



VOLUME THIRTY-TWO

## ASSOCIATION MADE CATTLEMEN FOR FENCING PROTECTION

Formation of the Southern New Mexico Grazing Association composed of cattlemen from western New Mexico was completed at Roswell Monday afternoon and evening through a meeting of cattlemen held in the Chaves district courtroom for the selection of a board of directors and executive board held Monday evening.

C. Mossman, of Roswell, was active in the sponsoring of the meeting and acted as chairman at the gathering in which a constitution and by-laws were adopted, and petition asking for recognition was sent to Secretary of the Interior.

The purpose of the meeting was to form the association to find a solution for the fence problem and crisis in the cattle country of the state by the recent fence law.

The most part, the meeting was given over to the discussion of the problem that faces the sheep industry of this area, and the explanation of the purposes of the organization.

A meeting of a committee headed by Chairman Mossman Monday night, an executive committee composed of Joe Lane, W. Merchant, John Lusk, A. E. Smith, Frank Joyce and J. B. Strong was chosen, and a board of directors composed of B. Mossman, J. B. Armstrong, A. E. Smith, Joe Lane, R. C. Worland, J. P. Clauchope all of Roswell, John Lusk, W. H. D. Joyce, John Lusk, R. D. Lovington, and J. H. McEntire, Corona.

Hold, of the firm of Hold and Crile, Roswell, who was chosen secretary-treasurer of the association, stated that there are present two types of grazing districts which have been organized. The one, a cooperative type is similar to one now in operation in the Owens valley in California, and the type after the local district will be formed.

It is proposed to assess members of the organization one-tenth of one cent per acre of the public land which they will apply for to the federal government.

The federal government leases the grazing area of the association will take in all the grazing land in Eddy and Otero counties of the forest reserve, and Chaves county and Lincoln county, east of the Mesquero region, and will include the portion of De Baca county.

## COTTON FORECAST FOR THIS YEAR ON THE 8TH 12,885,000 BALES

WASHINGTON—Cotton production this year was forecast Monday by the department of agriculture at 12,885,000 bales of 500 lbs gross weight, compared with 12,414,000 bales indicated a month ago and 13,002,000 bales forecast last year.

The condition of the crop October 1 was 66.7 percent of a normal, compared with 67.5 a month ago, 54.2 October 1 last year and 57.1 the ten year average.

The indicated yield per acre was announced as 205.3 pounds compared with 197.8 pounds indicated a month ago, 173.3 pounds a year ago, and 167.4 pounds the 10 year average.

The production forecast was based on the preliminary acreage estimates which placed the area available for harvest at 10,000,000 acres.

The condition of the crop October 1, and the indicated production by states was reported as follows: Texas, condition 70 percent of a normal, and indicated production, 4,190,000 bales of 500 lbs gross weight; New Mexico, 1,730,000.

Production of this year's crop prior to October 1 was reported by the census bureau to total 5,835,415 running through to October this year. States included: New Mexico, 1,730,000; Texas, 2,291,067.

## BUCKEYE END



Sid Gillman, co-captain of Ohio State's football team, plays at end and is an expert in both attack and defense.

## BASKETBALL SQUAD IN STEADY PRACTICE INDICATE PROMISE

The high school basketball squad is practicing almost every night, getting ready for a brilliant season under the coaching of Brennon Witt.

Although the boys are light in weight this year, they are fast on their feet and quick thinkers, and are proving good material. Dennis Bivens, center, from Lake Arthur, has played basketball there for two years, and is the largest member of the squad.

Other lads showing good promise are: Dockray, Hardin, Johnson, Knoll, Utterback and Parnell.

Twenty-one boys have reported for steady practice. They are: Allison, Andrus, Melvin Bivens, Dennis Bivens, Boyce, Dockray, Dye, Greer, Hardin, Harrison, Heick, Holloway, Johnson, Keeth, Knoll, Mason, Parnell, Utterback, Graham, Jim Wheat and Charles Wier.

## 1,775 BALES GINNED

Cotton ginning is advanced one month further this year than it was last, with a total of 1,000 bales ginned at the Farmers gin, and 775 at the Akin gin. Last year the Farmer's gin reached the 1,000 bale mark November 7, and the Akin gin turned out its 775th bale November 5.

Cotton is opening fast, and the warm weather has been ideal for picking.

## MEXICAN BOY FOUND HERE

An eight year old Mexican lad of Roswell, Amoroso Lucero, who wandered away from his home there Thursday morning, and for whom a wide search was instituted, was found by Harry Cowan on his farm five miles south, Saturday.

## STOP 12,793 FORECLOSURES

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The Home Owners Loan Corporation Friday said it had prevented 12,793 impending foreclosures on property with a value of \$36,033,677.

At the same time it made known it had tentatively approved 51,730 applications for mortgage loans aggregating \$149,114,877.

## NEW CLASS

A new young people's class has been organized in the Methodist Sunday school, with La Verne Campbell, president, and Zelma Dorman, secretary. There are about fourteen members and they are studying the closely graded literature, beginning with "The Creation." The discussions are very interesting and the class is expecting much from its new organization. A name will be chosen next Sunday. Come, more of you young people, and be with us on Sundays at 10:00 in the M. E. parsonage.

Mildred Key.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Menefee returned to their home in Pinon Monday after a short visit here.

## Is Life Worth Living? Rev. Hedges Finds It So

He is one of the grandest men I know. Sixty-seven years of age, and just recovering from an illness of months during which time his life has hung in the balance, he lays aside his cloak of weakness and of pain long enough to laugh, and tosses his own burden into the corner while he asks for yours, to help carry it.

God made just a few men like that. The cynics are legion. The complainers, as the sands of the sea. The weaklings like a host of insects, parasites on the social order, and vampires fattening on the blood of humanity. But now and then a man of courage stands, with the battle going against him, and with his eye undimmed with fear, and his vitality unebbed by despair.

Moses fought through one hundred twenty years, asking no quarter of his enemies, inanimate or living, giving all that he had. Then in the last hours of his life he started climbing, when most men would have lain down in the valley and died. On the top of Mount Nebo, with his eyes fixed on the goal of the people he loved, he smiled into the faces of the angels who had come to bury him and said "I am ready."

Barnabas, with the years weakening his step, and thinning his blood laughed at the perils of missionary work, and disdaining personal danger and hard labor, pressed on to the difficult task. But he found time to catch up the young man whom Paul had outcast because of his cowardice, and to so instill into his character his own courage, that John Mark is remembered today as a hero of the Faith.

After he was seventy years of age, Bismack was just beginning to live. His mind, grown rich in learning, and tempered by experience, kept formulating brilliant policies of statesmanship until death closed its doors at the age of eighty-three.

The Italian painter, Titian, with nerves as steady as a rock, spiritual insight as deep as human nature, and a technique as deft as the artistry of a sunset, painted "old masters" until he was ninety-nine years of age.

Stradivarius made his greatest violin, "The Piatti" when he was seventy-six, "The Bandio" and "The Gallay" when he was eighty-one.

"Crossing the Bar" was inspired in the eighty-first year of Tennyson, who said, "I could not have done it earlier."

When Oliver Wendell Holmes was eighty-six, a friend met him and asked how he was. The venerable old man answered, "My house is tottering, but I myself, am very well."

And so they march by—just a few heroes chosen at random out of the pages of time, and in step with them walks one who has been recognized as Hagerman's "family minister" for eight years, who has been a good sport, a clean fighter, a tender sympathizer, a true friend, and a consecrated disciple of the Man of Galilee.

Sitting, looking into his face, and troubled with a question that had been in my heart for a long time, I asked him:

"Have you found life worth the living?"

He half rose from his chair and answered quickly, "Most assuredly so. At least my experiences have been sweet. I was left an orphan under the care of my

mother's sister, who took me as her own son, and her home furnished me with everything necessary to health, growth, and development. There were books to read, I had time to play, and had time to work. Certainly my early life was worth living."

Then he told me of his school and college days—he is a graduate of Wittenberg College, Springfield, Ohio, and of McCormick Theological Seminary of Chicago. In early manhood he pledged his life to the home mission board, and its trail carried him into the far west, to the mining towns of Montana, to the northern part of Idaho where he was a missionary to the Nez Perce Indians, and where he built the first white church, and preached the first sermon by a white man at the mouth of Lolo Creek, where Lewis and Clark first met the Indians, and where he met Chief Joseph, that historical old militant red man who never gave up, and finally down to New Mexico where he has labored in little mission fields for nearly a decade—and through it all, he has carried the spirit of The Christ.

Sorrows—disappointments—loss of friends—all these have come and gone, but the adventures of life still call, and its opportunities present a challenge which will be answered with the verve of a knight errant, and the courage of a conqueror. Yes; it is worth the living.

And in the hall of heroes I have met. I unhesitatingly and reverently place his picture with the superscription in letters of gold—

"He is a Man—James A. Hedges."

## GOLD HOLDER



Frederick B. Campbell, a New York attorney, who was indicted by a federal grand jury for failure to register \$300,574 in gold which he was holding. He was determined to test the constitutionality of the executive order to turn in all hoarded gold.

## THE WEEKLY COTTON GRADE AND STAPLE REPORT IS ISSUED

About 98 per cent of the cotton classed for this week and to date from the states of Arizona, New Mexico, California and Texas, District 1 (the irrigated valleys, west of the Pecos river), has been extra white middling and better.

Spotted cotton showed up in amount of about 2% during the past week. Of the extra white cotton, good middling still continues to predominate with strict middling accounting for most of the remainder. Less than 1 per cent has been classed as middling. As is usual for the early ginnings, the preparation is somewhat rough. However, the season as a whole has been more favorable for smooth ginning than last year.

The percentage of good middling is slightly lower than for the same period last year, due to poorer picking. Staple lengths improved over last week but are not as long as was reported last year. All cotton classed this week and to date is tenderable under section 5, of the U. S. Cotton Futures Act.

ARIZONA: Cotton classes from Arizona this week was 44 per cent good middling and 46 per cent strict middling. About 6 per cent was classed as spotted cotton. This week 71% of the cotton classed as 1-1/16 and 1-3/32 inches against 77 per cent last week. More cotton 1-1/8 inches and longer was classed this week.

NEW MEXICO: The grades for New Mexico cotton continue very high. Almost 80 per cent for this week and to date has been classed as good middling, about 20 per cent as strict middling, and less than 1 per cent as middling extra white and as spotted. Staple lengths show a slight increase in the percentage of cotton 1-1/8 inches and longer and of cotton 1 and 1-1/32 inches. Slightly less cotton stapling 1-1/16 and 1-3/32 inches was classed this week. To date 40 per cent has been classed as 1 and 1-1/32 inches, 55 per cent as 1-1/16 and 1-3/32 inches and about 5 per cent as 1-1/8 inches and longer.

LOOK FOR STOLEN CAR  
Officers have been on the lookout for a Plymouth sedan stolen from the Lowrey Auto Co. at Roswell. The car was said to have been taken by a man and a woman, who said they wanted to try out the new car, but they failed to return. A description of the car has been telephoned officers in communities near Roswell.

WRESTLING MATCH DEXTER SATURDAY  
John Laney, of Dexter, will meet Bill Kendall of Roswell in the best two out of three falls at Lake Van Saturday night. The semi-final match will be Joe Knott of Roswell vs. Jim Samples, of Carlsbad. Also some snappy preliminaries have been arranged.

Ladies admitted free when accompanied by one paid adult ticket of 45c. children 20c.

WILCOX HELD  
Ed (Cowboy) Wilcox, who is charged with fatally shooting Chas. Price, Carlsbad potash miner, at Carlsbad on October 4th, was given a hearing at Carlsbad Monday and was bound over to the action of the district court.

## MILL TEAM IS GIVEN BANQUET MEN'S CLUB TROPHIES AWARDED

The Hagerman Mill playground ball team members were guests of the Men's Club at a banquet Tuesday night in the club's regular meeting rooms.

The supper was served by the Methodist ladies, and the rooms were pleasingly decorated in Halloween novelties. Pumpkins, ghosts, black cats, corn shocks and a glowing fireplace created an atmosphere of good will and cheer.

Thirty-eight places were laid for the men and their guests. J. E. Wimberly, as toastmaster, created an air of fine fellowship. Mayor West gave the address of welcome and the reply was by E. J. Jeffery of the Mill team. Short talks during the evening were made by Jim McNamara, captain and manager of the winning team, Wilfred McCormick, manager of the Legion team, the runners up, by W. A. Losey, Ernest Langenegger, Harold Dye, Prof. E. A. White and Frank McCarthy, president of the club.

A telegram came collect to George Evans from Babe Ruth complimenting him on his achievement of gaining the most runs of the season, but cautioning him to refrain from eating with his knife. Prof. White made formal presentation of a fine cut-glass trophy for the winning team, but stumbled at the close of a very sentimental address and smashed it on the concrete floor.

Besides the members of the Mill team, there were two other guests of the club: Johnnie Bowen, who was presented with a miniature baseball in token of the fact that he was chosen as the most valuable player in the league, and George Evans, who was given a silver medal in recognition of his feat of making 44 runs during the league. The presentation was made by Rev. J. A. Slade.

Musical entertainment was in charge of Miss Loula Denham. Elizabeth McKinstry played a piano number, and Kenneth Stone, accompanied by Miss Denham, gave a solo on the trumpet.

This banquet marked "fins" to the playground ball playing for another year.

Miss Mildred Key spent last week visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Key.

The newly remodeled Garner Mercantile building is almost ready for occupancy again. Mr. Garner has made this one of the finest looking business houses in the town.

## KEEN COMPETITION IN DISPLAY BOOTHS AT N. M. STATE FAIR

Apparently there is considerable rivalry as to who grows the best corn, wheat, oats, cotton and several other crops in eastern New Mexico. Something has stimulated the interest along this line according to directors of the Eastern New Mexico State Fair. Advance notice of entries in the classified exhibits have already been received, from many sections they say, even though the fair will not be held in Roswell until next Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 18 to 21. Advance notice is not necessary—the entry may be taken or sent, just so they reach the department by nine o'clock on Wednesday morning. In addition to corn and grain sorghums, all the grains, cow peas, soy beans, peanuts, alfalfa seed, sweet clover seed, bundles of grain, broom corn and practically all vegetables are included in the competition with premiums ranging from \$1 to \$2 for first and proportionate amounts on second and third. The directors are hoping the entries from other counties will be even larger than those from Chaves.

Directors of the various departments say indications point to the greatest exhibits and greatest interest in any year so far. Buildings are again being enlarged to house the exhibits. The amusement program has also been enlarged. The opening day's parade Old Timers day, the amateur rodeo each afternoon, special entertainment features in general exhibits building three times daily and Ziegler United Shows offer a full program for the entire four days.

## M. E. MINISTERS LAY PRE - CONFERENCE PLANS HERE TUES.

The Methodist pastors at Roswell, Dexter, Hagerman, Artesia, Hope, Carlsbad and Loving and several of the laymen from these charges met with Dr. N. L. Linebaugh, the presiding elder of the Roswell district, Monday morning at 10 o'clock at the Artesia Methodist church to make final plans for the closing of the church year October 19th.

The reports from the various charges indicate a far better collection for the cause of church benevolences than last year. There was a spirit of determination expressed by all of those present to do all within their power to close the year with full reports.

The New Mexico Annual Conference will convene at Carlsbad October 19th.

Typewriters for rent—The Messenger.

## Hatch Appointed To U. S. Senate

SANTA FE—Carl Hatch of Clovis Tuesday was appointed United States senator from New Mexico, filling the state's congressional delegation in which there has been a vacancy for some time.

Gov. A. W. Hockenbush, in announcing the appointment to fill the vacancy caused when U. S. Circuit Judge Sam Bratton resigned to take the judicial post, said: "I have tried to lay aside the personal element and consider of all the people of the state" and said he found Senator Hatch received the highest praise of democrats and people as a whole.

The appointment announcement came as a surprise to the newspapersmen at the usual morning conference, although it has been expected daily and the question "Senator today?" was routine.

## TRUETT ASKED TO REPRESENT N. M. AT THE ROAD MEETING

Jess Truett, Eddy county democratic chairman was commissioned by Governor A. W. Hockenbush to represent New Mexico at the twenty-first annual convention of the United States Good Roads Association, which convened at Beaumont, Texas October 11th to 13th. Mr. Truett, who has given much time to party matters recently said he felt obligated to decline the honor and has so informed Governor Hockenbush.

In a letter to Governor Hockenbush, Mr. Truett said he felt the Beaumont convention was very important to New Mexico at this particular time because of its particular geographical location.

Dr. and Mrs. I. B. McCormick, Mrs. J. C. Hughes and daughter, Ruth, spent Tuesday afternoon in Roswell on business and visiting.

## SCHOOL DAYS

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HAROLD DYE, Managing Editor

LIQUOR LICENSE BUSINESS SEEMS TO BE BALLED UP

An opinion from the attorney general's department complicates matters for those individuals and towns which are trying to get the stright of the new Lane Liquor Law, and especially the towns which are acting in accordance with the provisions of said law to issue permits which are sold to individuals, with the town retaining all the proceeds.

The opinion of the attorney general apparently conflicts sharply with the Lane law, and is based on the ruling of the state board of liquor control.

The town clerk can issue a dispenser's license to cafes and other places wishing to sell beer, but the individual must also have a license to drink beer and this license must be purchased from the county clerk under the recent ruling. Attorneys contend that towns and cities should be allowed to issue individual licenses under the new law and if permitted to do so, would receive all of the license fee, which is \$1.00. Otherwise the fee will be split between the county and city and the city will receive only about 40 cents of the \$1.00.

The ruling of the attorney general relative to the individual license is headed for trouble. Cities and towns along the east side of the state will oppose this ruling, it is believed.

Cellophane

Cellophane looks like isinglass, or like celluloid, and is known as glass paper and as transparent cellulose sheeting. It is transparent, thin, tough and moisture and greaseproof, and while airtight, permits the customer to see exactly what he is buying. It is not a new product, but developments in the chemical industry have made production possible in quantities and at a price which permits general use. Wood or cotton provides the base. The ash, coloring matter and other impurities are removed, leaving only the pure vegetable fiber, or cellulose, which is treated with caustic soda and sulphuric acid of carbon. This results in viscose, the liquid which is glass paper after being forced through a very narrow slit and cooled. It is no more inflammable than ordinary paper. It is manufactured in various forms and sold under various trade names.

Contented Cows Give More Milk

Cows in Holland which have been provided all the comforts of a modern home show their gratitude by giving more milk. They have the best of food, their sheds are heated in winter, and if the winds are cold they even wear overcoats when they go out. The floors of the cowsheds are laid with shining white tiles, which are kept spotlessly clean, and in many of the sheds there may even be lace curtains. The cow's horns are scrubbed and polished and her coat is groomed until it is glossy. In the dark months of the year the sheds are lighted with electricity, so as to make things cheerful for the bossies.

Chinese Tree Goes to Sleep

The Chinese mimosa or silk tree, blooms throughout the summer months as if it were rooted in the soil of China, its native land, rather than in the ground of its adopted country. The silk tree's blossoms are delicate little sprays of a deep pink that grow in clusters and then fall off to form a magic carpet below. The leaves, tiny green ovals, which grow on either side of a long stem, react to darkness much as a sensitive plant does to touch. When the sun goes down, they fold up and await coming of day again.

Poison Ivy and Poison Oak

Poison ivy and poison oak are not the same although they are often confused. Common poison ivy is usually found in the eastern half of the United States and Canada while the poison oak is more prevalent in the southern states, says Pathfinder Magazine. Each has three leaves; the ivy leaves are either smooth or few-toothed while those of the oak are notched, resembling oak leaves. Both of these plants may be in the form of shrubs or vines.

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Messenger.

Loose Leaf Binders, Special Ruling and Stock Forms—The Messenger

New Winter Garb for Forest Army



The United States army has prepared a winter uniform for the civilian conservation corps men who will spend the coming winter working in woodlands throughout the country. Each uniform consists of a navy blue lumberjacket, leather windbreaker and sleeveless jerkin of O. D. melton cloth. A high crowned winter cap with visor and ear tabs that tie under the chin, and hide mittens with woolen inner mittens are other items of the outfit, while rubber soled overshoes take care of the feet. In the photograph the man on the left is wearing the cap, leather windbreaker and hide gloves, while on the right is illustrated the O. D. cloth jerkin.



The editor was forcibly reminded recently that he had neither a sense of beauty nor of poetry. He attended a wedding. He saw a silly looking jane getting tied to an anaemic appearing goof, and that's all there was to it. But another news reporter had this to say of the grand and glorious event:

The bride is a woman of wonderful fascination and remarkable attractiveness, for with a manner as enchanting as the wand of a siren and a disposition as sweet as the odors of flowers, and a spirit as joyous as the caroling of birds, and a mind as brilliant as the glittering tresses that adorn the brow of winter, and with a heart as pure as the dewdrops trembling in a wreath of violets, she will make the home of her husband a paradise of enchantment where the heaven-tuned harp of Hyman shall send forth those sweet strains of felicity that thrill the sense with the ecstatic pulsing of rhythmic rapture.

Every time we see a guy with a chip on his shoulder we just figure that it came out of his head and let it go at that.

So far no one in Hagerman has applied for the permits to sell liquor. Looks as though we will have a dry town after all.

So many requests have poured into our office in regard to obtaining a divorce by saying just one word, that we are afraid to tell for fear that the entire community will be torn up and there won't be a man and wife left together within a radius of thirty miles, but then we are a man of our word, rotten as it is, so here is the explanation. All you have to do is mumble the word "Mable" over a few times in your sleep and if your wife's name is Helen, you will soon be a free man. (P. S.—A divorce costs fifty bucks, so have a heart and slip us at least ten per cent.)

Ed Williams says that George Wilcox and I can take care of the kids at the Fair. Well, personally, we are going to "let

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In New York's Three-Cornered Fight



Here are the three candidates for the mayoralty of New York. Left to right, they are: Fiorello H. La Guardia, fusion; Joseph McKee, independent Democrat; John P. O'Brien, organization Democrat.

MAKE OLD GARMENTS LOOK NEW BY DYEING

Dyeing is a means of giving a new color to a badly faded garment or of changing an unbecoming color to one which is better suited to the wearer, says Miss Dee Maier of the New Mexico State College.

Successful dyeing is much a matter of experience and experimenting and yet, it can easily be done at home. Moreover, working with colors and mixing them to produce varying shades and tints is indeed a very fascinating game. Permanent dyeing must be done with a dye that requires boiling, but lovely tints may be obtained by using any of the various soap dyes on the market.

When dyeing any material, it should first be washed carefully in soap and water, then thoroughly rinsed. Dissolve the full package of dye in one quart of boiling water, soft water being preferred. If only part of the dye is to be used, divide after dissolving, not before. The remainder may be placed in a glass fruit jar and saved for future use.

Next, strain the dye thru several thicknesses of cheesecloth or muslin into a large pan of water. The pan used for this purpose should be of agate or enamel. Uncovered Iron may produce rust spots on the material. Be sure that there is sufficient liquid so that the material floats in the dye bath. Keep the material in motion during the dyeing process and proceed according to the directions on the dye package.

Some fabrics require more dye than called for by most directions and according to their weights. This is true of thin silks like georgettes and chiffons. It may be necessary to double the amount of dye to produce a good color. If a rusty black is obtained, too much dye has been used. Remove the surplus by washing, or with a dye remover of stripper if necessary.

The writer has had much better success in dyeing silk and woolen fabrics by bringing them to the steaming point, allowing them to steam for about five minutes, then removing them and setting the colors according to directions. In this manner, the silk is unharmed by the heat and some shrinkage of both of fabrics may be prevented. When ready to rinse, use hot water at the start, and cool gradually.

For further information on dyeing, write to your county extension agent or the Extension Service, State College, New Mexico.

COTTONWOOD ITEMS

Several Cottonwood people enjoyed a dance at the Jess Funk home Friday evening.

Miss Mary Frances O'Bannon was honored last Thursday, the occasion being her twelfth birthday. About twenty young people gathered to enjoy the games and to partake of the lovely refreshments served at the close of the entertainment by Mrs. O'Bannon.

The Cottonwood Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Reed last Thursday. Many nice patterns and suggestions for Christmas gifts were demonstrated by County Agent Wunsch. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. M. S. Brown on Thursday, November 2nd.

William Grills is the proprietor of a cafe at Great Falls, Montana. In Los Angeles John Law is deputy sheriff and J. J. Officers is a police officer.

Dr. Hackett and Dr. Coffin operate the Columbia clinic at Longview, West Virginia.

Dull and Bull are livestock buyers at Lineville, Iowa.

Sadie Gallop of Chester, West Virginia has a cook stove, feather bed and one horse buggy for sale, according to an ad in the East Liverpool, Ohio Review.—New Mexican.

Mrs. E. O. Roberts of Roswell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Key Saturday.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, September 9, 1933.

NOTICE is hereby given that Elza R. Elkins, of Lake Arthur, New Mexico, who, on August 11th, 1930, made Homestead Entry, No. 040420, for NW 1/4, Section 29; E 1/2 Section 30; NW 1/4, Section 32, Township 15-S., Range 24-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 26th day of October, 1933.

Claimant names as witnesses: Cas W. Cavender, James R. Spense, A. D. Hill, Clyde E. Nihart, all of Lake Arthur, New Mexico.

V. B. MAY, Register.

HEALTH COLUMN

Conducted by Dr. J. R. Earp, Director, New Mexico Bureau of Public Health.

RESPONSIBILITY

A careless driver disregards the warning "School Zone 15 Miles Per Hour" and a child is hit. The child dies; and the careless driver is held responsible both before the law and before public opinion. The legal penalty is severe and is enforced because public opinion in such a case is well defined and strongly expressed.

A child has diphtheria. The house is quarantined. Laboratory tests show that an uncle in the house is carrying the bacilli of diphtheria in his throat. The health officer has warned him he must observe the quarantine. But he is careless. He leaves his house and calls on some neighbors. One of their children gets diphtheria and dies.

Is this second man any less responsible than the first? You answer "no" and you answer rightly. Yet in this second case the legal penalty is much less severe and much less likely to be imposed. Public opinion is ill-defined, uncertain in its expression.

It would be well for us to deliberate upon the responsibility for sickness and death among our children. The news reaches me today that several children have died in a small village fifty miles from Santa Fe, all in one month from intestinal infection. The village is full of flies. Privies are in disgraceful condition. Wells are unprotected. Who is responsible. The people, you say, are ignorant. True, but they can learn. A public health nurse would teach them not only to care for sick babies but how to protect the babies' food from infection. The village of which I write is in a county which has no public health nurse, though it is among the wealthier counties of this state.

SHIPS LAMBS TO FEED

C. A. Buchanan of Hope moved 500 lambs to the feed lots on the O. B. Berry farm near Dexter finished for market at the Berry farm.

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ENGRAVING at The Messenger

Mrs. Howard Menefee is visiting here for a few days from her home on the Berrendo.

Miss Eleanor Hughes spent the week end in Hagerman with her mother, Mrs. J. C. Hughes.

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THE GRAYBURG STILL HOLDING SPOTLIGHT IN OIL DEVELOPMENT The Burch No. 4 of the Grayburg Oil Co., sec. 19-17-30, eastern Eddy county, has held the spotlight in the oil development since burning the drilling machine to the ground last Thursday morning. After extinguishing the flames caught from a forge when a pocket of oil and gas was suddenly developed, the operators were able to obtain two twelve hour tests. On the first twelve hour test the Burch made 195 barrels. The well was shut in for twenty-four hours and on a second twelve hour test the Burch made 180 barrels. Connections have been practically completed to the flow tank. Western Drilling Co., Green No. 2, sec. 29-17-30, was shut down at 2450 feet, while workmen are assisting around the Grayburg well. Lockhart et al, Root No. 2, sec. 7-17-30, is drilling below 3030 feet. In other sections of Eddy county, Leonard, State No. 9, sec. 22-27-29, is drilling below 1685 feet. Stovall and Marshall have spudded in their No. 1 Mock, sec. 29-24-27, in southern Eddy county. New Mexico Oil Syndicate, McClelland No. 1, sec. 22-22-23, shut down at 4005 feet. Spearow et al, McIntyre No. 1, sec. 35-23-25, drilling below 740 feet. Compton Oil Co., State No. 9, sec. 15-16-23, drilling below 475 feet. In Lea county, E. B. Guess et al, Conduitt No. 1, sec. 12-25-33, shut down at 3349 feet, making a Halliburton test. Continental Oil Co., McCallister, sec. 24-26-36, shut down at 3076 feet running 6 5/8 casing.

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**The Tower of London**  
The two historic churches of the Tower of London—St. John's chapel and St. Peter's in the Tower and St. Peter's in the Tower of Green. The former is probably built about 1078 by the Conqueror. The White Tower was originally called Caesar's Tower. In this the remains of Anne Katherine Howard, Lady Grey and the Duke of Monmouth are buried beneath the altar.

**No 25 or 50c Gold Pieces**  
25-cent or 50-cent gold pieces never been issued by the United States government. Between 1830 and 1875 gold half dollars and quarters were issued by private mints. These pieces never were tender, although they passed currency at a time when there was a shortage of coins with which to transact business.

**"Ham" Actors**  
It is said that every actor at some time of his career has nursed an ambition to play Hamlet. The first actors usually get the opportunity through the kindness of the second-rate ones only about their ambitions and because of the subject that they are called by the nicknames in derision.

**Earliest Ships and Marines**  
The earliest ships, also the earliest marines, belonged to the Colonial Revolution. During the American Revolution, three general types of American marines served: Continental or regular Marines, Marines of the Colonial or State, and Marines of the Privateers.

**Chicago's Drainage Canal**  
The sanitary district of Chicago created by an act of the Illinois legislature in 1889, which authorized construction of canals. Construction of the main drainage channel began in September, 1892, and was placed in use at the beginning of January, 1900. Branches and canals in Chicago and its suburbs were completed in 1907, 1916, and 1922.

**Yield of Opium**  
The yield of opium in countries where it is grown varies considerably, an average being 2 1/2 pounds of opium and 4 bushels (50 pounds) of seed per 1,000 square yards. The opium plant produces opium in a scientifically as papaver album, a tall perennial poppy with glaucous foliage and blossoms which range in color from white to pink and red to purple.

**Aerated Bread**  
Aerated bread is made by charging the water used for wetting the dough with carbon dioxide (gas), working it up in enclosed iron vacuum kneading machines and letting it directly into the oven, instead of allowing the gas to form in dough from the fermentation caused by the working of yeast.

**German Republic**  
The states that compose the German Republic are Prussia, Bavaria, Saxony, Wurtemberg, Baden, Thuringia, Hesse, Hamburg, Mecklenburg-Schwerin, Oldenburg, Brunswick, Anhalt, Bremen, Lippe, Mecklenburg-Strelitz and Schaumburg-Lippe.

**Plants Drop Their Leaves**  
Most flowering plants which are grown in pots will naturally turn brown and drop their leaves in due season after their flowers fade. Some of them will begin to grow again after a rest, but most may be discarded, as it will not pay to bother with them.

**Population of Alaska**  
The 1930 census gave Alaska, including the Aleutian Islands, a population of 59,278. This included 18,000 native born white and 10,180 native born white; 29,983 Indians, and 695 others. The largest city is Anchorage, with a population of 4,043.

**First Hawk's Advantage**  
The female hawk begins to incubate its eggs as soon as it has deposited its first egg. As a result the first hatched gets a much better start in life than its brothers and sisters, and it may be a week or more older before they are born.

**Tercentenary of Vauban Death Marked in France**

The celebration of the tercentenary of the death of Vauban included a special memorial exhibition, but it also drew, writes a Paris correspondent of the London Sunday Observer, attention to a remarkable collection of models of the fortifications designed by him, which has been stored on the upper floor of the Invalides for the last 150 years. Until 1920 these models, which were supposed to have some importance as military information, could not be visited by the general public, but as the war destroyed the last vestige of confidence in the modern efficacy of Seventeenth century fortifications, they can be examined by anyone who cares to climb the four flights of stairs. There are more than 200 of them. They are carved by hand in walnut and every house, every road and every tree which was standing when they were made is shown upon them, the scale being 1 to 600. They were originally ordered by Louis XIV in order to show Louis XIV how the scheme of frontier defense was being carried out. Many of the actual fortresses have disappeared, but some British soldiers will remember the one at Doullens, which served as a Canadian hospital.

**Hoopsnake Does Not Roll and Has No Tail Stinger**

One of the most persistent snake myths in the United States deals with the reptile known as the hoopsnake or hoopsnake. According to the belief it has a venomous stinger in its tail which works like that of a wasp. The snake, it is said, forms itself into a hoop by putting its tail in its mouth and rolls along like a wheel. It travels with incredible swiftness, and when it gets close enough to a victim it lets go its tail and drives the stinger into the object of its attack. If the victim dodges, according to the myth, and a tree is struck instead, the tree is sure to die. One version has it that the hoopsnake is inflated and that it is luminous at night. There is no snake which rolls along like a hoop, and there is no species of snake with a stinger in its tail. The snake known as the hoopsnake, or horn snake, is harmless. It is bluish-black, with a few red bars across its under parts and its tail tapers to a fine point, having the appearance of a horn or spike, but it is incapable of piercing or stinging anything.

**English Courses Popular**  
Ability to use and write good English, one of the essential assets for business and social success, was an ambition acknowledged by many hundred Wisconsin citizens whose study requirements were analyzed by the University of Wisconsin extension division. A compilation based on such inquiries over a ten-year period indicated that English courses led in the volume of those who expressed a preferred interest.

**Leprosy Old-Time Disease**  
Although Egypt is called the cradle of leprosy, the disease was by no means confined to that country even in early days. Assyrian and Babylonian hieroglyphics relate to the disease, which was held in due dread. It has existed in India at least 3,000 years. Chinese authorities wrote of it 2,000 years ago. It was introduced into Arabia before the time of Mohammed.

**Early "Samplers"**  
The earliest mention of a sampler so far found is in 1502, when Elizabeth of York paid 8 pence for an ell of linen cloth to make one. A sampler is referred to by John Shelton, the poet, about the same time. Originally samplers were intended for practical purposes; needlework and embroidery were practically the only relaxation of women at that time and samplers were made for "handkerchiefs, tablecloths, sheets, towels, napkins and pillow bearers." The earliest American sampler was that of Loara Standish. The next reported was that of Mary Hollingsworth of Salem, which was probably made about 1665. Sarah Lord made one in 1668.

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**THE WORLD COTTON CARRYOVER SMALLER**

The world carry-over of American cotton on August 1, is estimated at 11,597,000 bales, according to the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Economics. This compares with total stocks of 12,961,000 bales on August 1 last year. This amount is much smaller than was expected a few months ago and somewhat smaller than was expected until the world consumption and mill stocks figures became available during the first part of September. This year's carry-over figure, while 1,364,000 bales less than a year earlier, is still much larger than any other year on record.

The world consumption of American cotton in the 1932-33 season was reported by the international federation at 14,167,000 running bales compared with 12,316,000 bales in 1931-32 and was 3,259,000 bales larger than consumption in 1930-31. World mill consumption of all cotton showed a material increase over 1931-32, the total being reported at 24,332,000 running bales which compared with 22,319,000 bales in 1931-32. This was the largest total mill consumption since 1929-30. The increase of 1,851,000 bales in the consumption of American cotton from 1931-32 to 1932-33 accounted for most of the increase in the consumption of all cotton. Although consumption of sundries growths increased 794,000 bales over the previous season this gain was almost offset by a decline of 588,000 bales in Indian and 44,000 bales in Egyptian.

While domestic mills have been operating at record or near-record levels during the past 3 months stocks of cotton goods at mills have shown little tendency to accumulate, the heavy output having been shipped into distributing channels. A recent study made by the bureau indicates that the establishments engaged in the manufacture of garments and other secondary textile products have absorbed large quantities of cotton textile materials because of their extremely high level of output as compared with earlier months. However, sales and shipments of the finished products from establishments have been large and their stocks of garments and other products had in some instances even decreased up to August. The indications were from data up to August that wholesale and retail stocks of cotton goods were not large although probably considerably larger than during the early part of 1933.

Typewriters for rent at Messenger.

**Glass Cloth**  
The term glass cloth is sometimes applied to the flexible material made by weaving finely drawn glass threads. It is also used to designate a patented process for treating cloth in such a way that the ultraviolet rays will penetrate it.

**Wooden Legs Back to State**  
Wooden legs provided injured workmen under the workmen's compensation laws become the property of the state of Oregon and will be reclaimed by the state at death, a law passed by the legislature provides.

**Never Satisfied**  
If you have health and no wealth you desire wealth. If you have wealth and no health the chances are you will spend the wealth looking for health.

**A Good Slogan Any Time**  
"Mind your business" is the inscription on one of the oldest coins minted in this country. It is a copper piece, dated 1787, part of a collection of rare coins.

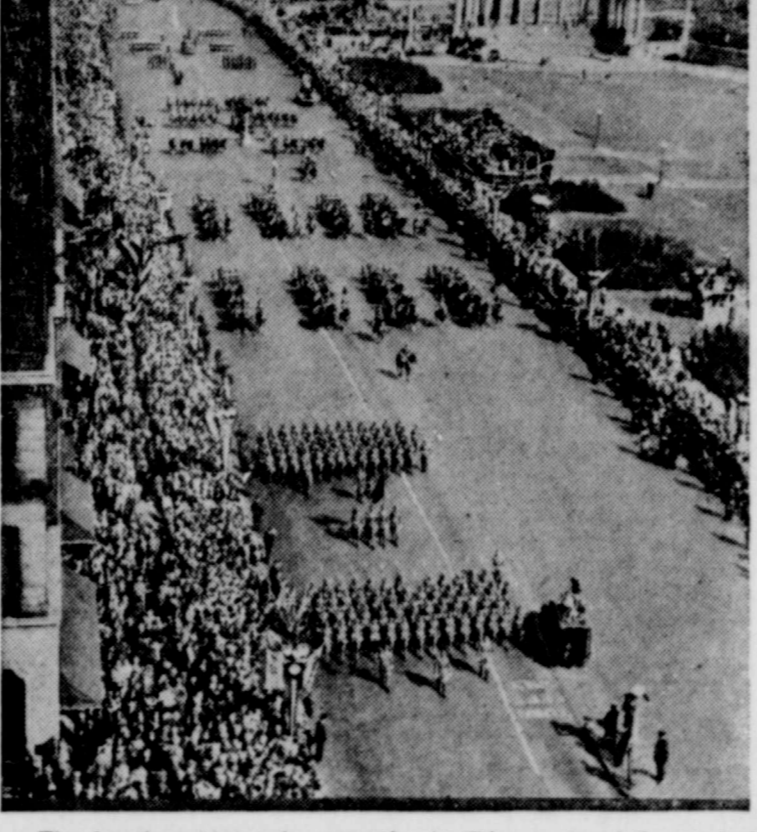
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**Pointer Popular Hunter**  
The pointer is quite as popular as the setter with those who engage in upland bird hunting. While it does not possess the lovable disposition of the setter, it certainly matches strides with it when it comes to ferreting out birds and obeying its master's wishes when afield. It is a strong, well-proportioned dog with plenty of stamina and endurance and so long as there is something to hunt the pointer will stick to the job. No dog has a better nose and keener eyesight than the pointer, and it is this combination that endears it in the hearts of the hunter. As a pet, the pointer cannot match the setter, but in hunting it does.—Detroit News.

**Nebuchadnezzar Busy Man**  
Nebuchadnezzar's policy of transplanting the people of conquered nations first to Babylon, and then by detachments from many of the nationalities to partially fill up the vacancies thus created, gave him control of an immense amount of human power. He also acquired a tremendous booty of gold and other wealth by his conquests.

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Messenger.

**Parade of the Legion in Chicago**



The American Legion, in convention in Chicago, staged the greatest parade in its history. In the line down Michigan avenue to Soldier field marched 120,000 men with countless musical organizations and many fine floats.

**LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS**

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

J. M. Frazier went to Carlsbad Sunday to undergo a medical examination.

Jack Johnston of Corpus Christi, Texas, is visiting for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frazier left Monday for Albuquerque where they will attend the Southern Baptist convention.

Mrs. Fred Eddington of Jalisco, came in for a few days' visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Luke Alexander.

Quite a number of members of the B. Y. P. U. attended the quarterly meeting of the B. Y. P. U. held at Dexter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moots and family of Vaughn, New Mexico, came in Friday for a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Moots. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

C. Smith and wife came in from their home at Albuquerque Saturday to make a short visit with his brother, Jack Smith. Miss Amanda Baker accompanied them back to Albuquerque where she will visit for a while.

Last Sunday night at the regular meeting of the Epworth League new officers were elected. These were: Rupert Pate, re-elected president; Charles Waldon, vice-president, and Edward Hamilton, secretary and treasurer.

The Women's Extension club met at the home of Mrs. J. B. Crook last Friday. An all day meeting was held and at noon a covered dish lunch was served. The time was spent in making garments for the Red Cross. Among those who were present and helped with the sewing were: Mrs. John Griffith, Mrs. B. C. Moots, Mrs. John Haven, Miss Gertie Moots, Miss Amanda Baker, Mrs. E. C. Cummings, Mrs. Moss Spence, Mrs. Grace Lane, Misses Maggie Lane, Pauline Russell, Wilma Walden.

**Presidents as Penmen**  
It is worthy of notice that most of the Presidents of the United States have been excellent penmen, quite a different variety of "statists" than those of whom Hamlet spoke. George Washington's accounts, preserved in the Treasury department, are legible in the highest degree; Abraham Lincoln had a clear, flowing stielographic technique.

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**The Favor of Other Men**  
Unless two pints of bile juices flow daily from your liver into your bowels, your food decays in your bowels. This poisons your whole body. Movements get hard and constipated. You get yellow tongue, red, low skin, pimples, dull eyes, bad breath, bad taste, gas, dizziness, headache. You have become an ugly-looking, foul-smelling, sour-thinking person. You have lost your personal charm. Everybody wants to run from you.  
But don't take salts, mineral waters, pills, laxative pills, laxative candies or chewing gums and expect them to get rid of this poison that destroys your personal charm. They can't do it, for they only move out the tail end of your bowels and that doesn't take away enough of the decayed poison. Cosmetics won't help at all. Only a free flow of your bile juices will stop this decayed poison in your bowels. The one mild vegetable medicine which starts a free flow of your bile juices is Carter's Little Liver Pills. No calomel (mercury) in Carter's. Only fine, mild vegetable extracts. If you would bring back your personal charm to win men, start taking Carter's Little Liver Pills according to directions today. 25¢ at drug stores. Refuse "something just as good" for it may irritate, loosen teeth or acid the rectum. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills by name and get what you ask for. ©1933, C.M.Co.

**CARLSBAD WANTS LARGEST LOAN**

The largest loan asked so far from the public works board is for the Carlsbad irrigation district, for storage reservoir and canal lining and is for the sum of \$2,359,741. The grant is to be \$707,925 and the loan \$1,651,820.

This application was filed Friday morning by representatives of the project as follows: L. A. Foster, project manager; C. W. Beeman, president of the Carlsbad irrigation district; G. W. Bradley, one of the directors.

The board at Santa Fe took the loan under advisement.

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**DISTRIBUTE 60,000 BOOKS**

Nearly 60,000 free text books for New Mexico school children will be sent out by the state board of education, according to word received by H. R. Rodgers of Carlsbad, Eddy county superintendent of public instruction. Rodgers is a member of the state board.

The state has about \$41,000 available to buy the books and after the payment of expenses incidental to distribution, a good fund will be left.

The number of texts sent out, including teachers' editions, for each of the three lower grades supplied includes 15,186 primers, 14,377 first grade, 12,887 second grade, 11,483 third grade. Teachers' editions to be sent out include primers 1,280, first grade 1,327, second grade 1,285, third grade 1,151.

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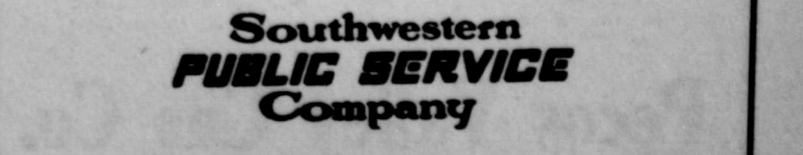
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## THE MODEL

ED WILLIAMS

### FOR YALE GYMNASIUM



Edward Field Sanford, Jr., putting the finishing touches on the statue "Victory" which is to be placed over the main doorway of the new monumental Payne Whitney gymnasium at Yale university. The statue measures over eight feet in height and embodies the spirit of physical prowess and sobriety in victory and typifies young American manhood.

### FIRST WELL UNDER CONTRACT PLUGGED

Plugging of the first well under the contract let recently by the Pecos Valley Artesian Water Conservancy board to E. B. Guess of Albuquerque was completed Saturday night, and preparations are now under way to begin the work of plugging the second of the forty wells specified in the contract.

The well plugged is located north of the deBremont place situated in SE 1/4, Sec. 24, Township 10, South 24 East, north of Roswell. There are two more wells in this same location to be plugged under the contract.

A total of 70 tons of ground mud was pumped into the well and 60 sacks of cement in the plugging process. The cement was used in three plugs to separate each flow of water with 20 sacks being used in each plug.

The well plugged was a salt well and was making quite an underground and surface loss of water.

### CORDELL-RIDGLEY

Miss Theo Ridgley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ridgley, became the bride of Hoyt Cordell in a quiet ceremony in the Methodist parsonage Saturday night at eight o'clock.

Rev. J. A. Slade read the service. The bride and groom will make their home in Hagerman.

Rev. J. A. Hedges was sufficiently recovered last Sunday to hold a brief service Sunday morning. His congregation was delighted to hear him again, and rejoiced over the fact that their pastor has so nearly recovered from so dangerous an illness. A large crowd attended the services.

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## MARKETS

### N. Y. COTTON

(December Option)

	Open	Close
Oct. 5	9.80	9.67
Oct. 6	9.65	9.40
Oct. 7	9.60	9.45
Oct. 9	9.41	9.57
Oct. 10	9.45	9.42
Oct. 11	9.39	9.41

Oct. 12. No market, holiday. Despite a sensational bearish report the market rallied and closed higher than Saturday. There was very little cotton offered when the market re-opened Monday after the report and the unexpected steadiness was disconcerting to the bears.

Trade houses took many contracts out of the market. Brokers had to bid the market up to get a few hundred bales. McFadden brokers bought 55,000 December and nearly all the trade houses bought after the report. Speculative sentiment is decidedly more friendly to the market because of the belief that the 10c loan plan would eventually put futures up.

On the other hand there is plenty of cotton to go around. And government's efforts to hold prices at 16c failed miserably a few years ago which experience has not been forgotten. The heavy movement is on and higher prices do not seem imminent for the time being.

### FROZEN BANKS TO YIELD MANY MILLIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A total of \$3,987,735,000 in frozen deposits is involved in a list of 376 banks for which reorganization plans have been approved by the treasury.

Of this amount, treasury officials estimated Friday depositors will receive approximately 50 per cent when banks carry out plans agreed upon and are licensed to open for business.

A total of \$31,000,000 in unrestricted deposits is held by the 376 banks.

### FERTILIZER MEN VISIT POTASH MINES

Representatives of leading fertilizer companies of the nation passed thru here Monday and Tuesday were guests of the United States Potash company. They visited the Carlsbad caverns Monday and spent Tuesday at the potash mines and refinery.

The party left Tuesday afternoon for the east.

Visitors included George H. Fick, New York; W. E. Wright, Norfolk, Va.; L. A. Bailor, Chicago; Harry B. Baylor, Atlanta; Ray M. Keating, Baltimore; Charles S. Raub, Indianapolis.

S. L. Martinet, Indianapolis; L. E. Brillion, Boston; Raymond C. Ellis, New Albany, Ind.; John A. Miller, Louisville; Albert B. Baker, New York; Holland R. Wemple, New York; J. Albert Woods, Atlanta; H. Albert Smith, Columbus; Wood Crady, Louisville; Edward Ryland, Richmond; J. C. Devillbiss, New York; A. A. Holmes, New York; A. G. Fislier, Sandusky; W. H. Sproer, Sandusky, Ohio; J. S. Tolson, Chicago; J. M. Cappinger, New York; George V. Venard, Atlanta; Arthur L. Griffin, Norfolk, Va.; and O. F. Smith, Norfolk, Va.

### TO INAUGURATE WESTMINSTER PRESIDENT

FULTON, Missouri—Westminster College will assemble here on October twenty-eight for the formal inauguration of Dr. Francis L. McCluer as the new president of the college. Invitations have been sent to all parents of the students, to all colleges and universities in Missouri, to members of both synods, to all public school officials, and to all other friends of the school.

### HARD ON DRUNKEN DRIVERS

F. R. Baker, state motor patrolman, who has been working in Carlsbad recently has made it rather hard on the drunken drivers. A man whose name was not learned was given a fine of \$50 and costs in a Carlsbad justice court and several others were given reprimands for violations of the traffic laws.

### BIRTHS OUTNUMBER DEATHS 44 TO 16

The stork trounced the grim reaper by a score of 44 to 16 in Eddy county in September, according to the report of the Eddy county health office. Forty-four children were born. There were 16 deaths.

### GAS TAX

The five cent gas tax yielded \$226,543.43 for the month of September, Mrs. Adolphus Hill, deputy state comptroller stated last week.

Calling Cards, 100 for \$1.75, on best grade paneled or plain stock.—The Messenger.

## State and National Briefs of the News

### HIGHWAY \$408,000 IN RED

SANTA FE—Money doesn't grow on bushes, at least not in New Mexico, and institutions and departments of the state face another slash in revenue, the state finance board indicted when it hung out a "no cash today" sign before a highway department request for \$200,000.

The highway department, now \$408,000 in debt and spending \$135,000 a month on the \$110,000 income, pleaded for cash to pay bills scattered all over the state. The unpaid bills and the \$25,000 a month expense above revenue were creating an acute financial condition, the department, represented by the entire membership of the commission told the board.

The highway department wrote the board a letter setting out its troubles and giving the reason for the \$100,000 loan request as "due to the fact that we owe numerous small bills over the state and delinquent obligations to contractors. Our deficit as of September 30th, 1933, was approximately \$408,000."

CHICAGO—Strengthening of the country's defense was recommended for adoption by the American Legion in convention here Thursday. A resolution introduced suggests the army and navy be built up to the limits provided by the London naval treaty.

OKLAHOMA CITY—Sentences of life imprisonment the maximum penalty under the new federal kidnaping law, were dealt out Saturday to Harvey Bailey, prison breaking desperado, Albert Bates, Denver gangster, and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Shannon, Texas farm folk, for the Charles F. Urschel kidnaping.

Federal Judge Edgar S. Vaught fixed the sentences in closing the first phase of the government's roundup and prosecution of the gang that abducted the millionaire oil man last July 22, and collected \$200,000 ransom for his release.

Armon Shannon, 22-year-old son of R. G. Shannon, on whose farm near Paradise, Texas, Urschel was held in irons and blindfolded for nine days, was given a ten-year suspended sentence conditioned upon his future good conduct.

Two Minneapolis men, Edward Berman and Clifford Skelly, convicted as "money changers" in the ransom deal, received five year sentences. Their attorney, J. B. Dudley, gave notice of appeal immediately.

### Florida Votes Repeal

JACKSONVILLE—Florida Tuesday became the 33rd state to vote for repeal of the 18th amendment, the wets leading by approximately 4 1/2 to 1 with nearly half of the state's precincts counted.

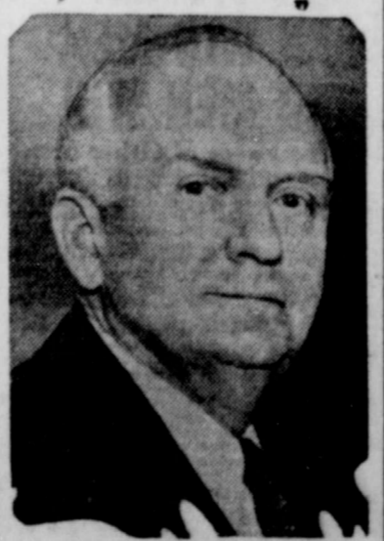
With the vote tabulated from 597 of the 1,273 voting places in the state the count stood: for repeal 58,950, against 3,106. Incomplete returns had been received from 52 of the state's 67 counties.

The repealists started off early with a landslide, first showing a lead of 8 to 1 that steadily dwindled but the drys never came close enough to leave any doubt as to the outcome.

Approximately 4,000,000 people have been reemployed since the NRA was inaugurated several weeks ago.

WASHINGTON—The veterans' administration, as a result of a

### MINISTER TO EGYPT



Bert Fish of De Land, Fla., who has been appointed American minister to Egypt.

## Dexter News

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Marshall left Sunday for Chicago for a visit at the Fair.

Mrs. J. W. Hammon is entertaining the Sew-So club Thursday afternoon from three to six.

Little Tommy Pior who has been quite ill for several days is slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Parker have issued invitations for a dinner party Saturday night, October fourteenth.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Wayne and little son of Portales are the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McMains this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harless Wilson announce the arrival of a little son, Wednesday, October fifth, the mother and babe are doing nicely.

Mrs. R. C. Reid, president third district Woman's clubs, left Wednesday morning for Albuquerque, where she will attend the state convention.

David Hubbard who has been in St. Mary's hospital in Roswell for several days was removed to his home in Dexter Tuesday and is doing nicely.

Mrs. Oscar Kunkel went to Roswell Thursday afternoon to attend the Ladies Aid Society of the Immanuel Lutheran church at the home of Mrs. R. L. Swisher.

Mrs. James McKinstry, Mrs. E. R. McKinstry, Mrs. Paul McMains, Mrs. Roy Pior, Mrs. Loman Wiley, Mrs. Bob Reid, Mrs. John Reid, Mrs. Walter McMains, Mrs. Bob McNeal and Mrs. Loyd Blakney attended a bridge party at Mrs. Alma Hills in Roswell Friday night.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Garrison were host and hostess at a delicious one o'clock chicken dinner at their home in Dexter. At one long table centered with autumn flowers, covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Joe Griffith, and daughter Johnnie Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pior, the host and hostess.

Old friends were delighted Wednesday to see Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crate of Hayward, California, former residents of Dexter. The Crates had been on an extended visit in the north and east, visited the Century of Progress in Chicago and spent Tuesday in the Caverns. Visited friends in Dexter and Roswell Wednesday and left Thursday morning for their California home.

A very enjoyable and delightful meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church was held Tuesday, when the members gave Mrs. Mary Thompson a nice surprise party. The ladies went in the morning with well filled baskets, at the noon hour there was a delicious covered dish luncheon, at which time the society presented Mrs. Thompson with a guest lamp, in appreciation of her faithful services in the society the years she lived in Dexter.

Following the luncheon hour, the afternoon lesson was in charge of Mrs. J. T. McNeal and Mrs. George Sterrett, their subject being "India and Alaska." It was a perfect day and a very happy one.

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survey, has recommended to the federal hospitalization board that the public health service tubercular hospital at Fort Stanton be abandoned.

The board is expected to meet November or December to act on the administration's recommendations, which include proposals for consolidating or abandoning a number of government hospitals.

SANTA FE—New Mexico will get 313 young men and 1,500 older men for the winter CCC camps, Miss Margaret Reeves, state director of child welfare, said Tuesday. The older men will be signed by the forest service while the younger men will continue under the same rules as the CCC camps this summer.

\$10,000 Coffin for Gangster CHICAGO—The body of Gus Winkler, gangster overlord, 111 shotgun slugs removed therefrom, was transferred Tuesday from a stone slab in the morgue to a \$10,000 silver coffin, and police announced themselves expectant of further gangster killings.

Hubert W. Griffin, 26, under sentence from Chaves county for auto theft, escaped from the state penitentiary at Santa Fe Monday night. Officers in Albuquerque and other cities were notified.

Believing the state penitentiary at Santa Fe a safer place for his prisoner, Sheriff Ira Allen left Tucumcari yesterday for the New Mexico prison with Jim Clark, alleged Kansas convict, who will be kept there for safekeeping until Kansas authorities take him into custody.

Clark is alleged to have been one of eleven convicts who escaped from the prison at Lansing, Kansas, on Memorial day.

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### R. T. C. CLUB

The R. T. C. club entertained the "Friends" at a weiner roast Wednesday night, Oct. 4th. The party was held at the siphon and included the following: Misses Marion Key, Evelyn Lane, Gladys Menefee, Ruth Utterback, Thelma Robinson and Flora Hughes. Messrs. Sanford Knoll, Glynn Sherolt, Stanley Utterback, Willis Shorholt, Melvin Bivens and Dennis Bivens.

The party was chaperoned by the club sponsor, Miss George.

### S. A. S. CLUB

Miss Doris Key entertained the S. A. S. club Friday night with a slumber party and a picnic on the river. This club was organized last year and the following are members: Miss Mabel Dollahan, Charline King, Doris Key, Beatrice Lane, Maxine Key, Phyllis Andrus and Opal Hicks.

### LADIES AID

The Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church met in the home of Mrs. T. D. Devenport yesterday afternoon with thirty one ladies present. After a short business meeting, a social hour was enjoyed at which time refreshments of cinnamon rolls and coffee were served.

### W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will meet in the home of Mrs. C. W. Curry tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Everyone in the community interested is urged to attend.

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