B. E. Spencer; Mrs. A. Richards.

Place of Registration: Dunn's Garage.

The registration books shall be opened for registration of voters, beginning at nine o'clock A. M., on the 11th day of March, 1938, at the places hereinabove designated and will be closed at six o'clock P. M., on the 22nd day of March, 1938, but a certified list of the registered voters will be posted for a period of six days thereafter outside the door of the places of registration heretofore designated, during which time any person noticing that his or her name is not registered may apply to have the same added thereto, and placed upon said books, or the name of any person, who within said six days may be discovered not to be a legal voter may be stricken from the list by any member of the board of registration and at least one day before the day of election, such boards of registration shall make a revised list of the voters so found and determined to be entitled to registration and deliver the same to the City Clerk of the City of Artesia.

Any person who at the date of this election would be a qualified elector under the laws of this State for county officers and shall have actually resided in the City of Artesia for thirty days next preceding the election, and who shall be registered for such election shall be deemed a qualified voter.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the following persons have been appointed by the City Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, as Judges and Clerks to hold and to conduct the regular biennial election and the hereinafter named places, be, and hereby are designated as the voting places where said election shall be held as required by Law.

FIRST WARD

Voting Place: American Legion Hut.

Judges: Mrs. Morrison Livingston, Mrs. Jeff Hightower, T. E. Hinshaw.

Alternate Judge: J. H. Naylor.

Clerks: Mrs. Jno. Lanning, Mrs. Fred Cole.

Alternate Clerk: O. H. Brown.

SECOND WARD

Voting Place: City Hall.

Judges: Mrs. W. H. Gilmore, Mrs. Howard Whitson, Joe A. Clayton.

Alternate Judge: Bennie Jaurez.

Clerks: Mrs. W. Nugent, Mrs. Elva Hogsett.

Alternate Clerk: Mrs. Carl Lewis.

THIRD WARD

Voting Place: Central School.

Judges: A. C. Crozier, Mrs. A. P. Mahone, Mrs. F. G. Hartell.

Alternate Judge: O. R. Gable.

Clerks: Mrs. J. R. Atteberry, Mrs. P. V. Morris.

Alternate Clerk: Mrs. Paul A. Otts.

FOURTH WARD

Voting Place: Dunn's Garage.

Judges: B. E. Spencer, Mrs. Charles Gaskins, Mrs. Albert Richards.

Alternate Judge: Lee Francis.

Clerks: Mrs. Lloyd Simons, Mrs. I. C. Keller.

Alternate Clerk: Mrs. Clyde Guy.

I, H. G. Watson, Mayor of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, under and by virtue of the powers vested in me, do hereby issue the foregoing official call for the regular biennial City election.

H. G. WATSON,
Mayor.

ATTEST:
PAUL A, OTTS,
City Clerk.
(SEAL)

Done by order of the City Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, on the 8th day of March, A. D., 1938.

H. G. WATSON,
Mayor.

ATTEST:
PAUL A, OTTS,
City Clerk.
(SEAL)

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Review Editorials

By William E. Sloan

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Quality is one of the guiding influences of this firm. The merchants and consumers alike have learned this and rely upon them for a superior quality in the wholesale tobacco lines.

There is no more public spirited citizen in the community than the management of the Carter Tobacco Company and in making this review of this section of the state we wish to compliment them and to direct your attention to their establishment as one of the reliable business institutions of the community which has added to the development and progress of this part of the state.

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This is one of the worth-while enterprises of the city, rendering a most vital service in supplying the people of this entire section with beverages of the highest quality. Here you will find a modern equipped plant that would do credit to a city of much larger size. Here the latest improved methods are used and workmen of long experience produce the output that is meeting with such great favor with the people of this section.

Only the best materials are used in their products. Large amounts of money could be saved by subterfuge or substitutions, but this bottling works adheres to a single standard of service and excellence that is possible to reach.

Thru the strict application of this principle, this concern has built up a large business in this field and number among their customers a majority of the best firms, hotels, cafes, and lunch stands thruout the surrounding territory, and in their dealings with the public a spirit of fair treatment is so evident that it has well nigh become a hard and fast rule that once a customer, always a customer.

It is with a feeling of pleasure that the editor of this series of reviews gives this firm his warmest commendation, feeling assured that in product and practice they will not fall short of their present high standard.

Carlsbad Hardware & Lumber Co.

Builders' Hardware, Lumber and Building Supplies

Located 127 South Canyon Street in Carlsbad.—Telephone 5.

Their stock is made up of the very best lines of hardware. It is one of the principles upon which the business has been built that a piece of hardware sold by them must be the kind with which the customer will be thoroughly pleased.

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They carry a stock of hardware so complete that you can order the most with the best there is to be had in the hardware line. Anywhere you may turn in the large, commodious store in which they do business you will find an almost endless supply of the goods you are going to want whenever you want hardware. The system with which their stock is arranged enables them to give the quickest and most efficient service in filling the every need of their many patrons.

The store is in the hands of men who do not only know the hardware business from A to Z, but also know the needs of their patrons and endeavor to supply those needs. They are men you will like. The proprietors are men who have made their way in the business world by hard work, square dealings and careful attention to the needs of those with whom they deal. They have proven loyal to all things which promotes the best interest of the country, and their past reputation is your guarantee for the future.

YUCCA BAR

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Yucca Bar offers a large and complete selection of the best brands manufactured of wines and liquors. Their service is most complete.

When you know that you are securing the very finest quality of wines and liquors on the market and at the same time are purchasing from a home concern, you are combining good buying methods with knowledge that you are securing quality products for your money.

Their brands are popular because they only handle such as can be recommended to the people of this part of the country with confidence of giving wholesomeness and purity.

We could write many columns about this well conducted establishment, but suffice to say that the management of this popular institution has been able to render a service to the people in this line that is distinctly satisfactory. Real value at the most reasonable price possible has been the guiding influence of their policies and it has brought them trade from all the surrounding territory.

In closing we can say that Yucca Bar deserves credit for the high standard of excellence maintained in the business and is doing everything possible to give the best of service.

CARLSBAD NATIONAL BANK

The Bank of Personal Service—Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

Located 202 South Canyon Street in Carlsbad—Telephone 8.

This bank is under the direction of well known financiers who have guided this well known bank to substantial progress evidenced by the large business it enjoys and its enviable reputation for safety to depositors.

One of the institutions that gives stability to the financial and commercial interests of the country is this modern banking house. From the day that it first opened its doors to the people it has always been under the management of conservative, yet progressive men of broad and liberal views in the matter of caring for their patrons' needs, yet men who have carefully guarded the best interests of the depositors by demanding the fullest security and adhering to the cardinal law of finance. This invariable policy has gained for this well known bank the greatest confidence of the people of the surrounding country and among its customers you will find the majority of the community's most prominent men and firms.

The savings service is a great convenience to the people, and this is a perfectly safe place to keep money. Many people from the surrounding territory have found this a very desirable place to accumulate quite a fund for the proverbial rainy day.

In making this review of the onward progress of the community, we compliment the Carlsbad National Bank and its officers and directors, and direct the attention of all our readers to this strong financial institution.

AMERICAN BANK OF CARLSBAD

The Bank That Favors Savers—Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

Located 125 South Canyon Street in Carlsbad—Telephone 203.

They have been operating successfully in our midst and richly deserve commendable mention in this review for its part in furthering expansion and progress of the city and county, to the financial stability of the community and adds in the commercial, industrial and even social progress of the vicinity by rendering banking and finance embracing all features of the service. Under direction of widely experienced financiers, this bank has proven to be a great convenience to the people of this section generally, as it renders a metropolitan service in all financial matters. It is one of the important and essential features of the community which has given added growth and development of the city and has materially assisted in the upbuilding of the community and has become indispensable to the community.

It is a legally designed place for savings and pays interest on savings accounts. One dollar will renders modern, reliable and efficient service to its patrons will progress with its environment. This is quite true of the banking business and particularly true of this admirable bank. So well have they served the community that they have provided every convenience for their customers.

Any business or profession which start an account at this institution. It has always been known as strong, safe and conservative, and its history of long and continued service to the people in every walk of life makes it an attractive institution.

CAVERN BAR

Your Dependable Bar and Liquor Store, Package Goods, or Your Favorite Mixed Drinks

Located 126 South Canyon Street in Carlsbad—Telephone 75.

They invite the people of this and adjoining counties to make their bar headquarters while in town.

They carry one of the finest lines of wines and liquors to be found in this part of the state.

They have their stock well arranged for the rapid handling of orders thus assuring the buyers of the most prompt and efficient service.

They have a corps of workmen, each one of whom is a genius in doing and saying the accommodating thing to their customers. It is the rule and the principal of their business to do more for their customers than just sell them wines and liquors, and their customers appreciate this as much as they do the high quality brands.

They are always first with everything new in the wine and liquor lines.

Being large leaders they purchase their stock direct from manufacturers, thus effecting a tremendous saving which is passed on to the public in the form of moderate, payable prices.

The management is public spirited citizens, and has won the admiration of the entire community and in this review, we feel justified in saying that this is one of the most progressive concerns of its kind in this part of the state and we are not alone in this assertion for the many customers who have patronized them, have nothing but compliments and praise for them.

ELSON & COMPANY

Exclusive Wholesale Distributors Budweiser Beer, American Distilling Co. Products, Brown Foreman Whiskies and Anchor Liquor Co. Products to Southeastern New Mexico

Located 126 South Canyon Street in Carlsbad.—Telephone 104.

This is one of the leading establishments of its kind in this section. The purchase of alcoholic beverages becomes a matter that should be given close attention. With the great varieties on the market today the average person cannot acquaint himself with them all and it is human that he should patronize some one that can be relied upon to select good brands.

They have at this establishment a large stock and here you can secure your favorite wines and liquors from California, Kentucky and even Europe as their stock is large and of different varieties.

The reputation of this house for fair and honest methods has won for them an ever increasing patronage from people from all over this section of the country. We could write many columns and not tell you all about this well conducted establishment, suffice to say that you will not only find the best there is in wines and liquors but a service that is satisfactory in every way.

We wish to compliment them upon the high standard in which their establishment is operated and assure all readers that when they buy brands for which they are distributors they can be assured of the very best on the market today.

WESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY

LYLE M. BLOHM, Authorized Dealer Radios, Batteries, Tires, Tubes, Auto Parts and Accessories

Located 217½ West Fox Street in Carlsbad—Telephone 452.

Their stock is made up of the very best line of auto parts. It is one of the principles upon which the business has been built that auto parts sold by them must be the kind with which the customer will be thoroughly pleased.

Keeping this in mind they have filled their shelves to overflowing with auto parts and supplies for all model cars and trucks.

They carry a stock of auto parts so complete that you can order the most with the best there is to be had in the auto parts line. Anywhere you may turn in the large commodious store in which they do business you will find an almost endless supply of the goods you are going to want whenever you want auto parts. The system with which their stock is arranged enables them to give the quickest and most efficient service in filling the every need of their many patrons.

The store is in the hands of men who not only know the auto parts business from A to Z, but also know the needs of their patrons and endeavor to supply these needs. They are men you will like. The proprietors are men who have made their way in the business world by hard work, square dealings and careful attention to the needs of those with whom they deal. They have proven loyal to all things which promotes the best interest of the country, and their past reputation is your guarantee for the future.

SISTERS' HOSPITAL

Dependable Medical and Surgical Service

Located 109 South Guadalupe Street in Carlsbad—Telephone 237.

Civic pride in its business institutions is one of the important questions of the day with the inhabitants of all cities throughout the country. Therefore, the people of Carlsbad are doubly blest insofar as they have in their midst one of the outstanding hospitals in this section of the state. It is no wonder the city itself is proud of the Sisters' Hospital and that the management has been so successful in the operation thereof.

Here every want of the patient has been anticipated. Even the decorations have been chosen with a view to bringing cheerfulness to the patient. The ventilation, cooling, and heating arrangements are in step with the very latest ideals.

The diet kitchen is modern and up-to-the-minute and presided over by an expert dietician.

A staff of trained nurses who are efficient and pleasant at all times are tireless in their efforts to carry out the instructions of the medical department.

The physicians at this hospital have given their lives to the work and are truly experts in diagnosis, treatment and surgery.

It is always advisable to make reservations when possible, however, the emergency department is alert and ready to answer on a moment's notice.

The management are public spirited citizens and are always looking forward to opportunities to aid in every movement that points to a bigger and better community.

The editor of this series of articles feels he would be shirking his duty if he did not give his warmest commendation to this institution of which the public stands so much in need.

The Sisters' Hospital is deserving of your support, for only by the success of such home institutions is a community benefitted as a whole.

DAVIS TIRE EXCHANGE

Wholesale and Retail Federal Tires and Tubes

Located 307 West Greene Street in Carlsbad—Telephone 405.

They are splendidly equipped for the rapid installation of new tires for every make or model of auto and commercial vehicle, thus giving the local public a replacement and tire repair service second to none in this section of the state.

Strictly adhering to a policy of quality always, the firm has carved for itself a niche in public preference. Here one may purchase every tire need with the utmost confidence which is protected by the highest quality at the lowest possible price.

You are invited to comapre the various qualities of the Federal tires and tubes with any on the market.

Davis Tire Exchange carries a complete style range at all times that will fill the needs of every auto owner at a price that will be satisfactory to your purse.

The people of the surrounding territory can use the telephone for road service and be assured of the most prompt and reliable work.

Keeping pace with the rapid advance of the tire industry, the management is every ready to answer inquiries pertaining to this important phase of automobile transportation.

We take the opportunity in this review to compliment Davis Tire Exchange on the efficient service rendered the people and refer the establishment to all our readers when in need of up-to-date service and guaranteed satisfaction in tires and tubes.

W. L. McATEE & COMPANY

A Service Perfected By Years of Experience in the Architecture Business

Located in Artesia and Carlsbad. Main office in the Carter building in Carlsbad.—Telephone 469.

McAtee & Company are well known architects and well merit the large patronage which they receive from the surrounding territory.

The work of the architect is held in the highest regard in his relation to every phase of building endeavor, as it is to his creative ability, and oftimes to his artistic skill that the able realization of a beautiful and durable structure is accomplished. Before a spade full of earth is moved or a brick is layed every detail of the structure is planned by the architect for DURABILITY, ECONOMY and BEAUTY, showing the composite effects in every step of the new structure.

The city of Carlsbad is remarkable for the many and varied buildings of enduring beauty, where in many cases the architecture is furnished by McAtee and Company, who each year add to their prestige by new achievements in the field of modern homes and business buildings to be found throughout the state.

McAtee and Company has a large following and can be reached very easily by TELEPHONE, WIRE, or by WRITING the above address, where you will always find the most courteous service as expressed by the many people who have used their service in the past.

You will find the entire personnel consist of forward looking gentlemen interested in every movement that promises public improvement and sectional expansion, and we in this review feel no hesitancy in referring our many readers to these reliable architects when in need of this important professional service.

YORK BAR

BOB BREWER, Manager Retail Dealer in Liquors, Wines and Beer—Best Mixed Drinks in Town

Located 208 South Canyon Street in Carlsbad.—Telephone 418.

This is one of the most popular bars to be found in this section, rendering a complete Bar Service, offering the finest in Beers, Wines and Liquors, either in package goods or your favorite mixed drink. Here you will find a modernly equipped bar that would do credit to towns of much larger size. Here bartenders of long experience prepare the mixed drinks that are meeting with such great favor with the people of this section.

York Bar determined to handle nothing but the finest liquors, and this policy of quality first has won them a large patronage from all the surrounding territory. And in their dealings with the public a spirit of fair treatment and accommodation is so evident that it has well night become a hard and fast rule that "once a customer, always a customer."

York Bar is appointed most excellently, the ventilating and cooling arrangement is the best that can be secured and all sanitary precautions are taken for the health of the people.

While the service is rapid, there is no evidence of hurry and the customer is given all the time desired.

It is with a feeling of pleasure that the editor of this series of reviews gives this firm his warmest commendation, feeling assured that in product and practice they will never fall short of the high standard which is indicated in this article.

MONTGOMERY FURNITURE CO.

Quality Furniture To Furnish Your Home Complete At Reasonable Prices

Located 222 South Canyon Street in Carlsbad—Telephone 241.

This firm is one of the leading home outfitting firms of this section and because of its unequalled metropolitan service during the many years it has served the public has merited the large patronage it receives.

It may be well said that no business house transacting business in this section has maintained a better heritage or has a higher standing as a leading home outfitting establishment than this well known firm.

This time-tried and well conducted establishment is a store built on the plan that aims to give mutual pleasures, satisfaction and benefits, for it's the aim of the proprietors to make the life of the people worth while by supplying at reasonable prices the necessaries, comforts, conveniences and luxuries. The various articles have been selected by the proprietors with a view to perfection in three things—comfort, beauty and durability and embrace as a whole the most beautiful and durable furniture makers' art. It makes no difference whether it is a room you desire to furnish, the whole house or just a piece or two that you want, you can secure it here on the most favorable terms that the market affords.

The management is in the hands of prominent citizens who are thoroughly conversant with the business and always have been boosters for all things that promise improvement.

This is one of the most valuable commercial assets in this section—progressive, complete and up-to-date, serving the people in a very satisfactory manner.

CARLSBAD PHARMACY

Your Walgreen System Store At Truly Bargain Prices

Located 116 South Canal Street in Carlsbad.—Telephone 432 and 433.

This popular drug store has become a favorite trading center for out-of-town people while in the city shopping or marketing and the magnificent service rendered on all occasions points to an ever increasing patronage.

The management is in the hands of competent business men who have the onward progress of this section at heart and always first in any movement that points to public improvement and sectional expansion.

It's drug service is unexcelled in these parts and their store is so artistically arranged that the display of their merchandise is both attractive and helpful to the shopper.

It is their custom to offer special inducements to out-oftown-shoppers in the way of exceptionally well known brands of reputation.

This astute buying knowledge enables them to offer the pubile a profusion of merchandise in their line that would do credit to any of the larger metropolitan centers of the state, and for this reason their store has become a mecca for the people of this and adjoining counties.

In the proprietary line, it carries all the leading and well known brands and enjoys a large patronage in this department. In keeping with its progressive, yet reliable policy, it also carries a complete line of soaps, combs, perfume and cosmetics and everything one would expect to find in an up-to-date drug store.

Nationally known brands of candies and cigars of quality, are carried in great variety, and this department of the store makes it one of the social centers of the surrounding territory.

We are pleased in this review to direct your special attention to this store and also the satisfactory service rendered to all of the local and visiting people.

SEARS MOTOR COMPANY

Chrysler, Plymouth Sales and Service—Used Cars At Truly Bargain Prices—General Repairing To All Motor Cars

Located 205 South Canal Street in Carlsbad—Telephone 287.

The fact that they are always at the public's beck and call makes their service a vital element in every auto owner's life. It matters not what your road troubles may be, a ring will bring immediate service and service that is always pleasing and never surpassed.

In their repair department they have in charge at all times able and efficient mechanics who are not only mechanically trained but are geniuses in doing and saying the accomodating things to their customers.

In the parts department they carry only lines of proven quality, along with many staple accessories. All this superior service is rendered at most reasonable prices. We feel justified to say that their service is absolutely in line with sound business methods. We wish to state that they have been consistent boosters for the home community and interested in every movement that points to public improvement and sectional expansion. These progressive yet reliable policies all go to prove that they are out to render service to every owner of an auto and service unexcelled by any concern of like nature.

In this comprehensive review embracing as it does the community's most important and outstanding institutions, we can do no less than refer our readers to this garage for everything for the auto, and to take this means of wishing them many more successful seasons in our midst.

FARMER CUSTOMERS

Your Patronage Dividend is ready for you. Our earnings for the season just closed has been $46,794.34 clear of all expenses. Every one who has patronized us during the last year has a part in this sum of money and each one will get his part. The amount due you is being placed in your account as a credit. Any balances are due and payable in cash.

Artesia Alfalfa Growers Assn.

Oil Activity–

(Continued from first page)

Hartwell et al., Vandagriff 1, SE 8-18-27.
Drilling below 1,900 feet.
B. M. Keohane et al., Shannon 1, SE sec. 27-16-31.
Drilling below 3,470 feet, show gas at 3,225 feet.
Moran et al., Crawford and Smith 1, SW sec. 24-24-26.
Shut down at 842 feet.
Premier Petroleum Co., Beeson 1, SE sec. 28-17-30.
Drilling below 1,800 feet.
W. A Snyder, Pecos Irrigation 1 SE sec. 15-25-29.
Shut down for repairs at 3,297 feet, gas show at 3,295 feet.
Wills, et al., State 2-A, NE sec. 19-20-30.
Drilling below 1,425 feet.

Lea County

Continental Oil Co., Marsh 1, SE sec. 31-20-39.
Cleaning out at 4,346 feet.
Continental Oil Co., State 1, SW sec. 12-18-35.
Drilling below 3,350 feet.
Continental Oil Co., State 1-16, No. 1, NE sec. 16-18-35.
Location.
Getty Oil Co., Riggs 1, NW sec. 1-26-37.
Cleaning out after 260 quart nitro shot at 3,346 feet.
Repollo Oil Co., State 1, SE sec. 6-17-34.
Drilling below 1,861 feet.
Shell Petroleum Corp., State 1 NE 33-18-36.
Drilling below 3,830 feet.
Texas Company, Corbin 1, SW sec. 10-18-33.
Making swabbing tests at 4,820 feet.

Chaves County

Fisher, et al., Etz 1, NE sec. 23-7-26.
Running casing at 1,510 feet.
Grasdorf and Caudill, Smith 1, NE sec. 1-4-29.
Drilling below 675 feet.
J. & L. Drilling Co., Heard 2, SW sec. 11-11-26.

TALKS ON INTERNATIONAL LABOR AT ROTARY

J. Clark Bruce of the Artesia high school faculty was the principal speaker at the luncheon program of the Artesia Rotary club Tuesday and discussed the international labor organization, explaining the organization that was set up about the time the League of Nations idea was conceived to foster and promote closer cooperation and better feelings between the various labor organizations of the nations.

John Rowland, proprietor of the Atoka store was the only Rotary visitor in addition to Mr. Bruce.

Garden Seed In Bulk

Commercial fertilizer for lawns and gardens. (Two table spoons of commercial fertilizer required for one plant.)

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E. B. BULLOCK

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TALKING PICTURES On "EGGS"

This special educational film on "Eggs" in natural colors will be presented FREE at the Chamber of Commerce building, Saturday, March 26th at 3:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

AS AN ADDED ATTRACTION YOU WILL SEE THE FAMOUS PURINA LABORATORIES AND EXPERIMENTAL FARM. JUST LIKE MAKING THIS EDUCATIONAL TRIP.

These pictures are presented through the courtesy of

WILSON and ANDERSON

LOCAL PURINA DEALERS

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FOR SALE

Baby Chicks hatched twice a week. 25 lbs. of feed free with every 100 baby chicks ordered 3 weeks or more in advance. McCaw's Hatchery, 13th and Grand. 4-tfc

SHRUBS & TREES FOR SALE—Complete line of Evergreens, Rose bushes, Pecan and shade trees. Carlsbad Floral Co., McKay and Guadalupe, St., telephone 10. 5-tfc

FOR SALE—Pea green alfalfa hay. Four miles north and one mile west of Artesia on old highway. Ara N. Buel, phone O11F13. 9-4tp-12

FOR SALE—Two lots on South Roselawn, fifty-two by four hundred ten feet. Reasonable. See W. C. Martin at Advocate office. 9-tfx

FOR SALE—College Acala cotton seed, eligible to be certified. Sterrett Brothers, East Grand Plains, seven miles southeast Roswell, phone Red 18J3. 11-7tp-17

FOR SALE — A few sacks of clean alfalfa seed. G. B. Dungan, phone 348R3. 12-1tp

FOR SALE—Six year old work mare, weight about 1150. Glenn L. Williams, 6 miles N. W. Artesia. 12-1tp

PIANO—New Spinet type. Due to a most unusual circumstance we have for sale a beautiful Spinet type piano—terms. Might consider storing with responsible party with reference, if not sold. Write Ginsberg Music Co., Roswell, N. M. 11-6tc-16

FOR RENT

Cottage for rent: Wired for electric lights and piped for gas. Phone 137. 12-1tc

FOR RENT—New modern small house, block south new high school building. See Dr. Cornett, phone 294. 11-3tp-13

WEEK END GUESTS VISIT MR. AND MRS. C. J. DEXTER

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Henderson of Midland and former Artesia residents, and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus G. Smith of San Antonio, Texas were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter this past week.

On Saturday evening, Mrs. Dexter entertained her guests with a birthday dinner party. Guests for the occasion were her house guests, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Wallingford, Mrs. Lena Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hornaday and Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bigler. After the very lovely dinner served by the hostess, the guests had an evening of pleasure singing and playing the piano.

New Phillips Service

Corner First and Richardson

A modern Service Station for the modern motorist. All new modern equipment with every convenience you would expect to find at the modern station.

Will be opened shortly after April 1st. Watch for opening date

Roy Langston, Proprietor

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WARRANTY DEEDS—
D. R. Surles to Floyd T. Gilbert, lot 6, blk. A, Moore subd.
Ysidro Munoz vs. Latin American District Council in the U. S. A. of The Assemblies of God, Inc. Lot 2, blk 9, Loving.
C. P. Pardue to Ysidro Munoz, lot 2, blk. 9, Loving.
Ivan Skeen to Eunice Callison, north 1/3 of NWNW 28-22-27.
Vialris M. Gimenes to Susano Nino, lot 4, blk. 3, Chisum add., Artesia.
A. T. Woelk to Beatrice B. Woelk, WNWSW 3-17-26.
Wayne W. Stoll to Avis C. Wiggins, lot 10, blk. 96, Stevens 2nd addition.
T. W. Carter to H. G. Watson, lots 1, 4, 5, 8, 9, 12, blk. 17, Morningside addition to Artesia.
Pecos Valley Trust to W. P. Godfrey, a strip 80 feet by 150 feet between lot 2, blk. 83 and lot 14, blk. 80, Lowe addition.

LIS PENDENS—
No. 6641. R. T. Hoover & Co. vs. Mrs. B. L. McClure to foreclose chattel mortgage, lots 4, 5, 12, sec. 2-16-25.
No. 6663. Mabie Lowrey Hdw. Co. vs. Mrs. B. L. McClure. To establish ownership and to foreclose judgment lien on lots 4, 5, 12, sec. 2-16-25.

AFFIDAVIT—
D. W. Runyan SW 3-17-26.
F. J. Keleher, SENW, ESW 13-17-30.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT—
No. 6661. Violet Minnick vs. John C. Minnick. Divorce.
No. 6662. Joe A. Clayton vs. Nora B. Clayton. Divorce.
No. 6663. Mabie Lowrey Hdw. Co. vs. Mrs. B. L. McClure, Oscar Pearson, Sam Watkins and Big Jo Lumber Co. To foreclose judgment lien: lots 4, 5, 12, sec. 2-16-25.
No. 6664. Agnes Leonard Edwards vs. Henry A. Edwards. Divorce.
No. 6665. T. F. Wilson and Allie Wilson vs. A. W. Wilkinson, et als. Lots 1, 2, 7, 8, sec. 5-16-25. Suit to quiet title.
No. 6666. Clyde Owens vs. Vivian Owens. Divorce.
No. 6667. Viola Pettitt vs. Huston Pettitt. Divorce.
No. 666. Tommy Schnaubert vs. Violet M. Schnaubert. Divorce.
No. 6669. Ted Bishop vs. Oliver Scoggin, et als., WNW 32-17-23. Suit to cancel contract.

Roy Langston was an El Paso visitor Tuesday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Jones Tuesday.

Mrs. S. A. Zumwalt of El Paso, Texas spent from Saturday until Monday here visiting her sisters, Mrs. Hal Hamill and Mrs. Blanch Clark, who is ill and the Hamill home and other relatives.

Bert Muncy, sophomore at Baylor university, returned to school this week after spending the between term holidays visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Muncy, Sr., here.

Howard Stroup returned yesterday from a short business trip to Los Angeles, California. Mrs. Stroup and baby went with him as far as El Paso, Texas where they visited her parents until his return.

STILL IS FOUND NEAR CARLSBAD

The days of stills and homemade whiskey still are here.

Late Monday, Lonnie Parker, investigator for the federal alcoholic tax unit, accompanied by city and county officers, raided the home of Manuel Elizando in La Huerta, suburb of Carlsbad and confiscated a still, two barrels of mash and twelve gallons of whiskey.

Arraigned before J. M. Dillard, commissioner, Elizando pleaded not guilty and was bound over for action of the federal grand jury.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses were issued Saturday and Sunday to four coupless by County Clerk Rude Wilcox. Receiving licenses to wed were: Arthur H. Lewis, of Laredo, Texas, and Kathryn Connell, of Amarillo; Mike Sedberry and Mabel west, both of Carlsbad; Hobart E. Carter and Betty Jean West, both of Monahans, Texas, and John Travis Yates and Irene Vivian Dremor, also of Monahans.

TALKING PICTURES ON "EGGS," SATURDAY

Saturday, March 26th, a free talking picture show in natural colors will be presented at the Chamber of Commerce building, through the courtesy of Wilson and Anderson, local Purina dealers. Two shows will be given, one at 3:30 and one at 7:30 p. m. As an added attraction, moving pictures of the famous Purina laboratories and experimental farm will be shown. Last year over 7,500 people from all parts of the nation paid their own expenses to see the Purina headquarters. At the free show Saturday you can make this interesting trip right in your own community.

Early Lamb Crop

The early spring lamb crop of 1938 in the principal early lambing states is at least fifteen percent larger than the small early crop of 1937, according to reports received by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. The condition of early lambs about March 1 was exceptionally good in all areas, much above the condition a year earlier and above the average for March 1st.

Weather and feed conditions up to March 1 have been favorable in nearly all of the early lambing states—a sharp contrast with the situation during the early months of 1937 in some of the states.

Present conditions indicate that the marketing of early lambs before July 1 this year will be materially larger than to that date last year, and that the average quality of the lambs will be much better. Marketings before July 1 of grass fat yearling lambs from Texas, however, are expected to be considerably smaller than the record marketings of last year.

Elk-Mountain Sheep In Guadalupe Mts. Recent Survey Shows

Recent survey of game conditions in the Guadalupe mountains disclosed elk and mountain sheep, Elliott Barker, state fish and game warden, told about forty sportsmen who attended a dinner at Carlsbad last week at the annual meeting of the Eddy County Game Protective association, at which the official was the principal speaker.

The meeting was arranged by the association, of which W. C. Moody is president.

Barker, who made the game survey in the Guadalupes, was assisted in the work by Walter Pinson, Carson, sheep ranger, Robert T. Boone, U. S. Forest service game specialist for New Mexico and Arizone; John Gatlin, state director of the U. S. Biological Survey; and Curtis McElroy, district deputy game warden of Texas.

All of these men and L. O. Carmen and Ralph Olson of the federal fish hatchery at Dexter were among those who attended the sportsmen's dinner at Carlsbad.

Among the subjects discussed after the warden's talk were: Seven-day deer season in the Guadalupes; special fishing licenses for non-residents at $1.50 for three days; full-time deputy for south part of Eddy county; planting catfish from the Canadian river in areas of Dayton, McMillan, Beach lake and the Pecos south of Carlsbad; keeping current year fishing licenses on sale until close of the season; bringing partridge to this section. No action was taken on any of the subjects.

The Guadalupe mountain bat cave which was recently ballyhooed as being larger than the Carlsbad caverns, can be seen for $1.00. A sign erected not long ago on a cow trail leading off Slaughter canyon bears the sign that the new wonder can be seen at this price.

ENGRAVING—THE ADVOCATE

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DR. LOUCKS GARAGE

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Eat plenty of Betsy Ann bread for quick and sustained energy. You'll like the fine flavor of this wonderful bread. Best of all you can get our bread and pastry products OVEN FRESH.

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Bakers of the Delicious and Wholesome

BETSY ANN LOAF

WEEK END SPECIALS!

AIRWAY COFFEE
1 lb. pkg. 16c
3 lb. pkg. 47c

Canterbury TEA ½ pound cello 19c

Stokely's Golden Bantam No. 2 can CORN 11c

Scott TISSUE 3 rolls 23c

Six Delicious Flavors JELLO 5c

Fontana Pure Egg 1 pound cello NOODLES 10c

3 pound pail Snow Drift .57c

Libby's Tomato JUICE 46 oz. 22c

Market Specials In Quality Meats

Kraft's ASSORTED CHEESE 5 oz. jars. 19c

Stamped Baby Beef Sirloin Steak ...lb. 25c

Wilson's sliced BACON 1 lb. cello 28c

Pickled PIGS FEET pound 15c

Valley Brook OLEOMARGARINE pound 17c

All Meat BOLOGNA pound 18c

Creamery BUTTER pound ...33c

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

California Red Ball 288 size 2 dozen ORANGES .19c

Texas 96 size—dozen Grapefruit .29c

Texas Full pint Strawb'ries 14c

California vine ripened 2 lbs. Tomatoes ..19c

Florida Red Bliss 4 pounds SPUDS 19c

California Yellow SQUASH pound ...10c

Large BANANAS 4 lbs. .19c

Calif. 5 doz. size LETTUCE head ..7c

Kitchen Kraft FLOUR 48 pounds ..$1.63

Lux SOAP 3 for 19c

Ivory SOAP large size 10c

SAFEWAY