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End of Boy Scouts at Most Successful Camp From Here

Most successful Boy Scout season for Camp Wehinger, the boys of the Eastern Area Council in some ended Saturday.

Camp, which opened on July 20, had attendance, some 398 in the 21 years during the camp has been open, was announced by Howland, area executive.

Camp periods ranged from 10 to 10 days.

Gateway District, in which 41 boys during the camp, or approximately 33.9 of its Scouts. Some 15 boys, all from Troop No. 8, and the second camp period, the other 25 Scouts from Nos. 8 and 27, attended.

Period.

With a total of 27 scout-ers from over the area at the camps, Artesia was the area which did not have its scoutmasters present, it was announced.

In all instances juniors were present with the boys.

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T. B. Smith, 34, Buried at Avis On Wednesday

Graveside services at Avis were held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon for Thomas Buford Smith, 34, who died in a hospital in Las Vegas at 3 o'clock Sunday morning, July 14, in what the death certificate termed "accidental death." It was understood he was hit by a brick the day prior to his death.

Robert A. Waller, evangelist of the Church of Christ of Artesia, was in charge of the funeral services. Wayne Paulin of Paulin Funeral Home and Guy Smith, brother of Mr. Smith, brought the body to Artesia in the Paulin hearse.

Mr. Smith is survived by a sister and three brothers, Mrs. Paul Stevenson and Guy and William P. Smith of Artesia and Frank C. Smith of Covington, Okla.

He was born at Avis Aug. 9, 1911, and lived all his life in this area. He formerly ranched at Avis.

Delivery of City Mail Is Extended In Two Sections

Extension of city delivery mail services to residents on Osborn Avenue as well as Chisum and Texas Avenues and Main Street has been approved, in addition to the extension of service on Dallas Avenue, Washington and the area between Roselawn and Sixth Street and Mackin and Garst Avenues, it has been announced by J. L. Truett, postmaster.

The establishment of an auxiliary route here, recommended by Postmaster Truett, has been approved and he has been directed to request other auxiliary routes if they are needed.

Postmaster Truett has been endeavoring to increase the city delivery service here, not only as an accommodation to the patrons, but also to try to free as many postoffice boxes as possible, needed by business firms.

On several occasions, he has requested all who could have their mail delivered to their homes and release postoffice boxes, to do that, in order to provide boxes for those needing them and to reduce the amount of mail which is going through general delivery.

The patrons on the routes, which have been recommended here, are now receiving their mail by carrier service and every effort to extend these routes and to increase the service to patrons will be continued, Postmaster Truett has declared.

Two More Wins For REA Keep Record Perfect

The REA softball team, with two more wins since last week, maintains a perfect record for the second half of the league season here, while Conoco, Asphalt, and the high school teams are tied for second place.

Grayburg forfeited to the high school last Thursday and then REA defeated Conoco 8-2.

In the first game Tuesday evening, Asphalt won over Conoco 4-1, while REA defeated the high school boys 11-5.

Standings in the second half of the season to date:

	Won	Lost
REA	6	0
Conoco	3	3
Asphalt	2	2
High school	2	2
Grayburg	1	4

In a non-league game here Friday evening, the REA team defeated Carlsbad 9-0. A return game is to be played in Carlsbad Friday evening, July 26.

Bill Angley, Artesia, Wins Seventh Flight In Hobbs Golf Play

W. H. (Bill) Angley of Artesia won the seventh flight in the Hobbs annual invitational golf tournament, which was played Friday through Sunday. He was awarded a wrist watch as a prize.

Other divot diggers from Artesia who played in the tournament were Bill Bullock, Bob Bourland, Cliff Lloyd, and H. D. Burch.

The men said the tournament was the largest ever held at Hobbs and that a number of players had to be turned away.

Names of Donald Simons and Dee White Lead in DAV Poll

The memory of Donald Simons will be honored in the naming of the new North Eddy County chapter of the Disabled American Veterans and, should the chapter members on Friday evening decide to honor two local boys who gave their lives in World War II, the memory of Dee White also will be honored.

The two war heroes were selected in a public poll Saturday in connection with the chapter's "Forget-Me-Not Day," on which memory flowers were sold on the streets. Each 25 cents contributed to the DAV's rehabilitation fund entitled the honor to a sheet on which were the names of 55 North Eddy County men, all of whom were killed or died during World War II. A person was entitled to vote for one or two.

Leland Wittkopp, forget-me-not chairman, said Simons received 272 votes, and White, 194. He disclosed that Dale Hannah's memory was honored third, with 186 selections, and Lloyd Walker Evans, fourth, with 184.

That every one of the 55 war dead were well remembered was demonstrated by the fact that the names of all were selected by some of the contributors.

Wade Cunningham, temporary commander of the post, said it is certain the name of Donald Simons will be used in naming the new chapter. Whether two World War II heroes will be honored or not is to be determined at the meeting at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening, which is to be at the city hall. Should the members vote for two, then the name of Dee White also will be used, Cunningham said.

He and Wittkopp were highly pleased with the "Forget-Me-Not Day" sale, which brought in \$547.10, in spite of rain in the evening, and they expressed their thanks to everyone who made purchases, as well as to members of the Coke-Ettes Club and the wives and mothers of disabled veterans, who sold the flowers.

In turn, members of the new chapter have called attention to the efforts of the two men for making the sale and selection of names a success.

Cunningham said the charter for the chapter, which has been kept open, will be closed at the meeting Friday evening and that all disabled veterans of World Wars I and II who wish to become members are invited to come out to the meeting and join at that time.

Two-Inch Rain Falls on Artesia Saturday Night

The heaviest rainfall here since the gully-washers during the flood year of 1941 fell late Saturday afternoon and Sunday night, according to the gauge of the Southern Union Gas Company, which showed exactly two inches of precipitation.

The rainfall was even greater to the south and east of the city, estimated in some neighborhoods at as much as three inches.

It became lighter to the north and east, but in general the rain covered a wide section. The rain extended beyond Hobbs and Lovington, according to Artesia citizens who happened to be at those two places. And to the north, it was reported, a lighter rain fell at Lake Arthur and none at Hagerman.

Although the immense rain cloud was filled with thunderheads, no hail, which usually accompanies electric storms, was reported in the vicinity of Artesia.

The cotton, which has been making towards a record crop, was undamaged, but some cut hay was damaged somewhat. At the same time, the rainfall on the ranges was worth thousands of dollars, filling tanks and furnishing moisture for the parched grass.

There was also perhaps some loss of alfalfa seed from the rain but cuttings of alfalfa are reported not running extremely heavy, with indications there will be a record crop this year. The average alfalfa yield is reported going as high as two and a quarter tons this year.

The construction of the new ice manufacturing plant is another of the steps forward in new plants and industries being taken in Artesia.

Hitherto all of the ice has been brought into Artesia from Carlsbad but in the future when the new plant is complete Artesia's ice will be manufactured here.

Local Male Quartet Will Present Popular Concert Tuesday Evening

The Artesia community is to be treated at 8:15 o'clock next Tuesday evening, July 30, to a concert of vocal music by a male quartet, the members of which had been singing "just for fun," but were prevailed upon by music lovers here to prepare a program for public presentation. The concert will be given at the First Presbyterian Church.

The quartet is composed of Vergil O. Hopp, first tenor; Howard O. Miller, second tenor; A. Lynn Myers, first bass, and J. Ross Albert, second bass.

Geneva Smith Ross is the director and Edna Carper is the accompanist.

No admission charge is to be made for the concert, but a silver offering will be taken for defrayment of expenses.

The voices of Hopp and Miller, who has lived in Artesia the last few years, are known to many Artesia people. Myers is a geologist, who came here recently and is working with V. P. Sheldon. Albert is the husband of the former Miss Dawn Hornbaker of Artesia and is spending the summer here. He plans to return to Pennsylvania in the fall to resume his college work.

The program, which will include modern, Negro spiritual, and light numbers, will have 11 quartet selections and three solos, one each by Miller, Myers, and Albert.

The numbers on the program in the order to be given, all quartet except those indicated as solos:

"A Song of the Road," by Protheroe; "I Heard a Forest Praying," by Peter de Rose; "The Song of the Jolly Roger," by Chudleigh-Candish.

"Song of the Open Road," by Molotie, solo, Howard O. Miller; "Steal Away," Negro spiritual, arranged by Bartholomew; "Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley," Negro spiritual, by Dawson.

"Pilgrim Song," by Tschakowsky, solo, A. Lynn Myers; "Dedication," by Franz; "One Who Has Yearned Alone," by Tschakowsky-Rieger.

"I Dunno," by Edward Nichol, solo, J. Ross Albert; "Passing By," by Purcell-Pitcher; "Only a Pin," by Phillips; "When All the World Is Young," by O'Hara; "Looking for the Lost Chord," by Lorenz.

Two-Hour Parking On Fourth to Start Aug. 1

Enforcement of the two-hour parking ordinance on Fourth Street between Quay and Texas will be started Thursday, Aug. 1, it has been announced by Chief of Police Kelley Stout.

The ordinance was passed many months ago but no effort to enforce it has been made because of inability to secure paint to properly mark the two blocks on Fourth Street.

The street has now been marked, however, and enforcement of the ordinance is to start on next Thursday.

This will provide two-hour parking limits on Main from Fifth Street to First Street and on Fourth Street between Quay and Texas. The ordinance to limit parking on Fourth to two hours was passed shortly after the street was widened.

Observance of the two-hour limit by all citizens is being requested by police officers.

Ground Broken For Main Hall Legion Home

Ground was broken this week for the proposed American Legion building, construction of the main hall of which is to be pushed to completion as quickly as possible, while the remainder of the building will be built as soon as conditions permit, it was announced by members of the post's building committee.

It was decided by the committee that it would be better to construct only part of the building—the main hall—than to wait until such time as all material for the complete structure is available and permission has been granted.

The Civilian Production Administration has not approved construction of the entire building, but did approve the main hall.

The portion of the building to be constructed at once will be 40x70 feet and will provide a place for meetings and dances, complete with a stage.

The American Legion building will be located on the post's property, the west half of the half block on the south side of Texas Avenue between Fifth and Sixth Streets. It will face east, overlooking the east half of the half block, which was given to the city by M. E. Baish and has been dedicated for use as a city park.

The complete building is to cost about \$50,000. The committee did not disclose what proportion of the final cost would be used in the construction of the portion now started.

B. G. Robinson, contractor, said that he believes the main hall will be ready for use in about six months, even though it might not be completed. He said it will be built so that the remainder of the building as planned by the architect and the building committee may be added when conditions permit.

Rev. Scoggins, Former Artesia Pastor, Is Dead

Rev. Harold G. Scoggins of Dalhart, Tex., former pastor of the First Methodist Church of Artesia, died suddenly July 9, it has been learned by friends here. Funeral services and burial were at Georgetown, Tex., July 10.

He is survived by his widow and a son, Harold Grant Scoggins, Jr., a student at Southwestern University, Georgetown.

Rev. Scoggins served in both World Wars I and II, in the latter of which he was a chaplain and was discharged with the rank of major. He saw service in the Philippine Islands.

Friends in Artesia recall that during his pastorate here Rev. Scoggins was quite active in the American Legion, as well as in civic matters.

Mrs. Craig's Father Is Killed Friday at Brownfield, Texas

Lester McPherson of Brownfield, Tex., father of Mrs. Homer Craig of Artesia, was killed Friday morning, when he was run over by a mainline belonging to the Highway Department, for which Mr. McPherson worked.

Funeral services were Sunday afternoon at Brownfield and were attended from here by Mr. and Mrs. Craig and son, Herbie, and Mrs. Mark Whelan and daughter and son, Miss Marcia and Paul.

Mr. Craig is to return to Artesia the latter part of the week, but Mrs. Craig plans to remain in Brownfield a few days longer, Mrs. Whelan said upon her return.

Polio Threat Calls For War on Flies

As the threat of infantile paralysis, which is sweeping the Southwest, closes in closer to Artesia, Mayor A. P. Mahone and other city officials and members of the medical profession this week made strong appeals for sanitation and a concerted war on flies as steps to help avert an outbreak here.

Although stories were rife that there is a case of polio in Artesia, members of the medical profession said there is none in Artesia to the best of their knowledge.

However, the fact that Venita Kay Tyner, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Tyner of Roswell and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Payne of Artesia, has infantile paralysis has misled a number of local citizens to believe the little girl is here, or that she is an Artesia child. It is believed her illness is the cause of the rumors.

Local doctors, speaking for the medical profession here, said that in view of the threat of infantile paralysis in Artesia and the definite cases reported from surrounding towns, such as Roswell, Alamogordo, and El Paso, it would be advisable for everybody in the community to do all in their power to eliminate flies in and about their homes and premises, as the latest scientific information incriminates the fly as the carrier of the virus of polio.

Mayor Mahone, prior to leaving the city the first part of the week, said the sanitary ordinance must be complied with in Artesia or violators will be dealt with severely.

Garbage cans must have lids on them, according to the ordinance, (TURN TO SOCIETY PAGE, PLEASE)

Both Mayor Mahone and City Manager Morris appealed to the residents of the outlying districts, those beyond the city limits and the jurisdiction of the city officials and ordinances to cooperate also for their own protection and the safety of the entire community.

Richard H. Westaway of Carlsbad, chairman of the Eddy County chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, this week issued a statement in regard to the Crippled Children's Hospital at Hot Springs in polio cases. It reads:

"The community is aware of the polio cases which seem to be spreading in various sections of our neighboring states. Such facts have made citizens of Eddy County alert and questions have been asked concerning the available facilities, should similar cases occur in this community."

"The medical profession of our community has been informed of the money available for medical service. This fund also provides (TURN TO SOCIETY PAGE, PLEASE)

Growing Teacher Shortage Serious In Nation, Kerr Declares at Rotary

The growing teacher shortage and impending increased enrollments throughout the nation are so acute that America, facing the most serious situation in history, will have the least qualified citizens, W. E. Kerr, superintendent of Artesia schools, declared Tuesday noon at the weekly luncheon of the Artesia Rotary Club.

The superintendent recently returned from a meeting of 300 educators at Chautauque, N. Y., and a meeting of the National Educational Association at Buffalo, at both of which different phases of the acute problem of teacher shortage were discussed.

Calling on the facts gleaned from the two meetings, he said that the issuance in the United States of emergency teaching certificates increased from 2305 in the 1941-42 school year to 108,932 in the 1945-46 year.

Such certificates, Kerr said, are issued to people with sub-standard qualifications to teach. During the war in New Mexico, he said, such certificates were issued to some boys and girls just out of high school, in order to keep the classrooms open.

The use of unqualified teachers is mostly in the elementary classes, Kerr said, whereas qualifications are more needed there than in the higher grades. The center of attention seems to be on the high schools, which is backwards, "putting the cart before the horse," the speaker declared.

In an emergency, such as the war, Kerr pointed out, when there is a shortage of doctors, dentists, nurses, and the like, special certificates are not issued to unqualified persons. "Yet," he added, "we seem to be willing to entrust our children—our future citizens—to people not qualified from moral or educational standards."

The Artesia superintendent contended that no child should be placed under the care of a teacher with less than a college education.

He charged the emergency in teacher shortages to three things, the depression, the war, and the fact that today the state or community which pays the best wages and promises the best standards of living is getting the better teachers. The cities are robbing the rural communities and states are robbing other states, he said.

Kerr said it had been hoped that teachers who were called into service and into war industries would return to their profession. But up to now only 20 per cent of those who were in uniform have indicated they are going to teach again, while the percentage (TURN TO LAST PAGE PLEASE)

While Congress Debates, Food Prices Take Greatest Climb

Although there have been advances in prices of many products here, the greatest increase, of course, has been in food prices while Congress continues to debate OPA ceiling prices.

There is every indication now that a new ceiling price bill will be voted by Congress. Whether the measure remains to be seen.

But prices have advanced in many lines during the past few weeks and since all ceiling prices went off when the law expired June 30. In most instances, these are price increases in price on the part of the wholesaler and the distributor, making it necessary that the retailer ask for a higher price.

The greatest increase has been on foods, with meat prices climbing the highest. This is due, in some measure, to the removal of subsidies, which were paid by the government to the producers. Subsidies also were paid on milk and dairy products.

This, however does not account for increases, which have amounted to 75 to 100 per cent on some meat cuts. This does not hold true in all markets here. In some cases, top price for certain cuts of meat have been held at 55 cents per pound. In other shops the same meat in grade and quality is retailing for 75 cents per pound.

Confidence has still been voiced here if once the atmosphere would clear there would be a settling down and a leveling off of prices.

If the OPA ceiling prices again are applied, that may adjust the matter. However, some fear has been voiced that the shortages will (TURN TO SOCIETY PAGE, PLEASE)

Application for VFW Charter Is Made on Friday

A formal application for a charter for the newly formed Veterans of Foreign Wars Post in Artesia was drawn up and signed by 10 veterans Friday evening at a meeting at the city hall.

At that time Alan Thompson, temporary commander, announced the new post had about 35 veterans signed up for the charter, which is to be held open about two months.

J. H. Ansley was elected temporary treasurer Friday evening, to serve with Thompson until the post is fully organized and an election of regular officers is held.

Thompson said the next regular meeting will not be held until after national headquarters has taken action on the application for a post charter and instructions to go ahead have been received.

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WE HAVE OFTEN BEEN TOLD we never ap-
preciate as much the things which are given
to us as the things we earn and pay for ourselves.
Generally speaking, we believe that is true.

However, we are firmly convinced that the
city of Artesia and all of its citizens are deeply
appreciative of the fine gifts of the new white way
system to the city and its citizens by the South-
western Public Service company.

The new white way system here is to be the
gift of the public service company—a gift, which
represents a cost of approximately \$50,000.

It isn't so often in these days and times that
we find a public utility company, which makes an
outright gift of \$50,000 to the city in which it
operates. The fact is, oftentimes we find it ex-
tremely difficult to get some outside concerns op-
erating within the city and enjoying the benefits
of the city, to make gifts and contributions to
local causes; to the maintenance of the
chamber of commerce and to other civic causes.

The Southwestern Public Service company
does all of this and more too. It has not been
too long since the company volunteered to donate
2 per cent of its gross to the city every year. It
was done in some places. It wasn't even request-
ed here, but the company volunteered to do it.

The only explanation they make when ques-
tioned about these things is that they feel this way
about Artesia. They feel they are a part of the
city; want to have a part in its program and civic
progress and advancement and are going to con-
tribute in any way and every way they can toward
the growth of the city.

The Southwestern Public Service company has
done and is doing that here.

This company also has an unusual record in
Boy Scout work.

Everywhere the company operates, its man-
agers and employees are active in the Scouting pro-
gram. The company gives of its employees time
and it gives of its money to support these move-
ments and to help promote these programs as well
as all other worthy programs.

And we feel that Artesia appreciates this fine
attitude and this company's fine contribution to
the growth of our city.—O.E.P.

Real Reason

GEN. DRAJA MIKHAILOVITCH is dead.
He died at the hands of a firing squad—a fir-
ing squad charged with taking his life on orders
of his political enemy, Tito.

General Mikhailovitch was former minister of
war of Yugoslavia. He is credited with giving
Germany its first resistance in Yugoslavia.

Tito accused him of aiding and helping the
enemy. Tito refused to permit American airmen,
who were saved from the Nazis by Mikhailovitch,
to testify in behalf of the General. He contended
it was none of the business of these Americans.

All the facts in the case, of course, will never
be known. In such instances, those in power find
it best that the truth not be known.

But all know that Tito sought power; wanted
power; and now has power in Yugoslavia. Gen-
eral Mikhailovitch was a strong man and could
have been a hero too. He, perhaps, was too
strong. It was best for the interests of Tito and
his followers there be no Mikhailovitch. And
that, perhaps, is the real reason he was tried, found
guilty and shot to death.

But it was none of the Americans' business as
to what happened to Mikhailovitch. It wasn't a
question of right or wrong. There was no desire
for the truth—the desire was to get rid of Mik-
hailovitch and that Tito has done.

It was none of America's business as to what
happened to Yugoslavia either, but they didn't
reject American aid and help.

And the chances are that before long Yugo-
slavia will be among those seeking aid and loans
from America. Our answer should be to Tito
that what happens to him, his country and his
people is none of our business. But that won't be
the case—instead we will loan him the money.—
O.E.P.

All Have Part

IN THE BUILDING of a community, a county,
a state or a nation, it takes the complete and
full co-operation of all the citizens.

In the winning of wars, all play their part,

those on the war front and those on the home
front.

In the club programs and movements it is
the effort of all members, which makes the orga-
nization a success.

That is true in Artesia. It is the united ef-
fort of everyone working together, which makes
for success.

It is the extending consideration to all, which
wins this united effort. It is permitting and in-
viting all to participate, which gets the job done.

Every citizen in this community has an obli-
gation to this community and this city whether he
or she has resided here a few months or many
years.

Artesia has grown rapidly. Fully 50 per
cent of its population is composed of what might
be termed newcomers. More than half of our
citizens have resided here less than 10 years. Even
a large per cent have been here only five years or
less. The population of Artesia has more than
doubled in the past 10 years.

Business people up and down Main Street
have been here ranging from a few months to
many years. All have a part in our city, its pro-
gram for the future and its growth and develop-
ment. All pay in taxes; maintain payrolls; con-
tribute to the city and its welfare. All have and
should have a part in the upbuilding of our city.

And the realization seems to be growing here
that we must pay tribute to those who built Ar-
tesia and are continuing to help build our city.
And that we must have the aid and help of all the
newcomers, whether they have been here a few
months or a few years.

As a city, we need their help, their ideas, their
suggestions and their efforts and energy.

We need everyone working and striving for
Artesia to make it the city we want it to be and
the city that it can be in the days ahead.

And the future of our city rests with us, each
and everyone of us, who reside here; work here;
have our money invested here; and are interested
in our city and its future.

As a city, we need the aid, help, counsel, ad-
vice and assistance of everyone and that whole-
hearted and united effort is becoming a reality.

It is our duty and our responsibility, if we
place the welfare of our city first and above every-
thing else, to strive for that goal and that objective
—a city working and striving together, rather than
opposing one another.

The easiest and simplest way to accomplish
this and to win and keep the interest of all is to
see that all participate and help in this commu-
nity building program.—O.E.P.

Tax Holiday

IN THESE DAYS AND TIMES of increased taxes
and increased costs, the proposal over in
Texas of a tax holiday on state general fund ad-
valorem taxes comes as a refreshing bit of news.

If the holiday can be declared, and it is to be
discussed this week, it means a saving of some
\$11,000,000 to the taxpayers of Texas.

And we can't keep from thinking if Texas does
take this tax holiday, they will really have some-
thing to talk about.

But seemingly there are sufficient funds on
hand to take care of most of the needs for appor-
tionalations at the next legislative session.

Last year's tax rate was 72 cents for each \$100
valuation. If the proposed plan can be followed
the tax for the coming year is to be only 37 cents
for each \$100 valuation. This is 35 cents for the
schools and two cents for Confederate veterans' pensions.
The latter is a constitutional amendment
and it is mandatory that it be assessed. How-
ever, this would be a slash of approximately 50
percent in the taxes.

And in these days and times of 50 and 100
percent more—well, 50 per cent less seems like a
real gift.—O.E.P.

Let's Name Our Airport

WE WERE THINKING SATURDAY while for-
get-me-nots were being sold by the new local
chapter of the Disabled American Veterans and
the people of the Artesia community were select-
ing a name for the chapter that there is something
else here which needs a distinctive name—our
airport.

Artesia has one of the finest airports in the
country, one which could serve a busy air termi-
nal, but it has no name, other than being designated
as the municipal port.

Among the 56 North Eddy County boys who
gave their lives in World War II were a number
serving in the Air Forces, who were killed in
action or died of wounds.

Would it not be fitting that we as a commu-
nity select the name of one of them to be given to
our splendid airport, creating a memorial for all
time to him and the others of the Air Forces who
were lost?—A.L.B.

Lanes Might Help

UP ROSWELL WAY the downtown streets have
been marked off in traffic lanes, which it is
hoped will make for fewer jams and less confusion.

We thought some time ago that was going to
be done in Artesia, but we have seen no further
evidence of it.

We are just as busy a little city as Roswell
and we'll bet we have as many drivers who don't
know the first rules about driving as our Chavez
County neighbor. Whether they could or would
follow the traffic lanes if they were painted on
Artesia streets will never be known until we try it.

But it is a certainty that we need something
here, painted traffic lanes, a traffic cop on each
corner, or a compulsory school on driving.—A.L.B.

It is usually the individual, who is not even
a customer of a particular firm, who complains
the most about the lack of service.

Communities, so we are told, either go for-
ward or backward. They never stand still. In
many instances they grow in spite of what we do
to block them.

Artesia is going to grow and expand in direct
proportion to the work and effort we put forth as
citizens in this community.

Up and Down Main Street

TRY HERE FIRST
UP AND DOWN MAIN
BUILDING ARTESIA

There are in Artesia individuals,
who strive hard to purchase and
buy everything they buy in Ar-
tesia before they go elsewhere.
These are those folks, who are
frequently referred to as "the
salt of the earth." There are, of
course, those folks who always go
elsewhere to purchase what they
have to buy. They argue they can
never find anything at home; that
what they want isn't carried lo-
cally—it is a sort of complex they
possess about nothing at home be-
ing good enough for them. Most
of us buy things out of town. But
there are the two groups—those
who buy elsewhere because they
can't get it at home, and those
who never figure there is any-
thing at home good enough for
them. And those who buy it
elsewhere because they can't find
it at home really looked before
they went elsewhere. Every mer-
chant has customers who buy only
what they have to buy from that
place of business. They merely
fill in, so to speak, and get some-
thing with which they can get
along until they can go out of
town to buy what they want.
There are always those who go
out of town to get their clothes;
to buy their furniture; to pur-
chase their shoes; to obtain their
medical service; to have their
dental work done; to get their
glasses; to buy their printing; to
obtain their office supplies; to
have their pictures made. Yes,
there are those, who go elsewhere
to buy anything and everything
they can purchase. But it is
those folks, who try here and buy
here if they can, who make it pos-
sible for our stores to serve this
community; make it possible to
increase the lines of merchandise
they stock; to expand their stores;
to improve their service; and to
remain here to serve their cus-
tomers and the people of Artesia.
It is these same firms, who pro-
vide jobs for local people; help
provide the payrolls; and help
provide more money to be spent
here because they are in business
here.

Howard Whitson heading for
the laundry . . . G. Taylor Cole
just admitting he didn't do one
bit of good fishing in Colorado
... Walter Byers explaining
they had pretty good luck on
their fishing jaunt . . . Doc Ma-
honey declaring he didn't have
too many troubles . . . John
Mathis explaining he was hav-
ing his car painted and that was
why he was doing a little walk-
ing . . . Ray Bartlett and
Creighton Gilchrist talking over
the situation . . . Rev. Paul
Brown explaining how busy he
had been during the past week
... Rev. C. A. Clark getting
his mail at the postoffice . . .
Charlotte Jacobs busy at Car-
ter's cafe . . . Bill Dunnham and
Gen. Pat Hurley visiting a few
places here and there while the
Republican nominee for the U.
S. Senate did a little campaign-
ing . . . Tom Heflin still plenty
busy on all of the buildings,
which he has under construc-
tion . . . Ralph Hayes looking
for a particular size of fastener
... Ralph Petty headed for the
store after a trip down to the
bank . . . Clarence Key com-
plaining about kind losing out
on his coffee . . . Al Thompson
all smiles about his work and
explaining how much he was en-
joying it . . . Bert Bidwell pick-
ing up his Kansas City papers
... Tom Ragsdale headed down
Main Street . . . Shirley Hager
explaining he was not in busi-
ness on this side of the track
... Fritz Ward busy at his in-
surance office . . . E. A. Hannah
discussing the general situation
and OPA in particular . . . Arba
Green headed up the street . . .
J. T. Caudle greeting friends
... Morrison Livingston declar-

ing it was a rather long old road
out to the Magnolia Black Hills
test . . . Dr. J. J. Clarke get-
ting his mail and then return-
ing to his office . . . Dr. L. F.
Hamilton headed up the street
in his car . . . Dennis Higgs busy
at Bowman's . . . Dr. Russell
greeting friends . . . Dr. Wm.
Bumstead headed west on Texas
toward his office . . . That was
Up and Down Main this week.

And it is these same firms, who
pay taxes on their business; who
support the schools; who support
the churches; the local institu-
tions; and pay for the improve-
ments made in our city. It is the
local firms, stores, businesses,
services, these business and pro-
fessional men, who build Artesia
and help to make Artesia a great-
er Artesia. It is the money,
which we spend locally, which
makes all of this possible and
which makes it possible for those,
who do not trade at home, to be
able to call on these firms or in
these stores and make the pur-
chases they make. All of this
helps to build Artesia. No one
business or firm can enjoy all of
the business. All have competi-
tion either here or nearby or
through mail order catalogs. If
not in these two ways, then
through salesmen and representa-
tives, who call in Artesia. There
was a day, and that time is re-
turning, when you could buy most
anything you wanted through a
mail order house, or from a sales-
man, who called in this territory.
That mail order house and that
salesman never contributed one
dime to taxes in this community;
they never contributed anything to
various civic movements and un-
dertakings; they never help build
Artesia. They are not interested
in Artesia or its future. They are
only concerned in obtaining what
they can obtain from the people
who live in this city. They are
only concerned about the business
which they can enjoy here. And
the savings we often feel we enjoy
by buying from them are usually
imaginary because of expenses in-
volved in making the purchase
and because of the fact that a
salesman, who is here today and
gone tomorrow, is never here to
guarantee some article or item,
which we have purchased from
them. There are those, we say,
who have always traded elsewhere
than in their home community.
The chances are they always will.
The ones we can help serve and
the ones, whose business we can
enjoy, are those, who try at home
first. And the way to enjoy and
to keep their business is to strive
a little harder always to try and
have what they want and to serve
them.

USDA ASKS INDUSTRY TO HOLD MILK PRICES

Secretary of Agriculture Ander-
son has seconded the appeal of
President Truman that all groups
keep prices in line until Congress
can take action leading to settle-
ment of price control.

In a letter to the chairman of
the New York Milk Shed Dairy
Committee, Secretary Anderson
stated that, under the price pol-
icy announced previously by the
economic stabilization adminis-
trator, the continuing absence of
price control and subsidies would
justify an increase in milk prices.
He expressed hope, however, that
any further Congressional action
would include provisions designed
to permit orderly liquidation of
subsidies without shock to pro-
ducers and consumers.

Application for a student li-

Cottonwood Items (Crowded Out Last Week)

(Ora Buck)

Rev. and Mrs. Chester Rogers,
who have recently returned from
Albuquerque, where they visited
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wheeler, their
son-in-law and daughter, have re-
ported the arrival of a new grand-
daughter, Janet Mae.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Malone have
returned from Rockport, Tex.,
where they went on a fishing
trip. Their sons, Ernest and
Cooper, accompanied them when
they left, but did not return. They
planned to stay another week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Musgraves
an dson have returned to their
home in Nogales, Ariz., after a
delightful 10-day visit with Mrs.
Musgraves' sister, Mrs. Jesse I.
Funk.

Capt. and Mrs. C. R. Sylvester
arrived last week for a visit with
Mrs. Sylvester's parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Jesse I. Funk, and her sis-
ter, Mrs. James Thigpen. Cap-
tain Sylvester is being transferred
from Walter Reed Hospital Wash-
ington, D. C., to a hospital in San
Francisco, Calif. The Sylvesters
also visited Captain Sylvester's
mother in Texas.

Noah Eugene Buck, son of Mr.
and Mrs. Noah Buck, has been
promoted to the rank of sergeant.
Eugene Buck of Carrizo Springs,
Tex., arrived last week to visit
friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lane and
daughter, Violet Madge, have
gone to Hot Springs, to take the
hot baths.

Rev. Charles Sinderdecker, pas-
tor of the Lake Arthur Baptist
Church, left on Monday for a visit
with his mother in Abilene, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crook are in
Hot Springs, where Mr. Crook is
taking the baths.

Miss Christine Johnson, daugh-
ter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Johnson,
spent Friday night with her par-
ents. Miss Johnson is a councilor
at Camp Mary White in the Sac-
ramento Mountains.

HANGAR FLYING

(Crowded out last week)

Students who soled last week
were James W. Nellis, J. L. Turn-
er, and Rube Washburn.

Artesia pilots who flew to the
barbecue and dedication of the
airport at Ruidoso Sunday were
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Conner and
Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Fuchs.

Dan Mueller of El Paso was a
guest at the airport this week.

Lee Weehunt took his solo
cross-country Sunday. He is al-
most ready to take the flight
check for his private license, hav-
ing passed the written some time
ago and has the required number
of hours.

John Newman of Roswell spent
Saturday evening at the municipal
airport. Newman released C. C.
Conner's plane and came to Ar-
tesia to license the Aeronca,
which Bob Ehle has been rebuild-
ing for the Webber Flying Serv-
ice in Carlsbad.

"Sug" Hazel dusted his first
cotton crop of the year this morn-
ing for the Derrick farms at
Carlsbad. The O'Bannon farms
on the Cottonwood were dusted
Monday morning.

A meeting of the Artesia chap-
ter of the NAA was held Wednes-
day evening of last week at the
airport. Although a slight sprin-
kle of rain kept a few members
from attending, a good turnout
was had and business was quickly
accomplished.

Application for a student li-

cense was made this week by Bob
Collins.
E. J. Boans passed the written
for his private license this week.
Boans is training on the veteran
training program and has done
exceptionally well.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Longbotham
returned last week from Wash-
ington, D.C., flying their new Er-
coup. Mr. and Mrs. Longbotham
are both pilots. Longbotham re-
ceived his private license some
time ago and Mrs. Longbotham is
hoping to receive hers in the near
future. She now holds a student
license.

Ground school this week cov-
ered service of aircraft. This
course is being instructed by Bob
Ehle, mechanic at the Hazel
hangar.

Gene Sherwood of Artesia re-
turned Friday from Lockhaven,
Pa. He delivered one of five new
ships to the Hobbs airport.

SUGAR RATIONING REMAINS UNDER OPA

All phases of the sugar ration-
ing program continue in effect,
OPA Administrator Paul Porter
has announced. Authority for
sugar rationing comes from the
Second War Powers Act, extended
to March 31, 1947, by Congress.
An executive order of June 30
specifically directed OPA to per-

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Telephone Statistics Indicate Tempo of Artesia's Growth

The growth of Artesia and the increased tempo of business activity in this area is forcefully shown by telephone statistics released today by W. F. Hinde, Artesia manager of The Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company. Company-wide statistics

prove similarly that business activity is at an all-time high in the entire Mountain States area. Although many people believed that the end of the war would see a definite leveling off, if not a decline, in demand for telephone service, the 11 months since VJ Day have witnessed unprecedented new demand for service, as well as record-breaking usage of telephones by subscribers, Hinde said, continuing:

In Artesia there were 827 telephones in service June 30, 1941. Although wartime demand for new telephone service was very great, material shortages held down the gain in telephones and in June, 1945, this number had increased only to a total of 1167. At the present time, with almost all orders filled, there are 1451 telephones in Artesia. Thus, in

one year, this exchange has gained almost as many telephones as in the four preceding years.

The same general trend is true throughout the seven states served by the telephone company. In June, 1941, the company had 558,000 telephones in service; in June, 1945, 689,000; and at the present time, more than 780,000. The new demand for telephones in the Mountain States territory since Jan. 1, 1946, has been at a rate of more than 150,000 for the year. When this figure is compared with the highest prewar gain in telephones for a full year—35,700 in 1941—it can easily be seen that all records for business activity in this region and the seven states are being broken.

And people are using their telephones more often, too. In Artesia 9660 local calls are being made per day, compared with 5770 a year ago. In the seven Mountain States this daily average is 700,000 calls higher than a year ago. Likewise, long distance calls handled at the Artesia switchboard are averaging 12 per cent more per day than in July, 1945.

This tremendous increase in number of telephones in service and in the usage of these telephones has come about in the face of continuing shortages of critical materials, such as copper, lead, steel, lumber, and poles. As an example, in 1941 there were 67,000 tons of copper available monthly to consumers, whereas in May and June, 1946, this figure was down to 17,000 tons monthly.

Because of these material shortages, substantially the same switchboards as the company had in service in Artesia a year ago are carrying a tremendously increased load. With equipment taxed to capacity some service difficulties have been unavoidable, both on local and long distance calls.

When asked what the company is doing to relieve congestion in local telephone offices and on long distance circuits, Hinde said, "Our company is engaged this year in 253 projects for relief of manual telephone exchanges, and in our dial offices we will place in service almost 45,000 additional terminals. As for long distance, we will complete this year approximately 100 projects which will add 14,000 miles of circuits to our long distance network in the Mountain States alone.

"You can see from these figures that Artesia is just one of several hundred exchanges in the Mountain States which are badly in need of additional facilities and for which equipment has been engineered and ordered. Shipment of new equipment from the factories continues to be somewhat uncertain, but we have been making progress despite shortages.

"Meanwhile, we are doing ev-

everything humanly possible to render the best local and long distance service we can under these conditions. For a while longer, we hope that unnecessary long distance calls can be avoided. We are anxious to complete as many calls as possible—many are essential business calls, emergency calls, calls relating to movement of crops to market, and the like. In some cases, despite all we can do, delays are frequent on heavily congested circuits and brevity on all calls will help everyone to get better service."

NAA Charter Is Closed With 32 In Membership

The charter of the newly organized Artesia chapter of the National Aeronautics Association was closed at a meeting Wednesday evening of last week at the Artesia municipal airport, with 32 names to appear on it.

However, the membership has not been closed, and everyone interested in aviation is invited to join, whether a pilot or aviation mechanic or not, it was explained by Mrs. A. H. Hazel, secretary,

who presided in the absence from the city of Mayor A. P. Mahone, president, and Stanley Carper, vice president.

The chapter was organized several weeks ago at the airport, when a group of aviation enthusiasts met with Don V. Seevers of Washington, D. C., manager of the Southwestern division of NAA. Mrs. Hazel urged all members to interest others in the organization, the next meeting of which will be early next month, the date to be set by the president.

Compared with the over-all rejection of 43 per cent in Selective Service physical examinations, the rate for farmers as an occupational group was 53.4 per cent.

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Mulch in Garden Conserves Soil, Checks Water

Everyone would like a better way to control weeds in gardens,

says Eddy County Agent Dallas Rierson. He suggests that a mulch be used to hold in check and at the same time to accomplish soil and water conservation.

The chief requirement of any material to be used in mulching is that it should not contain many weed seeds which might start to

grow when the mulch is applied to the garden soil, Rierson said. The mulch material should not be expensive. It should be used in sufficient quantities so that weeds can grow through it only with difficulty.

Threshed grain straw makes the best mulching material. Hay from old stacks that have molded and heated and which is of no value for feeding by the heating is recommended. The cost of such spoiled hay should be reasonable.

Rierson further suggested that lawn clippings, pea vines, bean plants, corn fodder, sawdust, or shavings and leaves may also be used. Leaves that will mat down into a tight blanket when used alone are not as suitable as a mulch, he said.

Mulch may be applied as soon as the seedlings are out of the ground far enough so that they will not be buried, Rierson added. The material should be spread between the rows and also between the individual plants where possible, to a depth of four to six inches. About five tons of hay or straw are required for mulching an acre.

A good mulch conserves soil moisture by suppressing weeds. Wasteful run-off of water over the soil surface is diminished, and soil erosion is decreased. It is also possible to walk into a well-mulched garden sooner after a rain. Considerable time and effort may be saved by mulching in a garden where a hoe or hand cultivator has been used. When most of the cultivation can be done with a horse, mulching may not be desirable.

Conservation Practices And Grazing Land Plan Pay Pie Town Rancher

Joe J. McPhaul, rancher of Pie Town, has proven that it pays to follow a good grazing land management plan. Not so long ago his ranch was practically without watering facilities. Poor distribution of cattle and overgrazing resulted. Cattle dwindled in numbers and those surviving became inferior type.

McPhaul realized that improvements had to be made if he wanted to stay in business. He consulted AAA officials and plans were made. Tanks were built, wells drilled, new stock trails mapped out. Arroya water has been diverted by erosion control dams. Carrying capacity on the ranch has been practically doubled. Superior animals, well-fed and watered, now roam the range in place of lean, thirsty animals.

The rancher is still in business on a higher productive basis and has guaranteed his future income by good management and the performance of needed range conservation practices.

Prevention of Farm Accidents To Be Stressed

President Truman has proclaimed the week of July 21 to 27 as the week national attention will be focused on the prevention of farm accidents.

The basic elements of an educational program on farm safety are rooted in recognizing two principal factors, the physical handicaps which cause accidents or fires, and the faulty human behavior which fails to respond to those hazards or a hazard, and to inspire the person to remove the cause for the hazard. Safety education must be continued the year around in order to prevent accidents.

Each year accidents claim half again as many farmers and rural people killed, permanently injured, or temporarily injured as the total battlefield toll of World War II—1,700,000 farm people as compared to 1,100,000 military personnel. These are the cold figures.

The tragedy is that most, if not all, the farm casualties could be prevented.



PRACTICAL FARM BUILDINGS

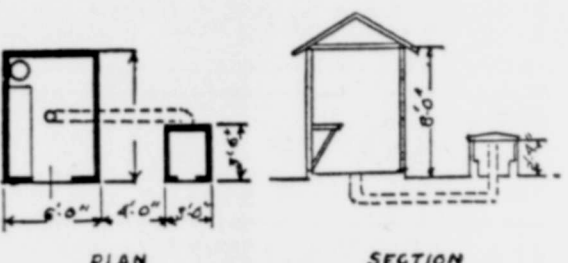
Small Smokehouse

By W. J. DRYDEN, WNU Farm Editor.

By providing concrete or brick fire pit separate from the smokehouse the fire hazard is practically eliminated. Smoke from the fire pit passes from the rear of the fire chamber through an underground duct to the inlet in the center of the floor of the smokehouse. The meat to be smoked is supported on movable hangers placed on crossbeams. For successful operation, the walls and roof should be tight. The temperature can be controlled by vents in the gable ends. The house may be built of frame, plywood, stone, cement blocks or

this page will prove satisfactory. The smokehouse should be constructed so as to give proper ventilation and carry off the warm air in order to prevent overheating. Sometimes it is necessary to kindle a paper fire in the smokehouse to start the draft so that smoke will be drawn through the flue.

It may be advisable to build the outside stove so that it can be utilized for other purposes. It might be needed for heating water for butchering or other farm operations. In such case an auxiliary smokepipe could be added and a damper pro-



A Small Type General Farm Smokehouse.

bricks. The type of material will be determined by local supply and price.

There are several reasons for smoking meat. The smoke dries the meat and the crescents, deposited on the meat, act as a preservative. The smoke imparts a desirable flavor and tends to prevent molds from forming, and tends to prevent an oldish flavor from developing. It takes about 30 hours of continuous smoking to finish the job for

hams and a little less for hams, loins and butts. The size of the smokehouse will be determined by the amount of meat to be smoked and the length of time that can be taken by the process. In most cases a small house as shown on



Ideal Smoke House.

pieces of meat would be allowed to touch. They should be hung below the ventilators, in order to allow a better circulation of smoke.

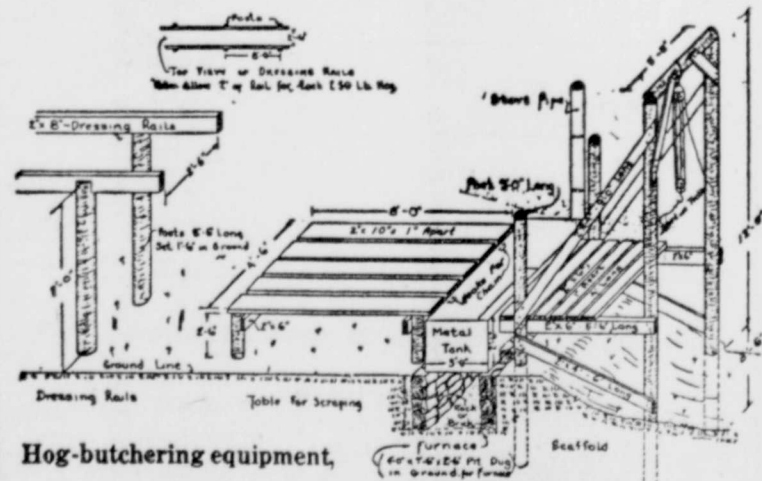
There is no farm building that costs so little and offers greater return on the investment than the smokehouse. During recent years, the demand for country smoked meats, poultry and turkeys, has increased to such an extent that a real "pin-money" business may be developed in almost any community, particularly with smoked poultry and turkeys.

As a fire measure, most farmers have found it advisable to construct the smokehouse with cement or fireproof bricks or building material. This does not increase costs materially.

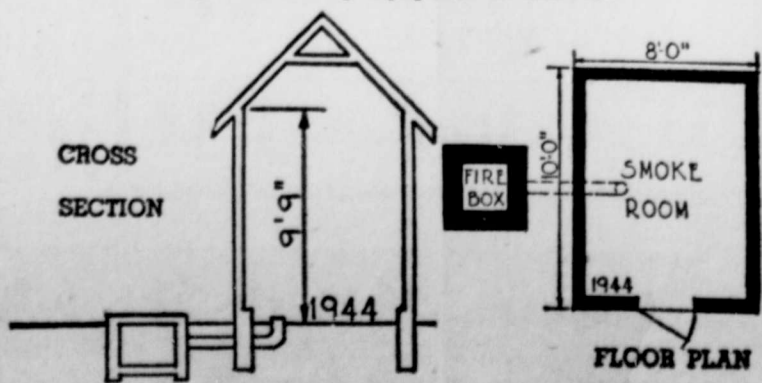


Finished Product.

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Proper Butchering Equipment Is Essential.



There Is Still Time to Plant Fall Garden

July is always an important month in the vegetable garden. So keep them growing, says County Agent Dallas Rierson. Gardens started late need to be encouraged by fertilization, cultivation, thinning, and insect and disease control, he declares.

Here is Rierson's advice: "Give your soil a lift by applying a garden fertilizer as soon as your early crops have been harvested. Turn the soil over with a spade and thoroughly mix into the top three or four inches of soil a pound of fertilizer for each 25 feet of row. After the seed beds have been leveled they are ready for sowing.

"Vegetable seeds which can be planted in Eddy County and still have time to mature are beans, beets, carrots, corn, lettuce, mustard, spinach, and turnips.

"Don't wait for your vegetables to grow old; pick them young. Many of the vegetables get bitter and tough with age. Pick cucumbers when young and your vines will produce more fruit. Harvest and cook your vegetables while they are fresh, tender, and appetizing.

"Gardeners, with an eye to the future, who have storage space available and want to enjoy their produce well up into the winter months, should plant storable vegetables for late harvest. These would include beets, maturing in 80 days; carrots, 90; cabbage, 75, and turnips, 70."

Drive for Dairy Efficiency Is Always Problem

The drive for greater efficiency in dairy production, said E. E. Anderson, dairy specialist of the New Mexico Extension Service, is not something to be carried on only during the present emergency; it is a long-run endeavor.

"We have by no means reached the ultimate limits of efficiency that are within reach right now," he said. "What can be done has been demonstrated by the Dairy Herd Improvement Association. In 1944 the average cow in herds in these associations turned out nearly twice as much milk and butterfat as the average cow in the United States.

"Furthermore, if we could breed even 25 per cent of the cows to proved sires—a percentage now possible through artificial insemination—we could increase production per cow more in the next 10 years than in the past century."

In the experimental stage is a technique for selecting the future high producers while animals are young, thus eliminating the waste of raising unprofitable heifers, Anderson said.

All this shows very clearly that the dairy farmer of tomorrow is going to be able to produce more milk with less labor, at lower cost.

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NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of Application RA-1028. Santa Fe, N. M., July 11, 1946.

Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of July, 1946, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Howard R. Stroup of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to Change location of Artesian Well RA-1028 from present location in the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 10, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., to a location in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 11, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., where applicant proposes to drill an artesian well 13 inches in diameter and approximately 1200 feet in depth for the purpose of perpetuating rights claimed under Declaration RA-1028 for 315 acres of land. Old well is to be plugged.

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting of approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be given final consideration for approval by the State Engineer on the 20 day of August, 1946.

Thomas M. McClure,
State Engineer.

29-31-31

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST
WILL AND TESTAMENT OF
V. D. BOLTON, DECEASED.

No. 1307

NOTICE
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of V. D. Bolton, deceased, has been filed for probate in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, and that by order of said Court the 30th day of July, 1946, at the hour of 10:00 A.M., at the Court Room of said Court in the City of Carlsbad, New Mexico, is the day, time and place for hearing proof of said Last Will and Testament.

THEREFORE, any person, or persons, who wishes to enter objections to the probating of said Last Will and Testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico on or before the time set for said hearing.

DATED at Carlsbad, New Mexico this 29th day of June, 1946.

R. A. Wilcox,
County Clerk.
By Lucy Blanchard

(SEAL)

27-41-30

NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to Etienne de P. Bujac, Jr., impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: Etienne de P. Bujac, Jr.; San Diego, El Paso & St. Louis Railway

Company, a dissolved corporation; and, its unknown successors and assigns; McCarthy Engineering Corporation, a defunct corporation; its last officers and board of directors, P. A. McCarthy, A. Courchesne, W. Davies, Frank McCarthy and Harry W. Davis as trustees thereof; and its unknown successors and assigns; Continental Illinois National Bank and Trust Company of Chicago, a corporation; Frank H. Jones, trustee; Unknown heirs of the following named deceased persons: Anna K. Noel and Etienne de Pelissier Bujac, also known as E. P. Bujac; the following named defendants by name, if living, if deceased, their unknown heirs: J. Hamilton E'Vers, William C. Ford, also known as W. C. Ford; W. D. Mahony; Harris Akin; Charles Albert Ament; Martha Charlene Watkins; and Florence Ament Watkins; and, All Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse

to the Plaintiff, defendants, GREETING:
You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you, and each of you, by Lewis Scoggin, as plaintiff, in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Eddy, that being the court in which said cause is pending, and being Case No. 9550, the general object of said suit being to quiet the plaintiff's unencumbered title and estate in and to the property described in the complaint in said

cause, said property being situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, and being situated in Sections 20, 21 and 22, all in Township 17 South, Range 23 East, N.M.P.M.
The plaintiff's attorneys are ARCHER & DILLARD, whose office address is Ward Building, Artesia, New Mexico.

You and each of you are hereby further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 29 day of August, 1946, judgment will be rendered against you in said cause

by default.
WITNESS my hand and the seal of the District Court this 15 day of July, 1946.
Marguerite E. Waller,
Clerk of the District Court.
(SEAL)

29-41-32

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Artesia will receive bids up to August 5, 1946 for approximately 120,000 square yards of oil sealing for various streets in the City of Artesia. Bids will be opened at the next regular Council meeting. Specifications

can be obtained at the City Clerk's office. The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

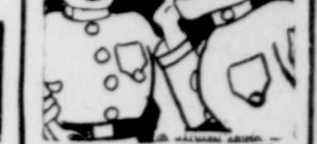
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How long will whiskey be hard to get?

Q. Why is whiskey still scarce?

A. No whiskey was distilled during the greater part of the war. All distillers' facilities were devoted to the production of war alcohol. During this period, however, distillers continued to bottle whiskey from their warehouse inventories, reducing supplies of aging whiskeys to a low point.

Q. Haven't distillers replenished their whiskey stocks since the war?

A. No. Because of the shortage of grain, the amounts available to distillers have been drastically reduced. Therefore whiskey has been produced only intermittently...currently at the rate of three days a month. And, of course, whiskey distilled now cannot be used until properly matured.

Q. How long will the shortage last?

A. It will be three or four years before the whiskey distilled since the war is adequately aged and ready to drink. Straight whiskeys of "bondable" age (4 years or more) won't be plentiful until after 1949...younger straight whiskeys not much sooner. Scotch may be scarce even longer. The shortage of better quality Blends will also continue for at least 3 or 4 years.



Q. How long must whiskey be aged?

A. To be called "Straight", whiskey must be aged at least two years. To be called "bottled-in-bond", whiskey must be aged four years. Good Blends usually contain blending whiskeys aged 4 to 8 years.

Q. Is "bottled-in-bond" whiskey of better quality than other types?

A. No. The U.S. Government itself, in Treasury Decision No. 1299 says: "Bottled-in-bond stamp not a guarantee of quality." The "bottled-in-bond" stamp guarantees only quantity...that the whiskey is 100 proof and not less than 4 years old. All whiskey is made under government supervision and stored in warehouses under government bond. The "bottled-in-bond" stamp is merely a government tax classification method.

What's the low-down on Bonded Whiskey?

Q. Why is more blended whiskey on the market than other types?

A. In blended whiskeys a major ingredient is grain neutral spirits which are more readily available than straight whiskeys. Like the grain spirit whiskeys of Scotland used in Scotch whisky, and the highly refined grain distillate used in Canadian whisky, grain neutral spirits when properly produced make for a lighter, milder-tasting whiskey.



Q. Are grain neutral spirits ever aged?

A. Yes. But in America, the law does not allow a distiller to advertise that his grain neutral spirits have been aged. Despite this, some distillers mature grain neutral spirits in barrels to the exact point where they can contribute the utmost in flavor, mellowness, bouquet and body.

Q. Is blended whiskey "cut" whiskey?

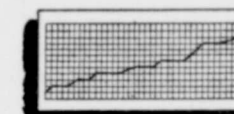
A. No! At Calvert it is just the opposite. It is built up...a whiskey created to meet exacting standards of uniformity, bouquet, flavor and mellowness. Various carefully selected, aged base whiskeys and grain neutral spirits are blended together scientifically to achieve the exact qualities and character Calvert knows the consumer prefers.



Q. Is it easier to make Blends?

A. No. Blending is not "mixing", but is a scientific procedure in which compatible straight whiskeys and grain neutral spirits are brought together to arrive at a predetermined, uniform taste. Successful blending depends upon "know how," based on long experience and the use of costly special equipment. For instance, at Calvert's distillery there is a "library" of hundreds of whiskeys and grain neutral spirits, each catalogued according to its characteristics, compatibility, etc. Calvert specializes in Blends...markets no other types.

Distilling and aging are not the end—but the beginning—of the long process through which Calvert whiskeys pass. In other words, blending begins where distilling ends.



Q. Are Blends more popular than other types of whiskey?

A. Decidedly! After Repeal, only 10% of all whiskey sold was blended whiskey. By 1942, before the whiskey shortage, the trend to Blends was so great that the figure was 50%. Today, 80% of all whiskey sold is blended whiskey...and undoubtedly, many distillers who are making blended whiskey for the first time will continue to produce it to meet the popular demand.

Q. What does blending accomplish?

A. Three things. It creates a product with a distinctive character, impossible without blending. It assures uniformity that could not be achieved in any other way. And it makes possible a definitely lighter product. Cigarettes, coffee, tea—dozens of products Americans use are blends.



Q. Do Blends vary in quality?

A. Yes. Just as methods, ingredients and standards vary. Huge resources in plants, equipment, and expert personnel enable Calvert to produce whiskeys which have made the name CALVERT a hallmark of quality. Out of Calvert's extensive laboratories have come exclusive processes that have made possible whiskeys of unmatched smoothness.

Q. Are Calvert Blends superior to others?

A. We think so, because Calvert has blended more fine whiskey in its time than any other distiller in America. Calvert's matchless inventories, greater experience, and devotion to high quality products during the shortage period give ample evidence that the House of Blends can be relied upon to produce the best.

What's the low-down on Blended Whiskey?

What makes some whiskeys better?

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SOCIETY

Three Members Oldtimers' Club Pass Milestones

The Oldtimers' Club had another enjoyable meeting on Tuesday evening, when members met to celebrate the birthdays of three of the members. The delightful occurrence took place at the home of Mrs. Nellie Cogdell. The honorees were Mrs. Cogdell, who celebrated her 59th birthday; Fred Spencer, who is 69, and Ward Cave who is 64.

The evening was spent at cards after the sumptuous birthday dinner.

Those present for this affair were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Cave, Mrs. Cogdell, Mrs. Beulah Jones, Mrs. J. W. Turknett, and Mrs. Van Henderson.

Shower on Saturday Honors Virginia Lower At Cole Residence

Miss Hattie Ruth Cole entertained on Saturday morning with a cake and shower honoring Miss Virginia Lower, who is to be married on July 27.

The service table was attractively covered with blue linen. A centerpiece of daisies and rosebuds accented other floral arrangements throughout the room.

Miss Cole was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Fred Cole, in serving a frosted fruit salad, sandwiches, and cakes to Misses Mary Lou Lanning, Betty Blue, Joan Livingston, Linda Parrish, Joy Fern Ferguson, Nadine Ross, Mary Lou Cunningham, Rosemary Martin, and Doris Exum, and Misses R. D. Wright, Jr., Louis P. Means, Clifton Perkins, H. G. Buchanan, and James Powell.

Christian Women's Council Holds Regular Missionary Meeting

The Womens' Council of the First Christian Church held its regular missionary meeting last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. J. D. Smith, president, presided at the meeting.

Three interesting and enlightening talks were made, one by Mrs. A. W. Boyce, who was program leader and used as her topic "We Are Here." Mrs. Curtis Bolton spoke on "The Black Race" and Mrs. C. Kidd chose "The Yellow Race." After the talks, Mrs. John Lanning sang "Remember All People." She was accompanied by Mrs. Bolton.

At the close of the business session, Mrs. Nevil Muncy and her daughter, Mrs. Larry Stockton, served light refreshments to the 18 members who were present.

Miss Barbara Wheatley, Bride-Elect, Honored At Shower Saturday

Mrs. C. E. Mann, Mrs. Fred Cole, Miss Janice Mann, and Miss Hattie Ruth Cole honored Miss Barbara Wheatley, bride-elect of Fred McDowell, with a miscellaneous shower on Saturday afternoon, July 13, at the Fred Cole residence. Bouquets of delphinium enhanced the beauty of the rooms throughout the home.

Miss Wheatley found her many beautiful and useful gifts under a white umbrella, showered with satin ribbons and baby's breath.

Punch, tiny cakes, and confections were served to about 50 guests.

CARD OF APPRECIATION

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to the employees of the Artesia Pipe Line Company for the help and assistance given us in connection with the fire at our home on the night of July 4.

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Bridge Club 'Lows' Entertain 'Highs' on Tuesday Afternoon

The First Afternoon Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Jeff Hightower on Tuesday. At this time, the "lows" entertained the "highs" with a delightful luncheon.

Representing the "highs" were Meses Bert Bidwell, J. J. Clark, W. J. Cluney, M. W. Evans, B. E. Kennedy, and J. W. Nellis. The "lows" were Meses A. B. Coll, Pat Gormley, J. Hise Myers, J. M. Story, and Jeff Hightower, and Miss Catherine Walterscheid.

At the close of the afternoon, Mrs. B. E. Kennedy held high score.

KONGENIAL KARD KLUB MEETS AT CLUNEY HOME

The Kongenial Kard Klub met at the home of Mrs. W. J. Cluney on Wednesday last week. Mrs. Hugh Donald Burch held high score, Mrs. Louie Burch, second, and Mrs. Taylor Cole, low.

At the close of the bridge session, the hostess served light refreshments to Meses Dave Bunting, Louie Burch, Earl McDorman, S. E. Chipman, Taylor Cole, Hugh Donald Burch, and Andy Company.

FUN LOVERS PLAN TO RUDDOSO IN AUGUST

Miss Nig Ferguson was hostess on Monday afternoon to the Fun Lovers Club. A discussion was held regarding their trip to Ruidoso, and final plans were made to go on Aug. 1 through Aug. 4. At the close of the meeting, Miss Ferguson served delicious refreshments to Meses Mary Lou Cunningham, Betty Blue, Doris Exum, Joan Livingston, Nadine Ross, Kassie Jackson, and Dorothy Dunham.

LOCALS

Mrs. Thelma Reneau left Sunday morning for California where she will spend a two-week vacation. Mrs. Gladys Vaughan, former owner of the beauty shop, will assist at the Gilma Beauty shop until Mrs. Reneau returns.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Martin of Fort Worth, Tex., former Artesia residents, arrived here Wednesday of last week, the first time they have been here since 1918. They were accompanied by their granddaughter, Betty Lu Fulton, Mrs. Martin, a sister of Mrs. J. H. Naylor, plans to be here about a week, but Mr. Martin is to return to Fort Worth the latter part of this week. He is remembered here by old-timers as being an early-day carpenter in Artesia. Among prominent buildings on which he worked are the First Baptist Church and the First Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Ross of Salem, Ill., arrived Sunday to visit Mr. Ross' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ross. From here they plan to visit the Grand Canyon, Mexico, California, and Salt Lake before returning to Illinois.

Stanley Blocker returned home Sunday from Rochester, Minn., where he was called a week prior because of a serious operation to be performed on his sister-in-law, Mrs. C. R. Blocker, Monday of last week. He reported she seemed past danger and was recovering nicely. Mr. Blocker flew to Rochester and drove Mrs. Blocker's car home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barton and son, Jerry, of Canadian, Tex., arrived last Thursday to visit Mrs. Barton's sister, Mrs. A. H. Hazel, and Mr. Hazel and to accompany them on a fishing trip to North New Mexico and Colorado. The party left Friday. Mr. and Mrs.



A. Leon Bert Jr., and Miss Joan Park
—Courtesy Oklahoma City Daily Oklahoman

Joan Park, Oklahoma City, and Leon Bert, Artesia, Are to Marry

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Joan Park, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Park of Oklahoma City, and A. Leon Bert, Jr., older son of A. L. Bert, editor of the Advocate, and Mrs. Bert, was made last week by Miss Park's parents. The wedding will take place Friday evening, Aug. 30, at

the First Christian Church in Oklahoma City, with Rev. William H. Alexander, pastor, officiating. The bride-elect is a graduate of Classen High School, Oklahoma City, and Monticello College, Godfrey, Ill. She received a bachelor's degree last spring from the University of Oklahoma, Norman, where she is a member of Chi Omega sorority. Miss Park also was a member of Psi Chi, national honorary psychology fraternity, the Union Activities Board,

Y. W. C. A. cabinet, and Women's Athletic Association. Mr. Bert is enrolled as a student in journalism at the University of Oklahoma, where he is a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity. Prior to entering the university last January, he served four years in the Navy and served overseas 27 months in the Atlantic and Pacific theaters. He graduated from Artesia High School in the class of 1941.

Hazel planned to return to Artesia the first of next week.

Mrs. J. A. Hoover and her daughter Freida, spent last week end in Monahans, Tex., visiting Mrs. Hoover's sons, L. G. and Paul D. Another son, Jimmie, is in Kermit, Tex., where he and his wife are running a skating rink.

Mrs. Hoover returned to Artesia on Wednesday. Miss Hoover plans to remain in Kermit until Saturday.

R. Lee and Kermit Hoover have gone to Dublin, Tex., to get a truckload of peaches. While there they will visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Tommy R. Helm, of Bakersfield, Calif., has returned home after a 10-day visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Brown; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Garrett, and other relatives here. Miss Geraldine Traylor, who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett, returned with Mrs. Helm.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff and W. B. Gelwick and his son, Eddie Joe, have just returned from a three-week sight-seeing and fishing trip which took them through Colorado, Utah, Idaho, and Wyoming. They spent some time in Yellowstone National Park and in Salt Lake City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark Bruce and their daughter, Betty, are moving to Coronado, Calif., to make their home. The Bruces have been residents of Artesia for more than 15 years. Mr. Bruce has been a social science instructor in the high school here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole and Hattie Ruth attended the wedding of Miss Jeanne Turner, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George Turner, in El Paso Monday.

Clyde R. Rainwater, son of Rev.

and Mrs. R. T. Rainwater of Artesia, has signed a three-year enlistment in the Regular Army Air Force. He will take his primary training at Roswell Army Air Field and later plans to take a technical course in airplane engine mechanics. Before enlistment, Mr. Rainwater was employed by Guy Chevrolet Company.

Mrs. Celia P. Hyde of Crowley, La., spent the week end in Artesia, the guest of friends. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Art Allbritton to Hamlin, Tex., Monday morning before returning to Louisiana.

Oscar Lloyd and W. W. Byers of Artesia and Raymond Gandy of Olney, Tex., returned Friday morning after a week's fishing trip into Southwestern Colorado. They fished at Pine River Dam

and above this point and reported a good catch.

T. F. Wilson and son, Edward, returned home Sunday from Lebanon, Tenn., where the elder Mr. Wilson was taken from Gainesboro, Ark., after becoming quite ill while visiting relatives. Mr. Wilson was in the hospital at Lebanon about three weeks.

Mrs. W. H. Ballard and her sister, Mrs. Clark Storm, and the latter's three children, Mary Jo, Ann, and Susie, left by car Monday morning for Barksdale, Tex., to visit the women's sister, Mrs. E. M. Powers. From there they planned to continue to Uvalde, Tex., to visit their mother, Mrs. J. E. Carper. They are to be gone about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Z. Floyd were in Hobbs on Friday to visit their

nephew, M/Sgt. James Stevenson, Sergeant Stevenson, now stationed at Kelly Field, San Antonio, Tex., is a radio man and was making a routine check on the Hobbs station.

Social Calendar

Thursday, Aug. 1

Women's Society of Christian Service, regular meeting at the Methodist Church, 2:30 p. m.

HANGAR FLYING

Wallace Hastings has passed his flight test for his private license.

Some of the visiting ships in during the week were a Taylorcraft from Phoenix, Ariz.; a PT-19 from Wichita Falls, Tex., and a Cub cruiser and several Aerocrafts from Carlsbad.

Dr. Wagoner from Roswell flew down in an Ercoupe Friday and spent the night. Mr. Jordan from Carlsbad came by while on a cross-country flight and spent Saturday night with relatives.

Art and Vernon Wintheiser have purchased a Johnson Rocket and it will be hangared at the airport.

The Beechcraft from Houston, Tex., which was here several days, went back Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. "Sug" Hazel have gone on a fishing trip, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jake Barton and son, Denny, of Canadian, Tex.

ELECTRIC FLOOR POLISHERS
For rent. Also sanding machines. Bowman Lumber Co., 310 W. Texas, phone 123 18-tfc

Modernizing, Enlarging of Mann Drug Store Starts This Week

Work started Monday remodeling, modernizing, and enlarging the Mann Drug Store.

C. E. Mann said the store is to be lengthened to 85 feet, using some of the space now devoted to stock to the store proper. Modern display cases and tables are to be installed as the work progresses and the floor is to be tiled. The over-all plan calls for a

new fountain and new store front, both of the most modern design, if and when the materials become available. In the meantime the other work, which is estimated will take about three months, is going ahead.

Doc Molar says "Be kind to your teeth or they will be false to you."

Advocate has just received shipment of both letter and legal size Transfer file drawer storage cases.

Still Giving Service on WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENTS And SOCIAL STATIONERY

The commercial printing department of The Advocate is still making delivery on rush orders on wedding announcements and social stationery.

Such jobs can be completed and delivered in two to three days, despite the fact we still have more work than we can do in regular commercial work.

Even engraved wedding announcements or invitations can be secured in two to three weeks out of Kansas City.

Call at The Advocate, or just Phone No. 7.

THE ARTESIA ADVOCATE

Work Clothes FIT for the Job

Dickie Pants
In Powder Blue
Herringbone Twill
Sizes 29 to 42
Shirts to Match
Each Garment 3.30

DICKIE SUNTAN KHAKI PANTS
Sanforized Mercerized Twill
SHIRTS TO MATCH
3.23 and 3.74

SUNTAN
Herringbone Twill
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Each 2.99

DRILLER'S BOOTS

10-INCH TOPS
Leather Soles and Heels
8.50

THE GORILLA SHOE FOR FARMERS
Six-Inch Regular Top
Soft, Plain Toe
Heavy Calf Upper
Brown Rubber Soles and Heels
6.95
Ideal Shoe for the Hay Field

LEATHER WORK GLOVES

8-INCH TOPS
Safety Steel Toes
Leather Soles and Heels
9.50

1.19 and 1.98

ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES
Sporting Goods
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Hunting and Fishing Licenses
BLOCKER'S ELECTRIC SHOP
WESTINGHOUSE DEALER
PHONE 47-J 303 MAIN STREET

Bright Sayings of Children

"He'll get worse than pinched, the cop's his pop and Jimmy was sent to the store for a loaf of

MRS. ROSS' BREAD
ROSS BAKING CO.
501 W. Main Present Entrance East Door

I Specialize In COLD WAVING
Machine and Machineless Permanent Waves
Come in or Call 475-M About Summer Specials
Manicures—Hair Tinting
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Lorraine Early
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The Lorraine Beauty Shop
912 Chisum Phone 475-M

Peoples Mercantile Co
Phone 73 "Where Price and Quality Meet"

Hospital News

Erection of Steel on Landsun Theater Is Started Last Week

Steel erection on the Landsun Theater adjacent to the city hall started Wednesday of last week. The footings and foundations were poured some time ago, but further work was delayed pending arrival of the steel and other materials.

Ray Bartlett, manager of the Artesia theaters, said this week he hopes the new theater will be completed by next spring. "I believe I'll open on April Fool's Day—I hope," he said. He did not, however, disclose what picture will be shown.

The Landsun Theater, to cost \$100,000, will be one of the finest in the Southwest.

Polio Threat—

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hospitalization at the Crippled Children's Hospital, which is located in Hot Springs.

"A case cannot be referred to the Crippled Children's Hospital until the period of infection is over. This period is not considered over by the Crippled Children's Hospital authorities until 21 days after the diagnosis has been made."

"Promptness in reporting these cases by the attending physician to the local Health Department will enable them to arrange with the Welfare Department, whose duty it is immediately to contact the Crippled Children's Hospital for admittance, and will also eliminate red tape and misunderstanding."

"Little time is lost in continuing class work for children of school age, for as soon as their condition permits they receive bedside teaching. The public should know that children who were sent from this community to the Crippled Children's Hospital continued their studies without any break in their school progress."

While Congress—

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again prevail. Although there has been no great increase as yet, the meat supply is improving and the belief continues to be voiced the near future will see ham and bacon again available at all times. It has been estimated it would take six to eight weeks for this to occur.

Whether the placing of ceiling prices on the prices again will reduce the supply remains to be seen.

Slight increases in ceiling prices might result in the supplies still being increased if the OPA ceiling price bill becomes a law. The supply of bed linens, clothing articles and dry goods has not as yet been increased to any great extent. Local dealers have voiced the belief the removal of ceiling prices would create a real supply of these.

Although there has been little comment about increases in rent here, it is known some rents have advanced. In other instances, those with apartments and rooming houses have refused to advance prices, although they have felt they should be increased, with everything else advancing.

Lumber prices at the local lumber yards continue at about the same level, although those peddling lumber still are demanding much higher prices for building materials.

Heavy Legume And Grass Seed Harvest Needed

"We have to plan and prepare now for great livestock production a few years from now," N. E. Dodd, under secretary of agriculture, told a nationwide radio audience in explaining the need for a heavy 1946 legume and grass seed harvest.

"Grass and legume seed harvested this summer can be seeded in 1947, will make hay and pasture in 1948, and meat and milk and butter in 1949," Dodd said. "Grasses and legumes not only furnish hay and pasture for our livestock, they also help furnish the soil fertility necessary for continuing heavy farm production."

Legume and grass seed supplies are very short, Dodd pointed out. Unless production of alfalfa seed, alsike seed, and red clover seed is increased this year, there won't be enough to go around next year. Congress has thought the grass and legume seed shortage serious enough to offer farmers a special

incentive to harvest a big seed crop.

Special payments for harvesting grass and legume seed are available through the AAA program. In most states farmers can earn a payment of \$3.50 an acre for harvesting grass and legume seed. There is also a payment of 7 cents a pound for selling alfalfa and alsike seed and 9 cents a pound for selling red clover seed into commercial channels in 1946.

A survey of low-income farm families revealed an average of more than three significant physical defects, for each man, woman, and child examined. Only four out of every hundred had no physical defects.

REA loan approvals from 1946 fiscal year funds to borrowers in 45 states and Alaska totaled more than 290 million dollars, the largest amount ever allocated by REA in a year.

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Pursuant to Section 54-1003, New Mexico Statutes Annotated, Codification of 1941, notice is hereby given of the filing in the State Corporation Commission of New Mexico of a Certificate of Incorporation and Certificate of Non-Liability of Stockholders of CARPER DRILLING COMPANY, INC. No Stockholders' Liability.

1. The amount of authorized capital stock is: \$1,000,000.00 divided into 10,000 shares of the par value of \$100.00 each. The amount of capital stock actually issued, and with which the corporation will commence business is: \$500,000.00.

2. The names of the incorporators and their postoffice addresses are:

Emery Carper, Artesia, New Mexico.
Grady Booker, Artesia, New Mexico.
Stanley Carper, Artesia, New Mexico.
Marshall Rowley, Artesia, New Mexico.

Frances Booker, Artesia, New Mexico.

3. The objects and purposes of the said corporation are:

To buy, own, sell and lease petroleum lands; to locate petroleum, gas and other mineral lands under the laws of the United States and of the State of New Mexico; and as more fully set forth in the Articles of Incorporation.

4. The principal place of business of the corporation is Carper building, Artesia New Mexico and the name of the statutory agent therein and in charge thereof upon whom process against the corporation may be served is Grady Booker, Artesia, New Mexico.

5. Filed in the office of the State Corporation Commission on July 10, 1946. No. 24344 Cor. Rec'd. Vol. 6 Page 20 at 9:30 A. M.

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO,
By George W. Armijo, Chairman.

Certified copy of Certificate of Incorporation has been recorded in the office of County Clerk of Eddy County, July 15th, 1946, at 8:40 A. M. Book 5, Page 132, of Records of Articles of Incorporation.

Classified

For Sale

FOR SALE—If you have anything in the way of property for sale, now is the time to sell. I have the buys. For any kind of real estate, give me your listings. If the price is reasonable, I can find you a buyer. H. A. Denton, office phone 356, residence phone 145-W, 205½ Pershing Building.

FOR SALE—One D-35 International long wheelbase truck. I also have winch trucks for heavy oil field hauling. K. J. Williams, phone 534-R.

FOR SALE—1940 model Vagabond trailer home, excellent condition. Call 415 or see Mr. Nelson at Cox Motor Co.

FOR SALE—One 12x24 new house to be moved. Hardwood floor. T. E. Walker, North Roselawn.

FOR SALE—1945 27-foot Continental house trailer, below ceiling price, beautiful redwood finish, permanent bed. Call at 308 South Seventh St.

FOR SALE—Hercules industrial type engine, 50-horsepower, completely overhauled. See Clyde Guy.

FOR SALE—Popular and classical phonograph records. Watch for new records weekly. Roselawn Radio Service, 106 S. Roselawn.

FOR SALE—Dressed turkeys from Bryant Williams farm, Hope, at Artesia Locker Plant.

FOR SALE—Cabin at Artesia Sacramento Camp, completely furnished, modern. Chuck Aston, phone 450.

FOR SALE—Income property, eight-room house, trailer camp in connection. Mrs. Elva Willey, 102 East Grand.

FOR SALE—One two-row Case cultivator; F-30 tractor. Can be seen at Artesia Alfalfa Growers Assn.

FOR SALE—Sand and gravel. Screened sand, shot gravel, fine chat, straight cement sand and gravel, delivered anywhere. See C. W. Morgan for your sand and gravel needs. Phone 264-J or 413-J, 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 6 to 10 p.m.

FOR SALE—We have a wide carriage (18 inches) all cap type Remington typewriter, recently overhauled and in fine condition. Splendid for accountant work. Can be seen at The Advocate.

FOR SALE—City Dwellings, farms suburban property. E. A. Hannah Agency, 105 Roselawn.

FOR SALE—Boat trailer, with winch, floored bottom, can be used as regular carryall trailer. Blocker's Electric Shop.

FOR SALE—Barbecued beef, Southern style, Saturday afternoons and Sundays. We are prepared to barbecue your meat for you after 4 p.m. any week day. Tom Thornton, Sixth Street Barbecue Pit.

FOR SALE—Three cocker spaniel dogs, black male, blonde female, and silver-blond male, all registered. Also boat, motor, and trailer, complete, ready to drop in water and go fishing. Hill Auto Service, 508 W. Main, phone 407.

FOR SALE—1941 Ford tudor sedan, good condition, five new tires. Phone 2351, Hagerman.

FOR SALE—Fryers at first house south of Goat Ropers Club. Joe Kimbell.

FOR SALE—1939 Ford pick-up. See Harold Kersey, 808 Grand.

FOR SALE—Nine-acre block with two-room house, good well, new pump and other improvements. Apply last house on West Grand.

FOR SALE—Six-room house at 1113 Merchant, Artesia. Write Roy Langston, Ruidoso, N. M.

FOR SALE—New five-room residence, large corner lot, restricted addition. Phone 81-J.

FOR SALE—Trailer house. Jensen & Son, Jewelers.

FOR SALE—Typewriter, portable, Corona Four, with case. Bargain at \$20.51. Good shape, but can be reconditioned like new for \$78.5. Paul R. Dillard, phone 700.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1936 Oldsmobile. Will sell or trade for house or lot. Can be seen first yellow house north of alfalfa mill on Roswell highway. Mrs. D. C. James.

REALTY SALES COMPANY
904 South First—Phone 703-R

FOR SALE—Modern house, acreage nice for breaking up into home sites, \$7875.

Four-room, new, modern house in nice location, extra long living room, to veteran only.

Older house, four rooms and bath, with possible two rooms up stairs, \$4000; to be moved, \$3750.

New Norge refrigerator and stove with this new four-room modern house, immediate possession, \$6250.

Lovely new three-bedroom house on corner lot. A small rental house goes with this. Nice investment, \$8000.

Two-bedroom house with new attic cooler, big water softener, floor furnace, hardwood floors, nice lot, grass, and shade, \$6500.

Five-room adobe and stucco house on two lots, \$3500.

Three rooms and bath, frame house, \$3600.

80-acre farm, full water rights, two wells with new pumping equipment; terms.

280-acre farm, all equipment, cattle and crops, four-room modern house, three-room tenant house.

240-acre farm, 160 acres water rights, two wells, two houses, \$20,000.

REALTY SALES COMPANY
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FOR SALE—About three squares of galvanized roofing. See Judge J. D. Josey.

FOR SALE—Four complete rooms new furniture, including Servel Electrolux and new Maytag washer. Will sell in one lot, not separately. Party interested write Box 281.

FOR SALE—Small piano, price \$150. 508 West Quay, phone 753-R.

FOR SALE—1940 model Vagabond trailer home, excellent condition. Call 415 or see Mr. Nelson at Cox Motor Co.

FOR SALE—One 12x24 new house to be moved. Hardwood floor. T. E. Walker, North Roselawn.

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FOR SALE—Used rabbit hutches and some wire. Mrs. O. H. Brown, 113 W. Missouri.

FOR SALE—Fresh Strawberry, Chocolate, Fresh Peach, and Vanilla ice cream by cup, pint or quart, Faires Ice Cream Store, 307 South First, Carlsbad Highway.

FOR SALE—Screw jacks, a simple device that makes it easier to straighten up a house. Price \$1 each. W. L. McHugh Tool Co., east highway, Artesia, N. M.

FOR SALE—One house and two lots; one Ford truck with grain bed, good condition; one Harley-Davidson 74; and rabbit hutches. 406 East Chisum.

FOR SALE—Venetian blinds made to order. Call Billy Albert, phone 557.

WANTED—\$100 reward for information resulting in the rental of a two or three-bedroom house. Phone 426-NJ.

WANTED—Automobile mechanic, good pay and good working conditions. Dunn's Garage, Artesia, N. M.

WANTED A HOME—For two blue-gray kittens. Will gladly give one or both to anyone desiring a kitten. Call at 902 West Richardson or phone 202-M.

WANTED TO BUY—Used furniture of all kinds. We pay highest prices. Artesia Furniture Co., 203-5 West Main, phone 517.

WANTED—Housekeeper. Two room furnished apartment and meals. Apply 302 Missouri, Mrs. W. R. Petty.

WANTED—Real estate listings (farms and homes). Realty Sales Co., phone 703-R, 904 South First.

WANTED—Housekeeper. Mrs. S. S. Ward, 505 Richardson.

WANTED—Help at alfalfa mill. Can earn about \$50 per week. Moutray Brothers, Lakewood, N. M.

WANTED—Single working girl desires to rent a room close in. Will furnish linens. Would like one-room apartment. Call 221 in mornings or 623-R after 1 p.m.

WANTED—Housekeeper with nursing experience. W. R. Hornbaker, phone 383-J.

WANTED—Have good business proposition to offer man with sales ability. Prefer one with insurance experience to represent the biggest health and accident association in the world and an old line legal reserve insurance company. Write J. S. Slatton, P.O. Box 879, Roswell, N. M., or call at our office, Room No. 9, Bank Bar Building, Roswell, N. M.

WANTED—Sign painter or someone to learn trade. Must be a total abstainer. Good salary to right person. C. B. Wilkerson, Artesia Advertising Co., 210 N. Second St.

WANTED—Large tricycle. Mrs. Charles Gaskins, phone 130.

WANTED—Stock clerk, permanent position. Write Mr. D. T. Box 427, Artesia.

WANTED—Cook, at Ideal Coffee and Sandwich Shop. 205 S. First St.

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Notary—Public Stenographer
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Miscellaneous

RESIDENTS of Pinon, Hope, Weed, Cloudercroft, and Artesia trade area, mail your roll film to De Mars, 704 S. Roselawn. Finished prints mailed day after receiving.

CARS FINANCED—L. F. Cross, 210 South First St.

NOTICE—I am not responsible hereafter for any debts incurred by Mr. Willis under the company name of Willis and Weldy. Joe Weldy.

MAKE BRICKS. Millions are needed. Start a quick CASH business, returns can start in two weeks with an inexpensive, easily hand-operated TYRA BRICK MAKER, only sand and cement and any old shed needed. Build your HOME of Brick. Get a TYRA-PLAN. See what can be done. R. K. TYRA CO., WYOMING, MINN.

SAW FILER with 45 years experience is now located on the vacant lot by the Guy Chevrolet Co. Also sharpens scissors and knives.

WILL LOAN—Have 500 geese, which I will loan out, 25, 50 or 100 to persons to raise geese for share of goslings and with understanding they be returned to me next spring. See R. L. Paris.

MONEY TO LOAN
On improved property in Artesia and vicinity. These loans provide the ideal and the cheapest way to pay for a home or for improvements to a home. Each monthly payment takes care of principal, interest and taxes and our low interest rates are charged on monthly balances only. No brokerage, prompt service, and reasonable appraisals. We also make FHA Loans. We will be glad to explain, there is no obligation. E. A. Hannah, 105 Roselawn, Phone 47-W.

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STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Number of Application RA-1484-RA-1487 combined. Santa Fe, N. M., July 11, 1946.
Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of July, 1946, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, A. P. Mahone of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of

New Mexico for a permit to change location of shallow groundwater well from well RA-1487, located in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 30, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., to well RA-1484 located in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 32, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., for the purpose of effecting a change in place of use of 180 acre feet of shallow ground

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Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting of approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest

has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be given final consideration for approval by the State Engineer on the 20 day of August, 1946.
Thomas M. McClure,
State Engineer.

NOTICE
STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Number of Application RA-1501-S. Santa Fe, N. M., July 11th, 1946.
Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of July, 1946, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Charlie Buck and Noah Buck of Lake Arthur, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to drill a shallow groundwater well 13 inches in diameter and approximately 150 feet in depth at a location in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 11 Township 16 South, Range 25 East, N.M.P.M., for the purpose of supplementing well RA-1501 for the proper irrigation of 240 acres with rights under file RA-1501.

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting of approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be given final consideration by the State Engineer on the 20th day of August, 1946.
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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.
IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF FIELDING E. PENNELL, DECEASED.

No. 1310
NOTICE OF DATE FIXED FOR HEARING PROOF OF WILL TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Notice is hereby given that an instrument, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Fielding E. Pennell, deceased, has been filed for probate in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, and that by order of said Court the 15 day of August, 1946, at the hour of 10 A. M., at the Court Room of said Court in the City of Carlsbad, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, is the day, time and place set for hearing proof on said Last Will and Testament.

Therefore, any person, or persons, wishing to enter objections to the probating of said Last Will and Testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico on or before the time set for said hearing.

Dated at Carlsbad, New Mexico this 12 day of July, 1946.
R. A. Wilcox,
County Clerk.

(SEAL) 29-4t-32

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF A. M. ARCHER, DECEASED.

Case No. 1311
NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed

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as Administratrix of the Estate of A. M. Archer, deceased, by Honorable Xury White, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, and has qualified as such.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file or present the same as provided by law within six months from July 18, 1946, the date of the first publication of this notice, or the same will be barred.

Pauline F. Archer,
Administratrix.
29-4t-32

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.
IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF J. HISE MYERS, DECEASED.

No. 1304
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned Eva Page Myers has qualified as executrix of the estate of J. Hise Myers, deceased.

All persons having claims against said decedent are hereby notified to present the same, as provided by law, within six (6) months from the first publication of this Notice on the 11th day of July, 1946, or the same will be barred.

Eva Page Myers,
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Eradication Campaign Starts Next Week

A campaign to rid Artesia of rats and mice has been started by the Artesia City Chemical Company, it was announced by James Walker, Artesia branch representative.

The plan is to be cooperative on the part of businesses, with fees charged only at the expiration of the period of eradication, when the businessmen are satisfied the campaign has been effective.

James said it is planned to take a square block at a time in the downtown section, but it was not stated which block would be eradicated first.

Contracts are to be made Monday and it is hoped to start the eradication campaign the square block Tuesday.

The naphthyl thiourea — the chemical which has been shortened to "nu" — is to be employed in war on rats and mice. The use of which was restricted recently. It was discovered by J. R. Richter at Johns Hopkins Laboratories by accident.

Previously, some years ago, it had been discovered by a scientist, but had not been used in the destruction of rats.

An appraisal of the plans of the Artesia City Chemical Company for a commercial campaign for the eradication of rats and mice in Artesia, Mayor A. P. MacPhee pointed out the destructive and disease carrying possibilities of rats and said he believed the campaign would be of benefit to the city and property owners, as well as from a sanitary point.

MacPhee explained the campaign was sponsored by the city and the officials, but Mayor MacPhee joined with other citizens pointing out that ridding the city of rats and mice is to be de-

Artesia Keglers Beat Roswell on Sunday

Artesia bowling team defeated Roswell on the Artesia alleyway evening by 47 pins in a match play.

Artesia led at the end of the game by 73 pins, but Roswell stepped ahead with a 25-pin in the second game, which Roswell took by 98 pins.

Mosser, of Artesia "got a up" in the final game and 256 and was well supported by his teammates, taking the 91 pins.

Total pins for Roswell were 2522, and for Artesia, 2522.

The city bowling league has discontinued for the summer so many of the players are on vacation.

Winning Teacher-

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in war work is about the best, he pointed out, many teachers have been lost through the war, while still others, who were on the job because of emergency, have been waiting for replacement.

problem of where to get teachers is growing also, said. The North Central Association, of which New Mexico is a member, has found that the overall shortage in enrollments for primary teacher training over the five-year period was 63 per cent in the secondary field and nearly as great.

ately in Artesia and county, the pay is the same elementary teacher as for a primary school teacher, with the same qualifications and experience. However, Kerr said, there seems to be a certain prestige in teaching in high schools.

the supply of teachers is to be drying up at the time it is probable that it will be necessary to continue issuing certificates, he said, for the replacements are not equaling those who are leaving the profession.

at the same time next year will see the greatest turnover in the element-

Walker-Hill Grocery, Market Opens Friday

Artesia's newest food store, the Walker-Hill Grocery & Market, is to open Friday in a building at 115 South Third Street just completed by W. E. Ragsdale.

The store is arranged in the most modern style and is of the self service type, with two check-out counters near the front door. Merchandise is displayed on handy wall and island counters and the meat department is at the rear of the store.

James Walker and H. J. Hill, owners and managers, are formerly of Shamrock, Tex., and both are former servicemen of World War II.

Walker served in the Navy and saw more than three years of overseas duty. He is single, but his mother, Mrs. J. D. Walker, is to make her home with him.

Hill is married and has a small son, David. He was in the Army and served overseas a year.

Construction of Forest Highway Has Been Started

Construction work on the federal or Forest Service highway project in Dry Canyon is now under way, according to word received in Artesia.

Final approval for the project was given during the past week by the Public Roads Administration. The contract was awarded to Henry Threngson and Company, Albuquerque contractors. This is the first part of the project on the road from Alamogordo to High Rolls.

The project is in Dry Canyon, begins at the boundary of the Lincoln Forest and proceeds up Box Canyon almost to High Rolls. The new road is nearly 4½ miles in length and will take about 18 months to complete. A feature is a 500-foot tunnel through the mountain side.

The road is to be approximately 28 feet wide and will have a maximum grade not to exceed 6 per cent. The State Highway Department will proceed with construction linking the west end of the new forest project with Highways 54 and 70 at a point about three miles north of Alamogordo.

Engineers of the Public Roads Administration have moved to Alamogordo and it is understood there will be a five-year program of building on Highway No. 83, which connects Alamogordo with the Pecos Valley at Artesia.

This highway, which is largely a forest project, serves the Lincoln National Forest and the 400,000,000 board feet of merchandise lumber and a rich farming and fruit growing area and makes the scenic areas of the Sacramento Mountains more accessible for recreation.

Artesia has been extremely interested in securing a good highway from the Texas line across the Pecos Valley, over the Sacramento Mountains to Alamogordo.

Some 15 miles of blacktop is now under construction about 34 miles west of Artesia where the blacktop ends.

Hopes are entertained here that the near future will see the completing of the blacktop from the point where this ends into the mountains and to link with the forest road.

The construction of this forest road will bring improvement in the highway on the other side of the mountains and is something which has been badly needed for many years.

A highway through the mountains not only is needed to make it possible for the producers to get their products out of the mountains to the markets but to provide a shortcut and a scenic route to the West Coast.

any grades, reflecting the increase in the birth rate six years ago. This will continue for several years to come, Kerr said.

Guests at the Rotary meeting were W. B. Ross of Salem, Ill.; Harry Moberly, Louis Hancock, Robert O. Beemer, and Bert Rawlins of Roswell, and Dean Waite of Carlsbad.

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Gasser, Top Allowable, Stripper, and Abandonment Recorded in County

Of four wells completed the last week in the Eddy County fields, one each was a gasser, a top allowable oiler, a stripper, and an abandonment. During the week operators staked three new locations.

The completions: Neil H. Wills et al, Wills 14, SE SE 14-20-28; total depth 993 feet; estimated 1,000,000 cubic feet of gas per day, natural.

Franklin Petroleum Corp., Ballard 4-B, NW NE 1-18-29; total depth 2800 feet; flowed 90 barrels of oil per day, after shot.

Hammond Bros., Welch-State 2, SW SW 15-17-28; total depth 2025 feet; pumped five barrels of oil per day, after shot.

Malco Refineries, Inc., Bynum 1, SE NW 8-20-25; total depth 1318 feet; plugged and abandoned.

New locations: American Republics Corp., Robinson 11-B, NE NW 35-17-29; George Turner, Wills 15, SE SW 13-20-28; Neil Wills et al, Wills 15, SE SE 14-20-28.

During the last week the deepest oil exploration ever drilled in New Mexico was abandoned. It was the Humble Oil & Refining Company's Federal-Leonard 1-B, NW NW 12-26-37, in the extreme southeast corner of Lea County. The well was drilled to 12,535 feet, where it encountered salty sulphur water. The well was plugged back by stages to 5400 feet and tested at each streak where it had been indicated there might have been pay. As none produced, the well was plugged and abandoned.

Drilling Report Potash Co. of America, Riggs 1, SE NE 22-21-33. Drilling at 1150.

W. R. McKenzie, Cook & Ironsides 3, SE NW 8-20-29. Drilling at 1077.

American Republics Corp., Robinson 4-A, SW NE 34-17-29. Drilling at 3024.

American Republics Corp., Robinson 10-B, SE NE 35-17-29. Drilling at 3092.

Snowden Oil & Gas Co., Ltd., Evans 15, SE SW 4-17-30. Total depth 3025; preparing to shoot.

Snowden Oil & Gas Co., Ltd., Leonard 7-E, SW NW 4-17-30. Total depth 3050; cleaning out after shot.

Dixon & Yates, Boulter 2, NE SW 14-18-29. Total depth 3418; running permeability survey.

Grayburg Oil Co., Keely 10-A, NW NE 24-17-29; deep test. Drilling at 6000.

Forrest E. Levers, Levers 4-B, NW NW 35-16-29. Drilling at 2841.

Western Production Co., Keely 22-C, SE SW 26-17-29. Total depth 3014; testing.

Snowden Oil & Gas Co., Ltd., Evans 14, NW SW 4-17-30. Total depth 2700; waiting on cement on 5½-inch.

Magnolia Petroleum Corp., Black Hills 1, NW NE 31-17-20, rank wildcat deep test west of Hope. Drilling at 920.

Repello Oil Co., West 4-B, NW NW 4-17-31. Drilling at 2057.

Harvey Yates et al, Perkins 1, SE NE 17-19-30. Drilling at 1436.

George Turner, Wills 14, NE SW 13-20-28. Total depth 835; running rods.

American Republics Corp., Robinson 5-A, SE SE 27-17-29. Drilling at 1385.

Danciger Oil & Refining Co., Turner 23-B, NW NW 29-17-31. Total depth 540; straightening crooked hole.

Western Production Co., Keely 14-C, SW NW 26-17-29. Drilling at 1270.

Repello Oil Co., McIntyre 8, NW NE 9-17-30. Drilling at 1320.

Willis F. Lackey, Anderson 1, NW SE 31-19-28. Drilling at 100.

R. F. Munsen, State 1, SW NE 36-19-28. Drilling at 285.

Martin Yates III, State 9, SE NW 36-17-29. Total depth 3296; squeezing 7-inch.

S. P. Yates, Leonard 1, NW NW 34-17-29. Total depth 3100; plugged back to 3073; swabbing and testing.

C. L. East et al, State 1, NE SE 33-17-29. Total depth 2991; fishing bit.

Nash, Windfohr & Brown, Gissler 8-B, NW NW 11-17-30. Drilling at 2764.

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Repello Oil & Gas Co., West 1-A, NE NW 3-17-31. Drilling at 525.

Martin Yates, Jr., Kaiser 1, SW SW 29-18-27. Total depth 3659; shut down for orders.

E. Orcutt, Kepple 2, NW SE 19-17-27. Total depth 1375; shut down for orders.

Harvey E. Yates, Yates-State 1, SW NE 32-18-30. Total depth 3995; shut down for pipe.

American Republics Corp., Robinson 9-B, SE SW 27-17-29. Total depth 3070; testing.

Gen. Hurley-

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government together, rather than to support the Communists in that nation.

And then he lined up Churchill and Eden in England. But, General Hurley said, with the Russian, British, and Chinese governments lined up on the American policy, the "career men" in the American State Department would not go along and it was not until after Roosevelt's death that his six-point policy was put across.

The speaker declared that the United States was backed into two World Wars, which started on the policies of others, on the contention that "we are making the world safe for democracy." In this the nation failed both times, he said, in that America has not seen fit to follow the policies for which American boys fought and died.

For 16 years the United States has overspent, General Hurley said, until now the national debt is 275 billion dollars and every American citizen is a part of that debt.

The American founders set up freedoms and privileges, which have led to the highest standard of living in the world and have helped make this nation the greatest in the world, the general said, but the national debt is still mounting and the nation is going further into debt, to the point that the United States might become impoverished, while small bureaucratic groups destroy the nation.

In the preamble to his talk, General Hurley related that 25 years ago he came to this section of New Mexico and drilled some oil wells and built a skinning plant. Since then, and especially moving to the state 12 years ago, he has been watching Southeast New Mexico.

He thought then and thinks now that New Mexico is the richest state in untouched wealth and that Southeast New Mexico holds out the greatest prospects for vast development and an era of prosperity. The tempo of development will be greatest in this section, he declared.

General Hurley related a number of interesting incidents in his career, leading up to the China phase of his talk, including the fact that he was chosen by President Roosevelt to run the blockade of Bataan, which he did three times. "But we were unsuccessful," he said. "If we had been successful, we would have gotten in reinforcements and would have held the garrison." He pointed out that the Pacific fleet had been put out of action and that America did not have the men and munitions necessary.

Among other guests at the Lions luncheon were Ed Safford of Santa Fe, Jess Corn of Roswell, and Herman Baca of Belen.

Sister of W. Taylor Dies at Chickasha, Okla., on July 14

Mrs. Jimmie Miller of Chickasha, Okla., youngest sister of Walter Taylor of Artesia, died Sunday, July 14.

Funeral services were at Chickasha Tuesday afternoon of last week by Rev. R. C. Miller, Jr., and were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, who returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Miller, the former Gladys Marie Taylor, is survived by her husband; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor, Roswell; three sisters, Miss Mary Louise Taylor and Mrs. Nellie Routh, Roswell, and Mrs. Bessie Yorgenson, Corpus Christi, Tex., and six brothers, Walter Taylor, Artesia; Archie, Elmer, Jackie Lee, and Herman Ray Taylor, Roswell, and Charles Taylor, Chickasha, Okla.

Watson, Manager of Chamber, Attends Institute at Dallas

Tom Watson, manager of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, attended the annual institute of the Southwestern Chamber of Commerce at Dallas Sunday through Saturday of last week.

Daily classes were held, he said, and those who attended were given an examination on Saturday. He gleaned many ideas, some of which probably will be put into practice by the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, Watson said.

Special Train With 225 Shriners Goes Through Here Friday

An 11-car special train carrying 225 Shriners from Wichita, Kan., passed through Artesia Friday morning on the way to Carlsbad and again in the afternoon, after the Shriners had visited the Carlsbad Caverns, as the train was returning to the main line at Clovis.

The Shriners were members of Midian Temple at Wichita and were on their way to San Francisco, Calif., for the national convention.

held the garrison." He pointed out that the Pacific fleet had been put out of action and that America did not have the men and munitions necessary.

Among other guests at the Lions luncheon were Ed Safford of Santa Fe, Jess Corn of Roswell, and Herman Baca of Belen.

Gen. Pat Hurley Seeking Senate Seat, Visits Here

Patrick J. Hurley, Republican candidate for United States senator from New Mexico, was in Artesia Saturday meeting voters in behalf of his candidacy.

The colorful diplomat, who raised himself from cowpuncher to diplomat, from coal miner to a member of the cabinet, from a private in World War I to a major general in World War II, is seeking a seat in the Senate, which six times without a dissenting vote has conformed presidential appointments of General Hurley, as undersecretary of war and secretary of war in 1929, as brigadier general in 1942, as minister to New Zealand in 1942, as major general in 1943, and as ambassador to China in 1944.

When in Artesia, Pat Hurley talked little politics, but spread his charming personality, as he

wisecracked and joked in his soft voice, a voice that can and has many times become tough.

General Hurley was the guest of honor at an informal luncheon Saturday noon and at an informal dinner Saturday evening of groups of local businessmen at the Artesia Hotel.

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The pastor also will be in Artesia the second Wednesday in each month to visit members and friends, and there will be a service on the same night at 7:30 p. m. at the church.

We ask all members and friends please to take notice of the new schedule, and to be present at Sunday school every Sunday morning and learn the Sunday when the pastor will be here at 3 p. m. to preach. Do not forget our radio devotional over KAVE every Monday at 8:30 a. m.

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Evening service, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
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Bible study, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 10:50 a. m.
Evening service, 7 p. m.
Wednesday
Ladies' Bible class, 3 p. m.
Mid-week service, 8 p. m.
Robert A. Walter, Evangelist.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Fred Jacobs, general superintendent.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
Evening worship: 7:15 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m., Mrs. B. A. DeMarrs, Dr. and Mrs. C. Pardue Bunch, sponsors.
Woman's Society of Christian Service, first Thursday, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. J. R. Miller, president.
Wesleyan Service Guild, first Monday, 7 p. m., Mrs. Leona French, president.
Official board, second Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., A. P. Mahone, chairman, Glenn Caskey, secretary.
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Women's Association, First and third Thursday, 2:30 p. m.
Reverend Paul L. Brown, Minister.

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Mid-week service, Wednesday, 7:15 p. m.
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Preaching service, 11 a. m.
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Mid-week service, Wednesday, 8 p. m.
E. O. Whitfield, Pastor.

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Sunday Services:
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
Baptist Training Union, 7 p. m.
Evening worship, 8 p. m.
Monday: 7 p. m., Troop 27.
Tuesday: 2:30 p. m., Dorcas Class business and social, Mrs. E. E. Ryan, 813 South Fifth, hostess.
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The Golden Text is: "Into thine hand I commit my spirit; thou hast redeemed me, O Lord God of truth."—(Psalms 31:5.)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Then said Jesus to those Jews which believed on him, If ye continue in my word, then are ye my disciples indeed; And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free."—(John 8:31, 32.)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from "The Christian Science text book: "The thunder of Sinai and the Sermon on the Mount are pursuing and will overtake the ages, rebuking in their course all error and proclaiming the kingdom of heaven on earth. Truth is revealed. It needs only to be practiced." Visitors always welcome.

Hagerman Firemen Plan Annual Benefit Ball On Saturday, July 27

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27, in the Hagerman School Gymnasium.
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year will be large because the prospective market supply of grass-fed cattle is large, Arthur M. Hauke, extension economist of New Mexico A. & M. College, said.

Hauke pointed out, however, that the supply of fed cattle marketed during the balance of the year will undoubtedly be less than last year because the number of cattle on feed in the Corn Belt is less than a year ago.

The early lamb crop, Hauke said, is estimated to be 13 per cent less this year than last and the smallest in about 20 years. He added that lamb and mutton production through early April was greater than last year, with large marketing of ewes and old-crop lambs, but production of lambs during the remainder of the year will be less than a year ago.

Advocate has just received shipment of both letter and legal size Transfer file drawer storage cases.

Remodeling at Kirtland Will Provide Housing

Remodeling of the hospital building at Kirtland Field to contain 82 apartments for married veteran students at the University of New Mexico is under way, university officials said.

Sixty-six of the apartments should be ready when the fall term opens Sept. 18, they said.

Establishment of a dining hall for meals for the hundreds of single and married veterans who will live at the field also is expected to be completed by then.

Ample accommodations for single veterans are available at the field for the fall term, at which a record enrollment of 2800 or more is expected, including from 1300 to 1500 veterans.

Meantime, on the campus, H. Kona Hall, devoted during the war years to Navy V-12 men, is being reconverted for use by women, and Banderier hall, also a former Navy dormitory, already is being used by women students.

Yatoka hall, a dormitory holding 32 men, is to be remodeled to contain four large classrooms and offices for testing and advisory services to veteran students under "Plan A" of the Veterans Administration, and should be ready for occupancy during the first semester this fall.

The 82 apartments at Kirtland Field, of two and three rooms, in the hospital building, will rent at \$30 to \$35 ceilings to married veteran students and their families, thus partially solving one of the university's most pressing problems, officials said.

Soundproofing the entire administration building was completed recently after four years of work in halls of the first and second floors; the president's, comptroller's, and registrar's offices, and all classrooms.

on the 16th annual field session of the university summer session, according to Dr. Paul Reiter, director of the projects.

Working downstream with his father and brother in an outboard motorboat, Kepner uncovered the only information now available to Southwestern archaeologists concerning pottery types and occupation of the river bottom dating from about 800 B. C., Reiter said.

Kepner's expedition, which he recorded in color photography, of potsherds (pieces of pottery, that is), the majority of which are unidentified as yet by Southwestern archaeologists. He discovered two large ruins which, Dr. Reiter said, warrant excavation at a later date.

Kepner's project, Reiter said, provides a survey of an area below the dam which has heretofore been a large question mark in archaeological research.

Among the identifiable trophies brought back from the trip are fragments of a large mortar, carved from basalt, which, according to Reiter, may have been used to pound mesquite beans for food.

covered employees has increased from 56,865 in December to 57,722 in March, or 1.5 per cent. This increase is only slightly larger than the national figure of 1.39 per cent. The New Mexico increase was largely caused by employment in construction, much of which was in housing construction. Of all New Mexico covered workers, 9.64 per cent, are in the construction industry as compared to the national figure of 4 per cent.

Archeology Is Used to Support Biblical Story

Evidence of the Biblical narrative is found in a study of the remains of the past, which has been accepted by scientific men, it was declared Tuesday of last week by Rev. Kenneth H. Tuttle, of the First Christian Church, speaking at the weekly Rotary luncheon on "Biblical Archeology."

The speaker, who wrote a thesis on archeology in working for a degree, gave an interesting discourse on the remains of the ancient past, both as to items of special interest and as the study applies to support of the Biblical narrative.

Archeological findings have disclosed two types of evidence supporting the Bible, Rev. Tuttle said, confirmatory, relating to the finding of conditions, locations, and remains mentioned, and specific, relative to the names of Biblical characters.

In his thesis, Rev. Tuttle said, he enumerated 45 names for whom archeological evidence is claimed, and of them 28 with specific evidence.

For instance, he said, there is specific evidence to support the narrative of Herod the Great, but that evidence of Christ, who had

few supporters, is lacking. However, he said, papiri have been unearthed as far distant as Cairo from which teachings attributed to Christ have been unearthed. One such was a page from John, bearing handwriting of about a century after Christ, helping to date the writings of John.

Farm Mortgage Debt at Lowest Level Since '15

The total farm mortgage debt was at the lowest level since 1915 on Jan. 1, according to Arthur M. Hauke, extension economist with New Mexico A. & M. College. The indebtedness was estimated at a little more than five billion dollars, which was only half of the peak in 1923.

The farm mortgage debt has increased 1½ billion dollars since 1940, or a decrease of 40 per cent. During 1945, the debts were reduced while gross farm income and real estate values continued to advance.

This reduction is a sharp contrast with developments during and after the World War I period, as farm-mortgage indebtedness increased 43 per cent from 1915 to 1919. The debt after World War I did not decrease for three or four years after the fall of gross farm income and real estate values.

Debt developments during 1945 indicated the long cycle of decreasing mortgage indebtedness which has been under way since 1923 is now approaching its end. During 1945 the net reduction in debt was about 190 million dollars or less than half of the average annual reduction of the past two years. In addition there were 20 states in which indebtedness showed an increase last year. Even though the total debt de-

creased 190 million dollars during 1945, the loans of private individuals and commercial banks increased by about 95 million dollars. The continued high rate of land transfers, giving rise to purchase-money mortgages, was largely responsible for this increased debt.

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Hobbs disclosed that the sale of bonds in Eddy County totaled \$100,656.25 in June, of which \$63,756.25 was in Series E.

Colorado River Gives Up Some Secrets of Men

Traveling by boat and on foot, Charles H. Kepner, former Navy photographer and now a junior anthropology major at the University of New Mexico, has explored and charted the Colorado River below Boulder Dam, for archaeological sites, thus completing the first of field work projects

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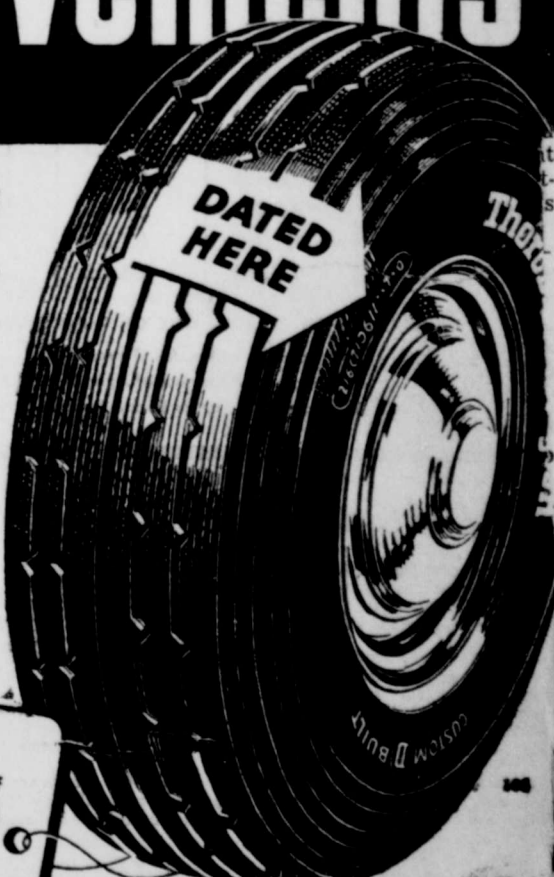
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Cottonwood Items

(Ora Buck)

The Cottonwood Community Extension Club held an all-day meeting at the Cottonwood School gymnasium on Tuesday, July 16, when Miss Doris Mardis, home demonstration agent, supervised stencil work. Many varied patterns were transferred to linens and other fabrics. A covered-dish luncheon was served at noon. The next meeting, to be held on Tuesday, Aug. 13, will be at the home of Mrs. A. C. McGuire with Mrs. David Coggin and Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon assisting as cohostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Buck have returned from Douglas, Ariz., where they were called last week because of the illness of Miss Lou Maxie. They were accompanied

on their return trip by Miss Maxie, now very much improved, and by Mrs. Mary Hicks. Mrs. Hicks is a former resident of Artesia and this is her second visit since moving to Douglas about 40 years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Whatley report a pleasant outing to the O'Bannon ranch in the Sacramento Mountains. Their trip was made on Sunday, July 14.

Fred Stoab has been taken to the Southwestern General Hospital in El Paso. He has been ill for some time.

Miss Glenille Gray has had her tonsils removed. The operation took place in Carlsbad and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Gray, report she is recovering rapidly.

Marie Vandagriff of Cottonwood accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Paton and Mrs. Lawrence Davis of Artesia on a vacation of a few days. They went to Santa Fe.

Mrs. Noah Buck is ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor of the Cottonwood Store had as their guests last week their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Bradley, and their two children, Ann and Harry. The Bradleys are from Coleman, Tex. They arrived on Sunday, July 14, and left on Thursday of last week. A nephew, Jack Donaghey of Big Spring, Tex., accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bradley on their return trip. Mr. Donaghey has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor, for several weeks.

Lt. A. R. Pollock, who is stationed at Fort Worth, Tex., spent the week end at the Tom Terry home.

Stewart Miller of the Miller and Thomas ranch is visiting Joe Clayton at the home of Joe's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry.

Miss Tommy Terry is working at Artesia Memorial Hospital. Miss Terry is a registered nurse.

Emery Pratt was taken to Roswell on Monday for treatment. He injured an eye while chopping wood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Buck were in Carlsbad on business Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Payne of Carlsbad were over-night guests at the home of Mr. Payne's sister, Mrs. Charlie Buck. They left on Wednesday. Charles and Cookie Buck, children of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Buck, accompanied them and plan to stay in Carlsbad for several days.

Eugene Buck of Carrizo Springs, Tex., left for Fort Worth, Tex., early last week. He planned to visit a sister there. He visited nephews and other relatives while in the Cottonwood area.

Mrs. Ed Taylor has been moved to her home here from a Carlsbad hospital. She is recovering nicely.

G. S. McNeil has been visiting his sons, E. E. McNeil and J. W. McNeil, and their families. Mr. McNeil is from Russell, Ky. Dr. Clifford and Mrs. Leadingham and her two sons, all from Ashland, Ky., were also relatives who visited in the McNeil homes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McNeil and their children took their guests, Barbara, Edward and Ernest Leadingham through the Carlsbad Caverns on Thursday of last week. E. E. McNeil, accompanied by his uncle, Dr. Boggs of Roswell, left early last week for Wisconsin to buy stock to replenish his dairy farm. Mr. McNeil made some recent purchases in Texas also.

Mrs. B. E. Green has been in Carlsbad several times recently for medical treatment.

Bob O'Bannon of Cottonwood is in Carlsbad for medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Anglin, who live near Weed, went Friday to Carlsbad, where Mrs. Anglin was hospitalized and will undergo an operation soon. Mr. Anglin was a visitor in Cottonwood on Saturday.

Members of the Cottonwood Ladies' Aid Society were guests at the A. C. McGuire residence for their regular monthly meeting last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon and Mrs. David Coggin were cohostesses. Mrs. Jesse I. Funk opened the meeting with a devotion service, after which Mrs. James Thigpen, who was in charge of the program, turned the program over to Mrs. H. W. Groatzinger, wife of Rev. Groatzinger. Mrs. Groatzinger presented an interesting talk. At the close of the affair, the host-

esses served a delicious dessert course to Mmes. H. W. Groatzinger, G. B. Dungan, and Carl Manda, all guests, and Mmes. Chester Rogers, Orval Gran, Douglas O'Bannon, James Thigpen, Tom Terry, Jesse Funk, I. P. Johnson, Charlie Buck, Ralph Pearson, O. A. Pearson, Roy Ingram, Clarence Pearson, and B. E. Green, and Miss Mary Frances O'Bannon. The August meeting will be at the H. V. Parker residence with Mrs. Harold Green as cohostess and Mrs. Roy Ingram as program leader.

Aerial Photos Of Artesia Are Causing Comment

Five aerial photographs of Artesia and vicinity made by Milton G. Losee in a Hazel Flying Service plane are attracting considerable attention and causing much comment.

The five photographs show two scenes of Artesia as a city, one of the business district; another of the airport, and then a fine shot of the New Mexico Asphalt and Refining Company plant.

Five of these pictures are on display in The Advocate window

and copies or prints can be secured from Mr. Losee, who will order the prints. He is offering the first prints for \$3 each; duplicates at \$2 each, and all others then of the same picture at \$1 each. He also plans to have postcards made of the pictures, and it is expected these will be available for those who may desire them.

These are the first aerial pictures made of Artesia in a good many years and they picture the growth and expansion of the city.

The two aerial views of the city were taken at approximately 15,000 feet above sea level and show the entire city, including the boundary lines. The picture of the business district includes the new Ross Baking Company

building, parts of Texas and Quay and extends on east, including the Artesia Hotel and across the tracks east.

MILLS TO GET LOAN WHEAT IN JULY

Continuation through July of its program to lead wheat to mills in hardship cases was announced by the Department of Agriculture. As in June the wheat will be released to enable mills to supply areas where consumer bread supplies may be found to be definitely short of the reduced emergency levels.

Requests for government wheat will be considered only in the case of mills having wheat and flour totaling less than half of

their authorized July grind for domestic distribution. The authorized grind in July is 85 per cent of the monthly average quantity of flour produced for domestic distribution in 1945. The authorized grind in June was 75 per cent of the 1945 average.

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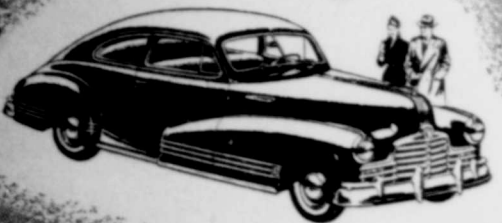
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