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War Bond Sales At Rally Yesterday Total \$53,775

Ninefold Line Attack to Be Used in School

County Educators Meet Here Tuesday to Discuss Plans for This Cooperation in War Effort.

A ninefold line of attack to be made in the schools by way of cooperating in the war effort and training the young people for entry into the armed forces and industry was explained to Eddy County educators at a conference at the Artesia High School Tuesday morning, conducted under the direction of J. L. Burke, superintendent of J. L. schools and chairman for Eddy, Lea and Chaves Counties.

The conference grew out of a national conference of educators of every state and representatives of the War and Navy departments in Washington last month, the purpose of which was to obtain the full cooperation of the schools and colleges of the nation in support of the war effort.

At that time the nine lines of attack were outlined to the educators, who in turn conducted statewide conferences and planned the program for the several states. New Mexico representative educators met in Santa Fe Sept. 9 with the State Board of Education and at that time called on the schools for cooperation.

The meeting here Tuesday was attended by representatives of the municipal and county school systems, all of whom are prepared to cooperate.

The nine lines of attack, as being stressed over the nation: Mathematics, with problems drawn especially from aviation, navigation, mechanized warfare and industry; industrial arts courses related to war needs, with particular emphasis on operation of machine tools; automobile mechanics courses in cooperation with local garages, with emphasis on operation and maintenance of trucks and tractors; practical courses in cooking and sewing; physics, stressing mechanics, heat, radio, photography and electricity; health, sanitation and physical development for all (continued on last page, column 5)

Lions Bring in A Large Amount Of Scrap Iron

More than twenty-five tons of scrap iron was brought in Friday by Artesia Lions Club members in that organization's participation in the Army's scrap metal collection campaign, which opened last week and will continue through next Wednesday.

G. E. Kaiser, chairman, said the club is anxious to help clean up all the available scrap at this time and has set a goal for 90 per cent of the ultimate.

The twenty-five tons of scrap brought in Friday was in addition to more than 170 tons collected this month up to last Thursday, and a number more tons have been brought in since.

In the pick-up Friday, the club had the cooperation of the city, county, state, Soil Conservation and Central Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc., each of which gave the use of a truck.

Oil companies cooperated by gathering their scrap and breaking it up so it could be handled easier.

Barney Cockburn, oil operator, had scrap from his leases gathered and taken to Maljamar, where it was handy for the volunteer workers.

BUS STATION TO BE OPEN AT ALL HOURS

Mrs. C. O. Fulton, manager of the local bus station of the New Mexico Transportation Company, announced this week that the station now is open at all hours.

She said Miss Dorothy Huey has been added to the force.

Wade Kimbrough, who operates the Kimbrough farm, located south-east of the city, was called to El Paso for physical examination the first of the week, for induction in to the army.

MYSTERY OF THE MISSING SLUG

One of those unexplainable mysteries of the print-shop took place here yesterday, when we made the first run.

No one knows how it happened, or where the missing Linotype slug went, but the first line of the eleventh paragraph of the editorial, "Looks Like It's Here Now," disappeared.

It probably happened in making up, for that paragraph tops the second double column, but the slug is gone and cannot be found.

Just in case anyone is interested, that paragraph according to the proof of the editorials, should start off: "Now let's suppose that Joe has twenty producing wells, each—"

Now you can take out from there—if interested.

Death Comes to Mrs. Burle Wells Tuesday Morning

Mrs. Burle G. Wells of Albuquerque, 42, died Tuesday morning in a Carlsbad hospital of a heart ailment, from which she suffered since last Jan. 2. Although she had been in the hospital two weeks, her death was unexpected and sudden.

Funeral services are to be from the First Baptist Church of Artesia at 3 o'clock this afternoon by the Rev. S. M. Morgan pastor. Burial will be in Woodbine cemetery.

There survive Mrs. Wells her husband; a son, Truman Wells, who is to report on Friday for induction into the Army; a daughter, Miss Dorothy Wells, at home, and nine brothers and five sisters, of whom four are here for the service today, Arvel Mann, Plainview, Tex.; Otis Mann, Abilene, Tex.; Mrs. Tony Eskue, Hope, and Mrs. B. W. Faulk, Artesia.

As Susie Belle Mann, Mrs. Wells was born at Canton, Tex., June 20, 1900. On Oct. 31, 1920, she married Mr. Wells at Wells Point, Tex. To them were born the children mentioned.

The family moved in 1925 to West Texas and lived at Plainview until 1934, when they moved to Artesia, where they have lived since.

At that time Mr. Wells was employed as foreman on the National Livestock Company ranches in the Guadalupe Mountains, which position he still holds. His mother, who lives at Fort Worth, is here for the funeral and his sister, Mrs. Neil Parker, lives here.

Mrs. Wells joined the Baptist Church with the other members of the family when they lived in Van Zandt County, Texas, and she moved her membership, to the First Baptist Church of Artesia, when the family moved here.

Eight Completions, All Producers, in Fields of County

Three New Locations Are Staked During Week in Eddy

Completions headed the oil news in Eddy County the last week, eight being reported from the various fields, while three new locations were staked.

The completions: Barney Cockburn, Etz 11, NW SE 35-16-30; total depth 3,184 feet; flowed 70 barrels of oil in eight hours through open tubing after shot.

Continental Oil Co., State 2, SW NW 36-16-30; total depth 3,020 feet; flowed five barrels per hour through choke on tubing, natural.

Grayburg Oil Co., Burch 7-B, SW NE 23-17-29; total depth 2,881 feet; flowed 206 barrels in 23 hours through choke on tubing after acid.

Sanders Bros., Leonard 5-E, NE NW 4-17-30; total depth 2,936 feet; flowed 237 barrels in 24 hours through tubing after shot.

Sanders Bros., Leonard 6-E, NW NW 4-17-30; total depth 2,952 feet; flowed 58 barrels per day through open tubing after shot. (continued on last page, column 2)

Roswell Roms On Bulldogs 25 to 0 Here Last Friday

Scores in All But Second Period, When Downpour Empties Stadium Seats

The Roswell High School Coyotes, outweighing the Artesia Bulldogs, ran their way to victory on Morris Field here Friday evening 25 to 0, scoring in three quarters, while the score for the second quarter seems to have gone to the weatherman.

During that period, the two teams fought through a deluge, so heavy at times it was nearly impossible to see across the field. As it started to sprinkle in the opening quarter, many of the less hearty spectators left the stadium, which was emptied during the wet second. However, a number of the fans drifted back to the stands for the second half.

Midway in the first quarter Raymond Ayalla, Coyote fullback, made the most spectacular run of the game, sixty-seven yards, for a touchdown, crossing the Bulldogs' goal-line standing. Another fifty yards for a touchdown was added in the same period by W. C. Coleman, right half for Roswell, who also was on his feet when he crossed the line. Neither attempt for extra point was good.

Coleman scored again in the third and fourth quarters. His tally in the third was on a spinner through the Artesia line, after a twenty-eight-yard canter had set the visitors up for the play on the four.

A criss-cross from the Artesia twenty-eight-yard line carried Coleman across in the fourth period for the final touchdown.

Luther Lund then cantered around right end for the extra point. The Coyotes depended entirely on power and speed to win, never taking to the air, while the Bulldogs attempted the pass route several times, but with no success.

The Bulldogs have no scheduled game for this week, but again will meet a Roswell team here Friday of next week, when the New Mexico Military Institute Colts are scheduled to play.

Seventy-Five Tons Hay and Barn Burn On the Rogers Place

About seventy-five tons of hay and a 40x80-foot hay barn were destroyed by fire of unknown origin on the Charles Rogers farm southeast of Artesia about 7:30 o'clock Friday morning.

The loss also included about four tons of corn and 1,500 pounds of cotton fertilizer.

A threshing machine was saved, when it was pulled from the blazing barn by two pick-up trucks, hitched in tandem, and driven by Mr. Rogers' son, Russell Rogers, and Ivey Coor.

Mrs. Keith Quail expects to leave Friday by plane for Camp Roberts, Calif., for a visit with her husband, who is in Army officer's training.

Carlsbad Game Is Rescheduled For October 9

C. D. Marshall, principal and athletic director of Artesia High School, announced this morning an attempt is being made to squeeze the curtailed grid schedule into October, so as to eliminate the open weeks occasioned by cancellations and open dates.

Carlsbad, originally scheduled to meet the Artesia Bulldogs in the Cavern City on Nov. 13, has consented to moving the date up to Friday, Oct. 9, which was an open date for both teams.

At present an attempt is being made to have the game here with Lovington, originally set for Thanksgiving, rescheduled in October, possibly on Oct. 23 or 30, both of which are open for the Bulldogs.

Marshall announced that anyone holding a stub for the game last Friday against Roswell may use it for admission to the Institute game Friday of next week. Many persons left Friday because of the downpour of rain.

Col. J. D. Atwood Legion National Vice Commander

Col. J. D. Atwood of Roswell, formerly of Artesia, a past New Mexico department commander of the American Legion, was elected one of the five national vice commanders at the annual national convention in Kansas City this week.

The New Mexico man headed the list of five vice commanders. Roane Waring of Memphis was named national commander.

Col. Atwood, a corporation lawyer, is one of the best known Legionnaires in the Southwest and has been quite active in affairs of the Legion. He is a full colonel in the Army Reserve Corps and is a past district governor of Rotary International.

A veteran of World War I, Col. Atwood entered service as a captain in command of the National Guard Company at Artesia, and was discharged as a lieutenant-colonel after the close of the war, in which he saw active combat duty in France. Just prior to the war he had served on the Mexico border, during the Villa disturbances, from June 29, 1916, to April 5, 1917. Less than three weeks later, on April 24, 1917, he again was called into active service in the World War. He was discharged May 27, 1919, and since that time has been active as a reserve officer.

Charles Morgan of Artesia, national executive committeeman from New Mexico and a past department commander of the Legion left Tuesday last week for Kansas City to attend the convention, which convened Monday and adjourned Wednesday.

'Kids' Rodeo' Is Planned by Goat Ropers Oct. 25

Plans are under way here by the Artesia Goat Ropers Club for a "Kids' Rodeo," something never given in Artesia before, to be at the arena Sunday, Oct. 25, for boys and girls not more than 17 years old.

At present eight events are planned, with a possibility more may be added later, if enough girls enter to warrant having special features for them. Or girls may enter the regular events and compete with the boys.

In addition there will be one added event for men, a \$10 jackpot roping contest, to which the club has added \$25 in prize money.

Miller Ammons, who is in charge of the rodeo, said that boys and girls entering must have the consent of their parents, as shown on the entry blank, which is printed elsewhere in this issue of The Advocate and will appear each week until the date of the "Kids' Rodeo."

Anyone wishing to enter should fill in the blank and mail it to Ammons. Although entries will be received up to Saturday, Oct. 24, the day before the rodeo, Ammons asked that as many as can be sent to him as promptly as possible, so he and the committee may arrange the various events.

The entry blank lists as events: Calf roping, a catch contest, in which the loop must be over the calf's head; calf riding, for contestants not more than 14 years old; stake race, open to all ponies; Shetland pony stake race; Shetland pony race; 100-yard race, open to all ponies; novelty race, open to all contestants, and belled calf catching, for teams of two.

May Register Until October 3 to Vote in General Election

R. A. Wilcox, deputy Eddy County clerk, pointed out this week that persons otherwise qualified to vote in the general election Nov. 3 have until Oct. 3 to register.

Citizens may register any week-day at the clerk's office in the courthouse in Carlsbad, but they must have registered on or before Oct. 3 in order to vote at the fall election.

Wilcox also announced that 4,327 persons voted in the party primaries Sept. 12, according to the official canvass of votes by the county commissioners. Of the number, 4,102 voted at the Democratic primary and 135 at the Republican.

Miss Juanita Denton returned Saturday from a two-week vacation spent in Santa Fe and Las Cruces.

While Albuquerque Air Force Band Instills Pep, North Eddy Countians Attack the Axis

Are Joy-Riding to Defeat in Useless Waste of Rubber

Currier Warns Replacements of Tires Only Granted When Rules Obeyed

The rubber situation is becoming more and more acute and the monthly quota for New Mexico will be reduced each succeeding month, George S. Currier, local member of the Eddy County rationing board, said this morning after receipt of a bulletin from S. M. Graf, state director of the Office of Price Administration, in which he deplored the continued habit of joy-riding to defeat instead of moving toward victory.

Currier and other members of rationing boards were charged by Graf with scrutinizing even more carefully than heretofore the applications for new tires and recapped and retreaded tires and to supplement that scrutiny with information from every possible source, which will have a bearing on every applicant's right to a certificate for the purchase of tires and tubes.

The local board member quoted a paragraph in the recent Baruch committee report on the rubber situation. It reads:

"Tires on civilian cars are wearing down at the rate of eight times greater than they are being replaced. If this rate continues, by far the larger number of cars will be off the road next year and in 1944 there will be all but complete collapse of the passenger cars in America."

That statement, said Currier, should be memorized by every driver in the nation, or better still, pasted on every windshield.

"We find the existing situation to be so dangerous that unless corrective measures are taken immediately, this country will face both a military and civilian defense," the report reads in part.

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Date Defense Show, 'It Can Happen Here,' Is Changed to Oct. 8

The tentative date for the presentation of the civilian defense demonstration, "It Can Happen Here," to be presented at Morris Field, has had to be changed from Friday, Oct. 9, as the Artesia-Carlsbad football game at Carlsbad, originally scheduled for Nov. 13, has been shifted to that date. It was thought a number of local people would attend.

The presentation probably will be Thursday evening, Oct. 8.

Work on the script is going ahead and cooperating local organizations are working out their parts and demonstrations.

Mrs. William Dooley is in Kansas City taking care of property interests. She expects to be away for several weeks.

Brother of J. W. And Willis Berry Dies in Georgia

Clifton Berry, brother of J. W. and Willis Berry of Artesia, died in Savannah, Ga., at 10 o'clock Monday morning from injuries sustained Wednesday of last week in an accident while on a defense job at Savannah. A crane broke and Mr. Berry was struck and fatally injured.

The brothers here and their wives left Monday afternoon for Savannah. Funeral services were to be Wednesday, but it was not learned here whether at Savannah or at Pine Bluff, Ark., from where Mr. Berry and his family recently moved to go into defense work.

Mr. Berry is survived by his wife; three children, G. W., Frances and Clifton, Jr., at home; his mother, Mrs. G. W. Berry, Pine Bluff; three brothers, J. W. and Willis Berry, Artesia, and Ferd Berry, Santa Fe, and three sisters, Mrs. Bernice Simpson, Miss Lola Berry and Mrs. Homer Tinner, all of Pine Bluff.

MUST NOT PASS SCHOOL BUSES

A warning was issued this week in regard to motorists speeding past school buses, which have stopped to pick up or discharge children, who attend school in Artesia.

The practice has been especially noticeable on Highway 83 east of Artesia, on which route there are two school buses serving the oil field communities.

It is a serious charge to pass—let alone speed past—a parked school bus, the officers said, and they warned that arrests will be made if the practice does not stop. Some drivers, they observed, are driving on that highway at excessive speeds at all times, instead of staying under forty and conserving rubber.

Heart Disease Fatal Here to Mrs. C. V. Moore

Mrs. Helen Sarah Moore, 33, wife of C. V. Moore, died at Artesia Memorial Hospital at 1:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon of heart disease, from which she suffered several years. After an attack Sunday night of last week, she was taken to the hospital. There she suffered a second attack Saturday, from which she did not recover.

The body, accompanied by Mr. Moore, left Saturday night for DeLeon, Tex., where funeral services and burial were early this week.

Mrs. Moore was born in Lancaster, Pa., in 1909. She and Vernon Moore were married in Baltimore, Md., in 1930. They had no children.

The last few years they lived in Texas and moved to Artesia in July of this year, when Mr. Moore was employed by the Grayburg Oil Company.

WITTKOPP IS PLEDGED DELTA CHI AT ILLINOIS

Leland Wittkopp, Artesia boy who graduated last spring from New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, has been pledged to Delta Chi, social fraternity, at the University of Illinois, according to a letter received Tuesday by his mother, Mrs. F. L. Wilson, and Mr. Wilson.

He was introduced to the fraternity by A. L. Bert, editor of The Advocate, a member of Delta Chi at Illinois in the early '20's.

Boys-Girls Annual Poultry Show Will Be Here Saturday

Many Prizes Offered—Exhibited Fowls to Be Auctioned in Afternoon

The list of prizes for the annual boys' and girls' poultry show at the vocational agriculture department of Artesia High School Saturday, sponsored by the Future Farmers of America, with the cooperation of the Chamber of Commerce, was announced this week by Charles Wallis, vocational agriculture instructor and sponsor of the FFA.

The regular prizes total \$25.50 in cash, besides which Artesia merchants have contributed \$18 in cash and many other gifts to be distributed as additional prizes by the sponsors.

Awards will be made on three breeds of chickens, Wyandottes, White Rocks and Rhode Island Reds.

For the best cockerel and best pullet in each breed first prizes of \$1.50 will be given and second prizes will be \$1. Three prizes are offered for the best pens of each breed, \$2 for first, \$1 for second and 50 cents for third. (continued on last page, column 2)



H. E. Ansley Tops List of Purchasers, Buying \$11,000 Worth — Two Next Are for \$10,000 Each, Including Board.

PRIZES ARE GIVEN

Are Auctioned Off With Bond Bids Flying in Fast Order.

North Eddy County went over the top yesterday afternoon, when \$53,775 in War Savings Bonds was subscribed at a huge rally at the corner of Main and Roselawn in Artesia.

The sale surpassed by far similar rallies in the state, the previous record of which was held by Grants, where \$37,500 in bonds was subscribed. At Roswell Tuesday evening the total subscription was about \$19,000.

Topping the list of purchasers here yesterday was H. E. Ansley, who bought \$11,000 worth of bonds. Two \$10,000 purchases were made, one by the board of education and one by an individual, who would not permit the use of his name. The Artesia Alfalfa Grower's Association invested \$5,000 in a bond.

The rally was one of a series being staged over the state with the band of the 31st Army Air Force, Albuquerque, furnishing the entertainment. This splendid musical organization, under the direction of S/Sgt. Bennett A. Shacklett, played between sales and dedicated one number to Mrs. Noia Tidwell, mother of two boys in Bataan, who was introduced to the crowd by Lt. Howard K. Finch, public relations officer for the band and one of the masters of ceremonies at the rally.

The other master of ceremonies was Lt. Steve J. Lasieur. Also here for the rally were Charles Alsup, Albuquerque, publicity director of the state war savings staff, and R. R. Hinkle, Roswell, zone coordinator. (continued on last page, column 6)

Rotary Club to Sponsor Course Lectures Here

The Artesia Rotary Club will sponsor an "Institute of International Understanding" during the winter months, it was announced at the weekly luncheon Tuesday by A. P. Mahone, president.

The institute will be similar to one sponsored by the Roswell Rotary Club two years ago, some of the four lectures of which were attended by members of the local club, who were enthusiastic about the splendid quality of the discussions.

No plan was announced immediately for financing the course of lectures. However, it was intimated they will be open to the public.

J. Hise Myers was in charge of the program, with a paper on "Vocation," in which he stressed that when the young men go to war, it is for the people at home, through their vocations, to do all in their power to back them up.

He said the days of profits are over for the duration, but that is a small matter, when one considers what is to come.

Floyd D. Golden, president of Eastern New Mexico College, and J. L. Burke, superintendent of J. L. schools, spoke briefly along the lines of the message they brought to Eddy County educators at a meeting here Tuesday morning, and as related in another news story today.

COCKBURNS SCORE ON HUNTING TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Cockburn and a party of about fifteen persons are having good luck on a hunting trip in Wyoming, according to reports coming into Artesia—at least Mr. and Mrs. Cockburn are. It is understood that Mrs. Cockburn killed an elk and Mr. Cockburn a bear, while the party has venison and other game in camp.

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SETTLING AN ESTATE, MODERN STYLE

We think up the darndest things sometimes.

You all remember the fight in some family, which this will bring to mind, when the old man died and left 200 acres for the five kids and they couldn't decide which one would be forced to take the north forty—the one which was worthless.

Well, think of a fellow dying and leaving five offspring and his old whoopee. It would be bad enough to decide who would get which of the four—but not too good—tires. But who would want that old spare with the three boots in it?

EXTENDING THE LEGION TO WORLD WAR II

As this is written Monday, the American Legion is balloting in Kansas City at the annual national convention on the question of opening the organization's membership to persons in the armed forces during World War II.

Although there are many arguments both pro and con, and the extension of membership might defeat the original purpose of the organization, we feel that the present is a continuation of the previous war—a war which we did not complete—and therefore members of the armed forces might be considered comrades.

We believe the American Legion should and will so find and will open the gates to the younger generation of the defense of democracy.

APPLYING THE GOLDEN RULE

We made a suggestion a few weeks ago that it would be a splendid thing for citizens of Artesia to do all they can to make visitors in uniform feel at home and to show them a bit of hospitality, by taking them to their homes for meals.

It was pointed out that almost any evening and every Sunday numerous boys from Roswell are seen here, having drifted into Artesia just by way of something to do—and when they arrive there is nothing special to do. So they just stand on the street corners and look bored and homesick.

That editorial brought forth more favorable comment than any we have pecked out for many a day.

But we have heard of not one case of anyone carrying out the suggestion!

Now we are told of several visiting soldiers attending church services here and then being allowed to go their own way. Our informant, who had a legitimate excuse for not inviting them to go home with him, said that under ordinary circumstances he would have taken the whole shebang to his humble table for a share in Sunday dinner, but that on that particular Sunday it could not be done.

And he noted that no one else stepped forward to make the boys happy, fill their bellies with good, home-cooked grub and forget for an hour that they are far from home and lonesome.

Perhaps there have been many instances in Artesia when the suggestion has been carried out, and we hope so. But none has come to our attention.

If the idea was good a few weeks ago, when we first made it, and when a number of readers gave us friendly pats on the back with the remark that it was great, then it still is a good idea. And we hope it receives a little more attention on the part of Artesia citizens.

Put yourselves in the shoes of the boys in uniform, away from home and friends, set down in a strange section and with very little to do when on leave, and then apply the Golden Rule.

We'll wager it will make you happy, as well as the boys.

LOOKS LIKE IT'S HERE NOW

"We will get you if it takes ten years."

That is what Russell B. Brown, general council for the Independent Petroleum Association of America, charges one of the "top men" in the Treasury group told him a few days ago in regard to an amendment to the tax bill, which would reduce the present depletion allowance by about 50 per cent!

Brown says, "That was an unfortunate statement. I sincerely hope that it was not deliberate."

And so do the oil men. And so does everyone else who understands anything about the oil business and its problems.

We were discussing with a local independent oil man the proposal of cutting the depletion allowance and he cited us an example, hypothetical, but nevertheless a fair and conservative picture, by which one of the many problems facing the industry was brought home.

Our friend, the independent operator, said that depletion allowances are necessary if any operator can afford to continue his operations and hope still to be in business after the war—or for its duration, as far as that goes.

Suppose, he said, that Joe Doakes, alleged to be a prosperous local producer, has sufficient assets to borrow the money to drill a well. By way of a round figure, let's say the well costs \$20,000. In order to have made the loan, Joe must have agreed to pay off the loan at the rate of 75 per cent of the monthly oil run and to pay 4 per cent interest on the borrowed money.

Then if Joe gets a well—which the loan does not guarantee—he begins to figure out where he stands.

With a daily allowable of thirty-three barrels, or 1,000 barrels a month, Joe will have a gross income from the well of about \$1,000 a month. Sounds pretty good, doesn't it? But let's see!

Using round figures—and conservative at that—Joe would have to figure monthly \$750 for the bank, \$125 in state or federal royalties, a probable sixteenth override of \$62.50, at least 10 per cent, of \$100, in other taxes, lease expenses of \$25 and interest on the loan of \$3, making a total of \$1,065.50. Joe, you see, is \$65.50 worse off than if he hadn't drilled the well. Lucky, wasn't he that the well happened to be a producer?

having a net income of \$300 a month, after deductions. This would be \$72,000 a year for the wells, income tax on which would be \$50,000 or more.

Poor, Joe! He'll have to dig up a whale of a lot of money somewhere, and surely not from his oil wells.

In the meantime, Joe has to live and put up some sort of front as a leading citizen.

But what about depletion? Without a substantial allowance, Joe cannot expect to drill more wells. Nor can he be certain of having anything left on which to live next year, or the year after. And he cannot keep on paying his banker, according to the way this thing figures out. And his present wells will go dry sometime.

We believe that the Treasury "top man" who made that crack, "We will get you if it takes ten years," might have said instead, "We've got you now, and we'll put you out of business if it takes ten years."

But it won't take ten years! And long before that time is up, unless something different is done, producers will be out of business.

Then where will the petroleum come from for the war? And who will produce it during the reconstruction period?

That is just another manifestation of the coming economic revolution! Will it be National Socialism, that against which we fight?

CHURCHES

SHERMAN MEMORIAL CHURCH (Oilfield Community)

Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
Prayer meeting and choir practice, 7 o'clock Wednesday evening.
Mrs. G. W. Walker, Superintendent

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Committed to the Ministry of the Word of God
Corner of Grand and Roselawn
Sunday Services
Bible school, 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
Mission Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.
Training Union 7 p. m.
Evening worship, 8 p. m.

Weekly Services

Wednesday: Prayer and Bible study, 7:30 p. m. Bring your Bibles and study not about but the Bible.
Thursday: W.M.S., first and fourth Thursdays; circles second and fourth Thursdays; brotherhood, third Thursdays.

S. M. Morgan, Pastor

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock each Sunday morning; classes for every age group.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock; special music by the choir.
Epworth League, 7 o'clock.
Evening worship 7:30 o'clock.
Visitors and friends of the church are always welcome. Newcomers are invited to visit our services and to make our church their church home while in the city.
L. L. Morgan, Th.D., Pastor

MEXICAN METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Preaching services, Monday at 7:30 p. m.
Everyone is welcome to these services. Even if you do not speak Spanish, you will feel at home, for the Spanish-speaking people enjoy having you and will extend a spirit of courtesy.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

307 South Seventh Street
Evening prayer and sermon, every Sunday, (except the first), at 8 o'clock. Confirmation instruction, every Sunday (except the first), at 5 o'clock. Holy Communion at 8 o'clock on the Monday morning after the second Sunday in each month. Public cordially invited to worship with the congregation.
Rev. Joseph H. Harvey, Vicar.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Seventh and Grand
Sunday Services
Bible study, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
Young folks' meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Regular services, 8:30 p. m.
Mid-Week Services
Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.
Ladies' Bible class, Thursday, 3 p. m.
Men's training class, Thursday, 8:30 p. m.

A. F. Waller, Minister

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m., sermon subject: "Concerning the Word," text, Matt. 13:13: "Because they seeing see not; and hearing they hear not, neither do they understand."
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m., subject: "Go Forward." Leader, Ralph Shugart.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. This will be the installation service for the pastor-elect, the Rev. J. Basil Ramsey. Dr. William S. Dando, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Carlsbad, will be presiding and will preach the installation sermon and will propound the constitutional question. The Rev. Harry Cox of Roswell will then deliver a charge to the pastor. The Rev. LeRoy Thompson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Roswell, will deliver the charge to the congregation.
Laymen's meeting, Friday, Sept. 25, call meeting, dinner and fellowship hour, 6:30 p. m. Dr. A. B.

Keeler, secretary, Board of National Missions, and group traveling with him, to be speakers. This is open meeting for men and women.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sixth and Quay
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Communion service and sermon, 10:50 a. m.; theme, "The Safety of the Ships."
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.; theme, "The Second Coming of Christ."

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Fifth and Quay
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Church services, 11 a. m.
N.Y.P.S., 7 p. m.
Mid-week prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.
Cottage prayer meeting, Friday, 8 p. m.
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Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evening worship, 7 p. m.
Weekly Services
Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p. m.
C. A. program, Friday, 7 p. m., special music and songs.
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CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS

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Sunday school at 10 a. m. Sunday and preaching service at 8 p. m. Everyone is invited to worship with us. No collections.
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Crop Season Profitable In Mountain Areas, Prices About Usual

Vegetable growers in the Sacramento Mountain section are experiencing an unusual year with crops and prices both above the average. Several carloads already had been shipped to Texas and Oklahoma points last week and County Agent Floyd Bailey of Alamogordo estimated that 350 carloads of vegetables alone will be shipped from the Mayhill, Cloudcroft and High Rolls-Mountain Park vicinities.

The cooperative associations recently organized in the mountain communities have been a boon to farmers this year, Bailey said. Crops, heretofore moved out by trucks, are now being marketed in carload shipments, more than 90 per cent being handled by the co-operatives. It is expected that the Fruit Cooperative Association will handle 125,000 bushels of apples and shipment of these will start within the next week.

Farmers and fruit growers, however, are faced with a shortage of labor and a meeting was called, at which it was decided the Otero County War Board and the Employment Service, will cooperate in trying to solve the labor problem.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mann returned last Thursday from taking their daughter, Miss Janice, to Baylor University at Waco, Tex., where she enrolled for her first year. They visited relatives in Dallas and other points in Texas on their return trip.

of righteousness is life; and in the pathway thereof there is no death." (Prov. 12:28.)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science text book: "To divest thought of false trusts and material evidences in order that the spiritual facts of being may appear,—this is the great attainment by means of which we shall sweep away the false and give place to the true."
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Wednesday services, 7:30 p. m.
Saturday services, 7:30 p. m.
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FIFTEEN YEARS AGO
(From The Advocate Files for Sept. 22, 1927.)

Cattle and sheep in this region should go into the winter in good condition. The ranges, however, are not as good generally as a year ago.

Approximately 250 applications for water rights in North Eddy County have been filed. More than 800 have been filed in the Pecos Valley.

Fred Cole declared that the old-time songs are coming back. "After the Bawl" is a popular song at his house now, he says.

W. E. Ragsdale is making plans to open an office in Pyote, Tex. He will continue to make his home in Artesia, however.

The re-assembling meeting of the P. E. O., after several months of vacation, was at the home of Mrs. J. B. Atkeson Friday.

The Fortnightly Bridge Club began functioning again this week, after the summer vacation. The meeting was at the home of Mrs. C. R. Blocker, with Mrs. Albert Richards assisting.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linell and their little granddaughter, Peggy, motored to Roswell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shugart and daughter, Jane, spent Tuesday in Roswell.

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GOT SCISSORS? WANT TO CUT THESE OUT?

Lambs love to be coupled with mint and lamb salad (leftover cold lamb with such as celery, green pepper, onion, etc., mixed in) is much the better for the addition of plenty real mayonnaise to which has been added some mint jelly.

Meringue-minded? Why not, when you can, turn out toppers for pies so easy as beating up a trio of egg whites until stiff as a best man's bosom, adding a half-cup karo and beating like everything until it stands in peaks reminiscent of the Rockies. Top a pie, top a tart, bake it a bit in a slow oven. Result: best meringue you ever didn't use sugar in!

Huckster's cry of berries . . . any kind berries . . . becomes a sound you can stand to hear if you realize you can whip up a berry dessert as quick and as fast as your bank balance lowers. Just procure for your own-self a package (or more) of that famous gingerbread mix based on the Washington family's own pet recipe. Mix it as it tells you to on the package, put the berries on top and over all an unmemorable float of whipped or ice cream. 'Tis to dream.

Comes the deluge with pleasure when it's a real shower of real mayonnaise onto your melon, fruit, vegetable salads. Mislead not yourself; real mayonnaise is real, is all fresh vegetable oils, eggs, spices, vinegar and seasonings with no starchy filler—the real McCoy!

Beginning or end of the day, you want something lively, something cool—well, don't you? How about an icy-cold dish of grapefruit sections, right out of the can you've put (previously) into the refrigerator. In Florida where they come from, no breakfast is worth a hoot unless grapefruit starts it off. Nighttimes eat from a frozen canful you've put in the freezing compartment of your refrigerator; makes a sort of handy ice you'll like with meat courses too.

Fool your public and make them fancy your tastes. What an idea, all you do is procure a loaf of bread (unsliced). You remove the crusts, you cut it almost through lengthwise once (leave about a half-inch from bottom of loaf); then cut the loaf crosswise the same way about four times. This you put in a baking pan. Then you melt vitaminized margarine, not forgetting that vitaminized margarine contains 9,000 USP units of vitamin A per pound. In with the melted margarine you add some celery or poppy seeds—enough to show up well. You pour all this over the cut-up bread (sides and middle too) and bake it in the oven (moderate—350° F.) until loaf is brown and toasty, about 15 minutes. Serve it all together, let each guest pull off a piece of good "home-made" (?) bread.

Fresh feesh? Caught any? Well then catch yourself a sauce for it to make your Izaak Walton proud of his prowess (and you). Mix a tablespoon of chopped pickle, a tablespoon of chopped olives, and a half cup of chopped parsley together. Then! Add three tablespoons chopped Brazil nuts (there's the touch) and mix the whole works into a half cup of real mayonnaise. Serve with fish or if no fish, then with cold meat, soft shell crabs, pot roast—going to be particular?

HITCH YOUR SALAD TO A STAR

You needn't be an astrologer to make or eat this star salad, and there's an indication of better health in your horoscope when Vitamin "C" (so richly found in Florida's canned grapefruit), is a daily item in your diet. Try this:

Florida Star Salad

One No. 2 can Florida grapefruit sections, lettuce or other salad greens, 2 pimientoes (cut into strips), 4 ripe olives, real mayonnaise.

Arrange sections of canned grapefruit on bed of lettuce to form a star. Lay strips of pimiento between sections and halved ripe olive in center. Serve with real mayonnaise, slightly thinned with grapefruit juice. Serves 4.

SSSH . . . S & S ARE!

Summer squash and shrimp are swell together, know that? That little white summer squash which is in your market turns into a dandy dish if you proceed thus:

Squash-Shrimp Croquettes

Three medium-size white summer squash, ¼ cup boiling water, 1 egg, 1 cup canned shrimp, shredded; 1 cup sifted flour, 1 teasp. all-phosphate baking powder, 1 teasp. salt, oil for cooking.

Peel squash, if necessary. Cut in cubes, put in a saucepan with boiling water; cover, cook 'til tender. Remove from heat, drain, mash, measure. There should be about 3 cups pulp. Put into a mixing bowl; cool. Add egg, beat well; mix in shredded shrimp. Sift dry ingredients and add to squash, mix thoroughly. Oil a frying pan or griddle. When heated, put several spoonfuls on griddle and cook until

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U. S. Treasury Department

Mrs. Lockett Trigg, who has been employed in the offices of Malco Refineries, Inc., left the first of the week to return to her former home in Amarillo, Tex., where she has been employed in a munitions factory. Her small granddaughter, Shirley Jean Young, was sent to Amarillo and enrolled in school there the first of September.

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FOR THAT REUNION

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Message by Morgan Appears in Current Church Publication

More than a million readers, including thousands of Uncle Sam's boys in the armed service and nationals in many lands, will draw spiritual inspiration from a devotional message written by the Rev. I. L. Morgan, pastor of the Methodist Church in Artesia, from his message in the current issue of "The Upper Room," probably America's most widely read book of devotions. Invitations to contribute to The Upper Room are extended to outstanding leaders and on account of the book's popularity are accounted a high honor.

Dr. Morgan's meditation for Sept. 23 is based on Rom. 12:1, "I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service." A brief com-

ment on the Scripture, a prayer and a "Thought for the Day" comprise the devotion.

Not only will Mr. Morgan's meditation be read by more than a million subscribers in American homes, but thousands of copies of The Upper Room go to corrective and benevolent institutions. Soldiers and sailors receive individual copies in red, white and blue envelopes. There is a special edition printed in Braille for the blind, and foreign language editions are issued in Spanish, Portuguese, and Hindustani.

"The call of loyal devotion is a 'reasonable service,'" says Dr. Morgan in his message, "based upon love for God and man. Toward God this love is expressed in worship and toward men unselfishness. How quickly this would, if practiced, end war between nations and conflict and strife between classes and persons!"

Keep 'em firing—with junk!

Filed for Record

WARRANTY DEED—

E. H. Bunting to Mrs. Martha Goodman, part of lots 9 and 11, block 18, Clayton & Stegman Addition, Artesia, \$1, &c.

TAX DEED—

State Tax Commission to E. M. Crouch et ux, lot 13, block 33, Fairview Add., Artesia, \$35.65.

Mrs. James H. Sharp and children of Los Angeles, Calif., left Saturday after a visit of a month with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sharp.

Mrs. Earl Darst returned last week from Temple, Tex., where she underwent major surgery a few weeks ago.

New Orleans normally is the greatest banana port in the world.

Eva Tanguay, the boisterous, frizzle-topped "I don't care girl" of the heyday of vaudeville, is 64 years old and still hopes to come back. Not to her \$7,000-a-week whirlwind dancing act, she explained, but just to "sing a little song that may bring a little joy and happiness to the sadness of these war-torn days." But she has a long way to go. For four years she has been bed-ridden from painful arthritis. "Today I am fighting harder than ever to get back on my feet," she said. "I know this will come about. I have the will to live." One of the wildest hoydens the stage has ever known, the Eva of an earlier day shook her blonde ringlets and kicked her silk-sheathed legs to such effect that she accumulated \$2,000,000. She lost most of it in the 1929 crash, and at one time there were reports that she was destitute. However, she is now occupying a unit in an attractive, palm-shaded cottage court in Hollywood and apparently not in want.

The Indian Dischidia, a climbing plant, has leaves that develop as pouches and roots that grow inside the leaves.

SLAP THAT JAP!



BUG SWATTERS cost money!

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SAFEWAY Homemakers' Guide

NUMBER 62 ★ Special menus for war workers ★ Lists of foods that save you

money for five big days ★ Sue tells Lou something new about shopping



If there is a war worker in your home you should read this

Split shifts, box lunches and dinners eaten at breakfast time, make care in menu planning doubly important. To keep your war worker healthy and strong, alert and efficient on the job, with steady nerves that help him maintain the wartime pace yet relax away from the job, you need to know and practice the rules of menu planning and nutrition.

In planning, see that your worker gets a balance of "protective foods"—liberal amounts of milk and cheese, fruit and vegetables, meats, fish, and poultry, eggs and whole grain and enriched breads and cereals. Then make sure that you give him enough energy-building foods, desserts and other treats which will give him pleasure in eating as well as renewed vitality.

Here are three balanced, easy-to-prepare, and easy-to-eat meals to serve the worker who may be eating dinner at breakfast time, lunch at midnight or brunch in mid-morning.

DINNER AT BREAKFAST TIME

Hot or Chilled Tomato Juice
(According to taste and weather)
Creamed Ham and Hard-cooked Eggs
on Enriched White Toast
Baked Potato Buttered String Beans
Additional Buttered Toast
With Jam or Jelly
Chilled Melon or Fruit Cup
Oatmeal Cookies
Coffee or Milk

LUNCH AT MIDNIGHT

Piping-hot Vegetable Beef Soup
Roasted Bacon and Tomato Sandwiches
on Whole Wheat Toast
Applesauce Relish
Cup Custard or Ice Cream
Milk

MID-MORNING BRUNCH

Orange or Grapefruit Juice
2 Eggs Scrambled
Country Sausage Patties
Broiled Tomato Halves
Hot Rolls Butter and Jelly
Canned Peach Halves or Baked Apples
With Cream if desired
Coffee or Milk

More About Nutrition

Read the article "Nutrition in the Headlines" in this week's Family Circle for more ideas on menus for better nutrition, budgeted buying and interesting meals. Family Circle is out every Thursday. FREE at Safeway.



Safeway Homemakers' Bureau JULIA LEE WRIGHT, Director

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SPRECKLES SUGAR, 10 lb. bag . 65c
PORTALES CORN MEAL, 10 lb. bag white . 35c



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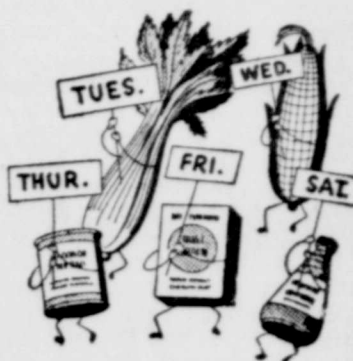
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Ask three or four of your neighbors to join you in shopping early in the week—take turns driving. Not only will you save tires but you'll be able to shop more leisurely and have more time to play on week-ends, if you get your big grocery order on a week day. Safeway's specially low advertised prices, you know, are now good Tuesday through Saturday—every week.

Society

Miss Florence Hebert Is Bride Of Lawrence Carrell Saturday

In a candlelight service at the First Baptist Church in Artesia, at 8 o'clock, Saturday evening, Miss Florence Josephine Hebert, the daughter of Mrs. Hazel Hebert, and Lawrence Carrell were married. The Rev. S. M. Morgan, officiant, read the ring ceremony.

Miss Helen Hebert, sister of the bride, and Jimmy Keith were the attendants of the bridal pair. Others witnessing the ceremony were Mrs. Hebert, mother of the bride; Oscar Burch and his son, Walter, uncle and cousin of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Rell Johnson, Mrs. Frank Herbold and Mrs. Jimmy Keith.

Miss Hebert chose for her wedding a smart, dusty, pink, wool jersey frock, with which she wore brown accessories and a corsage of white carnations. She attended public school in Corsicana, Tex., and also the University of Texas in Austin for four years, after which she joined her mother and sister in Artesia about a year ago and since the first of this year has been employed at the New Mexico Eastern Gas Company office in this city.

Mr. Carrell, who has made Artesia his home for the last seven years and who has been a valuable employee of the New Mexico Eastern Gas Company during that time is now rural and pump district manager, in charge of the main gas lines leading into Lake Arthur, Hagerman, Dexter and Roswell.

Sunday evening a beautiful reception was held at the Oscar Burch home at 711 Grand Avenue with the bride's mother and uncle, Mrs. Hebert and Mr. Burch, as hosts. More than 100 guests registered in the bride's guest-book.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Hebert, wearing a modish, black velvet, informal gown and a corsage of white carnations, the bride, Mrs. Carrell, attired in a becoming black garberdine suit with white blouse and a corsage of white carnations; Mr. Carrell and Miss Helen Hebert, who wore a two-piece black, fall ensemble, trimmed in gold beehives, and a pink carnation corsage.

The Burch home was attractively decorated with baskets and bowls of orchid flowering plants and white powderpuff dahlias.

Mrs. A. P. Mahoney, Mrs. Roger Durand, Mrs. Rell Johnson and Mrs. Garland Rideout poured at different periods at a lace-covered table, on which a pink and white color scheme was used. The beautiful centerpiece was pink carnations in crystal, with white tapers in crystal holders. Spiced tea and coffee were served with dainty individual white cakes decorated with delicate pink roses. Others assisting in serving were Mrs. Riley Dixon, Mrs. Carl Lewis, Mrs. Floyd Springer, Mrs. Cecil Mitchell and Mrs. O. T. Mayes.

The bride-elect was complimented by "The Gang," of which her sister, Helen, is a member, Friday evening at an informal surprise shower at the R. N. Russell home, with Miss Juanita Russell hostess.

After work Friday, Miss Hebert was invited across the street to the Russell home and upon arrival found a lovely shower of bridal gifts on display. Light refreshments were served. Members of "The Gang" in attendance were, Misses Hattie Ruth Cole, Barbara Lynch, Martha Wallingford, Mahalee Wright, Jackie Hubbard, Velma Springer and Helen Hebert and the hostess, Miss Russell.

Mr. Carrell and his bride are at home at 502 South Second Street.

Miss Charlse Burditt And Carl Hollis Wed

Announcement was made here this week of the marriage of Miss Charlse Burditt, a teacher in Hope School, and Carl Hollis last May 30.

Miss Burditt, daughter of Mrs. Bessie Burditt of Chicago, is a graduate of the Artesia schools with the class of '35. She is also a graduate of Sul Ross State Teachers College at Alpine, Tex., where she has been teaching in the public schools since graduating, and recently has been employed at Hope school.

Mr. Hollis was employed by the Zachry Construction Company in Laredo, Tex., until called into active service of the U. S. Army last week.

APPLES BEING HARVESTED

Beginning this week winter apples are being harvested at my farm. Call and take your choice at reasonable prices. Plenty of cider on tap. Bryant Williams, Hope, N. Mex. 36-tfc

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Social Calendar

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THURSDAY (TODAY)

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

Baptist Woman's Missionary Society, "Royal Service" program and business meeting, at the church, 2:30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Kongential Kard Klub, Mrs. M. A. Lapsley, hostess, 7:30 p. m.

Past Noble Grand Club, Mrs. W. H. Cobble, hostess, 7:30 p. m.

Call meeting of the Past Matron's Club, at the O. E. S. hall, 7 p. m.

H20 Bridge Club, Mrs. J. Hise Myers, hostess, 2 p. m.

MONDAY

Past Matron's Club, Mrs. J. M. Story, hostess, at the O. E. S. hall, 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Abnormis Sapiens Bridge Club, Mrs. Ralph Shugart, hostess, 2 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Red Cross Instructors Club, Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., hostess, at the Woman's Club house, 4 p. m.

THURSDAY [NEXT WEEK]

Christian Woman's Council of the First Christian Church, all day meeting at the church, 10 a. m.

Methodist Society of Christian Service, Laura Bullock Circle, in charge of program, Gladys Dixon Clark, hostesses, at the church, 2 p. m.

Fortnightly Club at Martin Home Tuesday

Mrs. Leslie Martin entertained the Fortnightly Bridge Club at a buffet luncheon Tuesday.

Substituting guests were Mrs. Paul Hanger, Mrs. Curtis Bolton, Mrs. P. V. Morris, Mrs. Neil Watson and Mrs. Fay Hardeman, with Mrs. W. S. Cooley, El Paso, luncheon guest.

Members present were Mrs. William Linell, Mrs. John Lanning, Mrs. Albert Richards, Mrs. C. R. Blocker, Mrs. Charles Martin, Mrs. Lewis Story and Mrs. R. M. McDonald.

Mrs. Watson held high score of the afternoon.

Kongential Kard Klub At DeLouche Home

Mrs. L. A. DeLouche was hostess to the Kongential Kard Klub Friday afternoon.

Substituting guests were Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Sr., Miss Katherine Walterschied, Mrs. A. G. Glasser and Mrs. A. B. Sloan. Members present were Mrs. W. J. Cluney, Mrs. Andy Company, Mrs. M. A. Lapsley and Mrs. Earl McDorman.

After the rounds of bridge the hostess served refreshments. Mrs. Sloan received high score award. Mrs. Glasser, second and Mrs. Clarke, low.

A Junior AWVS Is Organized on Friday

About twenty-five members enrolled in the Junior AWVS, which is being sponsored by the senior members, with Mrs. A. L. Bert, vice chairman, in charge, at a meeting Friday evening at the High School auditorium.

All girls who are sixteen years of age and in high school are eligible for membership. Junior members are now drilling with the seniors on Tuesday evenings under the direction of Sgt. Frank Smith of the State Guard.

The next meeting will be Monday afternoon after school at the high school auditorium. All girls who wish to become members are invited to attend the meeting.

MRS. BLOCKER OFFICIALLY VISITS ARTESIA O. E. S.

Mrs. Stanley Blocker, grand district deputy, made her official visit to the Artesia chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star at a regular meeting Tuesday evening at the lodge hall.

After the business meeting Mrs. Blocker conducted an interesting quiz. Preceding the meeting a covered dish dinner was served to thirty members.

Mrs. Ray Carter left Tuesday for Dallas, Tex., where she will visit her mother, Mrs. S. M. Green, and brother, Joe Green.

Reports From Departments in Red Cross Work

Home Nursing

All departments in the Red Cross have been active this week, with reports on work by chairmen.

Mrs. Phillip Kranz, chairman of home nursing, announced that nineteen have enrolled in the class, which meets each Tuesday and Friday afternoon at the high school and is instructed by Sister Scholastica.

Those enrolled are Mmes. J. L. Brown, Harold Crozier, M. C. Francisco, Landis Feather, C. E. Mitchell, Max Stephens, Kirk Yeager, Elsie Hayhurst, David Simon, R. O. Jacobs, Ulas Golden, James Dew, Austin Stuart, C. M. Castleberry, R. O. Anderson, Gene Roberts, Charles Rayan, D. M. Allen and Nola Tidwell.

Mrs. Kranz said several more still may enroll in this class by Friday. She also added that anyone, who was unable to attend this class in the afternoon, may enroll in one which will be in the evening and is to be started soon. It is hoped that at least twenty-five or more will enroll for each. They may do so by calling Mrs. Kranz at 234.

First Aid

Mrs. Ralph Roberson, Jr., chairman of Red Cross first aid, said classes in standard, advanced and junior are ready to be started as soon as a sufficient number of persons are enrolled.

Eleven instructors are now ready to start classes. Mrs. Roberson said each class should have at least twenty-five members. Everyone who has not already taken the standard and advanced courses is being urged to enroll, so classes may start at once. Those wishing to take the courses may call Mrs. Roberson at 420.

Staff Assistance Corp

Mrs. Hugh Parry reported a number attended the first meeting of instruction of the Staff Assistance Corps at the Woman's Club Friday evening.

Anyone wishing to volunteer her services must attend the next meeting which will be at 7 o'clock Friday evening at the city hall.

Mrs. Parry said arrangements for the Red Cross office to open at the hotel were almost complete and an announcement would be made in next week's paper.

Workers For Red Cross

Workers are needed badly for rolling Red Cross surgical dressings. Anyone who wishes to offer her services may call Mrs. Fay Hardeman at 316.

REBEKAH LODGE MEETS ON MONDAY EVENING

About twenty members of the Rebekah Lodge met Monday evening at the lodge hall for a regular meeting.

After the business Mrs. W. S. Hogsett and Mrs. W. H. Cobble, co-hostesses, served refreshments.

Miss Maxine Bunting, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bunting, who has been employed in a defense industry at Pasadena, Calif., for the last few months, arrived home Wednesday of last week. Miss Bunting is employed at the Henson Public Accounting office.

Women May Enlist In Navy or WAVES

New Mexico women desiring to enlist in the Women's Reserve of the U. S. Naval Reserve, popularly called the WAVES, can now obtain enlistment applications by writing for them, the Eleventh Naval District announced.

Letters requesting application blanks should be directed to the Office of Naval Officer Procurement, Naval Reserve Armory, 850 Lilac Terrace, Los Angeles, Calif.

Naval district officials said that candidates for enlistment must be more than 20 and less than 36 years of age, have no children under 18, meet physical qualifications, and be high school graduates.

Minimum height standard is five feet and minimum weight is ninety-five pounds.

It was explained that pay for enlisted women in the Navy will be exactly the same as that for men in the same rating.

The monthly base pay scale follows: Apprentice seamen \$50, seamen second class \$54, seamen first class \$66, petty officers third class \$78, petty officers second class \$96, petty officers first class \$114, chief petty officers (acting appointment) \$126, and chief petty officers (permanent appointment) \$138.

In addition to base pay, women will receive either their board and room, or, if no naval quarters are provided, \$82.50 each month for rental and food allowances.

District authorities said that the first group of 1,600 enlisted women will be trained at Indiana University, the University of Wisconsin, and Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College.

All the women, it was explained, will begin training as apprentice seamen, and will receive ratings and pay commensurate with their experience and ability when they have concluded their basic instruction.

At the University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis., 500 women will take a four month's course in radio communications. Indiana University, Bloomington, Ind., and Oklahoma A. and M., Stillwater, Okla., will be utilized to train 1,100 yeomen.

Naval officials emphasized that women who have special knowledge in civilian life in any of the following fields are especially desired by the Navy.

General clerks, secretaries, stenographers, duplicating machine operators, typists, file clerks, bookkeepers, warehouse clerks, stock clerks, radio operators, teletype operators, simplex and multiplex operators.

The Past President's Parley Has Luncheon

Mrs. Raymond Bartlett was hostess to the Past President's Parley at a 1 o'clock luncheon Monday with Mrs. J. B. Muncy co-hostess. The house was decorated with many lovely fall flowers. Covers were laid at a long luncheon table for all members of the Parley and one guest, Mrs. Oren C. Roberts.

Mrs. Frank Smith presided at a short business meeting. Members present were Mmes. Earl Darst, Fred L. Jacobs, Frank Linell, Irvin Martin, Alex McGonagill, P. V. Morris, Ben Prior, S. O. Pottoth, Albert Richards, Frank Smith, Zane Smith, Lewis Story, J. M. Story, Jesse L. Truett and C. R. Vandagriff.

Mrs. Hayes Speaker Literature Division

Mrs. Ralph Hayes was guest speaker at a meeting of the Literature Division of the Artesia Woman's Club at the home of Mrs. Grady Booker Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Hayes gave a splendid re-

College Briefs

Goes to University

Miss Ann Crouch, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Crouch, drum majorette, will march in front of the University of New Mexico band of Albuquerque this fall. Miss Crouch, who has won high honors in national scholastic tournaments during the last two years, enrolled at the university last week as a freshman.

Activities at E. N. M. C.

George Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Webb, a junior at Eastern New Mexico College, Portales, was elected a representative on the publications boards at the college. Clyde Dunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn, is one of the nineteen students at the college who have been appointed to the library staff for this year.

Homecoming at the college has been scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 3, which will be combined with the inauguration ceremonies for President Floyd D. Golden. The annual homecoming football game was not scheduled for this year, as has been the usual custom.

Enrolls at Denver

Miss Josayle Bunting, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bunting, enrolled at the Colorado Women's College, Denver, as a freshman last week.

FROZEN FOODS SERVED AT DINNER PARTY THURS.

Frozen foods were served at a dinner party at the Artesia Hotel last Thursday evening when Dave Price, general sales manager of Price's products, and Frank Wilson, sales manager of frozen food department, each of El Paso were here to demonstrate frozen foods. Covers were laid for employees of Price's Creameries Inc., members of firms handling frozen foods and a member of the newspaper.

After dinner a movie was shown by Mr. Wilson, showing each step taken in the fine selected foods for freezing. By special request Mr. Price showed a personality film entitled "Getting Honey Instead of the Sting" which was very much enjoyed.

The food film was also shown at the High School.

view of John Steinbeck's "The Moon Is Down."

Mrs. Nolan Horton, chairman, presided. Mrs. E. J. Foster presented a map of the world, which showed all territory conquered by the enemy, and made a motion for members to keep the map up to date.

Twenty-eight persons were present.

Keep 'em firing—with junk!

Hospital News

Mrs. Howard Rutz, a teacher at Central School, is a medical patient, being admitted Thursday. Mrs. Rutz will be dismissed within a few days and expects to be able to return to her duties next week.

Jeff Loring of Sacramento underwent major surgery Thursday of last week. Mr. Loring is progressing nicely.

Walter Amstutz, a pneumonia patient, who has been at the hospital since Monday, is improving. Jessie Chaton is a medical patient and doing nicely.

Miss Carolyn Sperry, who underwent surgery Monday, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wingfield are the parents of a son, Edward Robert, born at 2:15 o'clock this morning, weighing 5 pounds 11 1/4 ounces. Both Mrs. Wingfield and infant are doing nicely. Mr. Wingfield who was induced into the Navy the first of the year, is somewhere in the Atlantic Ocean, a member of a sub-chaser crew.

RUMMAGE-RUMMAGE

The first benefit of the season, a rummage sale, will be held by the Artesia Woman's Club Saturday, Oct. 3, just off Main Street on Roselawn.

Club members and friends of the club who have clothing, old bedding, cooking utensils or anything which might be used in the home are requested to take their contribution to Mrs. S. O. Pottoth, 103 South Eighth Street, or to Mrs. Glenn Booker at 808 West Quay. If impossible to deliver a contribution, call either of the above members of the committee and they will call, but remember it is the duty of every club woman to help clear the clubhouse debt and that a committee is not expected to do all the work.

Remind your neighbor and friends to make their contributions for this sale.

GARDEN CLUB MEETS MONDAY AT CITY HALL

Members of the Garden Club met at the city hall Monday afternoon for the September meeting.

Mrs. Pete Loving presided. Members expressed their appreciation to the public for those who trimmed their trees and have cleaned vacant lots.

A committee was appointed to be in charge of the flowers for the Woman's Club convention, which will be here Oct. 16-17. They were Mrs. Loving, Mrs. Glenn Sharp, Mrs. H. A. Jordan, Mrs. Clyde Roberts and Mrs. Frank Brown. Plans were discussed for the meeting next month.

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Church Activities

Presbyterian Groups

Group No. 1 of the Presbyterian Woman's Association met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Ross Wedemeyer.

Mrs. Wedemeyer presided at the meeting. Mrs. V. O. Hopp was leader of the program, "Missionary Work in New Mexico." She was assisted by Mrs. V. L. Gates.

Fourteen members were present. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. James Allen with Mrs. Troy Bourland co-hostess Thursday, Oct. 15.

Mrs. S. W. Gilbert was hostess to Group No. 2 of the association last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Ralph Shugart, chairman of the group, presided. Mrs. Effie Wingfield, a member of the Red Cross committee, reported that members have completed two quilts. Mrs. Fletcher Collins outlined the program for the remainder of the year. Plans were discussed for a church supper, which is to be at the church at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening.

Mrs. R. L. Paris was leader of the devotions and Miss Emma Clark read the Bible study. An interesting article on "The Home" was read by Mrs. Laura Welch.

The hostess served refreshments to thirteen members and one guest at the close of the meeting.

Christian Council

The Christian Women's Council of the First Christian Church met last Thursday afternoon at the church for the regular meeting.

Mrs. Stanley Blocker, vice president, presided at the business meeting. Mrs. Hattie Merchant was leader of the devotions.

At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Carl Martin and Miss Cora Rogers, hostesses, served refreshments to fifteen members.

Methodist Circles

The Gladys Dixon Circle of the Methodist Society of Christian service met at the home of Mrs. Dale Thomas for a covered dish luncheon and regular business meeting last Thursday. Mrs. Vancil Lowery was co-hostess.

Mrs. H. A. Jordan, chairman of the circle, presided at the meeting. Mrs. Roger Durand was elected secretary to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Mrs. C. R. Baldwin. Plans were made for Red Cross sewing and knitting.

Mrs. R. O. Cowan was leader of the devotions, "What a Man Rob God?" Mrs. E. M. Perry was in charge of the lesson, "Youth In Our Church." She was assisted by Mrs. Curtis Sharp and Mrs. Cowan.

Sixteen members were present. Ten members of the Laura Bullock Circle enjoyed a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. Reed Brainard last Thursday.

Mrs. Brainard, chairman, presided at the meeting. Plans were discussed for Red Cross sewing and knitting, which members have started, and surgical dressings, which are to start in the near future.

Mrs. Pat Gormley was leader of the program and Mrs. Perry Tripplett, the devotions. The theme of the meeting was "What Our Church Is Doing Through Our Schools for Youth." Those taking part on the program were Mrs. G. E. Kaiser, Mrs. L. L. Morgan and Mrs. Brainard. Mrs. George Frisch gave an interesting discussion on "Will a Man Rob God?"

Loco Hills W. M. U.

Miss Eva Inlow of Albuquerque and a Miss Grayson, a former missionary in North China, were guests at a meeting of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society at Loco Hills, when members met Tuesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Bob Corbin for an all-day meeting and covered dish luncheon.

Others present on this occasion were Mrs. G. W. Walker, Mrs. B. W. Williams, Mrs. O. C. Rogers, Mrs. W. H. Wise, Mrs. H. C. Golden, Mrs. Roland Dendy, Mrs. J. L. Briscoe, Mrs. W. O. McCormack and Mrs. A. L. Jackson.

J. S. Sharp returned Tuesday from a trip on which he visited relatives in four states, a sister, Mrs. J. A. Parcher, of Stillwater, Okla., where he was called on account of the critical illness of his sister; a daughter, Mrs. W. H. Walsh, and family in Salina, Kan., and other relatives in Colorado and Nevada.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Stromberg of Ardmore, Okla., left Saturday after a visit with their son, T. C. Stromberg, and family and Mrs. Stromberg's mother, Mrs. T. C. Woods, and sister, Mrs. Sam Williams, and Mr. Williams.

Misses Mary Alice Cluney and Nancille Hart, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cluney and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hart, both students at Hotel Dieu, El Paso, spent the week end at home. They accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jack Armstrong and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bourland back to El Paso Sunday afternoon.

APPLES BEING HARVESTED

Beginning this week winter apples are being harvested at my farm. Call and take your choice at reasonable prices. Plenty of cider on tap. Bryant Williams, Hope, N. Mex. 36-lfc

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COSTA RICA, THE SCHOLARLY

When the Conquistadores spoke to each other of the rich coast, "la costa rica," they were not only distinguishing between the Central American region which is now the Republic of Costa Rica, and an area claimed by Christopher Columbus as his personal property; they had visions, too, it would appear, of gold to be had for the gathering.

If the name was based on a misconception, common enough in those days of adventure and adventurers, Spanish grandees, long stories, and not a little of disillusionment, the Costa Rica of our day presents to the world something which it appraises, along with a good part of the rest of enlightened mankind, as more precious than gold.

The Republic of Costa Rica has 2,000 teachers and 500 soldiers, but it was first of the American nations to declare war on Japan after the events of Pearl Harbor. There is one school for each 800 in a total population of 650,000. Primary education is free and compulsory. Graduates of elementary schools have the choice of going further in the schools of fine arts, agriculture and commerce. Before the dream of a national university became a reality, students preparing for careers in other fields had to go abroad. But now schools of law, pharmacy, engineering, science, liberal arts, dentistry and medicine have been, or are about to be, incorporated into the university.

For the national university, unquestionably a tangible, and beautiful one, also is a symbol. It is the apex of an educational system of which any nation rightly could be proud.

Costa Rica's advanced position in education, however, is not by any means the sum of her riches, not even if there be added a tradition inspiring in its unfolding of a people's struggle through foreign conquest and brigandage, to independence and constitutional self-government.

Enlightened government stems from this devotion of the Costa Rican to intellectual attainments. At San Jose, the capital, are the judicial, legislative and executive branches of the government, supported by a constitution that lists 125 articles and a bill of rights. Executive power is vested in a president, elected directly by the people for four years. He may not serve another consecutive term.

Southernmost of the five Central American republics with an area about that of West Virginia, Costa Rica like many other Latin American country can but guess, as yet, at the extent and character of its natural wealth. The cordillera trends through from northwest to southeast. And though it was not where the Spaniards of old could lay their hands on it, there was gold to be had. It is still there, for the most part, awaiting a day of improved method and better transport for getting it out. The mountains rise to as much as 13,000 feet. A network of streams, their sources there, invite power development estimated at a million horsepower—wealth of another sort.

The economic and social heart of the country is in the plateau region of the medium altitudes where the climate is pleasant and healthful, the soil and rainfall a boon to the farmer. From this region comes the Costa Rican coffee, increasingly famous for its exceptional quality and flavor. England has stood first as buyer of it, with Germany second and the United States third; but with the loss of European markets increasing quantities of Costa Rican coffee are being consumed in this country. The coffee, with bananas and cocoa, makes up 85 per cent of Costa Rica's exports. These, with some gold, timber, sugar, hides and skins, the nation offers its neighbors at home and abroad in exchange for what it needs for its bread-basket, for machinery, fuels and textiles.

Mrs. Ab Cooper left Tuesday for Monahans, Tex., where she will spend a few days visiting friends and attending to business.

ONE BUCK...



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Past Commander Kennedy Dies, Thinning the Ranks



Pictured center front is J. W. (Jack) Kennedy, former New Mexico department commander of the United Spanish War veterans, who died Monday of last week.

The others are his comrades, all living, photographed two years

ago, just prior to Mr. Kennedy's election to the head of the state organization.

They are: Front row, left to right, flanking Mr. Kennedy — Loren E. Neeley and Joe C. Shuff.



(By Margaret Scherf)

I don't want to tell anyone else what to do with his money. This is a note to myself:

What do you mean, Walking around in Nylons without runs, When MacArthur needs guns?

You've killed a lot of people, Scherf, But what have you done To hustle Adolph under the turf?

Oh! you bought some 10-cent stamps? Well, well.

An occasional dime Isn't going to reconstruct a griddle For Goering's middle.

You'd better fork over to your Uncle Sam, Or you'll be sitting in the Nazi stables Writing publicity for Goebbels.

THOMPSON ANNOUNCEMENTS RECEIVED THIS WEEK

Wedding announcements are being received here this week by friends of the W. C. Thompson family of the marriage of Miss Mildred Esther Collins of Pittsburg, Kan., and Lt. William Carey Thompson, Jr., of Artesia, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Saturday, Sept. 5.

Locals

Bill Boggs returned home Sunday from Phoenix, Ariz., where he had been about three weeks.

Mrs. C. Hatchitt and a Mrs. Vaughn of Amarillo are here for several days with their mother, Mrs. S. G. White, who is ill.

Miss Clara Ackerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Ackerman, a student at Hotel Dieu, El Paso, spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Jeff Loring and her daughter were here from Sacramento from Sunday to Thursday to be with Mr. Loring, a patient at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Montgomery of Medall, Okla., and Mrs. Montgomery's father, L. M. Friend, and Mrs. Friend of Artesia spent the week end in Santa Fe.

Gay Graham was inducted into the Navy on Sept. 14 at Dallas, Tex. Mrs. Graham is in Arlington, Tex., where she expects to remain with home folks for the duration.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Mahone left Wednesday for Kilgore, Tex., to visit Mr. Mahone's mother, Mrs. Emma Mahone, who is 87 years old. They expect to return home early next week.

Mrs. Frank Irby, Mrs. Ernest Shafer and Mrs. B. D. Wilson, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bullock, and a friend, a Mrs. Bloomfield, of Carlsbad spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Bullock.

Carter Izzard, who has been inducted into the Army, is awaiting call for service. He expects to take his mother, Mrs. Gussie Izzard to El Paso, where she will be near her daughter and family.

Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate

WHAT'S WHAT —in— NEW MEXICO

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

A. P. Kasch of Big Spring, Tex., has been awarded a contract of less than \$50,000 for construction of a fueling system at an airfield in Chaves County.

With eighteen candidates unopposed, Democrats must capture only seven of the remaining thirty-one House seats to assure their minimum control of the lower chamber in the next legislature. Records in the secretary of state office showed no Republican candidates for eighteen of the forty-nine House seats.

The public is being asked to contribute to a fund for the establishment of Red Cross first aid stations in four Hobbs zones. The transportation unit of the American Women's Voluntary Services is directing the fund raising campaign. Mrs. A. A. Kennitz, Red Cross nurse, will be in charge of establishing the stations. "At least \$100 is needed to equip the stations with the first aid material required by the Red Cross. While we may never need these stations, and we hope sincerely that we do not we should be prepared for any emergency," Mrs. Kennitz said.

Albuquerque police got a complaint last Thursday—on themselves. Residents near Robinson Park protested they kept hearing "what sounded like police whistles" in the early hours of the morning and said their rest was being disturbed. Police acknowledged the offenders were officers directing traffic while a painting crew was busy touching up traffic markings on Central Avenue.

Cattle shipments for August totaled 21,934 head, bringing the year's total to 178,416, Sam McCue, secretary of the New Mexico Cattle Sanitary Board, announced. Shipments for July were 15,838 head, and for the first eight months of 1941 they were 152,876. The gain for August over July was 10,396, and for the first eight months of this year over the same period in 1941, it was 25,540. Last month's shipments by districts: Raton 1,655, Las Vegas, 336, Clayton, 1,139, Tucumcari, 1,838, Alamogordo 527, Roswell 1,007, Farmington 281, Deming 1,758, Albuquerque 1,717, Gallup 417, Taos 353, Las Cruces 510, Carlsbad 101, Loving-

Back row, left to right—George Frisch, John W. Vandagriff and Jack Hastie.

Other veterans of the Spanish-American war in this community are Lew Lempke and George Dean.

Aviation Cadet Examining Board Roswell Monday

An aviation cadet examining Board will be at the Army Recruiting Office in the postoffice building Monday, Sept. 28, for the purpose of examining applicants for Air Corps training. The board is prepared to give the complete examination and those passing will be accepted on the spot.

Young men between the ages of 18 and 26 years are eligible to take the examination, although those under 21 must have written consent of parents or guardians.

Those wishing to take the examination must have the following papers: Birth certificate, three letters of recommendation, and a release from the local Selective Service board. It will expedite matters considerably if the applicant is able to turn these in sometime preceding the arrival of the examining board.

Aviation cadets in active training, both flying and ground duty, receive \$75 a month, plus \$1 a day for subsistence, throughout the training period. In addition, they are supplied with quarters, medical care, uniforms, necessary clothing, and equipment. They also are given a \$10,000 government life insurance policy. All aviation cadets graduating from either flying officer or ground officer training, upon being commissioned second lieutenants are paid approximately \$300 a month.

Anyone interested in taking the examination is requested to call at the Army Recruiting Office prior to Sept. 28.

There will be a recruiter at the city hall in Carlsbad on Thursday, Friday and Saturday and Sunday of each week.

ton 397, Clovis 3,275, Socorro 1,593, East Vaughn 1,802, Hachita 20, Silver City 125, El Paso 156, Roy 422, Hobbs 900, Carrizozo 452, Santa Fe 714.

New Mexico Highlands University will house and train 540 trainees as mechanic learners and junior radio repairmen for the Army Signal Corps starting Oct. 15. Instruction will be under supervision of the State Department of Vocational Education, while a course for thirty-six instructors will start at once under special officers of the U. S. Office of Education. Highlands University will provide laboratories and living quarters for the civilian trainees. Class 1-A men will also be eligible for training, providing they enlist in the Reserve Corps.

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Artesia Beacon Takes Second in 1941-42 Awards

The Artesia Hi Beacon, newspaper published by the journalism class of Artesia High School, Mrs. Margaret Bildstone, teacher and sponsor, took second, or "all-conference," rating for 1941-42 in the New Mexico College Press Conference awards, it has just been announced from Eastern New Mexico College. And three members of the staff last year took individual awards.

Gordon Bartels, editor last semester, won first place in straight news reporting. Edna Cave took the only award in the creative writing division, while Gladys Jackson was second in feature writing, with her yarn on graduation.

The Rattler, weekly newspaper of Tucumcari High School, was given first, or "pacemaker," award as being the best high school paper in the contest.

Announcement of the awards was made by Clarence LaRoche, sponsor of the conference and journalism instructor at the college.

Clyde Dunn, a former member of The Beacon staff, has been named editor of The Silver Pack, college annual at Eastern New Mexico College.

Mrs. F. B. Marshall, who was a patient for several weeks in an El Paso sanitarium, returned home Tuesday. Mr. Marshall drove to El Paso for his wife. Her condition is very much improved. However, she will be confined to her bed for several months at her home at 501 Dallas Street.

Locals

J. M. Jonas, who recently returned from Baird, N. Mex., where he visited his son, J. T. Jonas, and family, was amazed at a patriotic gesture of his small grandson who is known to everyone as "Happy," who is selling tadpoles and investing in Defense Stamps "to help lick the Japs."

Miss Helen Dooley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Dooley, who has completed a stenographic course in Lubbock, Tex., returned home Sunday. Her father and sister, Miss Florence Dooley, drove to Lubbock for her. Miss Dooley will be associated in the office of her father and sister on Main street.

Mrs. E. J. Foster and her small daughter, Betty Jean, expect to go to the Foster farm near Amarillo the first of the week, where Mrs. Foster plans to supervise canning of fruits and vegetables for her household. She also expects to visit friends and relatives in Amarillo and vicinity during her three weeks there.

A traveling salesman, having missed a bus, found himself with two hours to spend in Brushville. He approached a native.

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"The Talk of the Town" introduces a different Cary Grant than the one known to us, a greater Cary Grant. His is a roll filled with humor and with resolution, one calling for the utmost in dramatic purpose. As the most lovable guy ever wanted for murder, Grant moves through whirlwind excitement with deft assurance. Whether he is fleeing the police, arguing fine points of law from a standpoint of personal knowledge and human sympathy or making love to Miss Arthur, Grant's triumphant performance immensely adds to his already great stature as an actor.

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Miss Arthur's performance, like those of her co-stars, is equally outstanding, a performance both ingratiating and feminine, heroic in its dramatic scenes and soft and winsome in the gentler moments.

SGT. DAN SULLIVAN TO RADIO TRAINING SCHOOL

Sgt. Dan Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Sullivan who has been stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash., has been transferred to Fort Sill, Okla., for special radio training.

Sgt. Sullivan was promoted to the rank of sergeant last month, has been chief of communications of his regiment at Fort Lewis for the last two months.

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included in a certain Government Oil and Gas Lease known as the Esther Grant Oil and Gas Lease, and all other fixtures, appliances, machinery, tools, and equipment located and used for oil and gas purposes.

That said property above described or so much of it as may be necessary, will be sold to satisfy the Judgment in this cause for the following amounts secured by plaintiff's lien as follows:

Principal	\$404.80
Interest to date of sale	6.72
Attorney's fee	150.00
Cost of Suit	24.40
Special Master's fee	10.00

Plus cost of advertising and sale. That the conditions of said sale will be that said property, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be offered at public sale and sold to the highest bidder for cash; except that the plaintiff may be purchaser and shall not be required to pay cash up to the amount of the indebtedness due plaintiff.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as special master this 8th day of September, A. D. 1942.

JAMES W. STAGNER
Special Master.

NOTICE OF NO HUNTING ALLOWED

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Beatrice Blocker, owner of the lands herein described, desires to protect the game, birds and animals, within the following described lands in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

Lot 3, the South half of the Northwest quarter of Section 22, Township 17, South of Range 26 East of the New Mexico Meridian,

and all persons are hereby warned not to hunt upon said lands and not to kill or injure any game, birds, or animals, within said lands at any time without the permission of the undersigned owner.

Any person violating this notice will be subject to prosecution.

The object of this notice is to protect the pet quail of the tenant who has raised the quail with his chickens.

DATED this 10th day of September, 1942.

BEATRICE BLOCKER
Owner.

NOTICE OF LIEN FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That on July 15, 1942, a Decree was entered in Cause No. 773 on the Civil Docket of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, entitled "Bethlehem Supply Company, a Corporation, plaintiff, vs. Trojan Oil Company, a Corporation, Esther Grant, and A. M. Grant, Defendants" awarding judgment in favor of plaintiff and against defendant Trojan Oil Company for Four Hundred Four and 80/100 (\$404.80) Dollars with interest at six per cent per annum from July 14, 1942 until paid; together with an attorney fee of One Hundred Fifty and no/100 (\$150.00) Dollars, and all cost of the action and finding a valid materialman's lien in favor of plaintiff against the hereinafter described property and ordering said lien foreclosed and the property subject to the lien sold by the undersigned special master at public auction, in the event said judgment is not paid within sixty days.

NOTICE IS THEREFORE GIVEN: That the undersigned special master, on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1942, at the hour of ten O'clock A. M. at the South Front Door of the Court House in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, will sell for cash to the highest bidder in accordance with the terms of said Decree, the following described property included in plaintiff's lien which was filed on February 6, 1941 and recorded in Book 5 at page 285, to-wit:

1 No. 3 National Drilling Machine

1 120 H. P. Type 2 M Clark Drilling Engine No. 179

Miscellaneous tools and equipment

Oil and Gas Leasehold Estate covering SE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 33, Township 20 South, Range 25 East, N. M. P. M.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MRS. OMEGA COATES, DECEASED.

No. 1046.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, on the 27th day of July, 1942, was appointed Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. Omega Coates, Deceased, in the above entitled matter, by the honorable J. T. Hardin, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

THEREFORE, all persons having claims against said Estate are hereby notified to file their claims with the County Clerk of Eddy County within the time prescribed by law or the same will be barred.

W. M. COATES
Administrator.

NOTICE OF NO HUNTING ALLOWED

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, C. W. Nelson, owner of the lands herein described, desires to protect the game, birds and animals, within the following described lands in Chaves County, New Mexico, to-wit:

Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 27 and the Southwest quarter of Section 22 in Township 15 South, of Range 25 East,

and all persons are hereby warned not to hunt upon said lands and not to kill or injure any game, birds, or animals, within said lands at any time without the permission of the undersigned owner.

Any person violating this notice will be subject to prosecution.

DATED this 24th day of September, 1942.

C. W. NELSON
Owner.

NOTICE OF NO HUNTING ALLOWED

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Edward Stone, owner of the lands herein described, desires to protect the game, birds and animals, within the following described lands in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

W 1/2 SE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 7, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., and 2 acres of North end of W 1/2 NE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 18, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M.; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, Clayton Sub-division in SW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 7, and North 125 feet of NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 18, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., and all persons are hereby warned not to hunt upon said lands and not to kill or injure any game, birds, or animals, within said lands at any time without the permission of the undersigned owner.

Any person violating this notice will be subject to prosecution.

DATED this 24th day of September, 1942.

EDWARD STONE
Owner.

LEGAL NOTICE

NEW MEXICO DRY CLEANING BOARD

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

HARRY W. CLAY, d/b/a WARDROBE CLEANERS

No. 2

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Any person violating this notice will be subject to prosecution.

DATED this 24th day of September, 1942.

EDWARD STONE
Owner.

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Brig. Gen. R. C. Charlton, state director of Selective Service, has advised local boards that VOC applicants who have not yet been inducted and who do not desire to attend any of the schools listed should withdraw their applications. Those who have applied for training for some other branch may switch their applications to one of the eleven schools mentioned, he said.

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 1, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11, APPROVED APRIL 18, 1941.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION THREE (3) ARTICLE FOUR (4) OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO PROVIDE FOR THE NUMBER, QUALIFICATION AND APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. That it is hereby proposed to amend Section 3, of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of New Mexico, to read as follows:

"Section 3. The Senate shall consist of one Senator from each county of the State, and in the event the number of counties is hereafter increased or decreased, the number of Senators shall be increased or decreased accordingly at the next ensuing election of Senators after such change.

Until changed by law as hereinafter provided the House of Representatives shall consist of one Representative for each eleven thousand, or major fraction thereof, of the inhabitants within each county as shown by the census of the United States next preceding the election of such Representatives; provided, however, that each county of the State shall, regardless of population, be entitled to at least one Representative. Immediately after the adoption of this Amendment, and immediately after the publication of each census of the United States, hereafter taken, the Secretary of State shall certify to the governing authority of each County the number of inhabitants within such county as shown by said census, and the officials proclaiming the election shall designate the number of representatives to be elected from such county. Provided, however, no county shall at any time be allotted more than five members of the House of Representatives.

At its first session after the publication of any United States census, hereafter taken, the Legislature may change the number of inhabitants required in a county for each Representative from eleven thousand, as hereinbefore provided, to such greater number as the Legislature shall deem proper, provided, that each county shall have at least one Representative as hereinbefore provided.

The members of the Legislature shall be qualified electors of their respective counties and residents of New Mexico for at least three years next preceding their election. Senators shall be not less than twenty-five years and Representatives not less than twenty-one years of age at the time of their election. No person shall be eligible to the Legislature who, at the time of qualifying holds any office of trust or profit under the state, county or national government, except notaries public, officers or employees of municipalities, and officers of the militia who receive no salary."

Section 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be submitted to the people for their approval or rejection at the general election in November 1942 or at any special election held prior thereto.

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 2, SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2, APPROVED APRIL 16, 1941.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTIONS 28 AND 10, ARTICLE 4 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, WHICH SHALL EXTEND THE PRESENT PROVISION OF SAID SECTION, SO AS TO ALSO PROHIBIT THE APPOINTMENT OR EMPLOYMENT OF ANY MEMBER OF THE LEGISLATURE TO OR IN ANY PUBLIC OFFICE OR EMPLOYMENT, THE COMPENSATION OF WHICH IS PAID FROM ANY PUBLIC FUNDS; AND TO INCREASE THE COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. That it is hereby proposed by the Legislature of the State of New Mexico, that Section 28 and 10, Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of New Mexico be amended by the people of said State so as to read as follows, to-wit:

Section 28. No member of the Legislature shall, during the term for which he was elected, be appointed to or employed in any civil or public office, public capacity or employment within the State, in which the compensation or remuneration is to be paid, in whole or in part, from any public funds of the State or of any of its institutions, agencies, municipalities or other political subdivision; nor shall he, within one year thereafter, be appointed to any civil or public office created, or the emoluments of which were increased during such term; nor shall any member of the Legislature during the

term for which he was elected nor within one year thereafter, be interested directly or indirectly in any contract with the State or any municipality or any other political subdivision thereof, which was authorized by any law passed during such term.

"Section 10. Each member of the Legislature shall receive as compensation for his services the sum of one thousand dollars annually and ten cents for each mile traveled in going to and returning from the seat of government by the usual traveled route, once each session, and he shall receive no other compensation, perquisite or allowance."

Section 11. In the event of the passage and approval of this resolution proposing the foregoing amendment, the same shall be submitted to the electors of the State at the next general election.

39-4t-42

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 3, SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8, APPROVED APRIL 4, 1941.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

That the following Amendment to the Constitution of the State of New Mexico is hereby proposed to be added at the end of ARTICLE XXIV thereof known as PARAGRAPH (A) thereof and entitled: CONTRACTS RELATING TO GRAZING AND AGRICULTURAL LEASES UPON STATE LANDS, to be submitted to the electors of the State at the next general election, when and after the Congress of the United States shall consent thereto.

PARAGRAPH (A), ARTICLE XXIV.

Leases for grazing and agricultural purposes on lands granted or confirmed to the State of New Mexico by the Act of Congress of June 20, 1910, entitled "An Act enabling the people of New Mexico to form a constitution and state government and be admitted into the union on an equal footing with the rest of the states," may be made under such provisions relating to the necessity or requirements for the mode and manner of the appraisal, advertisement and competitive bidding, and containing such terms and provisions as may be provided by Act of the Legislature; the rentals and other proceeds therefrom to be applied and conserved in accordance with the provisions of said Act of Congress for the support or in aid of the common schools or for the attainment of the respective purposes for which those several grants of lands were made.

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 5, SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11, APPROVED APRIL 14, 1941.

A SENATE RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION FIVE (5), ARTICLE FOUR (4) OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO DIVIDE THE REGULAR SESSIONS OF THE LEGISLATURE INTO A FIRST AND SECOND TERM, IN ORDER TO EXPEDITE THE BUSINESS OF THE LEGISLATURE.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. That it is hereby proposed to amend Section 5 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of New Mexico, so as to read, as follows:

"Section 5. Each regular session of the Legislature shall begin at 12:00 noon on the second Tuesday of January next after each general election and shall remain in session not to exceed sixty days. Such session shall be divided into a first term of twenty days and a second term of forty days, with a recess of thirty days between such terms. During the first term, all bills to be considered at the session shall be introduced, read not more than twice by title or in full, printed, and referred to the appropriate committee. No bill shall be placed upon its third reading or finally passed during its first term, except appropriations for expenses of the legislature and such measures as shall be submitted for immediate legislative action by the Governor accompanied by a special message setting forth the facts making such action necessary for the general welfare.

During the second term of such session, all bills introduced at the first term shall stand for final action at the second term. Notwithstanding any provision of any section of this constitution to the contrary, no bill shall be introduced at the second term except appropriations for expenses of the legislature, the general appropriations bill, bills to provide for the current expenses of the Government, committee substitutes for bills introduced at the first term, and such measures as may be submitted by the Governor, accompanied by a special message showing the necessity for legislative action. The members of the legislature shall be allowed their mileage

for attending both the first and second terms of the legislature. No special session of the legislature shall exceed thirty days.

Section 2. In the event of the passage and approval of this Resolution, proposing the foregoing amendment, the same shall be submitted to the people at the general election to be held in November 1942.

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 6, SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 12, APPROVED APRIL 12, 1941.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XII OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO BY ADDING THERETO A NEW SECTION TO BE NUMBERED SECTION 14, CREATING THE NEW MEXICO EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS BOARD.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. That Article XII of the State Constitution be amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered Section 14, and to read as follows:

"Section 14. There is hereby established the New Mexico Educational Institutions Board, consisting of five (5) members, whose qualifications may be prescribed by law. The Board shall consist of five (5) members appointed by the Governor, confirmed by the Senate, and who shall be removable only for cause, as provided by law for the removal of officers not subject to impeachment. Upon the taking effect of this section, the Governor shall appoint the said members for terms of office as follows: two for a term of two years, two for a term of four years, and one for a term of six years. Any appointment to fill a vacancy shall be for the balance of the term only. Except as above designated, the term of office of said members shall be six years or until their successors are appointed and qualified.

"The members shall constitute a coordinating board of control for all State educational institutions described in Section 11 of Article XII of the State Constitution, with the following specific powers: (1) it shall prescribe standards of higher education applicable to each institution; (2) it shall determine the functions and courses of study in each of the institutions to conform to the standards prescribed; (3) it shall grant degrees and other forms of academic recognition for completion of the prescribed courses in all of such institutions; (4) it shall recommend to the State Legislature the budget allocations to each institution.

"The appropriations made by the Legislature for all such institutions shall be made in consolidated form without reference to any particular institution and the New Mexico Educational Institutions Board herein created shall allocate said funds to each institution according to its needs and functions."

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 4, SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10, APPROVED APRIL 15, 1941.

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO

THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO PROVIDE STAGGERED TERMS FOR BOARDS OF REGENTS FOR THE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. That Section 13 of Article XII of the Constitution of the State of New Mexico be amended to read as follows:

"The legislature shall provide for the control and management of each of said institutions by a board of regents for each institution, consisting of five members, who shall be qualified electors of the State of New Mexico, no more than three of whom at the time of their appointment shall be members of the same political party. The Governor shall nominate and by and with the consent of the senate shall appoint the members of each board of regents for each of said institutions. The terms of said members shall be for six years, provided that of the five first appointed the terms of two shall be for two years, the terms of two shall be for four years and the term of one shall be for six years. The Governor, after hearing had on specific charges, may remove any member of any board of regents of any of said institutions, for incompetency, neglect of duty or malfeasance in office. Any member so removed, within ten days after the order of removal has been served upon him, may appeal to the Supreme Court of New Mexico, which shall hear and determine the charges de novo and its decision shall be final. An order of removal made by the Governor shall operate as a suspension of such member during the period allowed for an appeal, and if an appeal be taken, during the pendency of such an appeal."

Section 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be submitted to the people for their approval or rejection at the general election in November 1942.

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An old-timer of the Spanish-American war was thankful that a group of soldiers of 1942 showed up in his hour of need. Joseph Henry Williams, 68, of Santa Fe was in an ambulance bound from Santa Fe to Albuquerque. A flooded arroyo blocked the vehicle and others. Fifteen soldiers clambered out of a truck, chucked off their shoes and pushed the ambulance through the water. Williams, who had suffered a heart attack, was reported later in a satisfactory condition.

State School Superintendent Grace Corrigan announced the appointment of T. F. Conway, former school superintendent at Des Moines, as state high school supervisor, succeeding L. W. Clark, who recently enlisted in the Navy. Conway took over his duties Sept. 21.

WHAT'S WHAT —in— NEW MEXICO

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

Four New Mexicans were listed by the Navy in its twelfth announcement of casualties, including two missing in action, one killed and one wounded in action. Charles Leon Billups, seaman second class, was listed as killed. He was the son of Edward Y. Billups of Alamogordo. Pvt. Charles C. Booth of the Marine Corps was listed as wounded. He is the son of Mrs. Francis A. Booth of Belen. Listed as missing in action were William T. Cunningham, seaman first class, son of Marvin H. Cunningham of Hillsboro, and John Larro, water-tender first class, husband of Mrs. Syble Larro of Eunice. No details of the actions were given.

Chairman Donald Nelson of the War Production Board announced the rails of the Santa Fe Railway's branch line from Boise City, Okla., to Farley, N. Mex., had been requisitioned to provide trackage for naval supply depots on the Pacific Coast. Some of the rails, he added, would be used at a new arsenal being built at McAlester, Okla.

Three new postmasters have been appointed recently for New Mexico postoffices. Two were named acting postmaster: Edna B. Evans, Columbus, and Daisy V. Gray, Ute Park. The third, named permanently, is Charlie L. White, appointed postmaster at White's City, near Carlsbad.

Chief Nolan Utz of the Las Vegas city police issued a warning to owners of horses and cattle to keep the animals off city streets to avoid fines. He said these stray animals have been creating a nuisance in the northern part of town and are being impounded, with owners charged fines for redemption. Fines of \$2 per head, plus cost of impounding the animal, have been assessed upon owners and may become heavier if the law is not obeyed, he added.

The Navy's 1,000th volunteer at its district recruiting office in Santa Fe was Roy Balatchu, 31, Apache Indian from the Mescalero Reservation. Balatchu asked to be on the gun crew of a big naval gun. He is a native of Fort Sill, Okla., has a wife and two children, and formerly was a truck driver and power shovel operator.

Army habit has become second nature for Pvt. William Kuehl. The soldier, finishing a meal in an El Paso downtown restaurant, absent-mindedly picked up his dishes and headed for the kitchen.

The State Supreme Court held unanimously that a defendant

technically waives a preliminary examination by entering a plea when he is arraigned without a previous hearing. The opinion, written by Justice Mabry, specially upheld the San Miguel County District Court conviction of Juan T. Gallegos, who was sentenced to from six months to a year in the penitentiary for drunken driving. Gallegos, who pleaded innocent when arraigned, appealed on the ground he had been denied a preliminary hearing.

The New Mexico conference of the Methodist Church will be held in El Paso, Oct. 13-18, instead of Carlsbad. The opening date was advanced also. Bishop Ivan L. Holt of Dallas is expected to return from South America in time to preside at the conference, which is comprised of four districts: Albuquerque, Clovis, Roswell and El Paso. The Rev. M. L. Sims of Clovis said he expected to report a 12 per cent increase in membership.

Census Bureau figures showed New Mexico wage and salary workers during 1939 received a median income of \$691. The median income of men was listed at \$722 for the year, and \$519 for women. New Mexico ranked thirty-fourth in the nation.

Maintenance budgets for New Mexico schools for 1942-43 total \$8,448,172, an increase of \$790,952 from last year's figure, State

Educational Budget Auditor R. H. Grissom announced. Grissom said the increased figure, made possible by large cash balances in county funds, "means that all counties in the state for the first time will be able to have a nine-month school year, and the teachers will receive a minimum of \$900."

Fern McGee of Farmington was among 242 officer candidates of the women's Army Auxiliary Corps commissioned at graduation exercises last week at Fort Des Moines, Ia. The graduates became third officers, equivalent to second lieutenants in the Army.

Plans for a statewide meeting to form an organization of New Mexico peace justices are being made by the Bernalillo County organization, Leo Vigil Sr., president of the county group, reported. Vigil said the convention probably will be within the next month or two in Albuquerque. Final plans will be made at the next meeting of the county organization, Sept. 30, he said. The county organization, formed about eighteen months ago, had been planning to expand itself into a statewide association. Favorable replies have been received from justices in all parts of the state who have been contacted, Vigil said.

The state corporation commission has chartered the Hobbs Bus Company, organized by Billy Walker of Hobbs and W. R. and June Hines of Fort Worth, Tex.



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Ball Says FSA Program Placed On a War Basis

After returning from Tucumcari, where he attended a district meeting of the Farm Security Administration, Paul W. Ball, rural rehabilitation supervisor of the federal agency in Eddy County, said the FSA's program has been placed on a wartime footing.

"Every activity of the Farm Security program will be considered on the basis of its contribution to the nation's war needs," he said. "This means that food production comes first and that we will do nothing which does not contribute directly to the 'Food for Freedom' program."

Of special interest to Eddy County farmers was Ball's announcement that loan funds are immediately available for food and feed preservation needs this fall and for food and feed production operations next spring.

"Farm Security has the responsibility for giving the needy, low income farmer a chance to participate effectively in the nation's war effort," he said. "With our help he can make a valuable contribution to America's food production program. Without our help, his strength and power will be wasted."

"We have instructions to begin making loans immediately and to dig down deeper than ever before in order to help the greatest number of farm families."

"With the prospect of serious shortages in certain foods, the nation must depend upon the small farm operators to utilize their full labor and skills if the United States and the other United Nations are to pull through the present crisis to victory."

Eddy County farmers may obtain complete details about the FSA's wartime lending program by contacting Ball at the city hall in Artesia on Wednesday of each week.

Speakers Scheduled For Cowman's Meet Albuquerque Sept. 30

The program scheduled for the third quarterly executive board meeting of the New Mexico Cattle Growers Association to be held at Albuquerque Sept. 30 at the Hilton Hotel will include brief talks by Gov. John E. Miles, E. E. Mollin, executive secretary American National Live Stock Association, Denver, and Harold Sellers, chairman of the New Mexico State Fair Commission, Tom Clayton, president, announced. The balance of the program will be devoted to problems immediately before the livestock industry of New Mexico.

Stockmen throughout the state have been invited to present their problems to the resolutions committee during the meeting, and all cowmen in New Mexico, whether they are members of the association or not, are invited to take part in the meeting, Clayton said.

As the meeting will be held during the time the New Mexico State Fair is in progress, there will be no other entertainment for the ranchers.

High praise for the New Mexico State Guard was expressed by a Regular Army officer from Fort Bliss, who already has inspected units in four cities. Captain Lloyd P. Bloodworth, executive officer for internal security in West Texas and New Mexico, told reporters he had been much impressed by the interest and high sense of responsibility displayed by the guardsmen.

Dere Folks:

F-210 CA-AA-SM, APO 939, Seattle, Wash., Sept. 3rd, 1942.

Dear Mr. Gilbert, Ralph, et al: This Alaska is quite a country, idiomatically (not to be confused with idiotically) speaking. Not only is the weather — but it is several days old. I know that's hard to believe, 'way down in them Southwest-lands, but nevertheless it's true. Likewise it's true that glaciers run down mountainsides, that seals aren't very graceful in the water and that salmon die after spawning. The stream, right outside the front door of my present penthouse, (my own little "Pecos") is redolent with such fish—dead and alive. When I say redolent I mean—actually—they're thick as flies around a dairy barn in southern Kansas. The gulls are feasting on the dead bodies, which, should you be interested in ichthyology, turn white. When a salmon reaches a certain degree of whiteness, he perishes, slowly, though apparently without agony. Very interesting, I assure you.

I don't know whether my former reports mentioned that there are no women in this particular spot, except nurses, none of whom faintly resemble the cinema, or Hollywood, conception of a commissioned Army nurse. However, if I did mention it, I hereby retract the statement, since I saw a woman the other day. She was obviously not of American, or even Caucasian, extraction, and was, furthermore, slightly repulsive insofar as thoughts of spring, etc., go. So you can see that amorous thoughts in these parts are directed, largely toward pictures in magazines. A healthy state of affairs, indeed.

You might also be interested to know that practically no one here indulges in intoxicants for the simple reason that spiritous liquors are very difficult to obtain. One place opens every night (of every night as long as the stock lasts) for two hours and precipitates a queue (or line, in English) resembling a 1932 Chicago Loop breadline. The only obtainable beverage there is beer. Therefore sin and vice are practically unknown here. Even theft is very, very rare. Everyone has far too much money, what with the pay raise and 20 per cent war zone increase. I am getting \$79.50 myself, as a corporal, so you can see that, considering the purchasable items, I have too much money. Like nearly all other soldiers here, I am buying a War Bond every month. As for clothes and equipment, nobody steals those because everyone has more than he can carry now. This leaves gambling, and it is a going sport, and, under the circumstances, is harmless. As a matter of fact, it helps because several boys I know send their winnings, often \$100 or more, home to needy parents. I know one boy, in particular, who sent \$300 above a Class B, or dependency allotment, home the other day to his mother and sister.

I can't mention the climate or the topographical situation, though I suppose I can say that you can't expect wheat, cotton, or oil wells to become a remunerative business in this locale.

That's about all I can tell you, except, of course, that I am in a healthy state, both mentally and physically.

Keep 'em flying and hold on — Yours, as ever, Arlee Reno.

Typewriter covers for sale.—The Advocate.



The Men Behind



By 1st Lt. Ralph H. Ayers, Public Relations Officer, Roswell Army Flying School

A powerful, twin-engined bomber, its motors throbbing in a terrific clatter, turns into the wind, hammers away in a blast of rushing air, and takes off. As the ship circles the field, the pilot looks below him, sees brawny mechanics in green coveralls pick up their tools and walk away. If he looks closely enough he might catch a glimpse of the day flight-chief, who, as the boss mechanic of his squadron, made sure the motors were running like watches before releasing the plane for flight.

Staff Sergeant Bill Womack of the Roswell Flying School is one of those mechanics who keep 'em flying. A brawny, wind-bitten Texan, Womack, at the comparatively tender age of 22, has four years of life in the Army Air Corps behind him. Possessed with a burning desire to get in his country's service, Womack nearly enlisted in the Navy in 1934 when he was 14. Getting cold feet at the last minute because of regulations concerning the age limit, he backed out, but four years later, having attained the more desirable old age of 18, enlisted in the Air Corps at Dallas, Tex.

Already an airplane mechanic of sorts, because of experience gained by working at the Waco, Tex., municipal airport, Sgt. Womack had no trouble following up his chosen work. In a short time he was made a third-class specialist and a week later became staff sergeant.

Now, as a full-fledged airplane mechanic, Womack can hold his own with the best of them. As boss mechanic over fourteen men, he usually reports to the flying line at 5 o'clock in the morning. As he is one of the crew whose work it is to pre-flight his squadron's planes, Womack puts the motors through their paces, warming them up gradually, like a piano tuner testing the sounds on a prized instrument.

His work is never boring. He sees to it that maintenance work is done on his ships. He has various forms to fill out and must see to it that the men under him do their work well. Pilots, navigators, and bombardiers know that Womack, and others like him, are all-important cogs in the Air Corps. Because mechanics are the trained specialists they are, they enjoy the respect and admiration of those fellow-

Farmers Need to Cooperate in Use of Certain Kinds Machinery

With American farmers being called on to produce more and more with less and less, the need for cooperation and sharing the use of certain kinds of farm machinery is due to result in the organization of many farmers cooperatives in Eddy County, in the opinion of Paul W. Ball, rural rehabilitation supervisor for the Farm Security Administration.

In wartime farm production, it's as unpatriotic to have idle machines as it is to have idle men, and Eddy County farmers are expected to do something about it, Ball believes.

The Farm Security Administration, he reports, is anxious to assist farmers in this county in organizing cooperatives and will, in many cases, finance the group purchase for group use of scarce farm machinery and equipment.

Such groups are small and would consist, in most instances, of neighbors forming a cooperative arrangement between each other, the supervisor explained. The arrangements are simple, he said, and participation agreement forms may be obtained, with complete information, at the Farm Security Office by anyone interested. The agreement may constitute the basis of understanding between all par-

ticipants, covering rental and/or service charges, kinds of records to be kept, schedule of use, and so forth.

Ball recalled a recent address by Secretary of Agriculture Wickard, in which he urged farmers to "Unite for Victory."

"It is not a question of when we win the war," said Wickard, "it is a question of if we win the war." Continuing, the secretary said, "American farmers are working the longest hours of any group in the country and this year's production of crops and livestock shows where farmers stand. Despite limitations of labor and machinery, farmers are smashing all records—not only for total production, but in the particular products that are needed most for winning the war."

Ball said the Farm Security Administration has made a good many loans in this area in former years to help farmers buy machinery on a cooperative basis, "but now with the shortage of machinery, we're a lot more anxious to help farmers with this particular phase of our program than ever before."

Farmers interested in the complete details about cooperative purchase and use of machinery and equipment are urged to contact Ball at his office in the Eddy County courthouse at Carlsbad.

Hiram Dow of Roswell, chairman of the National Conference of Petroleum Regularity Authorities, announced the group's third meeting would be held Sept. 30-Oct. 1 at Chicago. The New Mexico representative is State Geologist John M. Kelly.

The Agriculture Department predicted New Mexico would harvest a bean crop of 954,000 bags, or an average yield of 380 pounds per acre. A record crop of 1,632,000 bags is expected throughout the nation.

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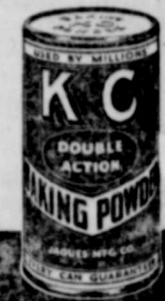
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One War Week

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Loco Hills Items

(Mrs. Emmitt Goodrich)

Chuck Aston was a business visitor in Carlsbad Monday.

J. L. Briscoe made a business trip to Kermit, Tex., Saturday.

Laverne Rogers visited with Jean Johnson in Artesia Friday and Saturday.

Billie Jean Barton was the guest of "Pat" Dougherty of Artesia Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Herkimer and daughter, Dorothy Ann, went to Cloudercroft Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Aston were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson of Artesia Saturday.

A building from Loco Hills has been moved to Loco Hills and it is to be remodeled for a Baptist parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rogers took their son, Charles Roy, to Lubbock, Tex., last Thursday, where he enrolled in Texas Tech.

Tom Brown, a layman from Artesia, was in charge of the morning service at the Sherman Memorial Sunday School.

Mrs. T. T. O'Donnell returned to her home in Corpus Christi Tex., last week after visiting her son, Tom O'Donnell, and family for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Aston were hosts at a dinner party Friday. The table was decorated with a bowl of lovely red rosebuds and candles in silver holders. A card game was played after the dinner. Guests of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Briscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Herkimer, Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Donnell and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Goodrich.

Mrs. Charles Phelps entertained the Young Women's Adult Class of the Sherman Memorial Sunday School in her home Friday evening. The house was beautifully decorated with wild flowers. The evening was spent in playing various games. Refreshments of cake and punch were served to Mr. and Mrs. Pulliam, Mr. and Mrs. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Dendy, Mr. and Mrs. Huck, Mr. and Mrs. Kroskrop, Mr. and Mrs. McCroan, Mrs. Mulcock and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Phelps.

Georgia Gale Mulcock celebrated her fifth birthday Friday afternoon with a party given by her mother, Mrs. J. B. Mulcock. The little girl and honoree enjoyed playing games and eating ice cream and birthday cake. Georgia Gale was presented lovely gifts from Shirley Fay McCroan, James McCroan, Sharon Aston, Gayla Sue Morgan, Charlotte Champion, Helen Howe, Florence Huck, J. D. Swinford, Jigger Golden and others whose names were not obtained. Glen David Miller sent a gift but was unable to attend.

The Baptist ladies met in the home of Mrs. Bob Corbin Tuesday of last week to organize their circle program. Miss Grayson from North China was a guest speaker, as was Miss Eva Inlow of Albuquerque. A delicious covered dish luncheon was served to Mrs. A. L. Jackson, Mrs. G. W. Walker, Mrs. B. W. Williams, Mrs. O. C. Rogers, Mrs. W. H. Wise, Mrs. H. C. Golden, Mrs. Roland Dendy, Mrs. J. L. Briscoe, Mrs. W. O. McCormack, Miss Inlow, Miss Grayson and the hostess, Mrs. Corbin. The next meeting was Tuesday of this week in the home of Mrs. Roland Dendy.

Thanks to the Russians, the crack Nazi Hermann Goering Brigade now must advertise for recruits.

WORLD NEWS

—in—
BRIEF FORM

From Near and Far, Some
Timely, Some of
Human Interest

Collecting scrap metal, truck driver Dewey Lamoreaux passed a theatre in Willoughby, Ohio, just in time to hear his name called as a bank night winner. He proceeded \$300 richer.

In Evansville, Ind., Clara Arnold has a war momento for her scrapbook. Cal Johnson of Cincinnati, carried her photograph in a wallet while fighting the Japanese at Bataan. Now back home to convalesce, he wrote Miss Arnold: "I just got back in the states. Your picture has two bullet holes in it—made when I was wounded by a machine gun." The picture accompanied and confirmed the letter.

Burglars in a Denver cafe scooped up six cartons of candy, contents of seven gum machines, and two pies. They also broke open a juke box and stole a record entitled, "Why Don't We Do This More Often."

J. A. Smith, Italy, Tex., farmer, screamed for help. A big rattlesnake had wound itself around his legs. A motorist untangled the reptile and rushed Smith, very pale, to a doctor. The physician ripped off one trouser leg, found no bites. Then he started on the other. Smith told him never mind, "that's my wooden leg." The doctor found several fang marks—on the wooden leg.

The Pittsburg County sheriff and constable-elect of Savannah, Okla., has joined the WAAC's. Miss Pluma Lynn, boyish peace officer, told Army recruiters at Oklahoma City she really is an expert with the rifle too.

Every envelope used in the General Post Office in London has to do service at least once again for re-addressing or inter-office messages. Large envelopes have had as many as fifty different addresses in the "save paper" campaign.

Mayor Robert Moos of Victor,

Colo., made the biggest strike, in the old mining town's salvage drive. He dug up Main Street, and found a 4,000-pound iron safe. It had been buried when fire razed the camp in 1899.

Charley Jones of the Chanute (Kan.) Tribune wants to know why it's called "hay fever" when hay has nothing to do with it and neither has fever. He says a more descriptive name would be something like "ragweed rabies."

Dumbo flies again—but to the accompaniment of warplanes' motors instead of the blaring of a circus band. For Dumbo has been drafted. Daily now, murals of Dumbo and many another movie creation brighten the walls of Morris Field Army Airbase recreation halls at Charlotte, N. C.—the work of five Disney artists and a slick cartoonist of the rival Fleischer studio. Hot out of Hollywood, Richard Lyford, Tony Strobl, Grant Thompson, Edwin Schmidt and Per Ruse of the Disney school and Morris Sikofsky of Fleischer all enlisted together, stuck together while touring five Army camps and now they're working together on murals.

Sgt. Horace Hutcherson says a motorist rushed up to him on the street in Pueblo, Colo. "I'm a city detective; let me have the keys to your car," said the fellow. The motorist did. The "detective" got in and drove away, promising to leave the car at police headquarters. The motorist hasn't seen the car or the "detective" since, at last reports.

Champion plowman of the Suffolk, England, community is Frederick Riches. He has only one arm, having lost the other during World War I.

The Germans haven't made a torpedo yet with Thomas Samuelson's name on it although they have fired plenty at him. The 62-year-old English merchant seaman has been torpedoed eight times in this war and five in the last.

Western farmers who need the help of Japanese-Americans in harvesting their sugar beets this fall have been advised to make application to the nearest United States Employment Service office. The West Coast evacuees, housed at relocation camps in Colorado and Wyoming, will be available for harvesting beets. Farmers, otherwise, would find it difficult to harvest the crop due to the acute labor shortage.

Milo Gartrell, working on railroad waybills in Memphis, Tenn., blinked when he saw a carload of peaches was going to Pearland, Tex. Then he blinked again. They were addressed to W. A. Fig & Company.

To catch a coyote, first throw some cyanide crystals on his tongue. The Kansas State Fish and

Game Commission says all big-scale catchers use this method. Really. They fill small tubes with cyanide, push them into the ground and attach a meat-baited trigger. The coyote snaps at the meat and gets a load of the poisonous crystals splashed into his mouth. As soon as they become moist, cyanide kills the coyote. Pelts are sold at \$5 each. Champion catcher: Monte Cook of Sublette. He killed 201 this year.

A high wind struck the barn of Earl Smith of near Paola, Kan. Two weeks later he was rebuilding it when lightning struck and burned it. He had just placed the finishing touches on a new barn when another twister knocked it over.

There won't be displays of jams, preserves and jellies at county fair booths in Oklahoma this fall. Norma Brumbaugh, state home demonstration agent, says these traditional farm delicacies require so much sugar, farm women aren't being encouraged to produce them this year.

Appearing before Judge John A. Witthaus in St. Louis, to seek an annulment of a hasty marriage, Mrs. Hazel D. Carr said she met Earl Carr, 33, on a Friday, went out with him Sunday, and they were married six days later. "I'm an Aquarius," she explained, "and that means I'm impulsive. I do things hastily. That is my destiny." "Be a little less impulsive in the future," Judge Witthaus advised as

he granted the annulment.

For nine years Dr. S. L. Bechtel of Chanute, Kan., says he has not spent a dime. Instead he saves them. Everytime a dime comes into his possession he places it in a depository. He says he has saved about \$2,000 in dimes and recently he juggled a valise loaded with forty-nine pounds of coins to the postoffice and purchased \$550 in War Bonds.

In Kansas City, Kan., Street Commissioner Francis Blake is wondering whether fixing things for the public is worth the trouble. He sent a truck and a two-man crew to clean a sewer serving a manufacturing plant. He got the truck back. The plant hired both men.

The Rev. A. E. Clemens of Trenton, Mo., recently performed the marriage service for Boneta Sheppard and her husband. In 1918 he performed a similar service for Boneta's mother and father and in 1895 he was the minister at the wedding of Boneta's grandparents.

If Representatives Estes Kefauver of Tennessee's Third Congressional District wants to conduct a front porch campaign on the order of some political greats, he will have a head start on most any opponent. Kefauver's home, atop Lookout Mountain near Chattanooga, has a front porch built over 300 feet of nothing but space. The terrace was constructed of steel

eyebeams and concrete and extends several feet over a precipice. On view from this ideal politician's front porch is much of the congressman's district. Immediately below is a good view of Moccasin Bend in the Tennessee River and most of Chattanooga itself—and it's within earshot of the Chattanooga choo-choo.

John Collier, United States Commissioner of Indian affairs, says in a book published by the University of Oklahoma press that the Indian population of the United States has increased 34 per cent since 1890. He estimates there now are 350,397 Indians in this nation.

Hatfield, Pa., housewives toted their cakes to the Montgomery County Fair and the women judges sat down to sample and inspect—without knowing the cooks' names. They awarded five prizes to a man, Donald Hileman. "My father taught me," Hileman explained.

Firemen at the Topeka headquarters station were taking things easy, awaiting the next alarm. It never came. The next fire, they discovered suddenly, was in their own station roof.

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SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

The Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending Sept. 19 were 24,530, compared with 22,695 for the same week in 1941. Cars received from connections totaled 13,526, compared with 9,239 for the same week in 1941. Total cars moved were 38,056, compared with 31,934 for the same week in 1941. Santa Fe handled a total of 33,349 cars in the preceding week of this year.

Outside the storm raged. The deafening thunder rolled and lightning flashed almost continuously. Presently a bolt struck Mr. Allen and knocked him out of bed. He rose, yawned, rubbed his eyes, and said, "All right, dear; I'll get up."

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Oil Activity—

(Continued from Page One)

S. P. Evans et al, Evans 1, NE NE 5-17-30; total depth 2,928 feet; plugged back to 2,775 feet; flowed 17 barrels per day through choke on tubing after shot.

Kersey & Co., Kreek 2-X, SE NW 28-18-30; total depth 3,279 feet; flowed 50 barrels per day through open tubing after shot.

George Turner, Wills 1, SE SW 13-20-28; total depth 908 feet; pumped 22 barrels oil per day after shot.

New Locations: Western Production Co., Keely 4-C, SE SE 24-17-29; Premier Petroleum Co., Arnold 2-C, NE NE 26-17-30; Yates & Stroup, State 1, SW NW 16-19-30.

Drilling Reports

Shown here are wells on which progress was reported, those inactive during the week being withheld until activities are resumed: Barney Cockburn, Etz 12, NE SE 35-16-30.

Total depth 3,204 feet; cleaning out after shot.

Barney Cockburn, Etz 1-X, SE SE 35-16-30.

Drilling at 1,980 feet.

Barney Cockburn, Etz 13-X, SE NE 35-16-30.

Drilling at 1,250 feet.

Max Coll and Carper Drilling Co., State 1, SW NE 36-16-30.

Drilling at 950 feet.

Continental, State 3, NW NW 36-16-30.

Drilling at 2,460 feet.

Etz Oil Co., Etz 4-E, NE SE 25-16-30.

Total depth 2,860 feet; 7-inch casing cemented.

Evarts Drilling Co., Grier 3, SW SE 30-16-31.

Drilling at 3,238 feet.

Evarts Drilling Co., Grier 5, NE NE 31-16-31.

Total depth 3,256 feet; waiting on test.

McDannald & Williams, Grier 2, NW SW 30-16-31.

Drilling at 2,950 feet.

Morton & Elder, Root 5, NW NE 7-17-30.

Total depth 3,475 feet; plugged back to 3,454 feet; pumped 48 barrels oil plus 20 barrels salt water per day after acid.

Sanders Bros., Evans 10, SE NE 33-16-30.

Drilling at 2,470 feet.

Sanders Bros., Evans 11, NE NE 33-16-30.

Drilling at 2,200 feet.

Walter Solt, State 2-A, NE NE 6-18-28.

Drilling at 2,130 feet.

Texas Trading Co., Grier 1, SW SW 29-16-31.

Drilling at 2,830 feet.

Yates & Nix, Matthews 1, NE SE 21-21-28.

Total depth 3,035 feet; preparing to plug and abandon.

Premier, Stablein 1, NW NE 15-16-30.

Total depth 472 feet; 10-inch casing cemented.

J. D. Mulcock, Etz 2, SE SW 25-16-30.

Drilling at 2,270 feet.

Yates & Stroup, State 1, SW NW 16-19-30.

Total depth 395 feet; 8 1/4-inch casing cemented.

Poultry Show—

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Cash and gifts have been contributed by twenty-two local firms.

At the conclusion of the show, in the afternoon, the exhibited chickens, representing the best individuals in the boys' and girls' flocks, will be sold at auction. Included will be many splendid chickens, which the purchaser could use for breeding purposes. Or, being in top condition, they would make mighty fine eating.

The money raised from the auction will be used to continue the project next year.

The boys and girls, who have participated in the project, retain possession of the other chickens in their flocks to be used as they wish.

Ration Order of Farm Machinery Affects State

Nationwide rationing of farm machinery, ordered last week by Secretary of Agriculture Wickard, affects eleven types of machinery widely used in New Mexico, according to Fred L. O'Cheskey, head of the state AAA and war farm boards.

The order went into effect for sales during the rest of 1942 and places the rationing in hands of county boards composed of the members of the county farm war boards and two representatives of the farming and livestock interests.

Placed under rationing are combines, disc harrows, feed grinders, fertilizer spreaders, manure spreaders, grain drills, hay balers and pickup hay bailers, milk coolers, milk machines and tractors, including garden tractors.

Exempt are used machinery not specifically rationed in the foregoing list, and small tools.

O'Cheskey said that chairmen of county war farm boards would act as chairmen of the farm machinery rationing boards, and that with other members of the board would appoint the two additional representatives to complete the personnel.

He expressed belief that the rationing boards would be in operation over the state within the week.

Are Joy-Riding—

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The New Mexico Office of Price Administration is appealing through local boards to all users of tires within the state to stop immediately the use of tires for pleasure purposes and is asking that waste of all sorts be avoided.

Currier says he has had numerous reports of joy-riding in and near Artesia, especially by young people, who are using up the remaining rubber on their parents' automobiles. This, he said, may cause inconvenience to the car owners if and when they need and ask for new tires or recaps, for such applications cannot be granted, even if the vehicles involved are essential to them.

He suggested that parents "clamp down" on their joy-riding sons and daughters and restrict the use of cars only to essential driving, for the regulations point out that further certificates shall not be issued if an applicant "has used rationed rubber at any time for non-essential purposes, or driving faster than thirty-five miles per hour, or such carelessness as will result in a waste of rubber, or in any way failing to use common care in the use of rubber."

TWO GIRL BABIES BORN AT CLINIC

A daughter, Freda Lorene, was born at 6:25 o'clock this morning at the Artesia Clinic to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Duckworth of Loco Hills. The baby weighed seven pounds at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holley of Artesia are the parents of a daughter, Billie Jean, born at the clinic at 6:10 o'clock Sunday morning. She also weighed seven pounds at birth.

SHIP 'EM IN ALIVE

More than 32,000 embryo-fed baby chicks this season and only seven dead upon arrival is the remarkable record reported this week by Wilson & Anderson.

Janitor: "Boss, how much yuh gwine ter pay me?"

Tom: "I'll pay you what you're worth."

Janitor: "Naw, suh, Boss. I'se gittin' mor'n dat now."

Certificate May Be Necessary to Get Gas Ration

The State Motor Vehicle Department has expressed belief that possession of certificates of registration will be a necessity, if motorists wish to obtain gasoline rationing cards.

Alfonse C. De Baca, chief clerk of the department, said the certificates had been a requisite for ration cards in the East, and added that many New Mexicans traveling in rationed areas had encountered difficulties when they failed to produce their registration certificates.

De Baca said many New Mexico motorists did not have their original certificate. Copies may be obtained from the motor vehicle division for 50 cents.

In many cases, the certificates were returned to the office unclaimed, De Baca said. Numerous other certificates are on the "suspension" list for one reason or another, including failure to pay the correct fee or lack of necessary information.

Although De Baca said he had no idea when gasoline rationing would be made nationwide, press dispatches recently indicated the system might be inaugurated over the entire country in about five weeks.

The commissioner's office usually runs about ten days behind on supplying copies of certificates, because of limitations on personnel and equipment, De Baca said. He therefore emphasized the importance of persons lacking the certificates making immediate arrangements to obtain them.

Local Ginnings

Ginnings of the Artesia Farmers Gin Company and the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association up to this morning totaled 266 bales. No comparison is made with last year, as the season was late and ginning had not started up to this time.

Assn., Artesia 61

Assn., Española 12

Assn., Atoka 111

Farmers 82

GUARD OFFICERS WILL TAKE TRAINING COURSE

Major Charles Morgan and Capt. Oren C. Roberts of Artesia are expected to be in a group of twenty-five of New Mexico State Guard officers, who are to leave Friday by chartered bus for Camp Bullis, San Antonio, Tex., for an intensive six-day training period.

The training will be devoted to lectures, demonstrations and the officers will study various phases of civilian defense work, war tactics, guerrilla warfare, chemical warfare, street fighting, maneuvers, drill and others.

A little hillbilly watched a man at a tourist camp making use of a comb and brush, a tooth brush, a nail file and a whisk broom. "Gee, mister," he finally queried, "are you always that much trouble to yourself?"

Customer: "I don't want to buy your crackers; they tell me the mice are always running over them."

Grocer: "That ain't so; why the cat sleeps in the barrel every night."

To remove inflammation and pain caused by a bee sting, cover the injured parts as quickly as possible with a paste of vinegar and baking soda. Repeat twice.



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ALL MAKES—ALL MODELS

Radio-Equipped Marine Scout



Marine Corps scouts are trained in the use of compact sending and receiving radio sets so that information they may uncover may be quickly transmitted to operation headquarters.

Official Airmail And V-Mail Take Postal Priority

With strategic cargo and important war personnel demanding more and more plane space, postal authorities have announced a new system of priorities and weight limitations on airmail for overseas destinations.

The move was taken, it was said, to insure the air transportation of the greatest possible number of letters to distant areas.

The order of preference established for overseas airmail: Official airmail, V-Mail, and to the extent space is available, other letter mail weighing not in excess of two ounces a letter.

As the quantity of airmail coming within the third category cannot be predicted, it was said, some of it may have to be transported by ship.

In addition, authorities declared military necessities may later require that only official airmail and V-Mail be transported overseas by air.

With the exception of official parcels, packages of merchandise, prints and similar material henceforth will not be handled aboard planes, the announcement said.

The new restrictions do not include airmail destined for Mexico, Central America, the West Indies and other islands within the Caribbean area, Alaska, Canada and Newfoundland.

Ninefold Line—

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grades; knowledge of war administration and issues as part of all social science courses; an understanding of the organization of the armed forces; pre-flight courses as outlined by the armed forces, wherever facilities are available.

Items to be stressed in schools during the emergency are concerned with integrating the teaching of mathematics, science, physical education, shop, homemaking and thrift.

It was brought that while the schools have been doing all of these things, the government desires the stressing of those phases of school work which will make a direct contribution to the preparation of boys and girls for entry later into the armed forces and industry.

Besides Burke, other educators meeting with the Eddy County school representatives were Floyd D. Golden, president of Eastern New Mexico College, Portales, and E. A. Hunt, superintendent of the Roosevelt County schools and a member-elect of the State Legislature.

APPLES BEING HARVESTED

Beginning this week winter apples are being harvested at my farm. Call and take your choice at reasonable prices. Plenty of cider on tap. Bryant Williams, Hope, N. Mex. 36-tfx

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to the many friends for their acts and words of kindness during the extended illness of our husband and father, J. W. (Jack) Kennedy, and to us at the time of his death. We especially thank the United Spanish War Veterans, the American Legion and the State Guard—Mrs. J. W. Kennedy, Ruby and Raymond Kennedy, Mrs. Preston, Camp and family, Mrs. Claude Matthews and family.

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Shoot More and Talk Less, Phone Manager Says

"Shoot more and talk less" is a slogan which might be adopted by the telephone business in general, according to Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., local manager of the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company, who said his company and the entire telephone business has been forced to take what in normal times would mean peculiar—to attempt to reduce business.

Since the outbreak of the war, Roberson said, telephone lines all over the nation have been busier than ever in the company's history, carrying urgent messages between offices of government, military posts, munition plants, aviation industries, shipyards, factories and homes.

"The fact we all seem to be using the telephone more indicates pretty clearly its vital part in tying together the work of war, but it also gives every telephone user an added responsibility," Roberson pointed out.

War calls, he said, come first and everyone can cooperate, Roberson said that is why the telephone company urges that long distance and local calls be made brief and that non-essential calls be avoided, as unnecessary conversations may delay important war calls.

Because important materials like copper, aluminum, rubber and zinc are vital war materials as well, new lines cannot be provided to handle additional loads, the manager said. He pointed out that a machine gun in action will use in four minutes about thirty pounds of copper, which is equivalent to a mile and a half of telephone wire, and the copper supply of the nation is going into shells and not into wire.

Not all calls going through the telephone switchboards these days have to do with war, Roberson said, but all calls that do have something to do with war go through the switchboards. And he asked especially that no one should call Washington, D. C., if it can be avoided.

Army Recruiters in Artesia Seek Skilled Men for Specialists

A party of U. S. Army recruiters stopped in Artesia Wednesday evening to leave word with The Advocate that they are in search of specialists for the Army Air Corps, Signal Corps and Ordnance Department.

"By 'specialists,' the Army men explained that they were in search of men with skill, or even a 'knack' for mechanics, electricity or radio.

"Those who are not skilled will be schooled," they said. "The maximum age limit has been raised to 50 years and physical requirements have been drastically reduced in order to secure more men who can qualify as specialists."

The party is making a tour of the state. They left for Alamogordo, from where they will return to district recruiting headquarters in Santa Fe. The men said that anyone who felt that he may qualify for training as a specialist should get in touch with Sgt. Dale Woolsey at the Army Recruiting Office in the postoffice building in Roswell.

The gun carriage of a 155 mm. gun calls for 1,000 separate drawings, plus 500 more for the recoil mechanism.

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KID'S RODEO

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25

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Artesia Goat Roper's Club

No one more than 17 years old eligible. No one who has won a championship at any other Kid's Rodeo eligible.

Events

Mark X opposite events you wish to enter:

- ☐ Calf Roping. This is a catch contest; loop must go over calf's head.
- ☐ Calf Riding. Contestant must not be more than 14 years of age.
- ☐ Shetland Pony Stake Race. Open to all ponies.
- ☐ Shetland Pony Race.
- ☐ Race, 100 Yards. Open to all ponies.
- ☐ Novelty Race. Open to all contestants.
- ☐ Belled Calf Catching. Team of two.

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