

# THE MESSENGER

Hagerman—Where the spring with healing in its waters is located.

THE TWENTY-NINE

HAGERMAN, CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, THURSDAY, JULY 31, 1930.

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## FAN TALK

The Service Company team will come to our little town for a nine inning game. These players claim to be the best of the company and have quite an impressive record. I hesitate to mention a game as looming im-

Hagerman took one on the defeat by Lovington hurt any other this season. That is the main reason why they were too tense, they were to pluck off the scalp of the plains coun-til, that grim fighting essential. On the baseball relaxation and confidence prerequisites. The two teams were strangely unlike and presented a distinctly different condition.

seemed the least perturbed the other eight in ac-ting. The big boy clouted fine hits and strutted his high class manner.

hear them wolves holler? It has its following of critics who are ready to be unfortunate player that for temporary disgust. For a season's fine play, they bear a man to pieces when able "off" day rolls around. It is a different matter if our team is affected by a laggard but they, on the con-tribute no loafing members anything all the time. Base-ry is replete with fickle-ners. To them, the men to watch are heroes today, tomorrow, and perhaps, heroes on the next day. Even the ball players expect it, reach a tender spot, some-

Clark heaved a wild-ron was given the honor- the first ball, and, from- stood, it looked a bit over-er limits. The car up trying- in time for the game. all the way from Texas- favorites take the field- Lovington and stoically- of his disappointment when- beaten. If Jim will bring- of this paper, next Sunday, may be our guests.

Summaries—Two base hits: Dozier, Keith, Stice. Sacrifice hits: Bowen, Hampton, Nail. Double plays: Dozier to Nail. Bases on balls: Schmitz (3), Click (2), Keith (1). Strike outs: Schmitz (5), Click (5), Keith (3). Umpires: Langenegger and Boyce.

**SURPRISE SHOWER**  
One of the prettiest surprise showers of the season was given in honor of Mrs. James L. Burk, formerly Miss Marguerite Watford, a June bride, on Thursday, July 24th, sponsored by Mesdames John Campbell and Orville Atwood, in the educational building at the Methodist church.

The room was made lovely with a big white bell in the center having pastel streamers and was fragrant with vases of garden flowers. A unique plan of having each member on the program pull a streamer with the announcement was used. On the program, Misses Mable and Dorothea Cowan gave a piano duet, Joyce Watford, a reading, Nadine Mann, a ukelele solo, Misses Ruby West and Uell Lee Carter a vocal duet, with a reading by Mayre McIntosh in conclusion.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**  
Miss Peggy McKinstry was the guest of honor at a very happy birthday party on Tuesday last week. The party was played and dainty refreshments were served to the following: Mable Nan, Veta Mildred McKinstry, Eva, and Damon Cole, Sara Beth West. All reported a enjoyable time.

## LOVINGTON DEFEATS HAGERMAN 9 TO 4 IN A LISTLESS GAME

Lovington plastered a stinging defeat on the listless, erratic Hagerman baseball nine here Sunday by a score of 9 to 4. The huge crowd that had gathered in the hope of seeing a well played game between two evenly matched teams, was sadly disappointed with the mediocre exhibition staged before them.

For just one inning, did the Hagerman boys remain in the ball game by grabbing a two to nothing lead. Then, in the second, a mixed crop of errors and base hits let the visitors run wild for five counters before they could be subdued. In this stanza, Hagerman messed up three easy double plays without making even the one put-out and permitted the ball to roll unhampered into the outfield where an additional boot or two did not materially help the local cause.

Besides unusually loose fielding of the home boys, their regular pitcher seemed badly off form and had very little of cunning or control. Schmitz, third baseman, was finally called in for mound duty and hurled his speed ball effectively for the balance of the game.

Lovington (9)	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E
Bryant, ss.	6	0	2	1	3	1	
Pendergrass, lf.	5	0	2	0	0	0	
Stice, cf.	5	0	1	1	0	1	
Mann, rf.	5	2	1	2	0	0	
Keith, 2b, p.	5	1	2	3	1	2	
Robinson, 3b.	5	2	1	2	1	0	
Stoneham, lb.	5	2	1	1	0	0	
Tomlinson, c.	4	1	2	7	1	0	
Click, p.	4	1	1	1	1	0	
Totals	44	9	13	27	7	4	

Hagerman (4)	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E
Ford, 2b.	5	1	3	3	5	2	
Dozier, ss.	5	1	1	1	3	4	
Schmitz, 3b, p.	5	1	4	2	4	2	
Nail, lb.	4	0	2	9	0	1	
Bowen, lf.	4	0	1	3	0	1	
Hampton, c.	4	0	0	6	2	2	
Langenegger, cf.	3	0	0	1	0	0	
Watson, rf.	3	0	1	0	0	0	
McCormick, p, 3b.	3	0	1	2	2	1	
McNamara, rf.	1	1	0	0	0	0	
Totals	37	4	13	27	16	13	

Score by innings:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Lovington	0	5	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	9	13	4
Hagerman	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	13	13

## DEXTER NEWS

Mrs. A. L. Durand and children are home from Las Vegas, where they attended summer school.

Miss Grace Stanley is home from Greeley, Colorado, where she has been attending summer school.

C. N. Moore and Mrs. E. O. Moore were in Roswell Monday morning, where Mr. Moore had his hand treated.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cazier, Mrs. Harry Holley and daughter, Harriet are spending a few weeks on the Ruidoso.

Tommie Hubbard came home Saturday from Las Cruces, where he attended school last winter, and also the summer term.

On last Thursday night a little daughter arrived to make her home with Rev. and Mrs. Johnson, the mother and babe are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McMains and little daughter, came in the first of the week from a two months visit with relatives in Missouri and Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Moore and son spent a delightful week end on the Ruidoso. The only thing that could add to the pleasure of this trip, was to have found the fish less elusive.

Breeb Hurst and his scout, Buddie Love are superintending the inoculation of the cattle on the Calumet ranch against hemorrhagic septicaemia.

Rev. and Mrs. John Anderson returned last Friday from a two weeks outing in the mountains, and while away attended the Presbyterian conference held in the Sandia mountains near Albuquerque.

On last Thursday evening the Methodist church gave a delightful party in the church basement. Games were the diversion for the evening and during the social hour, delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Caraway, announce the arrival of a little girl on last Friday night at their home, in Sweetwater, Texas. This little lady has been named Nancy Jo. Mrs. Caraway, will be remembered as Effie Mae Senn, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Senn.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church of Hagerman, have invited the ladies of their sister church in Dexter to their afternoon meeting, Wednesday afternoon of next week. It is hoped that all the members of the Dexter Society, will make an effort to attend.

Mrs. E. J. Hubbard, Mrs. Hal Bogle, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Marx took the following girls up to Camp Mary White on last Sunday. Rosie Hubbard, Irma Love, Breebia Hurst, Elizabeth Johnson and Betty Vandenberg. Mrs. Bogle will remain at the camp for the next two weeks, taking scout training.

### DEXTER TO HAVE GAS SOON

The Pecos Valley Gas Co., has a full force at work in Dexter, the mains are being dug up, pipes are being laid all over town and soon gas will be available for cooking and heating.

### MARRIAGE WAVE HITS DEXTER

Cupid has been busy in Dexter the past week. On last Thursday H. H. Glass and Jewel Lee made their announcement of trying life together and on the same day, Simus Manney and Miss Atkuss Bell were married, and Cecil Nelson and Miss Gladys Lawing were married by H. C. Garrison at the Garrison home in Dexter.

### PINSON HOME BURNED

Sunday night about eleven o'clock the country home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pinson went up in smoke. The boys were asleep when the fire occurred and the origin of the fire is not known. Mr. and Mrs. Pinson were in the mountains. The home was fairly well protected with insurance and some of the furnishings were saved.

## CHURCHES

### Presbyterian Church

"To testify the Gospel of the Grace of God"

NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
"So I am with you always, even unto the end of the world."  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Subject Morning Sermon—"Keeping on Time with God."  
"He that believeth shall not make haste."  
Union Services in the Evening  
JAMES A. HEDGES, Pastor.

### SIMPLE SERMONS

Rev. Harold Dye

Did you ever hear a man say that the reason he wasn't a Christian was because there were too many hypocrites in the church? Think what a small man it takes to hide behind a hypocrite!

### METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. E. A. Paddock, Superintendent.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Rev. A. L. Moore of Roswell will deliver the message.  
Special music all the time.  
Epworth Leagues at 7:15 p. m., Union services at 8:00 p. m., at the school house lawn.  
BRYAN HALL, Pastor.

### UNION SERVICE

The Union Services are drawing good crowds. We are all delighted with the response of the community.  
Rev. A. W. Luce, pastor of the Christian Church of Roswell, delivered the message in place of Rev. C. C. Hill. He presented the claims of Jesus to a place in our lives.  
Next Sunday evening, Rev. Bryan Hall will preach. The subject is, "Jesus Touched a Personality." You will enjoy the music. You will be helped by the fellowship. Come and

worship. The whole community will be there.

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Sunday school 10:00 a. m., Rev. Walter Orr, superintendent.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
Sermon subject, "A Real Missionary." Service especially for the children, bring your children if they are not going elsewhere.  
Prayer meeting 8:00 p. m. each Thursday.  
The tent meeting will begin the 5th of August. Rev. and Mrs. Lowery and family of Lake Charles, La., are the workers. We are expecting a great time in the Lord. Everybody welcome, tell your friends about it, and let's all work together and see what can be done. Yours for the lost of our town.  
N. Y. P. S. 7:00 p. m.  
No night service. Union services on the school house lawn.  
MARY I. HARTLINE, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, John Elbert Smith, Mrs. J. A. Wilson and Florence Elizabeth Wilson, of Knox City, Texas, who have been sight seeing through Arizona and New Mexico, were in Hagerman this week visiting the H. L. McKinstry and the J. E. Wimberly families.

A baby girl was born at St. Mary's hospital in Roswell, on Tuesday of last week to Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Woody of East Grand Plains. Mrs. Woody was formerly Miss Alice Menoud of Hagerman.

## ONLY THIRD OF STATE'S AREA IS INDIVIDUALLY OWNED SAYS DR. CRILE

SANTA FE — Of the 78,402,000 acres comprising the state of New Mexico only 23,387,173 acres are in private ownership, according to figures released Friday by Dr. Austin D. Crile, land commissioner. This figure does not include state lands which have been sold, but does include unperfected entries.

Of the total 16,000,000 acres are U. S. public lands, including both surveyed and unsurveyed tracts. There are 9,915,000 acres of the U. S. forest reserves, and 12,700,000 acres of land granted the state by the federal government. U. S. National parks constitute 22,235 acres and U. S. national monuments 23,592 acres. Indian reservations and Indian grants cover 5,354,000 acres.

The status of the state lands is summed up by Dr. Crile as follows: Acres deeded with minerals reserved to the state 49,342.03; deeded with minerals not reserved to the state 118,365.09; held under outstanding purchase contracts, 1,775,668.04; leased for grazing and agriculture 10,760,167.27; leased for oil and gas 5,656,689.83; state selections in which minerals are reserved to the U. S. (estimated) 50,000.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Junior Brock entertained 30 of his little friends at a birthday party held in honor of his eighth birthday Tuesday afternoon at the Brock home. Junior received many pretty gifts from the guests. Mrs. O. K. Brock, assisted by Misses Jewell Barnett, Vera Goodwin and Agnes McCormick served delightful refreshments to the little guests. Games were played during the afternoon.

### METHODIST PICNIC

The Methodist church picnic held on the E. A. Paddock farm Friday was well attended, and named a great success by the guests. The beautiful farm was open to all, and places for different games were constructed in the grove. A baseball game in the afternoon livened the occasion. The Epworth League won a game with the B. Y. P. U., which was followed by a tilt between the married men and Gehman's Junior team. Refreshments were served about six o'clock.

### CRUCES-ALAMO ROAD IS NOW BEING BUILT

SANTA FE—Surfacing of the last unsurfaced gap on the Alamogordo-Las Cruces road was authorized in the final session of the highway commission recently closed.

A twenty mile project is now under way on this route. From the Organ mountains east to the flats natural surfacing forms a good all year road bed. The project just authorized completes an all year road from San Augustine Pass to Alamogordo.

The White Sands road as the Las Cruces-Alamogordo stretch of state road 3 is called has been the subject of much interest in the southern part of the state for several years. To construct a high type surfaced road across the flats traversed by this route it has been estimated would cost in the neighborhood of three quarters of a million dollars, as all material for building such as a road would have to be imported.

### CLOUDCROFT FAIR

Arrangements are underway to hold a county agricultural fair at Cloudfcroft again this year. The date of the fair has not yet been set, but will likely be about the middle of September. The project is being staged by the business men of Cloudfcroft cooperating with County Agent Beaty of Alamogordo.

### CHARGED WITH BURGLARY

F. M. Ford was arraigned before Judge W. C. Winston this morning on a charge of burglary and entered a plea of not guilty. Ford was brought to Roswell today by Frank Wortman and B. Y. Miller, the latter arresting Ford last night at his store in Dexter. Ford, according to the statement of Miller, was captured inside the Miller store as he was attempting to open the cash drawer.—Roswell Record.

### THREE ARRESTED

Following the disappearance of a hat at the baseball picnic belonging to Ernest Langenegger, and its subsequent location in the rooms of three transient men, McNabb brothers and a man named Scarbough were arrested and confined in jail over night. They were released this morning after promising to leave the county for two years.

## TURNING ON THE GAS

In Roswell Tuesday, we had to stop our car in order for about twenty young girls to pass across the road. We turned to the man by our side and asked the question, "Who are all the girls?"

His answer was, "Oh, they are just future governors of Texas."

We picked up a two weeks old issue of the Messenger today and read the following under the heading, "Why Cats Eyes Are Luminous in the Dark;"

"The luminous appearance of a cat's eyes in the dark is due to the reflection of light by the tapetum lucidum which is a part of the membranous layer between the outer cover of the pupils of the eyes. This remarkable organ is differentiated from the choroid coat only in certain animals."

Looks like he could have told us that in the first place without cursing.

Ernest Langenegger says that next time the town needs the use of his hat for civic welfare, it is welcome. He just asks that it be returned the same night.

We wonder when the Dispatch will run out of bathing beauties for the front page.

### THEO. F. LINDBERG, M. D. OPENS OFFICE HERE

Theodore F. Lindberg, M. D., a graduate of Northwestern University of Evanston, Illinois, has arrived in Hagerman and opened an office in the town hall rooms formerly occupied by Dr. Brown.

Dr. Lindberg has attained the distinction of being named a Diplomate of National Board, a high medical honor which entitles the holder to practice medicine in forty states in the Union. He has had practical work in medicine, surgery and obstetrics in Iowa Methodist hospital in Des Moines, and is well qualified to build a large practice in Hagerman.

Dr. Lindberg is a young man and ambitious. He stated that he intended to stay in Hagerman and render the best service in his power to Hagerman people in times of sickness and accident.

### MR. AND MRS. R. W. CONNER PARENTS OF BABY GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Conner are the proud parents of a baby girl born Tuesday morning at last week at the St. Mary's hospital in Roswell. Mother and babe are getting along nicely.

### FIRST NATIONAL BANK WINS COURT SUIT

The suit brought against the First National Bank of Hagerman by W. J. Rhodes for conversion of an automobile, which had been appealed to the state supreme court from the district court of Chaves county, resulted in a decision against Rhodes by the supreme court.

The supreme court affirmed the decision of the district court against Rhodes according to a copy of its proceedings mailed to the First National Bank, July 18th.

### MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

The ladies of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church met last Friday with Mrs. William Goodwin, at which time a very interesting program was given.

Misses Jewell and Jaucile Barnett accompanied by Miss Vera Goodwin at the piano, played a beautiful violin duet.

After the program, refreshments were served the following members: Mesdames Ehret, Keith, Brock, Ford, Wilson, Roberts, Bible, Barnett, Waldrop and the hostess, Mrs. Goodwin. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. O. K. Brock.

### PRETTY TEA COMPLIMENT (Delayed)

Complimentary to Mrs. Floyd Childress, a recent bride, Mrs. H. L. McKinstry and Miss Elizabeth McKinstry gave a tea on Thursday afternoon, July 10th.

Beautiful flowers were in profusion throughout the rooms. In the receiving line were Mesdames H. L. McKinstry, Floyd Childress, J. E. Wimberly, J. P. Childress and Marion McCord.

The guests were then ushered into an adjoining room where Mrs. Harold Miller presided over the register book. From here, Miss Mabel Cowan invited them to the dining room, Mesdames C. C. Pritchard and Cliff Hearn poured tea, Mrs. R. L. Collins and Miss Dorothea Cowan served dainty cakes and bon bons. About seventy guests called during the afternoon.

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## AMUSEMENT

Play and work go hand in hand. He cannot work who does not play, it might be added, he knows not how to play who does not work. It is remarkable that a town the size of Hagerman can offer so many places of clean, outside amusement to its people. There are few tennis courts to compare with our local lot. A first class ball park has been constructed on land loaned by a public spirited citizen. Just lately has been added a miniature golf course to attract the Hagens and Joneses. This is all improvement of the finest sort. People must be amused and if the town will not provide clean places of sport, then mischief breeding places will spring into existence, and we will have a problem for the law to solve.

## USING OUR OWN PRODUCTS

There is added satisfaction now for the New Mexico motorists in purchasing gasoline or a license plate, in knowing that an increasing amount of the money is to be kept in the state. The highway department is now using road oil that is produced in the state, thus making possible another industry for New Mexico, which in return will pay revenue back to the state in taxes.

If the towns and communities in New Mexico would become more state minded, our state resources could be developed at a more rapid rate. Incidentally, we believe that the towns in the northern part of the state that are now enjoying natural gas service, could well afford to have patronized the Pecos Valley Gas Co., even at a higher rate, since the common school funds of the state get the benefit of a greater percent of revenue.

Wyoming is to have a Jewish newspaper. It will be known as the "Wyoming Jewish Press" and Abe Goldstein of Cheyenne will be its first editor. If all of the business men in the state who are of Jewish extraction patronize the paper's advertising columns, it will be a financial success which will set it apart from most of the newspapers published by Gentiles.—Inland Oil Index.

Remember when the Anti-Saloon Leaguers were saying the newer generation wouldn't know what real liquor tasted like? Well, the leaguers were right.—Alamogordo Advertiser.

## HOW CAN WE DO IT?

Often we hear a proposal from some individual or organization to lower taxes in order to encourage outside capital to come into the state. The question with the average citizen who is business man enough to know something about finances, is how can we do it and still progress? In New Mexico the problem is made doubly hard with about two-thirds of the area of the state exempt from taxation. Even in states where practically all of the area is on the tax rolls, residents have seen the tax rate steadily mount. Politicians are prone to promise us reduced rates and about everything we want to boot, but such promises are impractical, as every thinking man knows. Through good management our state administration can obtain 100 cents valuation on every dollar spent, but no more.

Now some politicians want to saddle another burden on the public through a consumer's tobacco tax for the purpose of creating free text book funds and thus open up another avenue for mismanagement and extravagance by future state administrations. No state nor government yet has ever made a success of a business venture and we are not anticipating miracles to happen in the future. Swat the tobacco tax.

## WHAT IS THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY?

The Tucumcari News quotes Senator James Reed's definition of the democratic party as given in a recent speech made at Sedalia, Missouri. It is:

"What is the democratic party? It is the millions who believe that the sole purpose of free government is the protection of the natural liberties of man; who insist upon equality before the law; who abhor every form of special privilege and every kind of tyranny; who demand that the avenue of opportunity shall be kept open so that the citizen may enjoy those rights with which God and nature endowed him, and that he shall not only be free from interference by government, but shall have its protection against all who seek to deprive him of his rights."

## WHAT NEWSPAPER MEN FAVOR

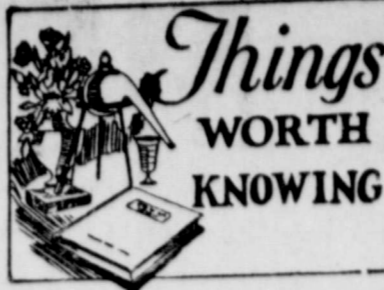
The New Mexico Press Association in session at Raton over the week end went on record as favoring a state wide primary, making the publication of county commissioner's proceedings mandatory and the enactment of a corporation commission law with "teeth," in it. The association condemned the consumers tax on tobacco products and went on record as objecting to the practice of the leaders of the two dominant parties in holding their conventions so late that the voters as a whole are denied the privilege of ascertaining the qualifications of the respective candidates.

The competition between Pecos valley towns for the road from Hobbs is a good thing, good not only for the towns concerned but for the entire state. That is provided that at least one high type road is built. That road should be rushed and it should cross the main section of the state, not merely a small corner. New Mexico should build roads for New Mexico and not for Texas.—Roswell Record.

Over in Texas where they have closed the first democratic primary, opposing candidates had a peculiar way of throwing in with one another. One night a candidate would call his opponent a liar, horse thief, etc., and traveling on together, the next night his opponent would hand it back to him.

Arthur Brisbane remarks that money is begging in New York, "you can borrow all you want at 2 per cent," he says. Why not sent some of it west. Westerners are naturally sympathetic and dislike to see anything suffer.

Voters will hear the rascals of the state classified as well as the number of political boners that has been pulled since New Mexico was admitted to statehood, within the next three months.



More than 31,000,000 visitors enjoyed the recreational opportunities of the national forests in 25 states Alaska and Porto Rico in 1929. About three-fourths of these visitors were transient tourists, and 7 out of 8 traveled in automobiles.

If your sheep, calves or pigs have a husky cough at this time of year, look out for lung-worms. Isolate infested animals and give them special care and feed. Put the animal on high, dry pasture, or put them up and feed dry feed. Give plenty of pure water and provide them with some kind of shade.

An intertilled crop following clover or alfalfa is a good thing in crop rotation, but it is a mistake to grow two or more intertilled crops and several small grain crops in succession on the same land. Two small grain crops of the same kind or two intertilled crops are the maximum number of nonleguminous crops that should be grown in succession.

In the summer, high-producing dairy cows need grain to supplement the pasture. Cows giving more than 20 pounds of milk a day should have in addition to good pasture, 1 pound of grain to each 4 to 6 pounds of milk produced. The grain mixture which may be corn, oats, wheat bran or barley, should be ground. For cows producing more than 35 pounds of milk, there should be at least one high-protein concentrate, linseed-oil meal or cottonseed meal, in the grain ration.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture several years ago experimented with commercial fertilizers to discover a substance that will kill fly larvae in manure and also increase its fertilizing value. One-half pound each of calcium cyanamid and acid phosphate added to each bushel of manure gave a 98 per cent kill of the larvae. The mixture, in powder form, is scattered evenly over the surface and then wet down with water. This mixture adds to the manure two important elements, nitrogen and phosphorus.

Disposal or proper stacking of straw is a very important step in controlling the stable fly, one of the worst pests of livestock throughout the country. Straw stacks are the principal breeding places of this pest, especially in the grain belt. Straw to be kept for bedding or food should be very carefully stacked. Make the sides of the stack nearly vertical and round the top well to shed rain. After the straw is stacked, clean up loose straw or chaff and burn it, straw not needed in the winter should be disposed of immediately after threshing. Plow it under or burn it. Surplus straw should be disposed of in early spring or it will furnish flies continually in spring and summer.

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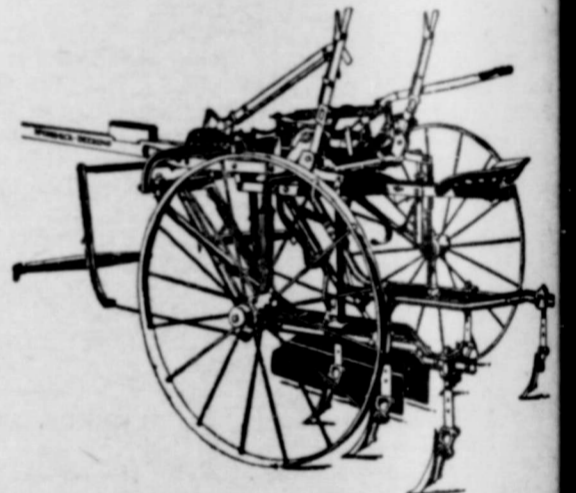
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## TY OFFICIALS OF THE LAMB CROP SHOWS SLIGHT GAIN OVER THE LATE LIQUOR RAID CROP OF LAST YEAR

BUQUERQUE—Fourteen men, including the mayor of Hot Springs and four town officials, pleaded not guilty to charges of conspiracy to violate prohibition laws and were released on bonds of \$1,500 each after arrest by special prohibition investigators Tuesday.

Special prohibition investigators, as revealed Tuesday night have been working since February 22, in investigation of an alleged rum operation in the resort and a town of 2,000 population thru the agency of the town officials with bootleggers.

Federal grand jury in session is investigating the conspiracy, the prohibition investigators see complaints against the 14 men in the possible return of indictments, raided the little town with a deputy U. S. Marshal, rounded up the entire group in city hall there and held them for a hearing could be held before Commissioner when they all pleaded not guilty and were released.

Four men arrested and released are Mayor Leo Smith; four town councilmen, C. L. Hedrick, truck line proprietor; A. J. garage owner; Dr. A. C. vice-president of the First National Bank; and O. Salcido, as in a general merchandise store.

Riley Cleveland, city attorney and J. W. Green, police judge of the peace, are other officials arrested.

G. Kendall, former Sierra councilman; Harry Kendall, grocer and former councilman; A. J. High, former police judge and justice of the peace; and W. A. Graham, town treasurer, complete the list of officials.

H. Bryson and Ralph W. whose pool halls and "soft" establishments, it is charged operated as speakeasies and J. alleged bootlegger, end

The U. S. lamb crop of 1930 is about 8 per cent larger than the crops of 1929 and 1928 and about 18 per cent larger than the 1927 crop. The indicated lamb crop for 1930 is 28,458,000 compared with 26,441,000 in 1929; 26,363,000 in 1928; and 24,153,000 in 1927. The number of lambs saved per 100 ewes one year old and over on January 1 was 87.3 in 1930; 83.9 in 1929, 89.1 in 1928; and 87.2 in 1927.

The larger lamb crop this year was due to increases in both the native and western lamb states. The crop in the native lamb states this year was about 4 per cent or 4,000,000 head larger than in 1929. This increase was due to an increase in the number of breeding ewes and a slightly larger number of lambs saved per 100 ewes. The native lamb crop was 9,734,000 in 1930; 9,326,000 in 1929; 8,930,000 in 1928; and 8,875,000 in 1927.

The comment by the Department of Agriculture on the condition of lambs in eight western states follows:

Montana—Lamb crop larger than last year due to more ewes and a better lambing. Losses generally light. Ranges getting very dry in most of central and eastern sections making poor outlook for late summer feed and water, and forecasting some forced movements and light lambs.

Wyoming—More lambs this year compared with the short crop of 1929. Ranges below normal especially northcentral and northeast areas. Losses have been about average or less.

Colorado—Lamb crop larger especially in west third of state. High ranges are good but lower ranges drying fast especially southeast and southwest districts.

New Mexico—Lambing much better than in 1929 for state as whole although poorer in southeast. Ranges below average and poor in some sections. Losses are lighter than last year.

Arizona—Lamb crop only slightly larger than last year. Summer ranges are very good. Losses light.

Utah—Lamb crop better than last year but fewer lambs than in 1928. Losses light except in some southern areas. High summer ranges good, and lambs should attain normal weight.

Nevada—Good lambing secured over most of the state but total crop less than two years ago. The ranges are very good but additional rains needed to maintain. Lambs developing well, losses have been above average.

### KILL THE INSECTS AND SAVE THE CROP

The bug is no respecter of persons: it will destroy the crops of the poor as well as the rich says H. C. Stewart of the New Mexico Agricultural College. New Mexico farmers lose thousands of dollars annually because too little attention is paid to their enemies—the insects. Most insects are particularly fond of vegetable and fruit crops because they are generally succulent.

The control of insects is not always a costly operation and can be accomplished by the timely use of spraying and dusting materials. It is true the farmer must have machinery and poison to accomplish control effectively, but this no longer requires a large investment. Spraying and dusting machines are now made in all sizes, from the small hand machine to the large, power driven machine. A small hand sprayed can now be had at no greater cost than fifty cents and in an emergency a duster can be made from an old tomato can by punching the bottom full of small holes.

Lead arsenate is the common stomach poison used in all biting in-

## STERLING--FERGUSON CHAS. LINDBERGH SETS WILL BE IN RUN OFF ANOTHER FINE EXAMPLE. IN 2ND TEXAS PRIMARY

DALLAS, Texas—Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, Texas' first woman governor, seeking to come back after her defeat for reelection in 1926, was 60,810 votes ahead of Ross Sterling of Houston, wealthy newspaper publisher, when the Texas election bureau announced its latest count, of Saturday's primary returns Tuesday.

Mrs. Ferguson and Sterling had already started the preliminaries incident to the August 23 run-off primary when the democrats will make a choice between the two. In the latest tabulation Mrs. Ferguson had 215,863 votes, Sterling 155,053, Clint Small 117,383 and Tom Love 75,135.

The election bureau's computation had accounted for 740,319 votes in 246 of the 253 counties, 123 complete.

U. S. Senator Morris Sheppard was renominated without the necessity of a run-off and without making a single speech. He received 443,953 votes to 147,627 for Henry and 33,572 for Mitchner.

Former Governor Pat M. Neff lacked 8,598 votes of a majority over his three opponents for railroad commissioner. He had 308,910, Hatcher 145,223, Johnson 91,382 and Patton 80,813.

There are to be four other run-off races, for lieutenant governor, attorney general, treasurer and commissioner of agriculture.

Senator Edgar E. Witt of Waco, still was leading for lieutenant governor with 151,806 votes, with Sterling P. Strong, of Dallas, close behind, with 143,693.

J. V. Alfred, of Wichita Falls maintained his lead over Robert Lee Bobbitt of Laredo for attorney general, the vote being 245,842 to 224,254.

John E. Davis, of Mesquite with 178,889 was leading Charles Lockhart of Austin with 157,551 for state treasurer.

J. E. McDonald of Waxahachie and A. H. King of Throckmorton were to run it off for commissioner of agriculture, the vote standing: McDonald 156,742; King 112,004.

### Noted Flyer Preserves Motor By Using Only High Grade Products.

Charles A. Linbergh placed the stamp of approval on Penzoil in a recent coast to coast flight when he used this famous Pennsylvania lubricant in his motors. Such an endorsement by actual usage, is further proof of the quality built in a high class product. The world has learned to realize "Lindy's" good judgment and careful treatment of his planes.

Penzoil is sold in different weights so that it may be suitable for various types of lubrication. Farmers find it excellent for tractor service and the lighter grades are unexcelled for the general run of motor cars.

In Hagerman, this well known oil is handled by the Buford Service Station on the corner by the highway monument. Fisk Tires, Crystal Gasoline and Penzoil Motor Oil are a hard combination to beat. And, when you add expert service, a patron can not but be pleased. Drop around and see for yourself! We are waiting for the chance to add YOU to our list of satisfied customers. 33-1tc

### MEXICAN SHOT

An unidentified Mexican was shot and probably fatally wounded in Roswell last night near midnight by S. Gurule, according to reports from Roswell. Gurule returned home from California to find another man with his wife, he told police. The unidentified man was shot four or five times and has a fighting chance for recovery.

### 37 FIRES IN LINCOLN FOREST THIS YEAR

The unit of the United States Forest Service at Alamogordo reports 37 forest fires in the Lincoln forest so far this year and of this number fourteen were man caused. Rains throughout the forest have relieved the fire situation and a number of fire guards have been laid off although several are still on duty in the Sacramento and Weed districts. S. Strickland assistant supervisor and Ranger J. A. Work left Saturday for Flagstaff, Arizona to attend a ten day training camp in timber sales work.

### WANT ADS PAY

sect and nicotine sulphate is the more common contact poison for aphids, leaf hoppers, etc.

The home druggist can usually supply the poisons mentioned and the local implement dealers can generally furnish the necessary machinery.

For specific information on any insect or disease damaging the orchard or garden, see the county extension agent or write the Extension Service, State College, New Mexico.

THE VALUE of well-printed neat-appearing stationery as a means of getting and holding desirable business has been amply demonstrated. Consult us before going elsewhere

### JUDGE HOLLOWMAN TO BE ON BENCH AT ROSWELL

Judge Reed Holloman, of the First Judicial district, will preside over a special term of district court at Roswell August 6 and 7, it was announced at Roswell, Monday.

### HEAT POPS CORN RIGHT ON STALK

ATLANTA, Georgia — The heat wave in the south has brought, among other things, a story of pop corn popping on the stalk in a garden baked by the sun's torrid rays.

Mrs. Claude Phillips, a resident of Quitman, Georgia, said she went to inspect her garden during the heat of the day and found the corn popped and ready for eating, in a parched shuck.

Editor's Note—Some of the horses in a nearby field saw it and thought it was snow and froze to death.

## Why attempt it?

The saddest mistake that is made in newspaper advertising is the attempt to cover any community with a newspaper published anywhere else, when the community has a paper of its own.

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### THE MESSENGER

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### SHOP TALK

If a life-long study of business and statistics has taught me anything it is that advertising is the greatest business force in the world. Had there been no advertising, America would be today economically where China is. Advertising is the dynamo of business.—Roger Babson.

### WARN TOURISTS WATCH FOR DETRITUS WASHES

SANTA FE—The Highway Department issued a warning recently to all touring bureaus to explain to tourists the need of care on mountain road driving during the rainy season.

"Trouble with detritus, or small slides of rock and dirt, washing onto the roads is experienced every year during the rainy season," the warning reads. "Please explain to tourists the necessity of rounding curves with caution and with car under control when driving on sidehill roads. These piles are seldom large enough to block the highway, but if hit at a high rate of speed are liable to cause the driver to lose control of his car. If travelers will report such slides to the nearest maintenance man, district office, or to any garage who cooperates with the highway department in road report issuance, it will greatly facilitate travel for others. Emergency methods will be used to care for all such conditions immediately after they are reported or found out by highway employees. Road report stations are particularly asked to cooperate at this time by advising nearest highway employee of any road damage so that immediate attention may be given."

### FALL OF PLANE FATAL FOR TRIO EAST OF HOBBS

NEW HOBBS—A pilot and two passengers were dead Saturday following an airplane crash one and one half miles east of here Friday evening. The dead are W. L. Masior, pilot of Pawhuska, Oklahoma; W. R. Lion, of the Lion Pipe Line Co., of Hobbs and Miss Hattie Thomas, 20 of Hobbs.

Mosier came here three days ago to organize a flying school. Friday evening he had circled the field for about twenty minutes when the plane sideslipped and crashed. It burst into flames as it struck the ground and its three occupants were burned.

The ship was a monoplane.

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**Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company**



# BIDS ON NATURAL GAS DEVELOPMENT WILL BE OPENED AUGUST 2ND

SANTA FE—Natural gas development in New Mexico is reflected in the present advertised auction by the United States department of interior of 4,720 acres of the Barker Dome area in the northwestern section of New Mexico.

This sale will be in Santa Fe on August 2, before special commissioner H. J. Hagerman, to open up that area for gas development.

The gas fields of the San Juan area are already producing wells with from thirty million to seventy-five million cubic feet of gas daily, and the Southern Union Gas Company which holds franchises in Albuquerque, Santa Fe and Las Vegas, seeks to increase its production. The Southern Union company now obtains its gas from the Midwest and the Producers and Refiners company products in the San Juan area.

This will be the fourth lease sale held by the department of interior on the northwestern Indian lands since 1924. The first leases were bought by Midwest, the second by the Producers and Refiners and the third by the Gypsy Oil Company.

# WATER ASSOCIATION SERVES PROTEST ON SO. PACIFIC OFFICIALS

A formal protest on the building of a dam on the Bonito by the Southern Pacific Railway Co., has been served by the Southwestern New Mexico Water Protective Association, it was announced at Roswell Monday. Copies of the protest have been served on the attorney of the Southern Pacific and on the construction foreman.

A membership drive in the Pecos valley is now underway and several hundred members have been secured for this organization. The association was organized for the purpose of protesting the diversion of waters from the eastern slope by the Southern Pacific.

The following are some of the principal points of contention brought out in the protest and is quoted verbatim:

"The maintenance and prosperity of said section of country is principally dependent upon its supply of artesian water, and its people have urgent and existing need for all the water that is now being obtained, from any and every source, whatever. That any decrease of its present water supply must result in arresting the development of the country and must cause abandonment of farms and important industrial enterprises; threatening also to deprive towns and cities of the water on which they depend for existence.

"By reason of the premises, the protestant hereby notifies the said El Paso and Rock Island Railway Company and the Southern Pacific company that you shall proceed at your peril toward the erection and construction of such a dam. It is the contention of protestant that the dam proposed should not be constructed in any event, and more especially that no such construction should be proceeded with pending the determination of their rights of all interested parties in the Bonito stream system by the final decree to be rendered in the suit you have instituted for that purpose. The protestant hereby serves notice that, unless work in the construction of such dam is immediately abandoned, it will resort to all legal remedies it may find available to prevent the accomplishment of your design, and will hold you to accountability for resultant damages.

"SOUTHEASTERN NEW MEXICO WATER PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.

"By E. A. CAHOON, Pres.  
"CLAUDE SIMPSON, Sec."

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# DRILLING REPORT

**Eddy County**

Flynn, Welch & Yates Stevens No. 1, NW corner of NE SW sec. 13-17-30:  
Repairing water well.

F. W. Y. Oil Co., State No. 58, SW 29-18-38:  
Drilling below 1975 feet.

Getty Oil Co., Dooley No. 6, NW sec. 23-20-29:  
No report.

Hammond and Turner, Wilson, Gossett No. 1, sec. 26-17-25:  
No report.

Henderson, Dexter, et al., Parke No. 2x, 440 feet from the north line and 880 feet from the west line sec. 23-17-30:  
Running 6-inch casing to 2925 feet.

R. D. Compton No. 2, 810 feet west of east line and 332 feet north of south line, sec. 5-18-27:  
No report.

**Lea County**

A. D. Morton, well No. 1, in the center of NW 1/4 sec. 32-11-38:  
No report.

Amerada Petroleum Co., McKinley No. 3, 990 feet from the north line and 2310 feet from the east line of sec. 30-18-38:  
Drilling below 2600 feet.

Amerada Petroleum Corp., State No. 1-A in the NWNE sec. 32-18-38:  
Recompleted at 3938 feet.

Amerada Petroleum Corp., State No. 2-A, 330 feet from the north and east line, sec. 32-18-38:  
Rig up.

Amerada Petroleum Corp., State No. 1-B, 2,310 feet from the north line and 1,650 feet from the west line, sec. 29-18-38:  
Drilling below 250 feet.

Amerada Petroleum Corp., State No. 2-B, 2,310 feet from the north line and 1,650 feet from the east line, sec. 29-18-38:  
Drilling.

Atlantic O. & P. Co., Coleman No. 1:  
No report.

Atlantic O. & P. Co., State No. 1, 330 feet from north line and 330 feet from east line sec. 6-19-38:  
Drilling below 2750 feet.

California Co., State No. 1, 990 feet from the east line of sec. 29-18-38:  
Coring at 3980 feet.

Continental Oil Co., Meyer No. 1, in the SW NW sec. 28-22-36:  
Drilling by tools at 3635 feet.

Continental Oil Co., State No. 1-A, sec. 29-18-38:  
Drilling below 1750 feet.

Continental Oil Co., State No. 2-A, 330 feet from the south line and 2,310 feet from the west line sec. 29-18-38:  
Digging cellar.

Continental Oil Co., State No. 3-A, 2,310 feet from the south line and 1,650 feet from the west line, sec. 29-18-38:  
Rigging.

Continental Oil Co., State No. 2-B, SW SW sec. 33-18-38:  
Drilling below 100 feet.

Continental Oil Co., State No. 3-B, 2,310 feet from the south line and 1,320 feet from west line, sec. 33-18-38:  
Cellar completed.

Continental Oil Co., State No. 4-A, 1,650 feet from the east line and 2,310 feet from the south line, sec. 29-18-38:  
Rigging.

Curtis Drilling Co., State No. 1, sec. 22-18-34:  
Shut down at 1200 feet.

Empire Gas and Fuel Co., Boone Hardin, 2,310 feet from the north line and 2,310 feet from the west line, sec. 19-18-38:  
Building rig.

Empire Gas and Fuel Co., Fowler, No. 2, 440 feet from north line and 2,310 feet from east line, sec. 31-18-38:  
Building rig.

Empire Gas and Fuel Co., Hardin No. 2, 2310 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the west line sec. 19-18-38:  
Rigging.

Fisher-Lowree-Penn, State No. 1, sec. 11-18-36:  
Shut down at 5505 feet.

Getty Oil Co., McKinley No. 3, 990 feet from the east line and 1650 feet from the north line sec. 30-18-38:  
Temporarily abandoned at 2765 feet.

Getty Oil Co., State No. 1, 330 feet from the east line and 330 feet from the north line sec. 19-21-36:  
Drilling.

Getty Oil Co., McKinley No. 4, NW NE sec. 30-18-38:  
Shut down at 2750 feet.

Gypsy Oil Co., State No. 24, 3630 feet from the south line and 2970 feet from the east line of sec. 32-18-38:  
No report.

Gypsy Oil Co., Grimes No. 2, 1650 feet from the north line and 2310 feet from the west line sec. 32-18-38:  
Drilling below 3500 feet.

Gypsy Oil Co., Grimes No. 5, 330 feet from the south and west lines of sec. 32-18-38:  
Rigging up.

Gypsy Oil Company, Grimes No. 3, sec. 32-18-38:  
No report.

Gypsy Oil Company, Grimes No. 4, sec. 32-18-38:  
No report.

Harrison et al, State No. 1, SWSW Sec. 35-18-38:  
Drilling below 3400 feet.

Hobbs High Oil Co., Inc. State No. 1, sec. 35-18-38:  
Salt water at 3595 feet.

Humble Oil and Refining Co., Bowers No. 2 NW SE sec. 30-18-38:  
Set pipe at 3960 feet.

Humble Oil and Refining Co., Bowers No. 3, SW NE sec. 30-18-38:  
Drilling below 3850 feet.

Humble Oil and Refining Co., Bowers No. 5, 2310 feet from the south line and 990 feet from the east line of sec. 30-18-38:  
Drilling below 3500 feet.

Humble Oil and Refining Co., Bowers No. 7, NW sec. 29-18-38:  
Temporarily abandoned.

Humble Oil and Refining Co., Bowers No. 8, SW NW sec. 29-18-38:  
Drilling below 1500 feet.

Humble Oil and Refining Co., Bowers No. 9, SW SE sec. 30-18-38:  
Drilling below 500 feet.

Humble Oil and Refining Company, Grimes No. 1, 990 feet from the north and east lines sec. 29-18-36:  
Location.

Humble Oil and Refining Company Bowers No. 4, sec. 30-18-38:  
Trying to shut off gas flow.

Humble Oil and Refining Company Bowers No. 10, 990 feet from the west line and 2310 feet from the south line sec. 29-18-38:  
Rigging.

Landreth-Malजार, State No. 1, SE sec. 7-18-38:  
Drilling below 4240 feet.

Landreth Production Co., State No. 1, 2970 feet from the south line and 4950 feet from the east line of sec. 33-18-38:  
Drilling below 3500 feet.

Landreth Petroleum Co., State No. 2-B, 2,310 feet from the north line and 1,320 feet from the west line, sec. 33-18-38:  
Drilling below 300 feet.

Landreth Production Corp. State No. 2-B sec. 33-18-38:  
Rigging.

Midwest Oil and Refining Co., Byers No. 33, NE sec. 4-19-38:  
Drilling below 3975 feet.

Midwest Oil and Refining Co., Farnsworth No. 19, SE sec. 14-26-37:  
Drilling below 2950 feet.

Midwest Oil and Refining Co., Farnsworth No. 34, sec. 13-26-36:  
Drilling below 3225 feet.

Midwest Refining Co., State No. 8, 660 feet from the north line and 660 feet from the west line of the NW 1/4 sec. 4-19-38:  
No report.

Midwest Oil and Refining Co., State No. 3, SW 1/4 sec. 4-19-38:  
Drilling below 3700 feet.

Midwest Oil and Refining Co., State No. 26, SE 1/4 SE sec. 4-19-38:  
Drilling below 2800 feet.

Midwest Oil and Refining Co., Terry No. 26, 660 feet from the south and east lines, sec. 9-19-38:  
Drilling below 250 feet.

Midwest Refining Company, State No. 4, SE 1/4 sec. 4-19-38:  
Drilling below 250 feet.

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Midwest Refining Company, State No. 33, NW 1/4 sec. 4-19-38:  
Drilling below 3000 feet.

Ohio Oil Co., McDonald No. 1, sec. 15-22-36:  
Drilling below 3550 feet.

Ohio Independent No. 2, 660 feet from the east line and 660 feet from the south line sec. 32-18-38:  
Drilling below 3600 feet.

Ohio Oil Co., Independent No. 3, 2310 feet from the south line and 330 feet from the east line sec. 32-18-38:  
Drilling below 3750 feet.

Ohio Oil Co., State No. 2, 2,310 feet from the west line and 440 feet from south line, sec. 30-18-38:  
Rigging.

Ohio Oil Co., State No. 4, SE CORSE SW sec. 30-18-38:  
Drilling below 200 feet.

Shell Petroleum Co., State No. 2-A, 2970 feet from the south line and 330 feet from the east line of sec. 32-18-38:  
Drilling below 3935 feet.

Shell Petroleum Company, Grimes No. 1, 330 feet from the south and east lines, sec. 28-18-38:  
Rig up.

Shell Petroleum Company, McKinley No. 5, 2,310 feet from the south and east lines sec. 19-18-38:  
Drilling below 200 feet.

Shell Petroleum Company, McKinley No. 6, 2,310 feet from the south and west lines, sec. 19-18-38:  
Drilling below 100 feet.

Shell Petroleum Co., State No. 1-B, 330 feet from north and west lines, sec. 33-18-38:  
Rigging.

Shell Petroleum Co., Berry No. 1, SE SE sec. 31-18-38:  
Drilling below 1600 feet.

The Shell Petroleum Corporation Grimes No. 2, 2310 feet from the south line and 330 feet from the west line sec. 28-18-38:  
Rigging.

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No report.

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Digging cellar.

The Shell Petroleum Corporation State No. 3, sec. 32-18-38:  
Drilling below 3200 feet.

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Temporarily abandoned.

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**Shell Petroleum Co., Berry No. 1, SE SE sec. 31-18-38:**  
Drilling below 1600 feet.

**The Shell Petroleum Corporation Grimes No. 2, 2310 feet from the south line and 330 feet from the west line sec. 28-18-38:**  
Rigging.

**The Shell Petroleum Corporation McKinley No. 2, sec. 19-18-38:**  
No report.

**The Shell Petroleum Corporation McKinley No. 3, sec. 19-18-38:**  
No report.

**The Shell Petroleum Corporation McKinley No. 4, sec. 19-18-38:**  
No report.

**The Shell Petroleum Corporation McKinley No. 7, 2310 feet from the south line and 330 feet from the west line sec. 19-18-38:**  
Digging cellar.

**The Shell Petroleum Corporation State No. 3, sec. 32-18-38:**  
Drilling below 3200 feet.

**The Shell Petroleum Corporation State No. 4, SW NE sec. 32-18-38:**  
Drilling below 2300 feet.

**The Shell Petroleum Corporation State No. 1-B, NW NW sec. 33-**



# COTTONWOOD ITEMS

(Miss Alma Bradley, Reporter)

Carl Manda and wife motored to Roswell Thursday for the ball game.

Messrs. Jess Funk and John Norris motored to Carlsbad on business Friday.

Mrs. W. B. Stewart who was quite ill the first of the week is reported much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Knapp and children left for the mountains Monday where they will spend a few weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hill and Gene Woods motored to Hope Sunday to attend the Plateau Singing Convention.

The little son of Joe Hunt, of Atoka spent a few days last week with his grandmother, Mrs. V. A. Hunt.

Tom Terry and family motored to Atoka Sunday where they were guests of Mr. Terry's parents Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Terry.

Miss Margaret Brown of Abilene, Texas, arrived here Sunday to spend a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Worley and children and Grandpa Self left Saturday for the mountains where they will take a week's vacation.

Bill Summers and family of Cleo, Texas returned here Sunday and will make their home in the community. They were accompanied by C. R. Summers and Woodrow House, of Cleo, who returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Norris and children, Wayne, George, Rex and Johnnie Mae left for Indiana, Sunday where they will spend quite a while visiting at the home of Mrs. Norris' mother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Sterrett and Mrs. Hamilton motored to Calumet ranch at Hagerman Sunday. Mrs. Hamilton's mother, Mrs. Nail, who has been visiting in the Hamilton home accompanied them to her home in Hagerman.

Puncture—A little hole which develops ten miles from a garage.

Bill of Fare—A list of eats, distinguished from menu by the figures in the right-hand column.—Pathfinder Magazine.

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18-38:  
Rig up.

Skelly Oil Co., Fowler No. 1, NE NW sec. 31-18-38:  
No report.

Sun Oil Co., McKinley No. 1, 330 feet from east line and 330 feet from north line of NE 1/4 sec. 5-19-38:  
Drilling out plug at 3963 feet.

Texas and Pacific Coal and Oil Co., State No. 5, sec. 20-23-36:  
Fishing for rotary bit at 3990 feet.

Texas Production Co., State No. 1-C, 330 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the east line of sec. 25-18-37:  
Fishing.

Texas Production Co., McKinley No. 1, NW SW sec. 4-19-38:  
Fishing for tools at 2867 feet.

Texas Production Company, Selman No. 1, sec. 15-19-38:  
No report.

Western -Texas State No. 1, 2310 feet from the north and west lines sec. 17-17-34:  
Rigging.

Texas and Pacific Coal and Oil Co., State No. 2-G, 2310 feet from the south line and 330 feet from the east line sec. 24-18-37:  
Digging cellar.

Tidal Oil Co., Coleman No. 1, NW 1/4 sec. 17-21-36:  
Drilling below 3725 feet.

Tidal Oil Co., Grimes No. 2, 2,310 feet from north line and 990 feet from east line sec. 29-18-38:  
Drilling below 100 feet.

Tidal Oil Company, Boone Hardin No. 1, 2,310 feet from north and east lines, sec. 19-18-38:  
Drilling below 250 feet.

W. C. McBride, McKinley No. 1, in the SESE sec. 30-18-38:  
No report.

# A Lazy Brother

"He hates these revolving doors."  
"What's he got agin 'em?"  
"Well, he's always been used to depending upon a pull for what he wants, and they require push."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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**I'll Let You Drop, Too**  
Self-esteem is very well. And there is naught can stop you. But though conceit may puff you up It surely will not prop you.

**Marrriages of Convenience**  
Mrs. Newset—O, John! Daughter has married the chauffeur.  
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**All His Fault**  
Wife—John, I'm so disappointed.  
John—What's the matter now, dear?  
"Here it is your birthday and you forget to bring me home a present to give to you."—Stray Stories.

**Crude Work**  
Welfare Workers (to prisoner)—And what are you here for, my man?  
Prisoner—Flattery, ma'am. Caught imitating another man's signature on a check.

"Who broke your window, Mrs. Higgs?"  
"Me husband, dearie. He ducked."

Messenger Want Ads pay.

Department of the Interior, States Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M., July 12, 1930.

Notice is hereby given that State of New Mexico has filed in its office its Indemnity School Selection, List No. 9323, Serial 038839, for the following land, oil and gas, and potash reserved to the United States:

W 1/2 E 1/2 Sec. 8, T. 13-S., R. 20-E., 1930.

The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming the land adversely or for any other cause file their protests against the approval of the selection.

L. KEO LLEWELLYN, Acting Register.

Department of the Interior, States Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M., July 12, 1930.

Notice is hereby given that State of New Mexico has filed in its office its indemnity School Selection, List No. 9165, Serial 034726, for the following land, oil and gas reserved to the United States:

N 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 35, T. 14-S., R. 24-E., 1930.

The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming the land adversely, or desiring to show that the reserved deposits, an opportunity to file their protests against approval of the selection.

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## CHE-MODEL

ED WILLIAMS

### THOUSANDS DEAD IN ITALY QUAKE, RESCUE WORK NOW UNDERWAY

ROME, Italy—Temporary housing construction for the stricken population of southern Italy which lost their homes in last week's devastating quake began yesterday.

The distribution of food now is regular and sanitary services are in full operation.

The latest report to Premier Mussolini said the number of dead and injured had not changed appreciably since the last report when the list numbered 2,142 dead and 4,551 injured.

Yesterday the council of ministers met in Rome to consider the situation created by the disaster and to take any steps necessary for the aid of the six provinces hit by the quake.

The stricken area of the Apennines breathed more easily Monday almost for the first time since last week's quake. While the work of extracting bodies from the ruins continued, engineers laid first plans for rebuilding the ruined towns.

### CONSTRUCTION ON THE TWO HOBBS GASOLINE PLANTS IS UNDERWAY

Work is well under way on the casinghead plant of the Shell Petroleum Co. The plant will be of a ten unit capacity and will be located west of the McKinley No. 1 of the Shell Petroleum Co. The company is said to have approximately 25,000,000 feet of gas available in its McKinley No. 1 and about 60,000,000 feet in its State No. 1. It was said that the Shell plans to enlarge the Hobbs plant as soon as the first ten units were completed.

The Phillips Petroleum Co., has about completed laying gathering lines in the Hobbs field, preparatory to erection of a casinghead plant near Hobbs.

Partly aided by a flow of cable contributions from American relatives and by aid from the government the quake region will be reconstructed on new lines laid down generally by King Victor Emmanuel himself. During his visit to Melfi, the king was informed that the ruined sections of Melfi contained houses built on the site of the ruins of 1851.

## DYED TOPICS

By Harold Dye

The other day a man said to me: "I believe that I have as much brains as any preacher or any other man in this town." He was not boastful, argumentative, nor sarcastic. He was merely expressing confidence in his mental ability.

The same day another person complained that the ministers talked over his head and that he read very little because most of the books were too deep for him.

All of us need to raise our intellectual sights just a little. After all, one of us has about as much mental capacity as the other, if we would only use it. We can stimulate our minds by the proper kind of reading. As long as we read for diversion alone, we cannot progress very far in our thought. Let us read for a higher purpose.

In conversation with R. L. Collins a few days ago in regard to the kinds of magazines read by Hagerman people, he made the observation: "There are two Mexican girls of about high school age, who come in the store every two weeks to buy magazines. They purchase the very best that I have on the shelf, the most expensive, and the most serious. Their magazine bill is about \$1.50 each time they come in." Without meeting the young ladies, we can judge them to be informed thinkers. Probably their chance in life has been very small, but the future holds good prospects because they are learning to think.

Another way we can progress intellectually, is to hold conversation with men and women who are qualified to speak on different subjects. There is no man but who knows more on some subject than you or I know. Wouldn't conversation with that individual give us a greater understanding of that phase of life? We never know when such knowledge will prove useful.

Another way that we can grow intellectually is to take time out of the game of life long enough now and then to meditate—just sit down and think. A different outlook and refreshing prospects would open before us after such a period. A good business man will think a venture through thoroughly before he enters it. His meditations may take days, and the work itself but an hour, but he wins because he THINKS.

Let us challenge the thing that appears too deep for us, and master it.

### Bank Bandits Active

The greatest number of bandit raids on American banking ever recorded in the figures of the protective department of the American Bankers Association were reported during the six months ending last February. Bank members of the association reported for investigation 311 forgery cases, 107 holdup robberies, 16 burglaries, 2 sneak thefts and 8 mortgage swindles while non-member banks, numbering less than half the total enrolled in the association, suffered 86 holdup robberies and 9 burglaries, non-members being burglarized or held up once for every 89 banks, as compared with once for every 164 member banks. The association detective agents caused the arrest of 143 of the 236 bank criminals apprehended during the period covered.

The association's report on these conditions urges support of the movement to provide city police departments with radio-equipped cruising automobiles which have proved particularly effective in Cleveland and Detroit in the broadcasting of alarms and the closing in on criminals immediately after or even in the midst of the perpetration of crimes. Last year the average time elapsed between the receipt of radio calls by these cars and the 1325 arrests which followed was one minute and forty-two seconds, the report says.

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### EX-DAYTON RESIDENT KILLED IN ACCIDENT ON OIL WELL RIG--FRI.

Frank Daughterity, 18, former resident of Dayton, an oil worker near Ft. Stockton, Texas, met his death early Friday morning when both legs were severed from his body by a wire cable. Young Daughterity was employed on an oil well between Ft. Stockton and Pecos, Texas. The accident is said to have occurred as Daughterity was letting the drill stem down in an 1,800 foot hole. The wire cable coiled on the floor of the derrick as the drill stem caught on a bridge or cave in. Suddenly the bridge gave way, with both legs of the unfortunate man trapped in the coil of the cable. Both limbs were severed between the knees and thighs. He was rushed to a hospital at Pecos, Texas, and lived for about 12 hours. Due to the fact that first aid was not available, he lost much blood and this coupled with an internal injury caused his death.

Frank Daughterity was the son of Charles N. Daughterity and nephew of W. F. Daughterity, former Atoka merchant. The Daughteritys lived at Dayton for a number of years. The deceased is survived by a father, mother and six brothers and sisters all of Fort Stockton, Texas.

The members of the Hagerman baseball team and a number of their friends enjoyed a picnic and weiner roast two miles south of town last night. About sixty people were present.

FOR SALE—2 beds, 2 tables, chiffofero, 4 burner Perfection oil stove, with oven, in good condition, 2 burner electric hot plate. Articles may be seen at Devoll Furniture Store. Mrs. J. C. Hughes. 33-2tc

### BOUND OVER TO THE ACTION OF GRAND JURY

Frank Mullenax and J. W. Mullenax of near Lake Arthur and Jeff Hart and Boliver Chapman of near Hagerman were bound over to the action of the Chaves county grand jury, on charge of secreting stolen meat, in a preliminary hearing before Justice W. C. Winston at Roswell, Friday. Bond in each case was set at \$1,500. Defendants are charged with the robbery of a meat car here on June 26th. Two other men arrested in connection with the robbery are in the Eddy county jail.

—Artesia Advocate

### HEIGHT GAUGES ON WATER SUPPLY HOBBS FIELD

SANTA FE—State Engineer Herbert Yeo Tuesday announced that his office will cooperate with oil companies in installing automatic gauge height recorders in the shallow water belt of the Hobbs area. John Bliss, hydrographer for the engineer's office left Tuesday night for Hobbs in connection with this work. The purpose of the gauges is to ascertain the fluctuations, the high and low points of the underground water supply in the new oil field. All water for domestic purposes is obtained from this source and drilling operations are entirely dependent upon determination of levels. In view of this situation, Mr. Yeo said it is highly desirable that exact data on supply be obtained.

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### LOCALS

W. E. Bowen was a business visitor to Roswell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Slayter attended church services in Roswell Sunday night.

Vedder Brown has been very ill with a sore side caused by a fall from his barn.

Mrs. Mary Hartline spent several days of this week in Artesia visiting with her mother.

Rev. A. W. Luce, pastor of the First Christian Church, Roswell, was in Hagerman Sunday night.

Mrs. R. L. Collins went to Artesia Tuesday where her mother had prepared a birthday dinner in her honor.

Wallace Goodwin and Misses Eindra Dye and Cleo Holloway attended the Chaves County Singing Convention at Hope last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pritchard, the Misses Helen Pritchard and Bernice Talmadge were dinner guests at the H. L. McKinstry home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Hams and niece, Miss Bernice Gribben, accompanied by Miss Florence Arnold returned Friday from a trip to El Paso and Juarez.

J. S. Wranosky, a former resident of Hagerman is visiting here for a few weeks. Mr. Wranosky is selling his lots in the Wranosky and Chedester sub-divisions.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Collins and Mrs. C. C. Pritchard, and Mrs. Rowell, of Roswell, had an outing of several days Ruidoso last week.

Jim Williamson's nephews, Williamson, and family, and Jack Foster and family, of Texas, made a short visit Williamson home last Thursday.

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## A Wood Shingle Roof That we did not sell!

A good friend of ours came to us a few days ago with the information that he needed a new roof for his home.

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We believe that the wood shingles we have now are better than the Wood Shingles that were sold twenty-eight years ago.

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