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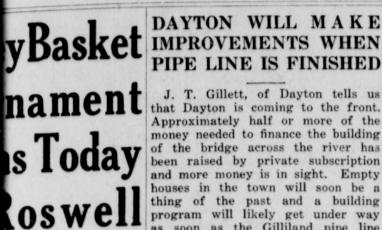
# **ARTESIA ADVOCATE**

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#### WENTY-TWO

ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1925

#### NUMBER TEN



PIPE LINE IS FINISHED J. T. Gillett, of Dayton tells us that Dayton is coming to the front. Approximately half or more of the money needed to finance the building of the bridge across the river has been raised by private subscription and more money is in sight. Empty houses in the town will soon be a thing of the past and a building

is completed. Work on the line it is understood Be Held to De- is well under way and will be finished as rapidly as possible.

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by Two Strong GILLILAND OIL COMP'Y, PIPE LINE IS BEING RUSHED TO A ns have entered the t starting in Rosending Saturday. during the tournaayed on the floor of

school auditorium, under the auspices xico Military Instiociation. The first reliminaries will be 1:30 o'clock. There mes this afternoon tonight, the first 'clock. lay game will be

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Under Way-Pipe is Un-Dayton and is Being Strung. The Gilliland Oil Company are making fast work on the construction of the pipe line leading into Dayton. A greater part of the line had already been strung and this

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part of the operations will probably be completed by the end of the week. four games Satur-Two cars of pipe arrived here the vo Saturday after- early part of the week and has been games Saturday hauled to the line. Another congame of the major signment has been unloaded at Day-The ditching machine is already at work it is understood, making ready to bury the pipe as soon as it it strung and connected. Record time has been made so far on every phase of the construction work and in all probability the line well vs. Floyd, 1:30. will be ready for use at the time a vs. Rogers, 2:30. set, March the 15th.

lines the company will use.



# Construction Work is Well JACKSON AND JACKSON MRS. CLARA WELTON loaded at Artesia and TO ERECT TWO STORY DIES AT HOME OF SON, OFFICE BUILDING SOON GEO. WELTON TUESDAY

End of the Two Story Building Across the Street from the Sipple Building.

More office room will be available in Artesia soon according to an announcement made Monday by H. Jackson, part owner of the building west of the pos office. A two story brick annex has been work and in all probability the line will be ready for use at the time et, March the 15th. The terminus of the line has not the buildings it is understood will the buildings

pal Church-Burial to be Ohio.

Friends of Mrs. Clara N. Welton were shocked to learn of her death which occurred at the home of her son, George W. Welton, well known Artesia merchant on the night of February 24th. Her death resulted from a brief siege of pneumonia

been announced, neither is is known start as soon as practical. The an- Medina Ohio, November 24th 1857. nex will contain two stories, eight She grew to womanhood in the vic-offices and will extend the present inity of Medina and was educated building forty feet south. There in the public schools of educated when preded. Other twill be ready m vs. Carlsbad, 4:30. at present just how many gathering nex will contain two stories, eight She grew to womanhood in the vicbuilding forty feet south. There in the public schools. On January will be four offices down stairs and 1st, 1884, she was united in marriage to Rev. S. W. Welton, who space will be modern in every de- Rector of the Episcopal church at died after a year of service as To this union one features not often found in office son was born, Geo. W. Welton now living here. After the death of her The annex will run the length of husband Mrs. Welton returned to the building 100 feet south and 25 Medina where she reared her son feet west. Plans will probably be and gave him an education. made later by the present owners In 1907, Mrs. Welton in a party Messrs. J. H. and J. M. Jackson, to extend the building the length of the lat to the allow 140 fort. The With others of Medina moved to Ar-tesia where she has since resided. Mrs. Welton soon became known for lot to the alley, 140 feet. The her active interest in community trial in the J. P. court. buildings plans when completed will welfare and her services to some mean quite an addition to this and of the earlier organizations will long of town and will give this vicinity be remembered, even though she has more cosmopolitan appearance. passed to her reward. She was on Owing to the present demand for the original board of ladies, who WATER WORKS SYSTEM office buildings, more than half of founded the cemetery association the new office spaces to be erected being the first treasurer of it. For 9 IS BEING SURVEYED with the annex, have been spoken of the Woman's Guild of the St. Paul's Mission and by her assistance the organization was kept active and alive.

WILL BE CLOSED NOW of course, the hidden name was unintentionally left out last week, an error for which we beg the readers pardon. This week we are running the bidden which will cheen A Big Play In two hidden names, which will close the hidden names contest for the present.

Orders will be given this week on the Peoples Mercantile Co., and on the Pior Service Station, to the

two lucky persons. P. S. The devil always gets the Shot Monday P. M. Puts blame.

ILLINOIS PIPE LINE WILL MAKE FIRST OIL MON. OR TUES. RUN

Main.

Will Be Added to the South Funeral Services Held This which was laid into Artesia sometime ago will be ready to make Afternoon at the Episco- their first oil run Monday or Tuesday of next week according to in-formation available here. It was at Old Home in Medina, first understood that a run would hole. The depth at which the oil be attempted today, but numerous was encountered was the shallowest delays have been encountered, and yet found in the field. While the among them were the hard surfaces sand was shallow as compared with necessary to be blasted before part the other sands, it is reported to of the line could be buried.

This run has been contracted for found. by the Rio Grande Refining Co., of El Paso and will be shipped in tank cars from Artesia to El Paso. The consignment will amount to several officials of the company, although thousand barrels.

The gathering and feeding lines from 25 to 100 barrels. connecting with the main have practically been completed. The Mr. Willis T. Wright. practically been completed. The 5000 barrel tank placed at the loadon the line including one 5000 barrel, have been ordered and are now en-route here.

TWO NAMES HIDDEN Cal. No1 May Through an oversight of the devil, we mean the printer's devil Be Center Of **Near Future** 

> Well in List of the Completions-Sand Bears a High Grade of Oil at 1495 Feet.

The shooting of the California No. 1, on the A. R. Goodale permit, in the SW14 of the SE14 of Sec. 30-18-29, Monday afternoon will Rio Grande Refinery Com- probably mean that a new oil producing area will be opened in this pany to Take First Con- section of the territory now being signment of Oil-Gather- drilled east of the river. The well is located east and north of the ing Lines are Laid to the Illinois wells and it has been predicted that this well will be the center of a new producing area six months hence.

The shot was made by F. H. Dix-The Illinois Producers pipe line on, local shooter of the American Glycerin Co. A 100 quart shot was placed between 1498 and 1522 feet. Within 55 minutes after the shot was made oil rose 205 feet in the be the highest grade of oil yet

No estimate has been placed on the production of the well by the street rumor has placed the flow

Operations near Red Bluff.

Mr. Willis T. Wright, of Indianapolis, Indiana, who is interested in several companies preparing to drill near Red Bluff, in the extreme

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#### BROTHER LOCATES HERE

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> NO DIFFERENCE EY ARE THEY THE ADVOCATE

Mo. Feb. 22, 1925.

newspaper again. n jail four months ys through lies me by a solpal and a woman. s a holy fright. r got the paper was up missing did not look for

> close, when the coming to me end in \$2 Doll's urs truly, A Subscriber.

HOFFMAN'S NEW OFFICE J. R. Hoffman has opened a new office in the west end of the Gilbert Collins building across the alley from the Telephone building. The office has been repainted and is

Sumner vs. Portales snugly furnished. Mr. Hoffman will continue to handle real estate and oil erman vs. Dexter, leases.

#### vington vs. Clovis, LEGION AUXILIARY MEETING

The regular meeting of the Aux-3 iliary will be held at the Legion game 4, 4:30 o'clock. hall next Monday afternoon. Ralph Rogers and Mrs. Albert 5 Richards will be hostesses.

game 10 at 9 o'clock. BY CHICAGO ENGINEER for.

Mrs.

A water engineer from Chicago is making a preliminary survey of

the City water works here preparatory to making the new improvements planned on the water works system. While complete plans are not available at present very likely many changes will be included in the program. In the survey will be included the cost of construction improvements and addditions men and others in- wherever needed. A deal is now pending which if carried through, will mean much to the improvement

program planned. Plans are also considered to construct a storage tank of 500,000 gallons capacity in addition to the stand arrived in Artesia pipe already constructed.

R. K. Hoover in the NEW OIL FIELD SUPPLY edicine and surgery. HOUSE AND MACHINE is to offer and will SHOP TO BE ERECTED of the nearly 300 persons present LEAGUE OFFICIALS were youths and children.

White Brothers, B. P. and J. F. White, who have operated supply houses and machine shops for use in the various oil fields in Texas, Arkansas and Louisiana have com-

use in the field near by. The site this date. selection is on the S. A. Lanning property across the street from the

Alfalfa Association office. The main building 36 by 112 will be erected and other units added as needed. The farm will be equipped to do modern repair work on boilers, drill stems, fishing tools and other

sary to handle the hard jobs such as heavy trip hammers.

four offices up stairs. Each office tail and will contain many added Toledo, Ohio.

rooms, including steam heat.

a more cosmopolitan appearance.

#### DR. SMITH'S VISIT

Friday of Dr. Lucius E. Smith, a a sister-in-law, Mrs. M. H. Ferrimedical missionary under the Pres- man, of Artesia. byterian board, who has served for Endeavor Society gave him a supper at Medina, Ohio. in the social hall of the Presbyterian church. At 7:30 Dr. Smith gave an illustrated stereopticon lecture on his work in Africa before a congregation that crowded as his earnestness. More than half

#### DISTRICT COURT

District court will convene at Carlsbad on the second Monday in menced the erection of a modern March. Several important cases are supply depot and machine shop for scheduled to come up for trial on

> TICKETS VALUED AT \$1400.00 STOLEN FROM MAJESTIC THEATRE

Some two or three weeks ago heavy oilfield work. The machine theater tickets amounting to apshap will contain machinery neces- proximately \$1400.00 in value were

Work was started on the office investigation resulting in the con-

Surviving her are, one son, Geo.

Funeral services will be held this seven years in Spanish Guinea. Dr. afternoon at the Episcopal church seven years in Spanish Guinea. Dr. Smith made a winning address at the high school on his arrival that af-ternoon. At 6 p. m., the Christian

#### LOUISIANA OIL MEN HERE

J. F. Vancleve, N. M. Kromberg the Presbyterian church to its cap- and J. M. Meyed of Shreveport, La., sided and expressed pleasure at Co., spent sometime in Artesia the seeing all sections of the population past week and are reported to have represented. Dr. Smith's wit and negotiated for drilling acreage. A humor were much enjoyed as well location will likely be made soon.

A meeting of the High school coaches and high school principals of Eddy county will be held in Artesia March the 7th for the purpose of resisting the regulations governing the Interscholastic meet to be held in the Valley another year.

## J. B. BROWN DIES AT BURIED HERE MOND'Y

building the first of the week and fession of one of the boys. No legal tonwood community for 15 or 20 cently located in Artesia as teacher will be completed as soon as pos-rible so far as known.

#### MEXICANS ARESTED

Three Mexicans, Manuel Garcea, Martine Estia and Rosa Lea Garcea Indiana-Pecos Oil Co., have made a were arrested and tried in the jus- location in the NW14 of Sec. 30-26tice court last week charged with the 28. The total acreage owned by the theft of a set of harness from Will company includes 2486 acres. McCaw, living south of town. The Mexicans were lodged in jail Fri- cation in Sec. 18-26-28 and will day, but were released after the start drilling operations within

#### ONE ARREST IS MADE diana-Pecos Oil Co. WHEN ARTESIA BOYS ATTEMPT A HOLD-UP

One Artesia boy has been jailed (Continued on last page, column 1) and two others will likely be implicated in a staged hold up at the rear of the Bullock feed store last night at 9:00 p. m. An oilfield A memorable event in the religious W. Welton of Artesia, a brother, annals of Artesia was the visit last James B. Nettleton of Detroit, Mich., was the total amount of money seworker whose name we did not was the total amount of money secured, however, only about \$3.50 was found on the boy arrested.

plicated, however, the two that have their work. been accused of a part in the hold up, were silent watchers as the CONTRACTORS MAY third member flashed a gun in the face of the oilfield worker and commanded him to give up his money.

BARTLETT ORGANIZES acity. Rev. W. Hooper Adams pre- representing the V. K. F. Drilling MAJESTIC THEATRE

> C. W. Bartlett and Son recently arranged with Mr. E. W. Tracy of Kaw City, Oklahoma, to locate in violin and to play with the Majes-WILL MEET HERE tic orchestra, also having in mind the forming of a Juvenile grand concert orchestra. This orchestra is now a sure thing for Artesia with sufficient financial backing and a membership that is bound to make it a success from the start. It goes without saying, that Director Bartlett with his years of experience in teaching music, will make this organization a credit to this community. Twenty-one members have been enrolled to start with and no

members will be secured in a short time. The first rehearsal of this orchestra has been called for next

J. B. Brown a farmer living north Monday at four o'clock p. m. at the shop the firm will also stock a an inquirey was made. complete line of new fishing tools, Saturday night three Artesia boys church, Rev, L. R. Simmons con- Tracy will assist Mr. Bartlett and

southern edge of Eddy county, near the Texas-New Mexico line states that an active drilling campaign will be made in this section of the county within the next few months. Among the companies making locations in this section are:

Cleveland Oil Co., have made a lothirty days acording to Mr. Wright. This location is north of the In-

Mutual Operating Co., a subsiderary of the New Mexico Oil Corporation of Los Angeles, California, have a derrick up ready to com-

#### **CEMETERY DRIVE**

The campaign for funds for the Woodbine cemetery was started last week and we undersand that the efforts of the committee were very successful, however, a complete re-A revolver was found on one of port is not available for this week the boys thought to have been im- as the committee has not finished

## LOCATE HERE

A. M. Horne, general contractor from El Paso and Mr. Mitchell, banker from Alamogordo came down NEW ORCHESTRA FOR to Artesia the latter part of last week to look the situation over with a view to opening a contracting business here. Mr. Horne, we understand has quite a reputation as a builder of cottages in his home town El Paso. He has also con-Artesia for the purpose of teaching structed many mercantile establishments, of the larger type.

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HIS HOME SUNDAY P M doubt fifteen or twenty additional

of Artesia in the Cottonwood com- Majestic Theatre. A concert tour stolen from the box office of the munity died at his home last Sun- is planned for the month of Sep-Majestic theater. Several of the day after an illness of several tember that will take the orchestra

In connection with the machine stolen tickets were passed in before weeks. Funeral services were held to Carlsbad, Roswell, Dexter, Hager-

complete line of new fishing tools, saturday fight three rivers tools church, river, L. R. Shirhons con-drilling equipment and artesian were caught and turned over to of-water well supplies. Work was started on the office investigation resulting in the con-Work was started on the office investigation resulting in the con-Mr. Brown had lived in the Cot-Miss Minnie Mitchell who has re-

## Artesia Advocate grade crossings. The popular cry

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#### THE BIENNIAL STRUGGLE

The biennial struggle is on again. Many a county court house reverberates with the claims of rival contenders to the position of county Yards of petitions health officer. are unrolled before boards of county commissioners. (Frequently the same names can be found on both the pros and cons.) To-whom-it-may-concern letters, setting forth the professional qualifications of the candidates, rise in piles on the official table. Some of them are a little ancient as to date, while others are new. But that the applicant is a well qualiphysician, painstaking in his fied official duties.

It never seems to occur to anyone that a doctor of the greatest skill How can the government and the children. may not make a successful health industry best cooperate to encourage

fatalities and accidents at railroad STATE BRIEFS has been to build overhead or under ground approaches. It has been estimated that the cost of such a procedure would almost equal the 3600 RABBITS KILLED IN LEA COUNTY DRIVE value of the railroads. To offset the

carelessness of the public, the The three days drive in the Hes-American Steam and Electric Railways have done much educational ter, Plainview, McDonald and Praiwork to show the danger of cross- rieview communities was a complete ing railroad tracks without stopping success. Thirty-six hundred rabbits to investigate. Figures show that by actual count, were killed and there were 738 fatalities from June many others so badly wounded that to Pittsburg, Pa. Entered as second-class matter at the 1 to October 1, 1924, and that this they will fall an easy prey to hawks,

Realizing the importance of kill-Crossing accidents can be prac- ing the rabbits, nearly every man

tically eliminated if people can be in the four commuities took part all THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1925 awakened to the fact that it is three days. The women, not to be their own lives which are endanger- found slacking, prepared basket ed by their own carelessness at dinners each day for the hunters. These were the high points of the

three days drive and judging from the way fried chicken, salads, pies and cakes disappeared, rabbit driv-

It is announced that the inaugural ing creates huge appetites or else ceremonies, March 4, will be broad- the men who took part are unusually every nook and corner of the United Hugh Haley, Shorty Miller, Earl falfa on his farm south of town. States will be in tune with Wash- Johnson and the County Agent.

Keen rivalry existed among some Forty stations will be linked to- of the hunters to see who could from Cloudcroft and the heavy gether by telephone wires, break- kill the largest number of rabbits ing all records for interconnection in the three days. Several of the men had good guns and excellent

When President Harding was in- shots, and succeeded in killing over augurated in 1921, the public ad- a hundred rabbits each day. The dress system was emplowed enabling keenest competition was between Mr. the crowd of 125,000 which filled Sumruld and Mr. Gathing. Both the board of trustees has inauguratthe plaza and overflowed into the piled up high scores, Mr. Sumruld, ed a movement to beautify the

however, took advantage of some campus. Think of the wonderful advance- rabbits that were raised around ment during the short period of his home and were not wild. The farmers plan to follow this work with poison and hope to thin

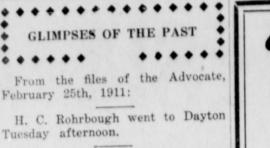
they will do very little damages to ing. A PROBLEM IN CONSERVATION crops. Every community in Lea

County should join in this work and Representatives of all oil interests, do their part to keep this pest unlarge and small, are invited to at- der control .- Lovington Leader.

> AUTOIST KILLED WHEN CAR BACKS OVER BIG CLIFF

Silver City .-- Frank B. Hunter own future. "But," he added, "when of Santa Rita, was instantly killed, its welfare is so closely linked with and his auto reduced to a mass of the industrial prosperity of the wreckage when he lost control of whole, government and business the machine and it plunged over an might very properly join forces in 800-foot cliff. Hunter was accomworking out this problem in practi- panied by his wife and daughter and the party had stopped to take

Some of the most important some pictures along the cliff. Depoints to be raised are: With the ciding to get the car in the picture modern facilities for finding oil and he attempted to turn it around and all of them certify only to the fact the production of oil at an uppre- in some way lost control, and it cedented rate, how can the "b akes" plunged over the embankment to the be put on the "bringing in" of new bottom of the canyon below. Huncare of the sick, and, therefore, pools and unneeded production? ter was killed and pieces of the car fully capable of performing these What can be done in explorations were found scattered among the without exploitation until market rocks on the side of the canyon. He demands warrant new production? is survived by a widow and eight



J. M. Conn this week shipped a case of his famous Rosedale honey

W. P. Anderson, live stock agent for the Santa Fe, spent a day in Artesia this week.

Mrs. Roy Sperry, of West Main s quite ill this week to the regret of her many friends.

Chas. Brown of the, real estate firm of Talbot and Brown, arrived Tuesday night from Oklahoma City with some more prospectors.

Geo. M. Winans, of Norman, Okla. arrived Tuesday to look after improvements and seeding of his al-

A fifteen inch snow is reported snow extended over hundreds of square miles of our artesian water supply.

President Strother of the Western College, with full concurrence of

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Carl, who have recently moved from Ft. Worth to Artesia, are building a pretty the rabbits to such an extent that home near the high school build-

> The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nelson of Dayton died very suddenly early Monday morning. The burial took place at the Seven Rivers cemetery, Tuesday.

> chapter of Eastern Star was in session at the same time and it is estimated that there were over 250 delegates in the city from the state, in addition to several distinguised guests from out of the state. The sessions closed Saturday night with a grand ball.

#### PORTALES GROWING

That Portales is growing can be een by driving around the edges of town. One would not think that there was the amount of building under construction that a little investigation reveals. Wednesday at noon the News representative made a little trip over town and discovered that there are under con-

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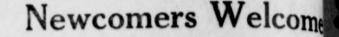
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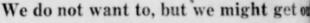
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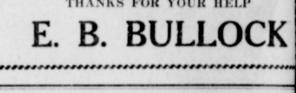




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officer; that there is much more the job than treating the sick; in to be opened only as needed through fact, that this is only a side issue delayed production? How can dewith a real health officer. His primary duty is to prevent the illness if it lies within his power and the to meet only the actual demands? present attainments of science to do so. His is a specialty as exacting in its demands for expert knowledge as that of the skilled surgeon or the nose and throat specialist. Indeed, it is more so.

Aside from the branches of mediprevention, public health administration calls to its aid the arts and science of the engineer, the chemist, the bacteriologist, the dentist, the nurse and the statistician. To know them all is beyond individual human grasp, but to know where and when and how to draw upon them in rounding out a complete preventitive program constitutes the equipment of a genuinely qualified health officer. The broader his training and experience, the better qualified he will be to safeguard the public that entrusts its well-

What difference does it make, then, whether the health officer belong to one party or another; to one congregation or another? What bearing have these on his ability to locate and eradicate a focus of typhoid fever? Does his social affiliation give him a better understanding of safe sewage disposal? Thorough going knowledge and constant study are his only possible resources for meeting the responsibilities placed on him by the public.

It is this principal that we have been trying to apply impartially in every contest for appointment that comes to us for decision, for we believe that the public has placed a solemn trust in our hands that we cannot lightly regard. If therefore, we seem at times to be arbitiary in our rulings, to be uncommissioners in their efforts to reward a friend, it is only because of our zeal to perform our sworn duty and rent. we observe a health officer administering his office to the best TEN LAND OFFICES of his ability; if we see in him a growing sense of his responsibility and a willingness to fit himself for it, and if we can see no superior ability in his opponent, we favor the retention of the one who has had experience and has demonstrated fitness. Of course, there are at times other considerations that bear upon the question and that cannot be ignored. But in general this policy is applied, regardless of aspersions on our character and intelligence .-- State Health Department.

#### STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN

There has been much discussion in water. Terms reasonable with cheap and Tyrone assisted in showing recent years of how to illiminate interest rate. E. C. Higgins. 12-4tf3i the guests a good time. The grand

the creation of drill-tested reserves Col. Manuel B. Otero, of Albuvelopment be slowed down on gov-

OUR FUTURE HIGHWAYS

Highway experts, who have been studying our traffic problem, esti- the district clerk's office here Frimate that our present traffic will day afternoon by his attorney, A. be doubled in from five to ten years. B. Renehan, of Santa Fe. The suit cine that have to do with disease If this is so, we must prepare is practically of the same wording now to handle this situation. The as the former suits, which cover completeness with which this prob- 87 typewritten pages. It calls atlem is solved by each state and each community, will in no small degree measure the development and last year in various counties, includprosperity of that state or com- ing Quay and McKinley. munity. There is much talk and much dispute as to where our highways are to be and as to how they are to be constructed, but the only answer to our traffic problem is -More miles of permanent hard

surface roads. A famous English essayist once of thoroughbred White Leghorns for said, "Of all inventions, the alpha- which they paid \$245.15 delivered being, its very lives, to his keeping. bet and printing press alone excepted, those which abridge dis- three highest priced chickens ever tance have done the most for man- shipped into Curry County, if not kind.

> Let us, therefore, now lay our plans for the development of the future traffic arteries on which will Nation.

THREE ACRES SELLS FOR \$3000 poultry breeding plants in the state.

The three acre tract of land at Otis just across the road west of RATON GARAGE BURNS; the gin was sold this week by A. Crawford to Tipton & Son for \$3000.00, the highest price ever

a store, a lumberyard and a black- both the building and the contents smith shop on this site, work to will be a total loss. A Kissel truck, begin at an early date. The lower a 5-passefiger touring car and all valley is rapidly forging to the the machinery and other equipment mindful of the wishes of county front in every line and Otis is com- of the garage was ruined in the fire ing in for its share of the prosperity and Mr. Kreck estimates the loss at and improvements .- Carlsbad Cur- over \$6,000.

WILL BE ABOLISHED

retary Work today ordered abolished, the blaze. 10 land offices whose earnings have

fallen off to such an extent that the SILVER CITY HOST cost has exceeded them by more than 33½ per cent.

The offices, which will be discontinued April 30, include:

Fourche, South Dakota.

FOR SALE-Cotton and alfalfa given in the state, and the lodges farms in small or large tracts with of Santa Rita, Hurley, Fort Bayard

OTERO FILES CONTEST AGAIN

querque, republican nominee for ernment and privately owned lands governor at the last election, has gone again into court to contest the election of his democratic opponent, Arthur T. Hannett, governor of New Mexico.

Colonel Otero's suit was filed in tention to alleged irregularities in the elections held in November of

#### \$245.15 PAID FOR THREE WHITE LEGHORNS

R. Wicks and Gordon Wicks, breeders of White Leghorn chickens, have recently shipped to their farm a trio

in Clovis. These are possibly the the state. The purchase consists of a cockerel and two pullets which were shipped here direct from the famous Tancred Farms at Kent, flow the life blood of our great Washington. There are now over 1,000 hens on the Wicks farms and

it is growing into one of the largest -Clovis News.

## LOSS IS OVER \$6,000

Raton .- Fire, of unknown origin, paid for land in the Otis section. destroyed, the garage owned by Tipton & Son plan to erect a gin, Frank Kreck, on Third street, and The family was

awakened in the night by an explosion and upon rushing from the nearby residence found the building in flames, which gained so rapidly BY SECRETARY WORK that the firemen could do little to check them. It is believed that

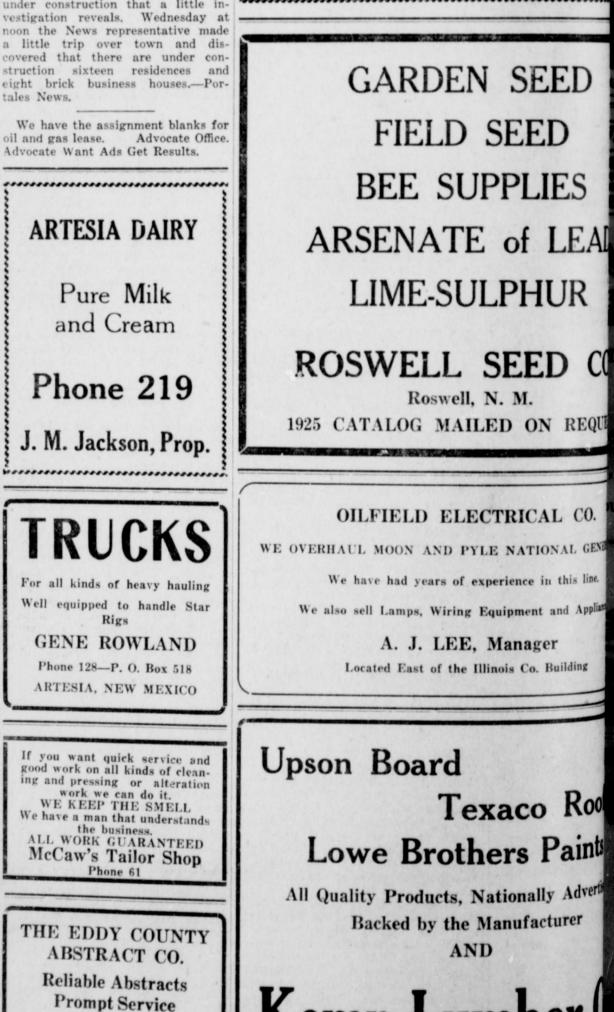
Washington, D. C., Feb. 20 .- Sec- some kind of a gas explosion caused

TO GRAND LODGE OF MASONS OF STATE

Silver City .- This city was host Eureka, California; Lamar and last week to the grand lodge, A. F Sterling, Colorado; Lewiston, Idaho; and A. M. of New Mexico, and Kalispell, Montana; Lincoln, Nebras- every section and nearly every town ka; Clayton, N. M., and Bell in the state is represented at the meeting. The program of enter-

tainment is the most elaborate ever

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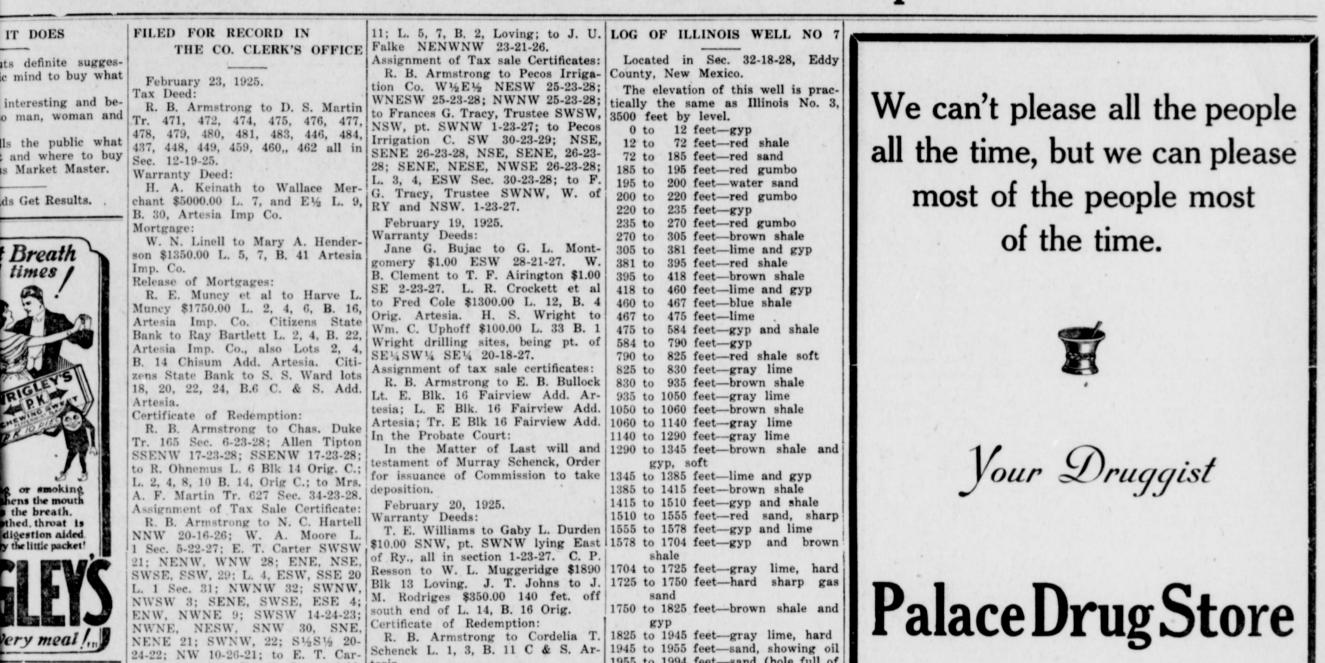
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	NGLESAYS: e Pies are	Frank L. Wilson \$200.00 L. 6, 8 B. 8 Orig. Artesia. Patent: M. S. McConihe to A. E. Lusk No. 11075.	ENWNE 2-22-26. February 21, 1925.	man, as land commissioner by Gov. Hannett. Those who turned in their resig- nations were Assistant Commissioner	337 SHEIDLEY BUILDING, KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI Phone: Harrison 9136
UE	ch day.	Warranty Deeds: February 18, 1925. E. H. McDowell to Carrie H.	L. 3 B. 77 Lowe Add. Carlsbad. L. M. Brink to First National Bank, Buffalo, Okla., \$1.00 ESWNE 33- 17-23. J. L. Polk to R. W. Elliott	Aud E. Lusk, Chief Clerk Manuel Armijo, Attorney David Chavez, Contract Clerk Herman Baca and Lease Clerk Gilberto Mirrabel. Some of these resignations were	
nu'rë	How good" ound to say.	Smith \$10.00 SW 28-18-26; L. 4, 5, 6, B. 16 out of SWNW 28. Robert A. Uihlein to E. T. Carter & W. A. Moore, \$1.00 WSE 17-23-28. T. Middleton to Federal Reserve Bank D. \$1.00 SSWSW 6; WNW 7-25-22.	NWSE 21-23-28. Quit Claim Deeds:	submitted in written form, but fail- ed to state any reason. Commis- rioner Swope has left for Las Cruces to conduct a land sale there. It is said he declined to accept the resig-	
	Bakery Pies	G. C. Cottingham to William C. Brown \$100.00 L. 2 B. 50 Artesia Imp Co. Quit Claim Deed:	Buffalo, Okla. \$1.00 ESWNE 33- 17-23. J. L. Polk to R. W. Elliott \$1.00 NNW 14-17-26. Tax Deeds:	nations. Swope outlined the policies he plans for the conduct of the state land office in a letter to Governor	
	MARK	\$9.00 L. 2, 4, B. 14 Orig Carlsbad. Deed of Trust: C. A. P. Land and Cattle Co. to M. F. Singleton, Trustee, \$24,000.00	Warranty Deeds: Robert E. Muncy et als. to John B. Muncy \$500.00 all Blk 10 11	See our samples of Engraving—Ar- tesia Advocate.	
	BREAD	SW; SNE, NSE 23, WNW 26, NW;	Piney Valley or Pt. of Secs. 23, 24, 25, 26-16-26. Roy W. Martin to Mack Farrell \$1.00 SSW 28; NNE, SNW, SWNE, 32; NWNW 33-25-26.	Amanda Jones Pt. NESW 23-21-26. Certificate of Redemption:	
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		e you S. & H. Green and redeem your stam		In the Probate Court: In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of Matilda McDon- ald, Deceased, order permitting exe- cutor to give notice of appointment. In the Matter of the Last Will and	Batteries for Every Make
	"OU	J. W. NICHOLSON	RE"	Testament of Murray Schenck, Order fixing date for hearing Proof of Will. In the District Court: No. 4028. In Re: In the matter of the In- sanity of Ramon Garcia.	L. P. EVANS

NEARLY ONE HUNDRED KIWANIANS FROM DUKE CITY AT JOINT MEETING come by the local club, the meeting

buquerqueans. Nearly a hundred festive Kiwanians from the Albuquerque club ar-HARVEY HOUSE ENLARGED rived in Santa Fe in cars Monday in a big caravan from the Duke City and put on a lively program at noon, intercity luncheon meeting two additional passenger trains with the Santa Fe Club at La through Clovis, the Santa Fe rail-Fonda. The dinner was served in road of necessity is encouraging not the big dining room at 12:30 and only additional traffic, but more lasted over an hour and a half, layovers for business men. Hence with speeches, songs and stunts it will be obligatory for the Harvey held at the home of Charles Mack Friday, February 20 and our girls of the typical Kiwanis Kind.

birthday, together with a spade with vis.

CLOVIS, N. M .- By putting on the

bers and guests and a song of wel-

was turned over bodily to the Al-

which Albuquerque and Santa Fe shall forever bury the hatchet. If you see seven passengers in ful cake with candles and the re- rough, and hard fought. Artesia President J. C. Cassell, Jr., of the a two-seated car you know that freshments consisted of ice cream, remembered their defeat at Carlsbad local club called the meeting to you are in a college town.

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order and after introduction of mem-bers and guests and a song of wel- Items of Social Interest In and **Around Artesia** 

#### BIRTHDAY PARTY

A little boys' birthday party was system to increase its plant and fac- Knoedler last Friday afternoon and succeeded in getting their revenge President Pearce Rodey of the licies here. It is reported that was given by his mother, Mrs. R. with a score of 14 to 6. The wind, visiting club was presented with a \$160,000 will be spent in practically G. Knoedler, in honor of his fourth which was blowing furiously, proved hatchet in honor of Washington's doubling the present house at Clo- birthday anniversary. Only little a disadvantage to both teams. Arboys were present and boys' games tesia made the first basket in the

were played. There was a beauti- first quarter. The game was fast, cake and cocoa. The little boys who on the slick floor and it gave them helped Charles Mack celebrate were more determination to win the Billy Paris, James Robertson, Lan- game. So, as the story goes, they dis Feather, Jimmie Ferriman, Billy made fourteen points to Carlsbad's Bartlett and Charles Preston Dunn. six and won the game for Artesia A number of the mothers came with High. their little sons.

#### MISSIONARY MEETING

lessen the fighting spirit of either Mrs. Karle of Roswell, president side. The score was 1 to 1 at the of the Pecos Valley Presbyterian end of the first quarter. Carlsbad Society, was in Artesia Monday af- broke the tie and the game was internoon and talked to the Presby- tensely interesting until the final terian ladies at the church upon the whistle blew. The score was in subject of missionary work. She Carlsbad's favor 9 to 5. gave a very interesting report of A delightful program was given

the state meeting at Santa Fe, and endeavored to interest the ladies in in Assembly Wednesday morning. re-organizing the missionary so- A canoe song "Ciribiribin" and a ciety. At the close of her talk Mrs. promising spring song "Cuckoo" were Gilbert served refreshments to the sung by the Girl's Glee club. Verne company.

#### PRESBYTERIAN AID SOCIETY

Mrs. Gail Hamilton was hostess to lively piano solos. the Presbyterian Aid Society at its regular meeting last Thursday after- The last basket ball game of this noon. There was a good attendance, season for the Artesia girls' team a number of long absent ones be- was played on our home court ing present, and delicious refresh- Saturday, February 21. The game ments were served. The next meet- was played with Hope who has not ing will be at the home of Mrs. S. lost a game this season and its W. Gilbert.

#### TURKEY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Yates enterevening in honor of her father, Mr. S. P. Emmons, of Mexico, Missouri. Covers were laid for the following-Brainard, M. H. Ferriman, Donahue,

#### MISSIONARY MEETING

A combined business, literary and ones who played such a close game social meeting was held by the with what is considered the best Methodist Missionary society in the team in the Valley. anday school room last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Allinger was leader shooting spoiled the effect of our and Mesdames Walker, Feather and good team-work. Hope wolked off Richards participated in the literary with the honors with 18 points to program, which was upon the sub- our 8. ject of "Friendship." Mesdames Dr. Smith delivered a lecture to Richards, Feemster and Walker were the student body on "Heathen Afrihostesses for the afternoon and served light refreshments. The next ca," Friday afternoon. His talk meeting will be at the home of Mrs. proved so interesting that a large number of the High school pupils Keller on March 5th. formed the greater part of the

nents. Although Hope made the first tained at a turkey supper Monday couraged and at the end of the first quarter two baskets had also been made in our favor. At the end of Messrs. Emmons, Corbin, G. R. the half Hope had added two points to their score while Artesia had Gilbert, Mann, Dr. C. W. Williams, the last half Hope made four free Dr. Chester Russell and the host, the last half hope made one field goal. This tied the score 10 to 10. Artesia girls are extremely proud of themselves as being the only

scores have always been at least five points higher than their oppo-

**School Notes** 

ORANGE AND BLACK

Elaine Feemster-Editor

Jennie Beth Bishop Ozelle Stovall

Class Reporters

Carlsbad came to our "rocks"

The boys' game was a victory for

the Carlsbad team. The weather

was very disagreeable but it did not

Schnoor gave an entertaining read-

ing that gave us an idea of the way

some folks "digest the newspaper." Miss Raguse favored us with two

Verne Schnoor

Nelle Horne

In the boys' gam

audience at another lecture at the

The home economic club was the

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AN ANNOUNCEMENT PARTY AND SHOWER Presbyterian church that night.

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(a real Angora) out of the bag." and the date set for the wedding, which is March 24. A delicious salad course was served. Those were the Misses Virginia Atteberry, Lois Burns, Ruby Turknett, and Virgie Mize, Mesdames Herman

Jones and Wells, and Messrs. Fred Cole, Dalton Wilson, Herman Jones, Wells, Barker, Edward Tracy and Dr. Thies, and the host and hostess.

#### MRS. GIVENS HONORED

The ladies of the Baptist church had a party at the home of Mrs. by the New York state department complimentary to Mrs. Givins. It being the regular meeting day of the Aid society the president, Mrs. To win a certificate from the de-Bert Bishop, held devotionals and conducted an interesting exercise to wear the emblem or medal and in which each lady named her fav- the felt shield or monogram a stuorite chapter of the bible and the dent must qualify in five groups of reason for her choice . This caused points, health, scholarship, sportsvery interesting discussions. A salad course was served.

#### BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. F. G. Hartell was hostess to the Second Bridge club on Tuesday afternoon at her home on Grand avenue. The rooms were prettily decorated with pink and white sweet peas and refreshments were served in two courses, Miss Jack High- swap back.—Amhert Lord Jeff. part of the entertainment. Besides the regular members and substi- Story, "Deek" Phillips, Phillips, Sr., tutes there were two additional Hightower, J. H. Jackson, Corbin, tables of players, the company in- G. R. Brainard, Bigler, Lowry, C. cluding Mesdames Joe Anderson, W. Williams, Rowan, Landis Feather Wallace Anderson, Ferree, Louis and Clarke.

party and "shower," which was themselves at the high school home given by Mrs. Deyton Reecer, last economics room Monday, February Tuesday evening. The home was 23. Preceding the supper the girls appropriately decorated with cupids, entertained themselves by giving bows and arrows were in evidence in many graceful ballat dances. A all of the games. The "shower" ap- typing lesson without the typewriter peared in the guise of a flower gar- was also given. Marjorie Wingfield den, all of the presents being con- won the prize as being the most cealed in beautiful flowers, which clever entertainer of the evening. grouped together artistically upon Miss Raguse was the honor guest the table, formed a miniature gar- at the sumptuous meal of hamden. A blue ribbon was awarded burgers, pickles, salad, cocoa, ice

Several students have received Hearts were used for plate favors letters from Mrs. Francis X. Hite, and when opened revealed an "in-side secret," the engagement of Miss Flora Jones to Mr. Edward Tracy living in San Francisco, California.

If any of the people around town should happen to wake up in the present besides the honor guest night and hear someone on top of the house, they may rest in peace for it is only an amateur steeple jack from the Sophomore class and her helper.

#### ALL-AROUND EFFICIENCY ENCOURAGED IN NORMAL SCHOOL STUDENTS

A special State monogram and emblem for proficiency in all-around of education and offered to students in state normal schools. First awards will be made in June, 1925. partment of education entitling him manship, leadership, and physical activities. I,000 points in all. The purpose of the plan is to encourage participation by normal students in all the school activities, the better to prepare them as teachers for leadership in community life.

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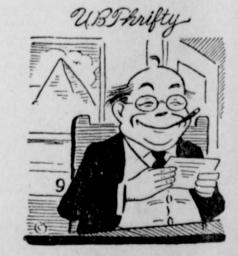
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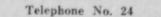
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LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS Edwin Selby, who has been quite sick with the flu is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Evans went rate of ten cents per line to Artesia on business Saturday. ad for classified ads for Mrs. W. A. Sturman and son are tion and five cents per spending this week in Roswell. No ad accepted for Mrs. Hinshaw and daughter, Miss

tute a line. Charges will Sunday. M. W. Evans and R. T. Spence M. W. Evans and R. T. Spence his average. Cash must M. W. Evans and R. T. Spence ads sent by letter, othe- went to Roswell on business Tues-

T MAP of Eddy county to date, by mail to Albuquerque, El Paso, and other

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Latta and Mrs.

Makins & Son, Abi-1-29-4tc Mrs. J. V. Burks who has been been an extended visit to Dallas, Ft. Worth and Texarkana, returned

home last week. Rev. Chas. Hatfield of Dexter, preached two forceful sermons at the Methodist church Sunday morn-

R. Hoffman, office Mrs. R. F. Beasley went to Ar-of Telephone build- tesia on business Saturday. How-Mrs. R. F. Beasley went to Ar-

sons from Mr. Bartlett in Artesia. John Lane, Miss Grace Harvey and Alma Lane motored to Roswell

-One four room Sunday to hear a sermon, preached our services. mproved lot, \$1500 by one of John's former school friends. Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Burke, accom-

andard drilling rig Robert went to Carlsbad Friday, ools, for sale cheap. where Robert is under medical

five room plaster-five room plasterith sewer connec- nesday, the 17th, who left a fine ete cellar and ga- 10 lb. girl, named Mary Helen.

ots No. 1 and 3 in interesting games on Monday and improvement ad-17 E. Second St., the high school team of the N. M. ing Thursday 7.5

2-19-4tc M. I. These games were played as preliminaries to the Institute-Can- parsonage, to which everyone is cor-

a, N. M. 2-12-tfc ning the game with a score of 19 to 10. At the end of the first abbage plants ready half of the game on Tuesday night From 10:00 to 11:00 singing and prayer 11:00 a. m. to 12:00 a. m.

Our boys were entertained with a m., message by Rev. W. A. Huffman

e trees acclimated stern New Mexico rees will grow and ty. Varieties se-is as follows: James and Lee Der-ty. Varieties se-is as follows: James and Lee Der-ty. Varieties se-ty. Varieties s



METHODIST CHURCH

Brown, superintendent. Many day morning. who have been absent on account of

Preaching service at 11:00 a. m. hospital treatment. Will Walden went to Carlsbad last week to take Clyde, Jr., and Charles Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. well last Thursday.

Senior League will meet at 6:30 p. m. "The gain of Godliness' will be dis- son-in-law, Martin Yates. cussed at this hour.

Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

1 Oil Index for sale at<br/>mokehouse.ing and evening.Every man ought to go to church<br/>to get away from himself, to getwith his cousin, Geo. Winans.as activities in Rocky<br/>a.W. N. Waldrip and family, who<br/>formerly lived at Buffalo ValleyEvery man ought to go to church<br/>to get away from himself, to getwith his cousin, Geo. Winans.John Enfield came in from Los<br/>closer to folks, to learn of God.John Enfield came in from Los<br/>Angeles Tuesday.Mr. Enfield was noblest activities. Godliness brings Cashier of the old State Bank. spiritual blessings of supreme value.

#### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Corner 8th and Missouri.

6th and Missouri. These services Priced at \$2000 Mother and babe both are doing are for every one, and we earnestly Apply to J. H. nicely-Solan is expected to recover. desire the cooperation of every child The boys of the Lake Arthur of God, to help make these meet-

good bay pony. thur, being more accustomed to the 4:00 p. m., which we hope will be Kissinger, Tele- indoor court, was successful in win- helpful to all our churches in the

### LOCAL

#### R. A. Palm spent Saturday in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Ferriman were in Roswell last Thursday. Mrs. A. A. Kaiser, of Carlsbad

county superinendent of schools, was Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. M. a visitor at the high school Wednes-Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Terry, who illness were present last Sunday. live south of town have undergone Fine interest. The school has under- a siege of the flu, but are reported

Charley Wray, of Las Cruces is visiting the home of his sister, Mrs. E. L. Selby. Mr. Haven and son Ross, return-Mr. Haven and son Ross, return-Carlsbad, where she will undergo

> Sermon subject "Fruits of the Pure Mr. and Mis. Herman Kiesow and in Heart." The service will be con- Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schlotterback well last Thursday.

S. P. Emmons left last night for his home in Mexico, Missouri, after Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. a week's visit to the family of his

Wm. Scott of Santa Fe, general Mid week prayer meeting each passenger agent for the Denver and Rio Grande lines, spent Wednesday Every man ought to go to church with his cousin, Geo. Winans.

have moved a mile south of town leases in the Artesia on one of M. W. Evans' places. The pure in heart are fitted for the a pioneer settler of Artesia and noblest activities. Godliness brings Cashier of the ald State Bark

Mrs. John Lanning sang a very Will you be with us next Sunday? pleasing solo at the Christian En-It will be a delight to welcome you. deavor service held at the Presby-Get the "Go to church" habit. A terian church last Sunday evening. cordial invitation to all to attend Mrs. Hewitt was leader for the evening and conducted one of the JAMES H. WALKER, "peppiest" meetings we have had. Pastor. An auto race lent variety to the

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lauffer, of California, Mo., arrived the first of the week for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Ray Bartlett. Mr. and Mrs. Services as follows for this week. Lauffer, who have made one or Wednesday 2:30 p. m. cottage two trips to the Valley previous prayer meeting with Mother Bullock, have finally decided to locate here and from henceforth will be numbered among the Artesia residents.

Mrs. Eldridge Solomon returned home last week from Memphis, basket ball team played two very ings times of blessing and uplift to Texas, where she had been with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Ellis, who were both ill. There was a reing Thursday 7:30 p. m., at the union of the Ellis family, all of the children being at home for the first time in a number of years. Mrs.

> Chickens in the car have wrecked more autos than chickens in the road.

the game was especially interest- the Church of the Nazarene at Ros- ister on "Jesus the Universally Be-

Bible school, 9:45 a .m. Christian Endeavor, 6:15 p. m.

BACKBONE GOSSIP By F. N. THIES Chiropractor Artesia, N. M.					
COULD I but have	AND ONE Adjustment.				
MY OWN sweet way.	IN MY office.				
I'D CHANGE the minds.	FOR NERVOUS headach				
OF A FEW of you.	READILY convinced her				
WHO STILL believe.	THAT I employed.				
FROM IGNORANCE.	NO BARBARIC means.				
OR LACK of interest.	* * * TO RELIEVE pressure.				
THAT REAL Chiropractic.	ON SPINAL nerves.				
IS ROUGH and painful.	AND HER surprise.				
AND HARD to take.	* * * WAS PLAIN to me.				
JUST THE other day.	WHEN SHE exclaimed				
I HEARD a lady say.	"IS THAT all you do."				
SHE HAD heard.	AND I replied.				
SOMEONE SAY.	GOOD LADY.				
WE JUMPED on backs.	THAT'S YOUR first				
PULLED PATIENT'S legs.	REAL EXPERIENCE.				
TWISTED THEIR necks.	WITH REAL Chiropratic				
AND WHAT not.					
AND WHAT not.	I THANK you.				

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# program.

1st. J. D. Terry. 2-26-1tc Lake Arthur. The last quarter of message by Rev. R. C. Gunstream, of 11 a. m., with a sermon by the min-

The regular weekly prayer meet-

dially invited. Stroup. Stroup. Saddle and bridle, but on Tuesday night, Lake Ar-but on Tuesday night, Lake Ar-ning at 10:00 a. m. and closing at

22 Chevrolet light ing as both teams made a hard well. 12:00 to 2:00 p. m., prayer loved." abber, good condi- and fast fight to win. and praise service. 2:00 to 3:00 p. Bible and praise service. 2:00 to 3:00 p.



LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

#### NOTICE

#### In the Probate Court, Eddy County. State of New Mexico.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF E. N. TEEL,

Deceased. No. 501.

undersigned was on the 26th day of of four years at college with all January, 1925, appointed Executor of expenses paid is contained in the the Estate of E. N. Teel, deceased, by announcement made here by the the Hon. D. G. Grantham, Probate Highway Education Board of the Judge in and for Eddy County, New sixth annual good roads essay con-Mexico. test, in which all high school stu-

Therefore all persons having claims dents are eligible to participate. against the said estate are hereby notified to file the same with the County Clerk of Eddy County, withcies tending toward economy, students are being requested to write in one year from date of said appointment, as provided by law, or the same essays on the subject "Economics will be barred. GEORGE S. TEEL,

2-5 to 2-26

NOTICE

State Engineer's Office, Santa Fe, leading universities or the state de-New Mexico, January 24, 1925.

Number of Application 1652.

24th day of January, 1925 in accor- petent judges to determine the best dance with Section 26, Chapter 49, essay from that state. This applies Irrigation Laws of 1907 V. L. Gates also to the District of Columbia and Artesia, County of Eddy, State the outlaying territories. of New Mexico, made formal application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate university scholarship offered by H. the Public Waters of the State of S. Firestone, of Akron, Ohio, a New Mexico.

from Cottonwood Creek at a point missioner of Education, Dr. J. J. wood. 12° 30' W., 1065 feet distant Tigert, is chairman. This scholarfrom the S ¼ corner Sec. 2, T. 16 ship, which in the past five years S. of R. 25 E., N. M. P. M. by means has been won by three young women who moved to Artesia some time per sec. but not to exceed 1324.20 and two young men, provides that ago was a pleasant caller at the acre feet is to be conveyed to 38 the successful contestant may attend Advocate office Monday. acres in NW14NW14, 38.2 acres in any college or university in the SW14NW14, 33. 4. acres in SE14 United States, with tuition, room, NW14, 33.4 acres in NE14 NW14, board, books and special fees by Helcher and wife were visitors at 38.2 acres in NW14 SW14, 33.4 acres the donor. It is said to be the the home of Mrs. Bowman's mother SW14 SW14, 33.4 acres in SE14 largest single educational award at Hotel Inn, in Hagerman. SW, 1/4, 33.4 acres in NE 1/4# SW 1/4, offered in this country, and its esacres in N1/2 NE1/4, 40 acres in timated value to the winning stu-SW14NE14, 20 acres in N1/2 SE1/4 NE¼, 20 acres in N½NW¼SE¼, all in Sec. 16, T. 16 S. of R. 26 E., ly, or N. M. P. M. by means of Norton & years. Many state awards are offered Hersey ditch with lateral therefrom and there used for irrigation of by the cooperating organizations inabove described 441.40 acres and cluding tuition scholarships, cash guest of his relatives, the Weltons, domestic purposes.

prizes, loving cups and medals. Any person, firm, association or By educational authorities this corporation deeming that the grant-ing of the above application would school students, started in 1920, is school students, started in 1920, is be truly detrimental to their rights in the water of said stream shall declared to have been the first essay file a complete statement to their contest to assume national proporobjections substantiated by affidavits tions. It annually attracts approxi- had owned it for a few months. with the State Engineer and serve a mately a quarter of a million concopy on applicant on or before the testants, the number who submit 21st day of April, 1925, the date essays depending upon the nature set for the Engineer to take this of the subject. Entire high schools application up for final consideration often participate as part of their unless protested. In case of pro-tested applications all parties will be given a reasonable length of time tested applications all parties will from every state in the Union, while in which to submit their evidence in many of the best come from outdetail or arrange a date convenient laying territories for a hearing or appoint a referee such as Alaska, Hawaii, the Phillisatisfactory to all to take testimony. pines, Porto Rico and the Canal Appearance is not necessary unless Zone.

State Engineer.



WASHINGTON, D. C .- An offer

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and highways and home life.

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contado antes de 16 de abril." MRS. LINA A MANDA,

Superintendente de escuelas del con-

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,

NOTICE is hereby given that

Zeb P. Womack, of Artesia, N. M.,

who, on August 30, 1921, made

year Proof, to establish claim to the

Claimant names as witnesses:

Nat Camp, Charles P. Riley, Basol

February 19, 1925.

Secretario de la junta N. 16. MRS. A. A. KAISER,

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Register.

Bayler Towers.

were down from Roswell Friday. S. M. Bybee and E. J. Williams, decline in the greater part of the

**TYPHOID FEVER IN 1924** 

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

New Mexico.

been appointed by the said Probate

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No. 493.

of Roswell visited the oil field Fri- country. The largest epidemic of day.

The man with a new idea is a other cases for the most part apcrank until the idea succeeds .- Mark peared in very small groups, or Twain.

Mrs. R. K. Hoover arrived from Kansas Sunday to join her husband, In line with administration poli- Dr. Hoover.

In the Probate Court, Eddy County, Says a jowelary advertisement: Watch for a lady of superior design Resulting from Highway Improve- and movement. IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST

area.

ment," having in the two preceding W. C. Marable, of the Dayton community was a business visitor in dealing with highways and religion town Monday.

The contest in the various states Will and Ed Watson, prominent usually is sponsored by one of the ranchmen from the Hope community were in the city last week. partment of education, which aids in

the announcement of the contest "Driving with one hand is bad Notice is hereby given that on the and at its termination names com- business. Sooner or later you are bound to run into a church."

same within the time prescribed by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lucas went law or the same will be barred. to Amarillo Tuesday on buisness. The principal prize is a four years They expect to return tomorrow. 2-26-3-19

J. T. Ross, of Lake Arthur was member of the Highway Education in town Tuesday arranging for final Such appropriation is to be made Board, of which the U. S. Com- proof on homestead land near Lan-

W. E. Cass, formerly of Lakewood,

Ed Bowman and wife, Laurens

W. H. Davis, of Grove, Okla., who dent is approximately \$1,000 annual- moved to Artesia two or three weeks ly, or at least \$4,000 for the four ago has assumed his duties with the C. V. and D. Reality Co.

> James Warner, who had been the for the past three months, left

Monday for his home in Florida. Wallace Merchant has bought the A. C. Keinath house, on Richardson avenue, from Mr. Cheeseman, who

paper mill in France is reported to have recently bought forty tons of German marks as old paper paying 325 francs therefor.

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NOTICE TO POLL TAX PAYERS Katherine Butterfield, of Weiser,

#### Poll Tax For 1924.

Artesia School, District 16, Eddy were Miss Garland Johnson, Bridge County, New Mexico. All able bodied persons, (both men

and women), resident of the state, Pearson, District of Columbia and between the ages of 21 and 60 years, shall annually between February 1st Dorothy Roberts, Harlan, Kentucky, and April 15th, in the district in 1923. With the exception of Liska,

Every cent of poll tax collected here is placed to the credit of this school district, therefore school district, therefore, any at-tempt to avoid payment of same is an attempt to defraud the school children of this district of their just tending high school may submit an Story and with his wife will leave

trict after the posting of this notice, the paper itself, are provided. Es- months ago. but who have not paid their poll says must not exceed 700 words in tax elsewhere, are liable for the length and must be handed school payment of a poll tax in this dis- principals or teachers not later than at home for several months, leaves

The clerks of the various districts under oath and bond for the faithful discharge of their duties, and they will be expected to report to the District Attorney, all delin- of the Highway Education Board, brother-in-law, Mr. Wood. quents if there be such, on the 16th Willard Building, Washington, D. C. day of April. Let this be our Slo- The best essays of previous years

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#### PAGADORES DE CAPITAC

Capitaction For 1924.

Artesia Districto de escuelas 16 Eddy Contado, Nueve Mexico.

Todas las personas robustas, que tado viven en el estado, entre las edades do veinte y uno 21 y sesenta 60 anos, pagaran cada ano una capitacion de dos dolares, en el districto en que viven desde febrero 1 a 15 Department of the Interior, U. S. de abril.

Cada centavo de capitacion recogida aqui se pone al credito de este districto de escuelas; por eso, alguna empresa a evitar el page de la capitacion es una empresa a defraudar a los muchachos de sus derechos.

Las personas que entraron en el Hd. entry, No. 049447. for  $W_{2}$ districto despues del colocar de esta Section 3, Township 18-S., Range noticia en lugares publicos, pero 29-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed quienes no han pagado su capitacion notice of intention to make three en cualquiera parte, tienen que pagar

capitacion en este districto. Los sechetarios de los various dis-trictos han hecho juramientos y han Artesia, N. M., on the 3rd day of dado depositos para la discarga fiel April, 1925. de sus obligaciones y ellos in formaran al procurador del districto, todos de los delincuentes, si hay al-gunos de eses, el 16 de abril. Ten-gamos esto como nuestro Slogan, "Coda comitación del districto, Nat Camp, Charles P. Riley Basol D. Kimbrough, Joseph Henry Shuler, all of Artesia, N. M. JAFFA MILLER. "Cada capitacion recogida en Eddy 2-26-3-26

and possessions, California, arrived this week to look over the oil situation.

Sheriff Shattuck, of Carlsbad, The award in 1924 went to John passed through Artesia Saturday en-Liska, a Wisconsin high school stu-route to Las Vegas where he was dent, whose subject was "The Retaking a demented Mexican to lation of Improved Highways to the state institution there. Home Life." The first winner, Miss

Miss Lois Burns returned last Idaho, was graduated last year week from California, where she Good Car, Careful Driver, Familiar with Oil Field and Location Anywhere of Wells. Anytime from Northwestern University, near went to bring her little niece, Bobby Chicago. Other successful students Mitchell, who had been there several months with her grandmother port, West Virginia, 1921; Karl G. Mitchell.

Lindsborg, Kansas, 1922, and Miss Joe Jessee is expecting his father, J. S. Jessee of Mexico, Missouri, the last of the week for a short visit. which they live, pay a poll tax of all of these students are in college Mr. Jessee is coming here from two dollars (\$2) each. Texas, where he has been visiting another son.

William Riley has sold his house but provide that any student at- on Richardson avenue to Louis essay. No other conditions, except next month for Mission, Texas, Persons who moved into the dis- those governing the preparation of where they purchased land some

> Mrs. O. J. Adams, who has been May 1, 1925. Selection of the best today for Long Beach, California, essay is by a process of elimination. to take her old position in the Complete information will be for- Bungalow grocery, owned by Homer warded each person who inquires Rohrbough, his brother and his

Mrs. Sidney Cox returned the first gan: "Every poll tax collected in have been collected in pamphlet of the week from Silver City, where Eddy County by the 16th day of form and are available for distri- she had been attending the Grand MRS. LINA A. MANDA, Clerk of District No 16. MRS. A. A. Kaiser, County Superintendent of Schools 2-19-2t MRS. LINA A. MANDA, Clerk of District No 16. MRS. A. A. Kaiser, County Superintendent of Schools

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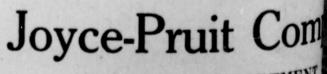
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Every Local Enterprise that Employs Labor and Capital, is a Potential Giant for Even the Smallest Community. Albuquerque-\$250,000 appropria-tion to be asked for erection of federal building. Las Vegas-Kaufman Creamery Company to erect creamery here. Roswell-Pecos Valley Milling 21 Company to build \$100,000 alfalfa mill and cotton seed warehouse. Las Cruces-Plans and specifications being prepared for erection of \$125,000 union high school building. Las Cruces-22,708 bales of cot-29 ton ginned in Dona Ana county up to January 31st. New Mexico sheepgrowers expect large number of lambs this season. Yoso-Gibson Oil Company secured lease on 43,000 acres of oil lands 36 north of here. Silver City-First National Bank granted charter. Tularosa-Cotton acreage to be greatly increased this season. New Mexico mining industry to be increased during 1925. Albuquerque-Contract to be let for construction of \$50,000 building Vertical. for Kress & Company. Deming-New cotton gin will be built here if cotton acreage reaches 1100 acres or more; 700 acres already assured. Tucumcari-Local milling company producing 15 kinds of cereal products. 12-Perforated block with an inter-nal screw thread When You Want a Good MEAL 25-Piece for practice for some spe-cial kind of technique go to MRS. R. E. HORNE'S **Boarding House** 3 Blocks South of First Natl. Bank 36-Came face to face with MEALS SERVED FAMILY STYLE WE GIVE PROMPT Solution of Puzzle No. 50. PANCAKEEFRAMES AND CANCALE FRAMES CSORCERY EXIST I TOOREGONELSA RAN PIPDOGIDAM CLUED MERITYP UKASESSOLVIME SENTPOPREPAID EFFICIENT SERVICE

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Chickenpox-Bernalillo 2, Chaves

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TAX MEASURE

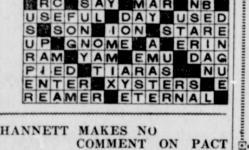
ECTORY Renehan introduced a delinquent tax measure requiring the county treasurer to report all delinquencies to the district attorney. If the district attorney is too busy the this paper county commissioners may on order pecial meet- of the district court employ an auditor. If the district attorney is slow in filing suits or shows neglect in collections, the district court on its own motion or on petition of five taxpayers who have paid their taxes may order the district attorney to show cause, and if hearing d fourth Thursshows he is remiss he may be fined 7:30. Visiting an amount equal to his salary for the Watch this period of neglect, not less than \$250 nor more than \$1,000, or may be suspended for 90 days. It provides five per cent in addition to penalties other costs, to pay auditor and costs and additional assistants for the district attorney, or to be added to the regular salary of assistants; also to pay publication costs.

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CAL. NO. 1 MAY BE CENTER OF BIG PLAY IN THE NEAR FUTURE

(Continued from first page) mence operations in the NE¼ of o'clock. Sec. 5-26-28.

location in the NW¼ of Sec. 12- o'clock. 24-31.

Operations in the Artesia Field Rotary-Illinois No. 1, in the N14 plays winner of game 16 at 9 o'clock. of Sec. 30-18-28, cleaning out hole after shooting well last week. Re- plays loser of game 16 at 8 o'clock ports are that the well swabbed 55 barrels in 3 hours.

Ohio Oil Co., Francis Tracy permit in the NW corner of Sec. 34- major tournament will play a con-21-26, drilling below 1250 feet. Maljamar Oil and Gas Corp., in solation cup

the SE corner of the SW14 Sec. 28-18-28, drilling below 100 feet.

well No. 3, drilling below 1900 feet. The bit is reported to be topping the sand. The race for the pay loser of game 4 at 1:30 o'clock. sand between the No. 6 and well No. 8, seems to be a draw, how- loser of game 6 at 2:30 o'clock. ever No. 6 was started first.

McNutt-Illinois, Simpson No. 1, in Sec. 7-18-28, drilling at 200 feet. 3:30 o'clock. Drilling operations were reported sometime ago at 250 feet through winner of consolation game 2 at error.

Illinois No. 8, in the SE¼ of Sec. 29-17-28, offsetting Twin Lakes No. loser of game 10 at 9:30 o'clock. 2, drilling below 1910 feet.

Illinois No. 10, in the NE corner of the SE¼ of Sec. 29-18-28, drill- game 3 plays the winner of consoing below 150 feet.

Thompson No. 1, in Sec. 18-17-28, game 5 plays the winner of consodrilling at 500 feet.

Cheesman No. 1, 250 feet south and 250 feet east of the NW1/4 of the SE¼ of Sec. 35-18-28, have game 7 plays the winner of consocommenced drilling operations.

M. M. Miller, Olson No. 1, Olson permit in the NW corner of the games will be 50 cents for Friday NE of the NW of Sec. 4-20-27, and Saturday night, the admission drilling below 1250 feet.

NE¼ of Sec. 29-18-28, drilling below charge of only 25 cents will be made. 500 feet.

the NE of the SE14 of Sec. 19-18- sold for \$1.50. The cost for all the 28, drilling below 725 feet.

Oil Co., Oscar Howard, in Sec. 2- on sale Monday at Norton's, The Gyer, Roswell; H. R. Fisher, Ama- ing. 19-26, drilling at 2250 feet.

Keyes et al., in the SE corner of the SW14 of the NE1/2 of 19-18-28, the Institute. They will be Lieut. February 24th: drilling below 2280 feet in hard lime. Espy, Capt. Wonsettler, Capt. Raben-It might be interesting to mention horst, H. G. Mitchell. that there have been three nice showings of oil above this depth. The officials plan to drill to 2300 feet or deeper unless oil is struck at a lesser depth.

New State Oil Co., are planning to commence drilling operations on acreage owned by the Marion Oil the Valley. Artesia will also have Co., in the N1/2 of Sec. 5-18-28. contestants for the typing contest. Drilling to start within thirty days. The following basketball players This location is about fifteen miles will represent the Artesia High tesia boy has been employed by the southeast of Artesia.

on the Marion Oil Co., acreage in tain.

#### VALLEY BASKET BALL TOURNAMENT BEGINS TODAY IN ROSWELL February 18th:

(Continued from first page)

Game 16-Winner of game 13 Portland-Pecos Oil Co., made a plays winner of game 14 at 11:30

Saturday Night. Game 17-Winner of game 15 Extra game-Loser of game 15

for third and fourth place. Consolation Tournament.

The losers in the first round of the solation tournament for the con-

Friday Morning. Game 1-Loser of game 1 plays

Illinois No. 6, 550 feet south of loser of No. 2 at 11:30 o'clock. Friday Afternoon. Game 2-Loser of game 2 plays

> Game 3-Loser of game 5 plays Game 4-Loser of game 7 plays winner of consolation game 1 at

Game 5-Loser of game 8 plays 8:30 o'clock.

Game 6-Loser of game 8 plays Saturday Afternoon.

Game 7-Winner of consolation lation game 4 at 1:30 o'clock. Geo. E. Bobb, Thompson permit, Game 8-Winner of consolation lation game 6 at 2:30 o'clock.

#### Saturday Night.

Game 9-Winner of consolation lation game 8 at 7 o'clock.

The admission charge to these charge including all games played Gilliland et al., in the SW 4 of the these nights. For other periods a Tom Shapland, Santa Fe. Season tickets for all the games to games if tickets are bought separ-Model and at the High School.

The officials will be furnished by

A large delegation of the Artesia school students will attend the Pecos Valley basketball tournament beginning at Roswell today. Much school pep is now in evidence and the Tulsa, Okla.; John S. Mering, Amateams from Artesia will make a hard fight for the championship of

school in the tournament. Geo. E. Bobb has made a location Robert Feemster-Center and cap- man for this territory. Jimmy, in

#### GUESTS AT THE HARDWICK

J. M. Myer, Moringsport, La.,; Wm. about, but is steadily improving. Abilene, Texas; Mrs. B. C. Wright, tonwood school. Los Angeles, Cal.; C. A. Brunk, Clovis; J. A. Miles, Garden City, brother, Henry Adkins are visiting seriously ill, is improving. Kan.; Cliff King, Garden City, Kan.; their sister, Mrs. W. W. Wallace. W. King, Garden City, Kan.; White; N. J. Hine, Jal; C. A. Test, tle Marie Buck, we hear, has it now. Wm. G. Head, Clovis; J. Page Amarillo.

February 19th:

B. Morrison, Cisco, Texas; J. guests at the Bixler home Tuesday. Wilkerson, Henry Mr. and Mrs. Joe Adkins Miss Wilkerson, Hereford, Texas; H. S. Elizabeth Adkins, Miss Emma Bris-Fesbroches, Roswell; J. A. Bryan, coe, Mr. Ernest Bixler and Mr. F. Williams, Tonkawa, Okla.; Jack Phillips, Tonkawa, Okla. February 20th:

W. W. Rush, Denver; John Foster; D. Long, Breckenridge, Texas; H. Burch, Ft. Worth, Texas; W. H. chant, Amarillo, Texas; Joe Huff, ported. City; Tex Thornton, Amarillo, Texas; Y. E. Turnbo, Amarillo, Texas. February 21st:

E. Lowe, De Leon, Texas; Tom Co- who sincerely mourn the loss of their gan, Lima, Ohio; Billie Stites, Ros- chil and who sympathize with the well; I. P. Jackson, Arkansas; B. bereaved ones in their sorrow. F. Caldwell, Arkansas; L. B. Fargo, Albuquerque; Boyd Williams; R. E. Dugan, City; H. Williams, Los Angeles, Cal.; H. R. Kennedy, Los Angeles, Cal.; H. R. Kennedy, Los Angeles, Cal.; Ed Gould, Oil City; place for Carl Millman now. E. T. Anderson, Dallas, Texas; H. L. Rummell, Dallas, Texas; Clyde Miss Florence Cass to Carlsbad.

Guy, Roswell. February 22: H. M. Scott, Bartlesville, Okla., Shafer.

L. B. Rehn, Bowling Green, Ky.; February 23rd:

Dancigar Oil and Refining Co., in be played in the tournament will be R. C. Hoover, City; A. M Keller, last week. Mrs. R. K. Hoover, City; Mrs. R. Dallas, Texas; C. A. Daly, Albuquerque; Van R. Hatcher, El Dorado, Peckenpough No. 1, Eureka ately will be \$2.50. Tickets will be Ark.; W. C. Floyd, Amarillo; Ford rillo, Texas; Jas. Mechielin, Denver, Colo

> R. H. Russell, Tulsa, Okla; Harvey Cort, New York; Hugh B. Beetes, El Paso, Texas; John Lemond, Chicago, Ill.; Miss L. E. Thomas, Denver, Colo.; Miss F. Nelson, Denver, Colo.; L. M. Jones, rillo, Texas.

#### ARTESIA BOY MAKING GOOD

Jimmy Page White, a former Ar-

to learn that he is making good

with the firm.

#### COTTONWOOD ITEMS

Mrs. Wells is not yet able to be Ray Rodgers is now well and this week.

McGinn and wife, City; W. O. Jones, teaching his classes at Lower Cot-Miss Elizabeth Adkins and her

whooping cough on Cottonwood. Lit-

and Mr. H. Adkins were dinner nesday.

St. Louis, Mo.; T. B. Gritts, Clovis; Henry Adkins were dinner guests of M. J. McClaskey, Tulsa, Okla.; C. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Sunday. F. Williams, Tonkawa, Okla.; Jack Rev. Thomason, Church of Christ preacher of Hagerman, held services Sunday morning at the Upper Cottonwood school house. A most excellent sermon was well received by

quite a large crowd. A number of Cottonwood young Bass, Enid, Okla.; R. H. Ernest, people and a large number of Ar-Kansas City, Mo.; D. F. Lorsen, tesia people were guests at a dance Tulsa, Okla.; Ben M. Curtis, Tulsa, given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Okla.; Francis Bailey, Roswell; G. W. W. Wallace on the evening of M. Williams, Carlsbad; G. C. Mer- the 18th. A wonderful time is re-

Little Minnie Beckner, three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Beckner died at 7 oclock on the evening of the 18th. The Beckners J. F. Curtis, De Leon, Texas; W. have many friends on Cottonwood

#### LAKEWOOD ITEMS

Mrs. Grant Knepple accompanied

Mrs. North is here from Hope visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ralph

Miss Florence Cass went to Carlsbad last Tuesday to have her tonsils removed

Mrs. B. L. McAleer was up from Carlsbad a few days visiting friends

Tom Hellyer is a gentleman of leisure now as repair work is being done on the boiler where he is drill-

Mrs. Jim Foster has gone to Hagerman to be with her mother who is very ill.

Mr. Cass went to Carlsbad to see his daughter Sunday. She is still in the hospital recovering from an operation.

Mrs. Larremore went to Carlsbad last week to visit friends a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kehl, of Carlsbad visited in Lakewood last Wednesday.

If Mr. Hellyer, who drives the truck that transports the school children from Seven Rivers, has any more to come to school, he will have to get a trailer.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson, who have Triangle Oil Co., of Clovis as sales- had light houskeeping rooms in the Knowles residence the past few company with the manager, W. G. weeks, left for their home at Ama-

## LOCAL

be here for some time wool for an eastern fin

today for Cincinnati

before returning to

they will visit a co

Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A.

Mrs. Sarah Gray is severely ill. Mrs. G. M. Winans is quite sick

Mrs. Coll, Sr., who has been ill for some weeks, is convalescent.

S. E. Heskett, m Mrs. G. W. Lamar, who has been Artesia Utilities first of the week fro Mesdames Seale and Baskin and Oklahoma and will There are still several cases of Miss Corinne Parke motored to Rossume the manufactum plant. well Friday.

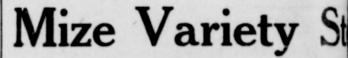
Miss Virginia Lang E. C. Jackson, the hustling real estate man from Lake Arthur was a at home for a week Miss Emma Briscoe, Miss Eliza-beth Adkins, Mrs. W. W. Wallace, caller at the Advocate office Wed- account of the illness returned Monday

Max Coll came in from Houston, Alabama, both of her Texas last Thursday and expects to improved.

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the NE¼ of Sec. 26-18-28, drilling operations will start as soon as the rig arrives which is now enroute here.

Rotary-Illinois has made a location in the NW14 of the NE14 of Sec. 29-18-28, offsetting Gilliland No. 1, to the west.

Snowden McSweeney have purchased 160 acres frrm McNutt in Sec. 21-18-28. They are also ne- Celia Reheberg will represent the gotiating for more acreage in the high school in the typing contest. field.

Williams Petroleum Corporation, BARTLETT ORGANIZES of Los Angeles, Californa, have made a location in the SE corner of the NW14 of the NE14 of Sec. 19-18-28.

J. F. Van Cleve, well known Shreveport operator, and associates pianist with the orchestra. Mr. Barthave purchased the E1/2 of the NE1/4 lett wants the boys and girls of Sec. 36-18-28, this being 2600 feet Artesia and the sourrounding counwest of the California No. 1 well. try who wish to join this organi-Also NW14 of the SE14 of Sec. zation, to let him know as soon as 17-18-28 and the NE14 of the SE14 possible so that the proper instruof Sec. 26-18-28.

#### Summary of Completed Wells.

Following is a summary of the completed wells in the field to date: fective a moral factor in the life of Illinois No. 1-Sec. 31-18-28, depth a boy or girl as is religion. Give 2072 feet, 12 feet sand, oil.

Illinois No. 2-Sec. 25-18-27, depth or drums in the midst of companion 2085 feet, 12 feet sand, gas and oil. youths and you have done more

2013 feet, 47 feet sand, oil. Illinois No 4-Sec. 32-18-28, depth know of. Too many people unthink-

2003 feet, 24 feet sand, oil. Illinois No. 5-Sec. 32-18-28, depth They hear inartistic sounds and throw

2028 feet, 20 feet sand, oil. Illinois No. 7-Sec. 32-18-28, depth ther than the rendition of the music 2005 fect. oil.

Twin Lakes No. 1-Sec. 28-18-28, that there is a big tieup with the depth 2026 feet, 33 feet sand, oil. Twin Lakes No. 2-Sec. 28-18-28, and that the music here is not the

depth 2030 feet, 35 feet sand, oil. end but the means to an end. New State No. 1-Sec. 4-18-28,

depth 2314, 14 feet sand, oil. Pitcher No. 1-Sec. 12-18-27, depth do you value the cow I saw yes-2006, 11 feet sand, oil.

depth 2026, oil. Rotary-Illinois No. 1-Sec. 30-18- cars?

28, depth 2160 feet, 45 feet sand, oil.

California No. 1, A. R. Goodale permit in the SW14 of the SE14 a girl-you must offer her the of Sec. 30-19-29, drilled to 1522 feet. right kind of goods and keep on 15 feet of sand, oil.

#### Chaves County.

The Colorado Gas and Fuel Co., in the SE<sup>1</sup><sub>4</sub> of the NE<sup>1</sup><sub>4</sub> of Sec. 16-8-27, Chaves county, north of Roswell is drilling below 1750 feet. They expect to get the pay sand 1 as the basis for his calculations, around 2000 feet. The indications running the level from this well. are reported favorable. operations in charge of Hilty and Dancigar No. 1\_\_\_\_\_3537.2-3537 Lietz of Breckenridge, Texas. Lea County.

More than six new locations are reported to have been made in Lea county, although but one has been officially announced as yet. Fenofficially announced as yet. ton et al in Sec. 19-16-24 is drilling below 350 feet.

Elevation of Wells.

Geologist A. R. Sweet, of Los An- Illinois No. 3 and 4 ..... 3500. geles, California, submits the fol- Illinois No. 5 ..... \_3493. lowing elevations on the wells not Illinois No. 6\_\_\_\_\_3506.

Robert Burns-Left forward. Elvan Jonas-Right forward. Carl Henderson-Center and guard. the company's products on sale at John Williams-Left guard. Earnest Fleming-Right guard. Fred Henderson, Forward. Chauncey Yeager-Manager. E. C. Campbell-Coach.

Typing Contest. The Misses Elizabeth Adams and

A NEW ORCHESTRA FOR THE MAJESTIC THEATRE

(Continued from first page) mentation may be arranged for. Better start now and work up with

the orchestra. Making music is probably as efthe boy or girl a trumpet or a violin Illinois No. 3-Sec. 32-18-28, depth Christian Endeavor work than could be done in any other way that we ingly disparage amateur music. up their hands; they cannot see faritself. It never once occurs to them moral outcome of amateur members,

Stranger: Brother, at what price terday in the field by the railroad? Royal Duke No. 1-Sec. 29-18-28, Farmer: Are you the tax assessor, or has she been killed by the

> Getting business is like courting calling .- Round Robin.

previously announced by us. Some of these elevations will no doubt be of interest to the oil operators. Mr. Sweet takes the Roswell No. Drilling New State No. 1 .---- 3575.

Keyes No. 1 .-----\_3516.8\_\_3517 Rotary No. 1\_\_\_ 3508.2-3508 Royal Duke No. 1\_\_\_\_\_3498. Etz "Howard". 3361. Walker-Mitchell No. 1 .- 3467.

Walker-Mitchell No. 2\_3476. Illinois No. 2 .---\_3480.

White, spent a few days in Artesia rillo last Friday. this week and succeeded in placing

Willard Bates, wife, and daughter, two local firms, the Muncy Service Mrs. Tom Calloway were Artesia Station and Dr. Loucks Garage. visitors today. Friends of Mr. White will be glad

#### DEFINITION

A parking hole is a space between Ray Powers, druggist of the Star two cars, generally found on the Pharmacy at Carlsbad, and his opposite side of the street from the brother were Artesia visitors today. one you are on.



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