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EQUALIZATION IN TAXATION

The matter of equalization of taxes to-day is one of the biggest and most gigantic problems confronting local government organization. Theoretically it looks easy, but ask the county board of equalization. After all who shall say what our individual tax values should be and who is qualified to pass on the valuation of all classes of property. When we talk of the actual value of some classes of property we touch on the matter that can only be settled by experts.

Here are three farms, the actual value of one is \$50.00 one is \$100.00 and the other is \$200.00, yet they are all assessed for the same valuation. Except for the earning capacity of each farm, how shall a conclusion be drawn as to the value of each farm. Irrigated farms vary, so do farms with pumping plants. It is hard to place a set fixed rule for values in either class.

Most people do not object to paying taxes as long as the values are about equal and they think they are not paying more than their proportionate share. Others pay their taxes because they have to. If tax paying was a matter like supporting the church or some other community institution of like nature, the latter class would let the other fellow do it. And in this connection we believe that the fellow who balks like a mule when it comes to supporting community institutions, should be forced to pay his full share of taxes for that is all that he gives to his community, even though grudgingly.

Some fellows who refuse to lend their moral or financial support to worthy institutions, have no conscientious scruples in profiting by the load that the other fellow carries. If its a matter of building a hotel, hospital or what not, this class of residents which should not be called citizens may not donate a red cent, but let one of them have an opportunity to make a dollar when the institution comes to town and see if he hesitates.

SUMMER IN THE SACRAMENTOS

It should be gratifying to a number of local people to know that the Sacramento mountains promise to attract an increasing number of tourists during the coming vacation. This region little known because of its inaccessibility is one of the beauty spots of the state. Good roads will make it better known.

The fact that the tourist must discover what the home folks have been overlooking is rather an unfortunate affair. We feel a little chagrined over the fact that the outsider must awaken the local people up to the possibilities of this region.

Already there is a noticeable increase in the travel from here to Cloudfcroft, but the tourist season has not properly started. We have heard tourists remark that few roads in the western states offer a more varied attraction in scenery than does our proposed mountain highway.

Those who are familiar with the Sacramento region can appreciate the changes that it has undergone within the past four or five years. In addition to a new highway now under construction, three summer camps have been built in the Weed section during this period. In their order of construction they are: Artesia-Sacramento camp, the Boy Scout camp, the Girl Scout and a fourth camp, which will be operated as a private institution by Minor Huffman, Boy Scout executive is now nearing completion. The latest building project in the Girl Scout camp will cost \$15,000 to \$20,000, which shows in a small measure the evidence of faith in the area as a summer resort.

COOPERATION

Ernest F. Marlatt, Editor of the Kenosha, (Wis.) News, says:

That cooperation has become generally recognized as the key to solution of problems in many fields of endeavor. In no field, however, is it more essential to success than in the work of community development.

Fortunate indeed is the city which has its various groups and organizations working together for the common good—all for one and one for all. That city which is divided into groups, each hoping for the general welfare of the city but each largely pursuing its own more or less selfish purposes and aims, usually finds itself in a sorry plight. Progress may come piecemeal but it will come more slowly than under the cooperative method.

Progress which comes to the community as a whole must benefit every part of that community and thereby advance all.

Scientists are now predicting the return this year of the 17 year locusts, but say that the insect will do very little damage. Well, here's hoping he postpones his visit for another 17 years—even if he should not do any damage.

The Town Doctor Says

ANYTHING LESS THAN THE
BEST IS SOLD AT A DISCOUNT

There is an old and very true saying that "What the eye doesn't see, the heart doesn't fancy," but it is also true that the eye sees many things that blind the heart to that which it otherwise would fancy.

How often have you seen a blemish on the face of an otherwise beautiful woman, so noticeable that whenever you looked at her, you could not keep your eye off the blemish? She might be wonderfully gowned, marvelously groomed and exquisitely coiffed, but try as you might, you could see only the mar.

The appearance of anything either repels or invites ownership. Eighty per cent of those things sold to-day are purchased through, or the purchase is influenced by, the eye. What a thing looks like, therefore, is extremely important in creating a desire in the minds of others for it.

The appearance of a town is just as important as the appearance of a package, the appearance of a show window, clothing, or anything that is purchased in the store or on the market.

Why do they put colored picture wrappers on cans of beans, corn and tomatoes—it doesn't make the contents of the can any better. Why do automobile manufacturers spend so much time, care and money on the exterior appearance of the motor car—it doesn't make the motor run any smoother or last any longer, or make the car ride any easier.

Any package, even though the contents be unharmed, depreciates in value if the cover is soiled, torn or the least bit mutilated. Furniture with the least scratch; a suit, though never worn, that has faded; a book with a broken cover; a shirt with a torn tail, are less than the best, and sold at a discount. A perfect animal with a skin blemish never takes the prize.

Look around you and see all these things that are made to look attractive, in order that you may be attracted thereby—then, think of your town.

The picture of many communities would serve well for a puzzle picture of "What's Wrong Here?" Stand back and take a good look at the picture of your own front yard, your store, your office building, your factory. Does it look good or are you half way ashamed of it? Are you proud of it, or do you apologize for the looks of it when company calls or people start talking about it?

Selling a town—and to keep pace with modern times, it must be sold—is like selling anything else. Therefore, how your town looks is of vital importance. There are few towns that are not very much like the "otherwise beautiful woman"—their beauty is so marred by blemishes that the beholder cannot see the attractiveness for looking at the scars.

Do your part—set an example by eliminating the scars, the blemishes of your corner and others will do likewise. It's poor business to allow the value of your community to be discounted by a poor appearance.

STEPPING OUT INTO THE WORLD

Graduation from High school is one of the most important events in the life of the ordinary individual. Because on this occasion a great deal of advice is usually given, the average student is inclined to underestimate the value of the guidance proffered him at commencement time.

The elders of the High school graduate have learned from experience the pit falls that usually await the young man or woman entering the business world and it is unfortunate that the boy or girl graduate can not absorb more of the worthy guidance offered on this occasion.

Graduation time may be likened to the fruit tree in bloom. The bloom is only a forerunner of the delicious fruit that may follow or that will follow if the tree is properly cared for. The bloom may wither and blight or it may be made to produce abundant fruit. High school or college is only a preparation for the remainder of life. It is not a time to relax our energies, but rather a time to begin. The mistake that has often been made in the past is that the graduate will let down after accomplishing this important task. How many bright high school and college students are failures in after life, who have made the error of thinking that the supreme accomplishment has been finished and that they can take life easy.

According to the workings of nature and the process of evolution, a member of either the animal or vegetable kingdom, that ceases to grow will wither and die. One of the most tragic occurrences in the human existence is to see the intellect stop its process of development.

CHANGING SENTIMENT

About ten years ago, a prominent newspaper editor of this state refused to allow any mention in his paper of syphilis and gonorrhea, or the need for sane sex education. A week ago, the New Mexico State Tribune carried an editorial on the subject that was enlightened and wholly in line with modern thought. The editor based his comment on a recent news item telling of the conviction and fining of a woman, who had written a pamphlet on sex hygiene, that appears to have had endorsement by a perfectly respectable people. Regardless of the merits of this particular pamphlet, it is heartening to see public sentiment taking the sensible view that these matters, which lie at the foundation of our being, should be taught to our children; that the stork and little fairies and all other taboos on real information should be thrown into the discard and that genuine facts, decently presented, are the best safeguard a child can have.—Exchange.

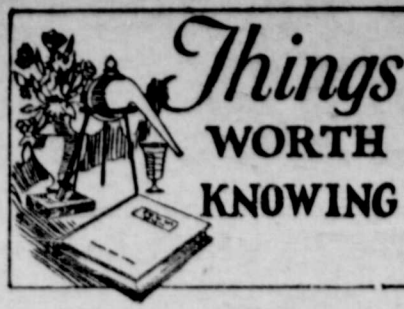
WATER

Governor Dillon has been widely quoted on his short treatise on the subject of water. In the column of "Did You Ever Stop to Think," by Edson R. Waite, the Governor is quoted as saying:

That a certain wise man centuries ago is said to have remarked that "Without vision the people perish." In the west we would like to name water a twin sister to vision, for without water we would have to give up the ghost and the vision would flit away with it.

The question of the proper distribution, use and conservation of water is, in my opinion, the most vital question confronting the western states to-day and a just settlement of this subject will have its beneficial effect on the entire nation.

We read where more than \$500,000 worth of phonograph records were imported from the United States into Mexico last year; then some folks wonder why they had a revolution.



A little hunger is much better than indigestion for hogs on their journey to market. They should not be fed heavily before being shipped.

Bull calves in the dairy herd can be fed and handled much the same as the heifers, except that it is better to delay weaning until 8 or 10 months of age. If raised on skim milk, bull calves over 3 months old should have a little more grain than heifers. Good-sized bulls are always preferred and this method of feeding lets them get their best size and development.

Young pullets are very sensitive to strange conditions and objects, and should not be disturbed or moved around from place to place. Pullets intended for laying should be kept by themselves and so handled that they will grow well and be in good laying condition by the middle of the fall. Free range on clean soil and plenty of green feed and shade are essential to good growth.

Don't let the hogs make their own wallow by rooting a mud hole in the lot or pasture. Such a place is a nuisance and is unsanitary. Provide a wallow made of concrete, and located in a convenient, shady place in the lot. Clean it and refill with fresh water frequently. Crude oil, enough to form a thin layer on the water, if poured into the wallow about every ten days, will help to control lice.

Few dairymen with medium or small sized dairy herds can afford to own a first class purebred bull; but every dairyman can afford to own a share in one. A cooperative dairy-bull association is the best and cheapest way for the small dairyman to obtain the use of a purebred bull to improve his herd. Farmers' Bulletin 1532-F, obtainable from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, gives information on dairy-herd improvement through cooperative bull associations.

Pasturing cut-over land keeps the brush down, causing timber roots to die, and ultimately reduces the cost of stump removal. Goats, sheep, or cattle will do this work for nothing. Goats are natural browsers and will eat twigs and grass in preference to anything else. Sheep must be more closely pastured than goats, so that they will be forced to eat the bushes. On large areas it is necessary to fence the land into small sections, and keep the stock on one section until it has been browsed clean.

The huge insect army that invades the grain crops of the country each year might be more effectively combated if advances were detected earlier and remedies applied sooner, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Grain crops should be watched carefully for the earliest signs of insect outbreaks and fields examined daily, if possible, in the growing season. It is well to keep a small supply of some standard insecticide, such as Paris green, calcium arsenate, or lead arsenate, on hand, as delay is often fatal to the crop. Watch especially for army worms, cutworms and grasshoppers.

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CHEVROLET SETS NEW RECORD FOR SECOND CONSECUTIVE MONTH

DETROIT, Mich.—Exceeding by approximately 10,000 units its best previously manufacturing record, Chevrolet Motor Company in 1928, has established a new all-time production record with an output of 713,737 cars and trucks. April's second consecutive month which Chevrolet set up a new monthly production mark, having been high with 147,273 units.

April's achievement in Chevrolet production in the first four months of the year amounts to 511,837 units as compared with 496,767 for the corresponding period in 1928, a gain of more than 15 per cent over the best previous production period in the company's history.

Most significant feature of Chevrolet's manufacturing performance during the first four months of the year is that during that limited period Chevrolet built more six-cylinder cars than any other manufacturer built in an entire year.

Identical with the announcement of the latest Chevrolet production record was the indication that demand for the greatest demand Chevrolet has ever known. May will set a new all-time monthly record.

Tentative schedules for the current month call for production of 160,000 cars and trucks.

Large factories located at various points from coast to coast are working with all the speed at their command with Chevrolet's precision engineering methods to accomplish the greatest spring business in the history of the company.

LOCALS

Ben Pior was attending to business matter in Roswell Tuesday.

Mrs. Wellington Haskins, of the field is visiting at Las Cruces this week.

Miss LaVon Brown leaves this week to spend the summer at her home in Portales.

J. E. Robertson, Martin Yates and Senator Z. B. Moon were visitors in Santa Fe, Tuesday.

Mrs. Ben Pior and children returned Monday evening from a visit to relatives in Texas and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole, Rev. Allen Johnson and Tom Young were among the Hope people in Artesia Saturday.

Miss Nina Couch will accompany Miss LaVon Brown home to Portales for a short stay before leaving for her home in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Turknott and daughters, Miss Ruby and Mrs. Herman Jones and baby, made a business trip to Carlsbad Thursday.

Mr. Allen of the High school faculty leaves this week for Iowa City, Iowa, where he will attend the summer school at the State University.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. McCombs and daughters, the Misses Sarah and Elizabeth, who have been spending the winter here, will leave this week for their home at Venita, Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Anderson drove over to El Paso Sunday for a brief visit with Mr. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson. Mrs. Frank Wilson accompanied them to the Pass City.

Roy Browing of Odessa, Texas was a guest at the Hardwick hotel Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Priest will leave Saturday for their home at Superior, Wisconsin.

Calvin Dunn and family spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Dunn at Alamogordo.

W. A. McLean is moving his family to-day from Dallas street to the old Cecil house, corner of Fourth and Richardson.

Mrs. D. Burdette and small son returned this week from Arizona where they had been a few weeks with an older son of Mrs. Burdette.

Miss Merrill Bradley will leave the last of the week for a six weeks' visit at her home at Kirksville, Missouri, after which she will return to Artesia and teach a short term of school at Atoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Milman, of Miami, Arizona, visited here last Thursday with Mrs. Millman's aunt, Mrs. Ed Cass. Mr. and Mrs. Millman are making an extended visit to relatives at Lakewood.

Neville Muncy was operated upon for appendicitis at St. Mary's hospital in Roswell Friday and is progressing satisfactorily. His wife and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Muncy accompanied him to Roswell.

Miss Lucille Morriss has been enjoying a visit this week with her sisters, Mrs. Joe Massey of Bisbee, Arizona and Mrs. D. T. Neal of Oklahoma City, who arrived Monday, Miss Morriss going to Roswell to meet them. They are also visiting their parents in Hope and are planning to make an extended visit. Miss Morriss will go to her home at Hope the last of the week to spend the summer.

R. W. Cox of Hurley was a guest at the Hardwick hotel over the week end.

Francis, the young son of Mrs. French teacher in the Junior High is convalescing after a severe attack of pneumonia.

Miss Ruth French has accepted the position of bookkeeper with the First National Bank, succeeding Mrs. T. C. Bird, who is leaving soon for her former home at Murphysboro, Tennessee.

Mrs. Wm. Clark, mother of Mrs. J. C. Floore, returned Saturday from a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Johnson, in Roswell. She returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kranz, who came down to spend Mother's Day, with the parents of Mrs. Kranz, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Floore. J. C. Floore, Jr., also came home for Mother's Day.

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Deeds:
Stevens to R. B. Gaines \$300 Blk. 93 Stevens Second add. Carlsbad. Elizabeth Hodges to Hodges \$10.00 All of Blks. 1 Morning Side add. to town lot 8 and 35 and Blk. 5; and 23 in Blk 9; in E 1/4 17-26. J. K. McCall, et als and Son \$10.00 Lots 2 and 4, Orig. Carlsbad.

District Court:
86. Lis Pendens. Roman et als vs. Lauro Hinojosa et al. Blk 52, Stevens Add. to No. 4782 Lis Pendens. J. H. vs. Unk. Heirs of Robt. Hill, dec. et als Pt. E 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 6 etc. 5-22-27 and Pt. E 1/4 7 lying E. & N. of Pecos Co. 4787. Suit on Note. C. E. et al vs. Justice Beach

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Watkins to W. H. Merchant et al. Blk. 48 Stevens Add. Carlsbad. C. R. Cunningham to King, Trustee \$1750 Lots 2 Blk 2 Orig. Townsite of Arundulum Inv. Co. to L. A. et al Lot 22, in Block 9, town of Carlsbad. Pendulum to L. A. Swigart, et al Lot 9, Orig. Town of Carlsbad.

Probate Court:
Petition for Appointment Administratrix. In the Matter of Estate of J. H. Burrows, Dec. District Court:

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Buse to Paul Kennedy \$25.00 Pt. of lot 7, Blk. 14 Green's Add. to Carlsbad. Alta et to William Beck Sweet et al. 3-4 of the N 1/4 SW 1/4 of 7-26 (Quit Claim)

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McCord to Jose Najera \$1.00 L. 50 Stevens Add to Carlsbad.

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Deeds:
Stevens to James A. Foster et al. Blk. 96, Stevens add. J. R. Hodges to L. C. \$5.00 Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 5. Side add. to Artesia. G. P. Wilson Prowell \$275.00 L. 101, Stevens Second add.

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SOCIAL ITEMS OF INTEREST IN AND AROUND ARTESIA

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS

Planning for the annual poppy sale was the biggest item of business at the monthly meeting of the Unit, which was held at the home of Mrs. Gail Hamilton on Monday afternoon. Artesia always responds generously on "Poppy Day," and this year the Auxiliary is expecting even a better sale than last year. Ample funds will be needed for the list of non-compensated veterans, who need assistance, has been increasing at the rate of twelve per day recently. It is "up to" the Legion and Auxiliary to help these men and their families and Poppy Day provides a way for the citizenship to do its "bit" in this very necessary task. Saturday the 25th is Poppy Day. The two organizations have been putting on a national membership drive and the results in Artesia have been most gratifying, but the Auxiliary is anxious to enroll all eligibles on its membership list. The acting president, Mrs. Linell being absent, Mrs. J. M. Story presided at the meeting. The hostess served a delicious desert course.

SECOND EVENING BRIDGE CLUB

The club enjoyed a chicken dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Ferree last Friday evening before spending the evening at bridge. There was one guest, Mrs. Rex Williams, of Escondido, California.

MRS. NICHOLSON HONORED

Honoring their member, Mrs. J. W. Nicholson, who leaves this week for California, the members of the Ladies' Bible class of the Church of Christ, gave a party and linen "shower" at the home of Mrs. Dave Beckett last Thursday afternoon. At the close of a delightful hour of visiting refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the class.

HONORING MISS GRAY

Friday evening at her home in the oil field, Mrs. Glenda Joiner entertained three tables of bridge honoring her sister, Miss Lola Gray. At the conclusion of a delightful evening of bridge refreshments were served. Those present were: Keith Miller, Francis Montague, Leon Clayton, Grady Richardson, Carrol Graham, Chester Mitchell and the Misses La Rue Mann, Mary Jackson, Fern McCaw, Ouida Atkins, Camille Horner and the honoree, Miss Lola Gray.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

A happy birthday party was held at the Presbyterian manse when little Edith Sinclair celebrated her seventh birthday on May 7th.

The children had a fine time with games and refreshments were served on the lawn.

The guests were: Annadell Williams, Phyllis Bartlett, James Robertson, Dorothy Bob Camperry, Betty Seawell, Virginia Seawell, Zona Jones, Dorothy Jean Vaughn, Elouise Gleghorn, Peggy Linell, Jane Shugart and Clara and Johnnie Sinclair.

FORTNIGHTLY BRIDGE CLUB

The club held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Lewis Story on Tuesday, the hostess serving a lovely plate luncheon at one o'clock. There was one substitute, Mrs. Dick Atteberry.

DANCING AND BRIDGE PARTY

Complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Montague who leave Sunday with their family for their former home at Lusk, Wyoming, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Perry entertained with a dancing and bridge party last Saturday evening. Music for the dancing was furnished by an orchestra composed of Katherine Clarke, piano, Walter Knowles, violin, and E. L. Glosbrenner, saxophone. Light refreshments were served by the hosts. The guest list included Messrs. and Mesdames Moyer, Baird, John Wiley, Norris, Haskins, Smith, Joiner and McBride from the field and Messrs. and Mesdames Littlejohn, Henry Paton, M. W. Evans and Elzie Swift and John Richards and Tex Henson, of Artesia and the family, including Mr. and Mrs. Glosbrenner.

THE SUSANNAH WESLEY CLASS

The Susannah Wesley Class held its monthly business and social meeting at the home of Mrs. Ike Keller last Thursday afternoon. A number of amusing games contributed much to the pleasure of the afternoon and the hostess served lovely refreshments.

GAGE-MEDCALF

Mr. Edington Gage and Miss Naomi Medcalf, of Hope, were united in the bonds of matrimony yesterday, so we understand. The happy couple were in Artesia yesterday visiting Mr. Gage's sister, Mrs. Joe Richards, and other relatives.

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Social Calendar

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MONDAY

The Woman's Forum will meet at the home of Mrs. J. H. Jackson at 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

The First Bridge club meets with Mrs. Jeff Hightower at 2:30 p. m.

A MOTHER'S DAY DINNER

A dinner honoring Mrs. W. A. Wilde was given at the family home southwest of town at noon last Sunday. The dinner was arranged by Mrs. Wilde's daughter and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Myron Bruning and Mrs. Cliff Wilde. Others present besides the immediate family were: Mr. and Mrs. Watkins, Mr. Bruning and Cliff Wilde.

PAST NOBLE GRANDS CLUB

The club met at the home of Miss Effie McCaw last Friday for its business meeting and social meeting. Mrs. C. M. Cole and Miss Linna McCaw joined with Miss Effie McCaw in entertaining the company with amusing games and in serving light refreshments.

SECOND BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. R. D. Compton was hostess at the meeting of the Second Bridge club on Tuesday afternoon, and entertained an extra table of guests who were Mrs. Phillips, Sr., Mrs. Compton, Mrs. S. D. Gates and Mrs. Rex Williams of Escondido, California. There was one substitute, Mrs. J. H. Jackson. Refreshments were in two courses.

PIANO RECITAL

The piano pupils of Mrs. M. A. Corbin appeared in a recital at the home of their teacher last Monday afternoon. The audience of mothers was much pleased with the program, consisting of simple, but pleasing numbers by the tiny tots and well executed and really beautiful selections by the more advanced pupils. The list of performers follows: Carolyn Seale, Helen Meredith Gates, Wanda Story, James Robertson, Edith Sinclair, Clara Sinclair, Marian Coll, Katherine Montague, Peggy Brainard, Joan Wheatley, Elsie Jernigan, Elizabeth Muncy, Lillie May Miller, Virginia Gates, Mary Louise Paris, Katherine Ragsdale, Jeanne Wheatley, Wyoma Phillips, Louise Compton and Ruth Bigler.

EASTERN STAR

Mrs. M. W. Evans was initiated into the mysteries of the Eastern Star at the regular meeting Tuesday evening. Initiation was followed by refreshments and a social hour.

RED CROSS CHAPTER IS ORGANIZED HERE

Pursuant to a meeting called at the city library Friday afternoon the following persons were elected officers of Artesia Chapter of the American Red Cross for the ensuing year: Chairman, S. E. Ferree; Vice-Chairman, Mrs. M. W. Evans; Secretary, Mrs. Arba Green; Treasurer, J. E. Robertson; Executive Committee, Mrs. J. M. Story, Mrs. M. W. Evans, E. B. Bullock, R. L. Paris, Mrs. J. J. Clarke, George F. King, Mrs. G. U. McCrary; Home Service Chairman, George F. King; Disaster Relief, S. E. Ferree.

CLINIC AT CENTRAL SCHOOL

Every Tuesday during the summer, the Eddy county health department will hold a clinic at the Central school for the mothers and children of pre-school age. The purpose of the clinic is to weigh and examine the children.

We want to invite all mothers to attend and cooperate in the clinic. The hours are from 1 to 3 p. m. The clinic is free, no medical advice only suggestions that you consult your family physician for defects.

MRS. OLIVE STURMAN,
Eddy County Health Nurse.

Mrs. Louis Wible, of Chanute, Kansas, formerly Miss Verla Whitworth of Lakewood, was calling on old friends in Artesia yesterday, in company with Mrs. R. L. House of Lakewood. She has been visiting Mrs. Irwin Martin, at Atoka, the past few days. Mr. Wible arrives from Kansas to-day and they will go through the Caverns before returning home.

"Miss Marian Wilkins" with her husband, Jack Dornand, and "Miss Wilkins" aunt, Mrs. Goodbar, who is her constant companion while she is filling her theatrical engagements, are expected to arrive in a few days for a fortnight visit with "Miss Wilkin" parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Wilkins, on the Cottonwood. "Miss Wilkins" has just completed an engagement with the Orpheum Circuit at New York and will spend part of her vacation here. She and her husband, Mr. Dornand, who is also a dancer, played together during the engagement on the Orpheum Circuit.

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CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

LOCALS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Jones this morning, the 16th, a son.

Ray Sipple was here from Haxtum, Colorado over the week end on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Paton are moving in the new Muncy apartments.

Ike Ogg returned Saturday from a business visit to various points in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Priest and Mr. Allen went through the Carlsbad Caverns yesterday.

Miss June Carlile, of Roswell, has been the guest of her cousin, Landis Feather, and wife this week.

Granville Powers, of Albuquerque was here Tuesday and yesterday, guest of his brother-in-law, Ike Keller.

Mrs. Ray Bartlett returned Sunday from Hot Springs, where she had been taking the baths for the past three weeks.

Paul James was here from Pecos, Texas, spending the week end with his sister, Mrs. C. O. Gilbert, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Glosbrenner were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Joiner in the Illinois Pipe Line camp last evening.

Mrs. E. H. Perry, Mrs. J. H. Jackson, Mrs. E. M. Phillips and Mrs. Jessie Morgan motored to Roswell yesterday afternoon.

Dr. W. C. Doss, state veterinarian spent the past three weeks in the north valley, testing milch cows in the vicinity of Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hackett, who had been spending the week here with Mr. and Mrs. Gail Giberson, left yesterday for their home at Florence, Colorado.

Francis, the young son of Mrs. French, was operated upon for empyema at St. Mary's hospital in Roswell yesterday morning and is doing nicely.

Miss Mildred Doss has been re-appointed reference librarian of the University of Arizona, according to word received here recently by Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Doss.

Doc. B. L. McLearn of Lakewood, Al Smith democrat was transacting business in Artesia yesterday. Doc is very busy now cleaning out artesian wells and has no time for politics.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McMains have received a wire stating that their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Faubian, of Mexico City, Missouri sailed from New York last Saturday for a summer visit to Europe.

Mrs. Alsop and Miss Danis Alsop arrived last week from Glen Rock, Wyoming and are visiting Mrs. Alsop's son, Don Alsop, and wife. Mrs. Don Alsop accompanied her two guests through the Carlsbad Caverns Sunday.

Frank Walker returned Friday from Glenrose, Texas, where Mrs. Walker remained for medical treatment. En route to Glenrose, Mr. and Mrs. Walker first visited their former home in Henderson county, Texas.

Invitations have been received here to the commencement exercises of Loretto School at Douglas, Arizona, on Wednesday, the 29th inst. Miss Dorothy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Alexander, is a member of the graduating class.

Guy Reed Brainard came down from the Military Institute at Roswell to spend Mother's day at home. He was accompanied by two school friends, Herman Andreas of El Paso and Mr. Pugh, of Shreveport, La. He will graduate from the Institute on June 4th.

D. D. Watson, of Borger, Texas, who had been here a short time with his son, Dan Watson of this place, is a patient at St. Mary's hospital in Roswell following an operation on Tuesday. Also the small babe of Mr. Whittling of the Cottonwood was operated upon there the same day for cleft palate.

Mr. W. R. Hornbaker and family are leaving this afternoon by auto for an extended trip. They go first to Hutchinson, Kansas, to attend a re-union of the Hornbaker family. From there they will proceed to La Place, Illinois, where they will visit Mrs. Hornbaker's brother, Millard Emmert, and wife formerly of Artesia. Their next stop will be at North Manchester, Indiana, where they will attend the General Conference of the Church of the Brethren. From there they will go to Niagara Falls, New York City, Washington, D. C. and return home by way of New Orleans. They expect to be absent about two months.

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LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

(Mrs. Ned Hedges, Reporter)

Those attending the Harp music service in Carlsbad Sunday were Lee Shineman and family, Mrs. Fern Russell and daughter Pauline.

Mrs. George Benz of Carlsbad came up Saturday night with her brother Lee Shineman and spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shineman.

Dr. Hubbard was called to the bedside of both Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Tuesday. The old people have been quite ill, but are reported to be doing nicely now.

Miss Anna Nihart is visiting her parents for the next two weeks, having come down from Roswell Saturday with her brother Clyde Nihart and family.

E. C. Gromo returned Monday from St. Mary's hospital where he had undergone an operation for the removal of a tumor from the back of his neck.

A. V. Flowers was joined by W. Benson of Artesia and motored to Carlsbad Monday on business connected with the meeting of the county commissioners.

The boys and girls basket ball teams motored to Artesia Tuesday to have a group picture made of each team. The girls had their picture taken, but some of the boys failed to appear.

J. C. Rugel Jr., of Mesquite, Texas was in town Monday looking after the property west of town which belonged to the late J. C. Rugel Sr., who died in January at his home in Mesquite, Texas.

Miss Billie Smith returned Saturday night from the declamation contest at Albuquerque. Lake Arthur is proud of Billie for winning fourth place, she only lacked one-half point tying for third place.

Mr. McMicheal of Borger, Texas is registered at the hotel. Mr. McMicheal is one of the crew to put down the new well which is to be located near the old Groves well on part of the Neal acreage.

Special mention is due the Lake Arthur janitor Miriam Nihart who has just completed four years of duty, never absent, always on time, and everything always spic and span. Mr. Nihart will serve again next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bates who have been visiting her parents here for the past few weeks left last week for Las Cruces for a few weeks visit with Mrs. Bates sister, Mrs. Fred Lemon before going on to Arizona.

Miss Velma Borschell will hold a sewing machine demonstration at the school house on the 23rd of this month, for the benefit of those who missed the same demonstration in Artesia. All women of the community are urged to be present.

Among those in Roswell on business from here last week were: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nihart and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bernard, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Matley, Raymond Burdick, Anna McLarry, Clyde Latta, William Walden, A. F. Flowers and E. C. Jackson.

The members of the Senior class spent their last social time together Wednesday night. Like all such affairs there was sadness with the gladness for at the finish of school, bonds are broken that in many instances have survived through school life and the future lies in many directions.

The Misses Lucille and Ruby Waldrip were hostesses Tuesday night for the Lake Arthur High school. About 30 guests were present and spent a most enjoyable evening with games. Delicious refreshments of punch and cake were served. The occasion celebrated Ruby's birthday and at the usual hour the guests departed wishing Miss Ruby many more happy birthdays.

One of the most beautiful and enjoyable affairs of the school year was the Junior-Senior banquet Monday evening. The Seniors and high school teachers were the guests of the Juniors at this banquet which was quite successfully served by the Methodist ladies. The table was beautifully laid with service for 30 guests. The table decorations carried out the Senior class flowers and colors, the sweet pea and orchid and yellow. The grade teachers acted as waitresses, interspersing the courses, Edward Hamilton, toastmaster for the Juniors gave his toast for the Seniors and Montine Pate doing the same service for the Seniors responded. After the banquet the young people motored to Artesia.

PICNIC

Fifty-seven grade school children picnicked in the shady grove south of town one day last week. Miss Vera Herby and Miss Lenora Bradley teachers of the youngsters treated them to refreshments.

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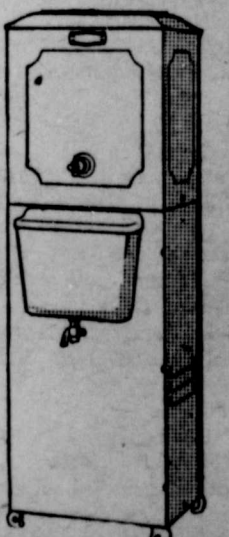
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The department is maintained for the benefit of the officials who find it. The use of this information in the use of aiding the Chrysler cars in every city is a service that is available to owners as well as the officials of any city," commended.

ER EXHIBITS
taken in the Yard at this time has been very interesting. Many beautiful exhibits have been displayed in the department. The leading exhibit has been roses. A display of old fashioned exhibits in a bouquet. Mrs. Alf Coll. Earlier Mrs. Pete Loving sent a display of pansies, which were ever grown. Mr. Stewig, Sr. of California popovers are among the exhibits being brought in by Terpening and Mrs.

is pleased to note that the exhibits have been listed and hopes that other entries. It is expected that there will be other exhibits and climbing roses. seem to be clear as to which is Wednesday. The Cottonwood dahlias in its exhibits

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NEW LAW FIXES SPEED LIMIT ON HIGHWAYS AT 45 MILES PER HOUR

SANTA FE—While the lid has been taken off on speeding to all intents and purposes, there are strict penalties provided for reckless or careless driving in the vehicle code adopted by the state legislature, a highway bulletin points out.

The new law allows forty-five miles per hour on the open road but specifically states that this speed shall be reduced in residence and business sections to twenty-five and twenty miles per hour. Undoubtedly, the towns affected will enforce this provision.

The driving of a vehicle in a reckless or careless manner no matter what the speed is frowned upon seriously by the new law. Motorists are cautioned by the bulletin to avoid such driving as if an accident results the injured may bring suit on the ground of violation of the law. The motorist so convicted would have little chance in a resulting suit for damages.

"The new law is based almost entirely on consideration of highway safety," states the bulletin. "There is no arbitrary setting up of speed limits or standards of travel. Wherever a regulation of method of operation has been included it has been so placed entirely from a viewpoint of highway safety and economy. Strict observance of the law will not only cut down the mounting accident rate of the state but will also facilitate traffic movement."

Judge O'Flaherty: "Haven't you been before me before?"
Prisoner: "No, y'r honor; Oi never saw but wan face that looked like yours, an' that was a picture of an Irish king."
Judge O'Flaherty: "Discharged. Call th' next case."

PICKED UP ON MAIN

If old bossy ranges west of town and her milk tastes like rubber don't be alarmed, she may be just trying to digest some of V. L. Gates' golf balls, which is just about as hard a proposition as bucking the cotton market.

Friends of Bill Mount are looking for him to start wearing his coat soon, now that we are having a change of season. He went in his shirt sleeves all winter.

The only objection to dairying in this section on an extensive scale is that the milk sometimes tastes like artesian water.

Chester Dexter has been trying to fool some of the neighbors again. The other day he paraded up Main street with a bunch of garden tools under his arm. Among the items was a so-called back scratcher, which he bought to use on his creditors.

3:00 p. m., lady without hose passes in front of E. C. Higgins office; 3:15 p. m., Higgins has his windows washed. We hope more Main business men saw the lady and that more ladies will appear on streets without stockings.

NOT SO CHARITABLE

A woman in a small town who was a conscientious churchgoer was called on by another woman of the same church an hour or so before church time. She found her seated in a small back room putting the finishing touches on a new dress which she wished to wear to church that morning.

"What are you holed up in this back room for?" asked the caller. "Don't you suppose God can see you sewing in here?"

"Yes, I do," smiled the worker. "But he won't make half the talk about it that the neighbors would if they saw me."

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ONE OF THE BEST

Turlock, Cal., May 8th, 1929
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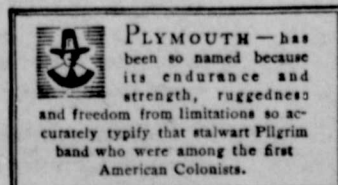
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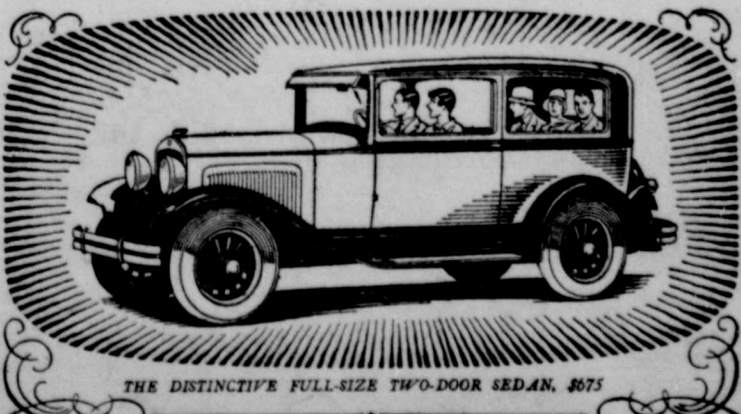
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SHOULDERING a spade instead of a rifle, Larry Doyle, 94 year old Civil War veteran of Davenport, Iowa, has kept himself young through gardening, he says. Larry is a Yard and Garden Contest prize-winner, and he is almost as proud of that as he is of his army service. Both the honorable discharge from Uncle Sam's forces and the Certificate of Merit which he won in the Garden Contest are framed and hanging on his parlor wall. "Do you know why you never see a weed in my garden?" Larry is asking in this picture. "Because I never allow one to grow there," he answers his own question.

UNIVERSITY FACULTY MEMBERS TO DELIVER 24 COM. ADDRESSES

Faculty members from the University of New Mexico will deliver 24 commencement addresses in New Mexico this spring, it has been announced.

The schedule of addresses follows: Professor C. V. Wiker, at Estancia on May 24; Dean L. B. Mitchell, at Mountainair, May 17; Dr. J. W. Diefendorf, at Clovis, May 16, Texico, May 17, and Logan, May 24; Dean John D. Clark, at Elida, May 31; Dr. Lloyd Tireman, at the Harwood Girls' School, May 28; Dean S. P. Nanninga, at Willard, May 15, Socorro, May 16, Los Luna, May 21, Las Cruces, May 24, Magdalena, May 28 and Carrizozo, May 31; Professor J. T. Reid at Reserve, May 17; President J. F. Zimmerman, Taos, May 16; Fort Sumner, May 17; Tiaban, May 18 (P. M.); Melrose, May 18; Lake Arthur May 20; Dexter, May 21, Hagerman, May 22; Dawson, May 24; Gallup, May 30; and Las Vegas, May 31.

It was a long beautiful stretch of highway and the telephone line along the way was in the hands of repair men. She was driving and cooing, when of a sudden she spied the men climbing the telephone poles. "Elmer, just look at those fools," she exclaimed. "Do they think I never drove a car before?"

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Wednesday services at 7:30 p. m.
The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

BISHOP HOWDEN COMING

The Right Reverend F. B. Howden, D. D., Episcopal bishop of New Mexico and southwest Texas, will preach at the St. Paul's Church (Episcopal) Sunday evening May 19th at 5:00 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to the Bishop's many friends to attend this service.

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Sunday, May 19th, 1929.
9:45 a. m. Sabbath School.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
Rev. J. A. Hedges, Pastor of the Hagerman Presbyterian church will be the special preacher. Rev. Hedges is a fine Bible teacher, and has a message for Artesia.

6:45 p. m. Christian Endeavor, two groups.

No evening preaching service.
"The greatest desire is the desire to find God. The way to God is through love: Life is the school; Character is the end; Sorrow, disappointment, disaster are the teachers. Death is the graduation." (Llman Abbot.)

LAYMEN SERVICES

Sunday morning the laymen of the Methodist church will observe the anniversary of the board of lay activities by conducting the eleven o'clock service.

A suitable program is being arranged by E. B. Bullock lay leader of the Artesia Methodist church. The principal feature of the program is to be an address by Dan H. Wilmot of Roswell. Mr. Wilmot is well known to most people of Artesia as one of Roswell's most prominent business men. He is also associate lay

JAIL BREAKERS ARE TO SERVE LONG TERMS

Roy Stroud and Ott Owens were sentenced Thursday to serve from nine to ten years following their conviction in district court here last week for the theft of an automobile belonging to Howard Kerr, after a jail break from the county jail here March 30.

Owen had been previously sentenced to serve two years in the state penitentiary for larceny of neat cattle and being held here when he broke jail with Roy Stroud who was being held awaiting trial for automobile theft. Their attempt for freedom happened during the famous Cavender murder trial here this spring and caused several speculative tales to circulate that the Cavenders had escaped and caused considerable excitement until the truth was learned.

Both Owen and Stroud immediately served notice of appeal and their appeal bonds were set at \$3,000 each. The district court finished their special session here Friday after hearing a number of civil cases.—Cavern City Chronicle.

LIFE IS SUCH A BORE

He saw the animal was going to attack him and he grabbed its tail. The bull began running and "snapped the whip," throwing Prozak on a large stone. He crawled under the fence and escaped being bored.—Platteville (Wis.) paper.

Colored Customer: "Ah wants a quote of sanctified milk."

Storekeeper: "What you-all mean is pacified milk."

Customer: "Look heah, small one, when Ah needs inflammation, Ah'll specify."

CONGRESS WILL NOT RECESS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Republican leaders Monday abandoned suggestions for an all summer recess and determined to mold the party majorities in congress into working shape for early decisions in the controversial farm relief and tariff issues.

President Hoover took the initiative Sunday in bringing his scattered forces in the senate together, inviting Senator O'Brah of Idaho to luncheon and the critic of the Idahoan, Senator Fess of Ohio, to dinner at the White House.

Senator Watson of Indiana, the republican leader, Monday put his foot down on talk of an all summer recess although he announced a willingness to consider a recess of three weeks or a month beginning early next month after the house completes the tariff measure and while it is under study of the finance committee.

leader of the Roswell district and is an inspirational speaker of great ability.

Rev. Harold G. Scoggins the pastor will preach Sunday evening.

The Sunday school continues to hold the interest of the larger part of the church membership.

tee. Mr. Hoover is disturbed over the party break in the senate which was brought into the open when Senator Fess, the republican whip, made public a letter condemning Senator Borah "and the other pseudo republicans" for failing to support the Hoover views on farm relief.

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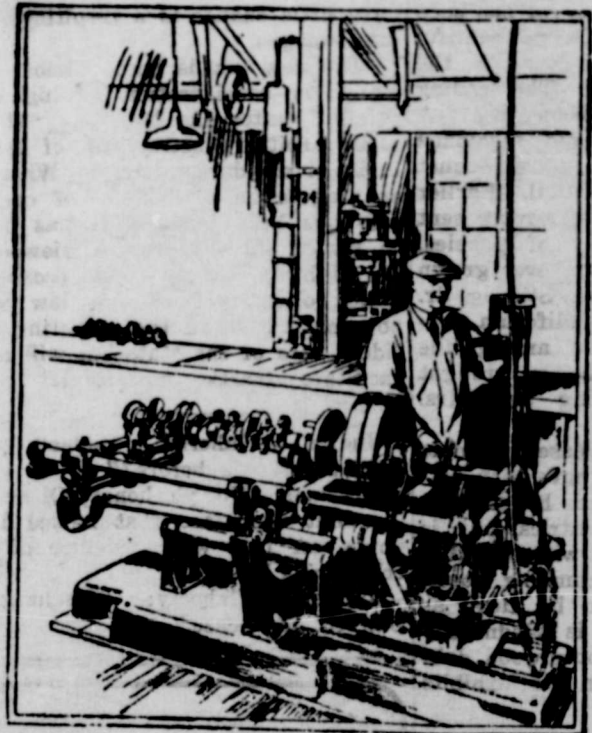
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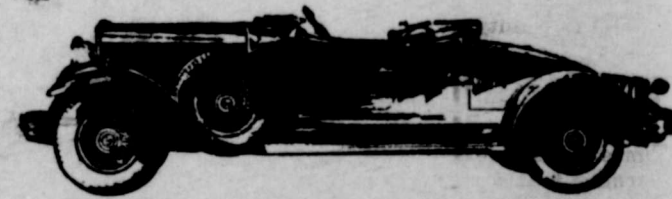
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r," was the meek but prompt
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DRILLING REPORT

Eddy County
R. D. Compton, Vandagriff No. 1,
E 1/2 sec. 33-19-30:
Drilling below 100 feet.
Flynn Welch and Yates, Gissler No.
1, in the SW 1/4 sec 12-17-30:
Shut down building water line.
Grayburg Oil Co., Root No. 2, SW
sec. 7-17-30:
Location.
Grayburg Oil Co., Burch No. 2, in
the NW SW sec. 19-17-30:
Drilling below 2160 feet.
George F. Getty Inc., Dooley No.
4, 210 feet south and 660 feet
east center sec. 23-20-29:
Shut down for storage.
Getty Oil Co., Cook-Ironside No. 1,
in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 sec. 8-20-29:
Drilling below 400 feet.
Getty Oil Co., Bates Martin No. 3,
in the SW 1/4 sec. 31-29-29:
Operations suspended at 1096 feet.
Joe Cook et al., State No. 1, in the
NW NE sec. 12-21-33:
Rig up.
Leonard and Levers, State No. 1,
NW NW sec. 19-20-30:
Location.
Leonard and Levers, Haggarty No. 1,
NE corner NW 1/4 sec. 18-16-30:
Drilling below 3525 feet.
Marland Oil Co., Cunningham No. 1,
NE sec. 8-20-30:
Location.
Midwest Oil and Refining Co., Lane
No. 1, in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 sec.
28-19-30:
Drilling below 400 feet.
Ohio Oil Co., Sellery No. 1, in the
NE 1/4 sec. 22-16-30:
Drilling below 200 feet.
Pueblo Oil Co., Lee No. 1, in the
NE 1/4 sec. 34-17-29:
Rigging up.
Pueblo Oil Co., Gessert No. 4, NW
corner NW 1/4 sec. 18-17-30:
Digging cellar.
Prairie Oil and Gas Co., Gessert No.
1, in SW NW sec. 18-17-31:
Rigging up.

Chaves County
L. B. Tanehill, Tanehill No. 1, in
the SE SE sec. 15-12-24:
Shut off water and drilling ahead.
Snowden McSweeney Merchant No.
1, NW 1/4 sec. 27-15-23:
Plugging at 4270 feet.
Transcontinental Oil Co., SE sec. 1-
14-28:
Run 2926 feet of 8 in casing.
R. T. Neal et al., Russell No. 1,
SW 1/4 NW 1/4 sec. 21-14-25:
No report.

Lea County
A. D. Morton, well No. 1, in the
center of NW 1/4 sec. 32-11-38:
Fishing at 1700 feet.
C. P. Bordages, Bordages No. 2,
NE 1/4 sec. 20-19-38:
Shut down indefinitely.
Cecil Bordages, Jennie Hughes No. 1,
center of S 1/2 sec. 27-19-38:
Shut down at 4012 feet.
Curtis Drilling Co., State No. 1, sec.
22-18-34:
No report.
Cranfill and Reynolds, Wilson No. 1,
SW 1/4 NE 1/4 sec. 23-25-36:
On production.
Cranfill and Reynolds, Meyer No. 1,
SW 1/4 sec. 22-24-36:
Drilling below 900 feet.
Cranfill and Reynolds, State No. 1,
SE sec. 2-21-33:
Moving in.
Empire Gas & Fuel Co., State No.
2-B, SE 1/4 sec. 8-21-35:
Drilling depth not known.
Empire Gas and Fuel Co., Clos-
son No. 1, in the SE sec. 6-22-36:
Drilling depth not known.
Empire, Henderson, Dexter & Blair,
Martin No. 1, in the NE 1/4 sec.
28-20-33:
Drilling below 460 feet.
Gypsy Oil Co., Mattern No. 1 SW SE
sec. 24-21-26:
Fishing at 3110 feet.
Gypsy Oil Co., Humphreys No. 1,
NW corner SW 1/4 sec. 25-25-36:
Ready to spud.
Henderson, Dexter and Blair, McDon-
ald and Jewett permit SE corner
sec. 18-20-34:
Drilling below 3560 feet.
Maljamar Oil and Gas Corp., Simon
No. 1, in the NE NE sec. 29-17-32:
Waiting on extension.
Marland Oil Co., Flint No. 1 SE sec.
28-20-34:
No report.
Marland Oil Co., McCallister No. 1
SW SE sec. 24-26-36:
No report.
Marland Oil Co., Wells No. 1 in the
SE NE sec. 11-25-36:
Rigging up.
Marland Oil Co., E. A. Meyers No.
1, in SW sec. 17-21-36:
Location.
Marland Oil Co., Meyer No. 1, in
the SW NW sec. 28-22-36:
No report.
Midwest Oil and Refining Co., Greg-
ory No. 1 SW sec. 31-25-37:
No report.
Ohio Oil Co., State No. 1, SW 1/4 sec.
9-19-38:
Spudded and shut down.
Ohio Oil Co., Price No. 1, in the
NE NE sec. 7-19-39:
Rigging up.
Pueblo Oil Co., Scott No. 1, sec. 29-
25-37:
Drilling below 2835 feet.
Rector Oil Co., King No. 1, in the
SW 1/4 sec. 27-25-32:
Rig up waiting on extension.
Skelly Oil Co., Joyner No. 1 in the
NE corner SE 1/4 sec. 26-25-36:
On production.
Texas Production Co., SW NE sec.
24-20-32:
Drilling.
Texas Production Co., Shepherd No.
1, in the SE NE sec. 6-26-37:
Fishing for tools at 3218 feet.
Texas Production Co., Moberly No.

COTTONWOOD ITEMS

(Miss Alma Bradley, Reporter)

Mahan Wyman, of Loving, visited
with Mabel Vowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Malone made
a business trip to Roswell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Kelly, nee Miss
Jewell Cave, of Artesia were visit-
ing in this community Friday.

Quite a number of the people of
this community attended the W. O.
W. log rolling at Artesia last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson en-
tertained Misses Ruby Jenkins and
Mabel Vowell with six o'clock din-
ner Thursday afternoon.

Wiley Dickson of Los Angeles,
California is here visiting his parents
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dickson. He
will accompany them to Canada.

W. A. Watson and daughters,
Misses Grace, Mable and Pauline ac-
companied by Mrs. Bill Sterrett and
Miss Anna Lee Turner of Lake Ar-
thur, returned from a week end visit
to El Paso last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Taylor of the
Cap Rock were visiting Mr. and Mrs.
Jim Cullen and family and A. D.
Hill, Friday. Mr. Taylor who has
been having considerable trouble with
his hand from blood poison, recently
had a finger removed by Dr. Pate
of Carlsbad.

The club women with their hus-
bands gave Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dick-
son a surprise party Thursday night.
After having a very delightful time
refreshments of cake and ice cream
were served. The silver berry spoons,
as is the custom, was presented to
Mrs. Dickson as a remembrance of
the club. They will leave for Can-
ada as soon as school is out.

The girls sewing club of the Upper
Cottonwood school gave their exhibit
Friday afternoon. The girls under
the direction of Miss Velma Bor-
schell have accomplished much work
this term. The judges of the ex-
hibit were: Mrs. J. M. Dickson, Mrs.
Glenn O'Bannon and Mrs. Monroe
Howard. The first prize was given
to Miss Virginia Mae Vaught, sec-
ond prize to Euphemia Hill and third
to Miss Lorene Garner.

BIRTHDAY PARTIES

On the afternoon of May 8th, Mrs.
W. L. Bradley entertained a number
of young people at her home, honor-
ing the sixteenth birthday of her
daughter, Miss Alma Bradley, whose
birthday occurred on the following day.
Many games furnished the diversion
for the guests and all enjoyed the
piano music furnished by Miss Leo-
nora Bradley and Ford Frazier of
Lake Arthur. Refreshments of angel
food cake and punch brought a pleas-
ant afternoon to a close. The hon-
oree was the recipient of many dainty
gifts.

Sixteen couples were entertained at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Waldrip,
Tuesday evening, the occasion being
the birthday of their daughter Miss
Ruby Waldrip. Many games were
enjoyed until a late hour. Delicious
refreshments were served at the close
of the entertainment. Miss Waldrip
was presented with many gifts and
the guests departed wishing her many
happy returns of the day.

1, in the NW SE sec. 17-26-37:
Fishing.
Texas Production Co., Lynch No. 1,
center of sec. 34-20-34:
Reported erecting more storage.
Texas & Pacific Coal Co., State No.
1, SW 1/4 sec. 22-23-36:
Coring below 3925 feet.
Vacuum Oil Co., center section line of
13-14, twp. 17-34:
Run casing to 4466 feet.

De Baca County
Transcontinental Oil Co., sec. 6-3S-
22E:
No report.

Otero County
C. H. McCurdy et al., SE NE sec.
28-24-15:
Location.

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PREDICT BIG ACTIVITY IN MINING HERE

Unusual activity in mining in the
Lincoln National Forest in the next
few months is forecast by those who
have made a careful survey of a
number of mining properties west of
Roswell in this area.

This activity followed a report by
the state mining engineer to the ef-
fect that this particular area was
one of the most thoroughly mineral-
ized of any in New Mexico and was
one of which presented great pos-
sibilities.

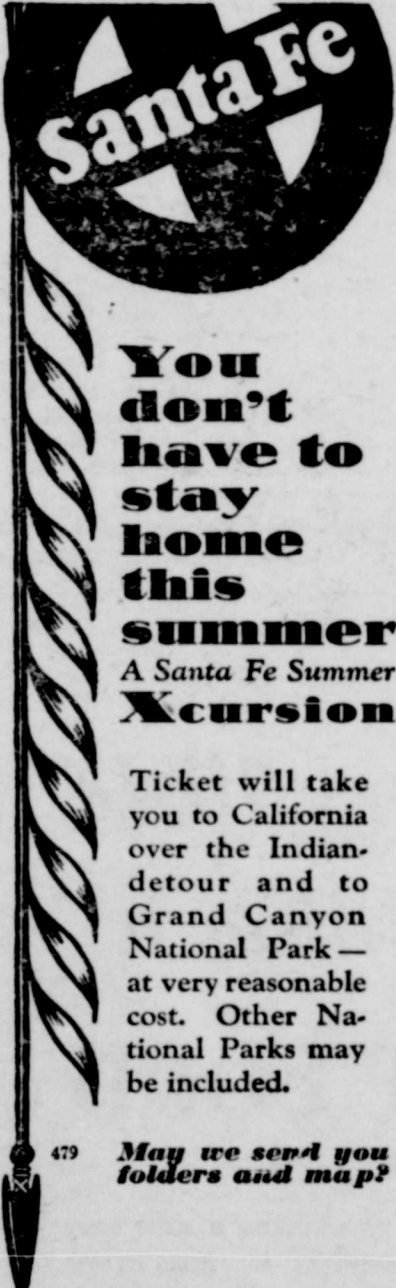
Two blocks of mining claims in
this area have recently come into
the limelight, these being the Blok
Mines and the Lead Silver King
Mines, which join each other. The
Blok mines now have a concentrating
plant on the ground, the concentrates
being shipped to a smelter at El
Paso. Some of the ore from this
mine is said to run as high as \$240
a ton.

The Gurbau Chemical company
has leased a block of mines from the
Silver King company and is now
shipping in equipment and material
preparatory to extensive development.

These mines are located just north
of the Ruidoso area, which in the
past few years has come to be recog-
nized as one of the most important
summer playgrounds of the south-
west.—Roswell Record.

RESOLUTION

Whereas, petition for the calling
of an election to vote on issuance
of bonds for school purposes in School
District No. 27, County of Eddy, New
Mexico, has been duly presented, and
found to be in accordance with law;
Now, therefore, it is resolved that
an election for said purposes shall



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be held in said district on the 8th
day of June, 1929.
Ayes: C. E. Mann, C. W. Beeman,
Marvin Livingston.
Done this 6th day of May, 1929.
C. E. MANN, Chairman,
Board of County Commissioners,
Eddy County, N. M.
Attest: Thelma T. Lusk, Clerk. 22-1t

Disgusted Wife: "Say, yo' niggah,
eber since ah married yo' yo's done
nuffin' 'cept sit 'roun' de house. Don'
yo' eber feel enny ambishun?"
Lazy Husband: "Ah feels ambish-
un we'n ah's sittin' 'roun' heah,
honey, but jes's soon's ah stant to
wo'k ah gets discouraged."

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

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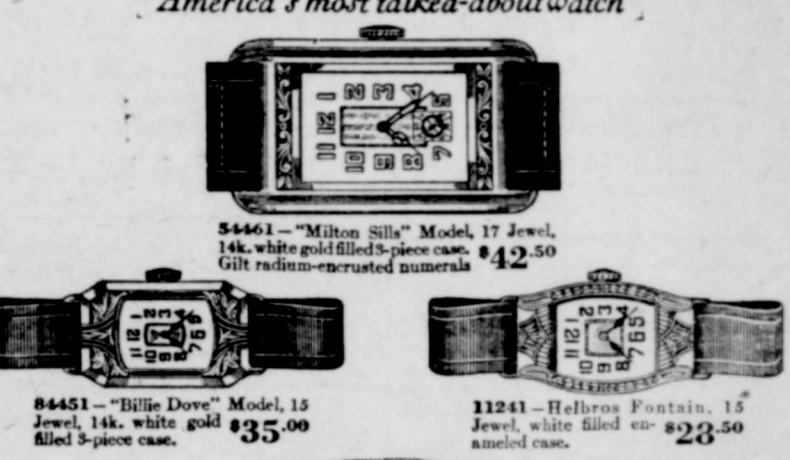
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filled 3-piece case.

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Telephone Users Play Important Part

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Answering promptly in the home or office is also important, for in addition to being a courtesy due one's telephone caller, it saves many an important call.

And it is just as important that the calling party wait a reasonable time for the called person to answer.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

Hd. Orig. 2-19-09 320 acres.
028824 MFN
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior U. S.
Land Office At Las Cruces, N. M.
April 22, 1929.

NOTICE is hereby given that John Jerry Jones, of Hope, N. M., who, on May 2, 1924, made Hd. entry containing 320 acres, No. 028824, for S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 24, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 25, Township 16-S., Range 20-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. B. Altman, U. S. Commissioner, at Hope, N. M., on the 3rd day of June, 1929.

Claimant names as witnesses:
R. H. McDonald, Tom Young, Ira Welty, R. G. Jones all of Hope, N. M.

V. B. MAY,
Register.

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that I. J. L. Polk, was duly appointed Special Master, in the case of Owen McClay vs. John Grant No. 4701 on the docket of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on the 18th day of February, 1929, by G. A. Richardson, judge of the said Court by his decree and order therein, directing me to make sale of certain property therein foreclosed in satisfaction of the judgement therein obtained, \$143.65 principal, \$14.86 interest and \$15.85 collection fees, with cost of suit expended \$11.50 together with such further cost to be expended in the sale of the property including a special master's fee, and the interest on said judgment from the 18th day of February to the date of sale \$4.00.

Now, therefore, I will proceed to sell and sell to the highest and best bidder for cash the said property, to wit: the S $\frac{1}{2}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 17, Township 17, S. Range 23, E. Eddy County, New Mexico, at public outcry at the front door of the Citizens State Bank in the town of Artesia, in said County on the 20th day of May 1929 at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., on said day or so much thereof as will satisfy the said judgment.

This the 24th day of April, 1929.
J. L. POLK,
Special Master.

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Hd. Orig. 12-29-16 632.28 acres.
029764 M. F. N.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior U. S.
Land Office At Las Cruces, N. M.
May 2, 1929.

NOTICE is hereby given that Perry Cavender, of Rt. 1, Lake Arthur, N. M., who, on March 6, 1926, made Hd. entry containing 632.28 acres, No. 029764, for Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ Section 7, Township 16-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, N. M., on the 11th day of June, 1929.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Monroe Howard, L. N. Knott, Harry Knott, Ben Hobbs of Lake Arthur, N. M.

V. B. MAY,
Register.

21-5t

EGGS SHOULD BE SERVED EVERY DAY

The wise housekeeper uses eggs freely for she can be sure she is contributing to the family diet not only needed protein, but iron, calcium and phosphorus, as well as two important vitamins, A and D. Doubly wise is she who uses eggs in so many guises that no one will tire of them.

Eggs may be served at all meals. At this season of the year when eggs are most abundant, there is no reason for stinting the family on egg dishes as the main course, or an eggs that enrich desserts, cakes or sauces. Every egg used adds definitely to the food value of the dish. For the sake of variety, the Bureau of Home Economics of the U. S. Department of Agriculture suggests a number of different ways in which eggs may be served throughout the week.

For seven appetizing breakfasts, eggs may be soft cooked, poached on toast, shirred or baked, scrambled, fried, hard-cooked in white sauce, or served as a flat or fluffy omelet. At lunch, supper or dinner, there may be curried eggs, baked eggs and cheese, eggs Benedict, eggs baked in tomato cups, ham or cheese omelet, cheese soufflet, or hard-cooked egg salad. For dessert there are fruit whips made with egg whites, with whole eggs, and custards containing either whole eggs or yolks only. Very often a decoration touch is given by reserving part of the whites to make "floating islands" or meringues for puddings or pies.

Seven good egg desserts would be: apricot whip, baked custard, floating island, chocolate souffle, French vanilla or custard ice cream, Spanish cream, sliced oranges with soft custard, custard or lemon meringue pie. One should also not forget that all sponge cakes, angel food, sunshine cake, and plain sponge are made with a large number of eggs and make good desserts.

The secret of successful egg cooking is slow cooking at moderate, even

INDICATED OVER THREE MILLION TOURIST WILL VISIT NEW MEX. IN 29

SANTA FE.—Over 3,000,000 tourists will visit New Mexico this year, a questionnaire just completed by the Highway Department shows.

Recently, the various touring bureaus of the nation who receive the Highway Department road reports and informational material were asked to give their estimate of the number of tourists who would be routed through their offices to New Mexico. The replies to this questionnaire indicate that there will be a greater rush to New Mexico this year than ever before in the history of the state.

The American Automobile Association in Washington, D. C. Replied to the Highway Department questionnaire with the information that they had just finished a nation-wide canvas of their members which showed that 8 per cent of touring America last year came to New Mexico. This year more than 40,000,000 people will take auto trips. If there is no rise in the percentage this would assure New Mexico of over 3,000,000 tourists.

"All bureaus questioned seemed to feel that the percentage would rise greatly this year, however," it was stated at the Highway Service Bureau. "Some even went as far as to estimate a doubling or 16 percent because of the number of requests for information and numbers of tourists who have indicated that they were coming to New Mexico."

A number of estimates of the amount each tourist will spend were made which ranged all the way from fifteen to fifty dollars. The most authentic figure which has been checked by several national motoring organizations is that each tourist spends \$17.50 in a state. If this holds true for New Mexico more than \$50,000,000 will be spent here this year by the touring public. This would be an increase of \$20,000,000 over 1928 and is not improbable, the touring bureaus hold.

Irate Pater: "What do you mean by coming home at five a. m.?"

Indignant Daughter: "For crying out loud, Pop! I have to patronize the old roost some time, don't I?"

heat, whether one is hard-cooking eggs preparatory to devilling them, making a prune whip or a cheese soufflé, or making a soft custard or cooked salad dressing.

LOCALS

J. E. Gage of Pinon was attending to business matters in Artesia Saturday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Houghtaling Tuesday, the 14th.

Mrs. P. H. Venable and children leave this week to join Mr. Venable. They will spend the summer in Colorado, taking a trip to Yellowstone Park and Montana and will probably locate permanently in Colorado Springs.

Mr. Howell, from the field has bought the Clark house, better known as the Patrick house on Washington avenue, and will move into town about the first. Merle Roady, who has been occupying the house, has moved to West Chisum street.

Mrs. Charles Stevens of Baldwin, Kansas arrived Monday and on Tuesday left with her sister, Mrs. S. A. Lanning for Excelsior Springs, Mo., where the latter will enter a clinic and remain at a hospital for treatment.

Emmet Tebbetts and wife and the latter's mother, Mrs. M. A. Courtney arrived Sunday from Wilmington, California and are the guests of Mr. Tebbetts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Tebbetts. They plan to spend the summer here.

T. C. Bird and wife will leave Saturday for Blanket, Texas, to visit his parents. After a short visit there they will go on to Murphysboro, Tennessee to visit Mrs. Bird's father, they will spend the summer in Nashville, where Mr. Bird will attend Peabody college.

J. A. Patton, the dairyman, is putting in an ice cream factory and pasteurizing plant at Carlsbad, the which is to be located in the U. S. Market. Mr. Wunsch, county agent, has formed a partnership with Mr. Patton in the ice cream factory as well as in the dairy.

Mr and Mrs M. W. Evans returned Monday from a brief business trip to El Paso, and with their son, Glenn, are leaving to-day for a visit to Kansas. They will visit Mrs. Evans' sister at Attica, and leave Glenn there while they go to El Dorado to the Kansas State Shoot, in which Mr. Evans will participate.

Wedding Announcements and Invitations, Engraved or Printed—Advocate

FREIGHT RATES ON OIL AND CATTLE ATTACKED

Freight rates on cattle and calf shipments from points in Arizona and western New Mexico to destinations in eastern New Mexico and western Texas are attacked in a complaint filed before the Interstate Commerce Commission by J. J. Lane, H. E. Crosby, M. L. Cottingham, Oscar White, E. O. Finley and others against the Santa Fe, Kansas City, Mexico and Orient, Texas Pacific and Southern Pacific railroads.

This case will be heard here on May 20 by Commissioner Examiner Archer, of Washington, D. C. The

complaint in this case attacks rates from Arizona and western New Mexico on shipments into eastern New Mexico and points in west Texas. The petitioners ask for the establishment of through rates and reparations on shipments made during the past two years.

The Arizona Cattle Growers' Association had intervened in this case and will be represented by Charles E. Blaine, of Phoenix, attorney for the association.

On May 21 Examiner Archer will hear the case of the Gilliland Oil company against the Santa Fe railroad, the complaint in this case alleging that freight rates on crude

oil between Amarillo and Albuquerque are unfair.

The Pecos Valley Traffic Bureau represents the plaintiffs in both these cases. The hearings will be held in the federal building.—Record.

Two young bond salesmen were conversing. One was stressing the necessity of department in business, after a rather lengthy discussion ended with: Well, where is your ethics?" The other looked up in astonishment, "Why, didn't you know I traded it in for a Chrysler?"

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CALLS TO OBEDIENCE

TEXT—Jeremiah 7:1-26.

TEXT—Hearken unto my voice, says the Lord, and I will be your God, and ye shall be my people.

TOPIC—Obeying God.

EDUCATIONAL TOPIC—Immediate and Senior.

WHAT GOD COMMANDS.

PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Essential in True Religion.

Let stood in the gate of the order that the multitudes him. The occasion was together of the people per the country to attend

God Requires (vv. 1-7).

Your ways (v. 3).

General course of living reformed, had deeds giving od ones. On the basis of God would permit them in their city and country. Do this would eventuate in

of trusting in religious

regarded the temple as against evil, irrespective of n of their hearts. Without perience, the most sacred and ordinances are value-

Justice (v. 5).

of their having reformed recution of judgment be and his neighbor. The e's being in touch with fair dealing with his fel-

oppress the helpless (v. 6).

nger would likely be ig- laws of the land. The orphans could easily be on. Protection for the requirement of godliness.

lk after other gods (v. 6).

of idols and conformity to atoms go hand in hand ty is determined by the at- individual toward God.

Warnings (vv. 8-15).

g of false prophets (vv.

phets taught the people on to ceremony, and ob- religious forms, exempted strict attention to morals.

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omit adultery, swear false- tice idolatry. They would into the Lord's house and om to practice such abom- The sacred temple itself, such worshippers would be bers.

g of Shiloh (vv. 12-15).

ed His tabernacle to be set , but in Eli's time He gave ands of the Philistines be- e idolatry of the people.

60). Even so would He temple, the city and the ry. This He had already phraim, the northern king-

hopeless Condition of the (16-20).

ensity to do evil was so all efforts at reclamation

t for them (v. 16).

such a thing as sinning in which case prayer is (v. 16).

amilies devoted their en- at which provoked God's (7-19).

gone by young and old- men. This they did to anger. He assures them of such conduct would y confusion.

nt to Fall (v. 20).

he people poured out their idols, the furious anger of God would be poured an, beast, tree, and the ground. How this has the history of the Jews

ce Better Than Sacrifice

et appealed to history to ed requires heart service the observance of re- Blessings came to Is- obedience, while cursings pedience. On the conde- to His requirements, to own them as His pees them.

ence in Prayer

the confidence that we that, if we ask anything His will, He heareth us; ow that He heareth us, ask, we know that we ons that we desired of 5:14, 15.

arge in That War

man that hath power t to retain the spirit; e power in the day of ere is no discharge in ther shall wickedness that are given to it.—

lected Bible

Bible means a starved e spirit, a comfortless e life, and a grieved e. B. Meyer.

INSIDE INFORMATION

Pongee silk will not spot if ironed dry.

There is no difference between refined beet sugar and cane sugar for use in canning, or in jelly making and preserving.

Liver and cucumber salad is a good combination. Mix 2 cups of cold chopped broiled liver, 1/2 cup of diced cucumber and 1/2 cup of diced celery with mayonnaise dressing and serve on lettuce leaves.

Celery seed vinegar is good for use in salads and in many other ways. To make it bring 1 pint of vinegar to the boiling point, cool for 5 minutes, and add to 1/4 cup of celery seed and 1/2 tablespoon salt. Let stand two weeks, strain and bottle.

Tall thin women who want to be well-dressed should have plenty of fullness in their clothing, choose designs with lines that go around the figure and apparently give breadth, accent the outside lines of the figure in decoration—the hips, sleeves, or shoulders—wear flaring lines rather than straight ones, and be sure their clothing fits, as too loose clothes will emphasize their thinness.

To make orange ice for dessert you need 2 1/2 cups of orange juice, 1/4 cup lemon juice, 3-4 cup sugar, 1/4 teaspoon salt, and 1 egg white. Strain the fruit juices, add the sugar and salt, and stir until the sugar is dissolved. Freeze with a mixture of 1 part salt to 4 to 6 parts of ice. Turn the crank slowly. When partly frozen add the beaten white of egg and turn until firm. Pack in ice and salt for an hour or so before serving.

In choosing dishes and table ware for a child, look for articles that can be managed easily even by a three year old, who is learning to be self reliant. A small fork and spoon, a set of individual dishes with a gay pattern, a pitcher with a good spout that holds extra milk for him to pour out himself, and a glass that fits his hand, tapering toward the base and spreading at the top, are some of the helps in training a child in independence.

LOCALS

Glenn Bish made a business trip to Clovis Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Shulz Saturday evening, the 11th, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Horner moved out to the Horner ranch, southwest of town, Tuesday.

Mrs. Bryant Williams and daughter Miss Mary Jane of Hope were shopping in Artesia Saturday.

K. M. Oliver and Harry Fitzpatrick of Carlsbad were attending to business matters here Monday.

Rev. J. P. Sinclair supplied for Rev. Hedges, pastor of the Hagerman Presbyterian church Sunday, at the morning hour.

Messrs. Otis Brown, E. A. Hannah, J. S. Sharp and E. Hinrichsen spent a few hours Sunday at the Artesia-Sacramento camp.

R. H. Henderson oil operator of Los Angeles, California arrived here last week and plans to spend several days looking after his oil interests.

Kendall Ward, of Carlsbad, nephew of Mrs. Ed Cass, was here Monday piloting an airplane and took a number of Artesians for an air trip.

Alvin Payne has bought the George Williamson house on West Washington avenue and will take possession of the property about the first of June.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Beckett and Mrs. J. W. Nicholson drove to Hope Saturday to attend the funeral of Joe Fanning, Sr., who was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Beckett.

Ned Martin, who has been ill for some time in a Carlsbad hospital was removed to Oklahoma City last week, where he will take treatment under a specialist. His sister, Miss Opal Martin who has been visiting home folks, left this week for Wichita Falls, Texas and after a short stay at Wichita Falls, will proceed to Oklahoma City to be with her brother.

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

WE THANK YOU!

The following have renewed their subscription to The Advocate the past week:

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HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT WILL SIGN ROADS

SANTA FE.—All of the points of interest on New Mexico roads will be designated by standard signs in the near future, it was stated recently at the highway offices.

The new signs will be standard in lettering, color and other mechanical features and will carry information about the various points of interest which the state has to offer the tourist. The final plans for the making of these signs are now rounding into shape and work will probably commence within a few weeks.

All chambers of commerce of the state have been asked to submit the names, mileage from the main road and descriptive matter concerning the points of interest in each locality. When this information is in the work will commence. It is hoped to have these signs on the roads ready for use by the time the tourist season is well under way, highway officials asserted.

"And how do you like school?" asked the kind old lady. "Closed," answered the little lad.

Ginsberg: "Mistah Ottish, I vant you should make me a doughnut sign."
Painter: "Certainly, Mr. Ginsberg, but I thought that you were a butcher, not a baker."
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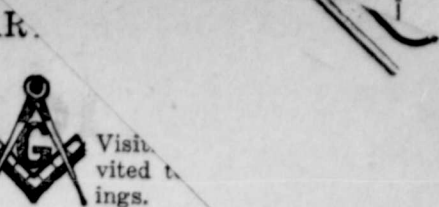
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DR. ZIMMERMAN WILL ADDRESS THE LAKE ARTHUR GRADUATES

Dr. J. F. Zimmerman, president of the State University will deliver the commencement address at the annual graduating exercises of the Lake Arthur High school on Monday evening, May 20th.

The following is the commencement program:
 Orchestra Selection
 Grand March
 Song, "America".....Audience Invocation
 Welcome Address.....Montine Pate
 Duet.....Mr. and Mrs. Southard
 Class History.....Kermit Southard
 Orchestra Selection
 Reading.....Miss Billie Smith
 Glee Club Selection
 Solo.....Miss Carpenter
 Valedictory.....Nantie Spence
 Orchestra Selection
 Address.....Dr. J. F. Zimmerman
 Presentation of Diplomas
 Orchestra Selection
 Invocation

The graduates of the Lake Arthur High school number twelve. The class roll:

Nantie Spence, Montine Pate, Nannie McLarry, George Walton, Lee Derrick, James Derrick, Ray Williams, Kermit Southard, Max Walden, Clyde Nihart, Pat Vincent, and Shirley Smith.

Baccalaureate Program

Baccalaureate exercises, Lake Arthur High school, at the Methodist church, May 19th, 1929, at 11:00 a. m.
 Song—"Come Thou Almighty King."
 Scripture Reading.....Mrs. Flora Smith
 Prayer.....Jas. Spence
 Solo.....Miss Vera Herby
 Sermon.....Rev. Walthall
 Song....."Holy, Holy, Holy."
 Benediction.

Eighth Grade Commencement
 The eighth grade commencement of the Lake Arthur schools will be held Friday morning, at the High school auditorium, beginning at 10:00 a. m. A community picnic dinner will be served following the program.

The program:
 March.....Local Orchestra
 "O Fair New Mexico".....Glee Club
 Why I Am Going To High School.....
 Mary Nihart
 Humorous Reading.....Jack Vincent
 Orchestra
 "The Value of Higher Education".....
 George Miles Murphy
 Presentation of Class Colors.....
 7th and 8th Grade Presidents
 Address.....Mrs. Brasher, Co., Supt. of schools.
 Commencement Song.....Eighth Grade
 Presentation of Diplomas
 Orchestra.

EIGHTEEN SCHOOLS NOT ACCREDITED

Eighteen schools over the state were refused an accredited rating, including the Blind school at Alamogordo, according to a recent report made by E. L. Enloe, state high school inspector. Among the number to retain an accredited standing were sixty-seven 4 year schools and one 2 year school. Schools to retain their standing in this section were: Hope, Dexter, Lake Arthur. Four of the larger schools of the valley are members of the North Central Association.

WANTED—Passenger going to Kansas City, part car expense. Call Advocate. 22-1tc

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

SENATOR B. CUTTING RE-INTRODUCES THREE OF FIVE ELECTION BILLS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Senator Bronson Cutting Monday re-introduced three of the five election bills which he presented in the 70th congress a year ago.

These include two proposed constitutional amendments, the first to give congress unquestioned power over the nomination of all federal officials both as to primaries and conventions, the second to impose the penalty of ineligibility upon any candidate who violates election laws in any campaign.

The third bill would create a federal commission on elections, a fact finding agency, charged with responsibility of auditing all election expense accounts and otherwise verifying the integrity of all nominations and elections. There has been no affirmative machinery functioning in this field heretofore.

Cutting is at work on new and more comprehensive bills having to do with election machines which he will introduce later.

J. H. BLAKELY PIONEER DEAD

James H. Blakely, 78, of Alamogordo, pioneer stage driver and Indian fighter died at his home in Alamogordo Sunday and was buried in El Paso Monday. Blakely came to the Pecos Valley in 1885 and operated a freight wagon train from Pecos to Roswell. He also held the timber contract for building the Santa Fe across the Pecos Valley.

Blakely came to Alamogordo with the Eddy brothers and helped to found the town of Alamogordo.

DEXTER TRANSFORMED INTO WILD COW TOWN

Dexter, quiet farming city of the Pecos valley, has been transformed into a wild wooley western cow town with the corner saloon and all the accompaniments for the purpose of staging a number of important scenes in the "Medicine Man," a picture now being staged in the Pecos valley showing early western life, with a sprinkling here and there of Indian warfare.

COUNTY VALUATIONS TEN MILLION DOLLARS

The Commissioners court, sitting as a board of equalization finished their labors Tuesday after hearing a number of matters pertaining to taxes. While the amount of the valuation to Eddy county has not been tabulated yet, the total tax value will run in the neighborhood of ten million dollars, according to C. E. Mann, chairman of the board of County Commissioners.

SCHOOL BOND ELECTION TO BE HELD JUNE 8th

A petition asking for an election to vote on a \$30,000 bond issue in the Cottonwood school district has been presented to the Commissioners court at Carlsbad and the date of the election has been fixed as June 8th. The purpose of the bond issue is to consolidate both the Upper and Lower Cottonwood schools and erect a 30,000 building.

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

ARTESIA STUDENTS WIN LAURELS IN THE PANHANDLE MEET

Artesia members of the Pecos valley orchestra won their share of the laurels at the fifteenth annual music meet, held at Amarillo last week and sponsored by the Panhandle Music Association. Among the winners: were Richard Wheatley who won first prize in the clarinet class; John William Collins, first prize in the cornet class; Earl Pior, first prize, mellophone; Fletcher Collins tied for second place in the clarinet class. J. C. Paris won second place in the cornet class, Thelma McCaw won a place in the clarinet class and Misses Grace Sinclair, Martha Sinclair and Jeanne Wheatley made excellent grades in the piano class.

DISTRICT COURT CLOSED

District court, which opened at Carlsbad on the 6th, closed Friday after having disposed of several pending criminal and civil cases.

MRS. BOANS SUFFERS STROKE

Mrs. Boans, mother of John Boans, suffered a stroke of paralysis yesterday afternoon and is said to be in a critical condition. Physicians hold out little hope for her recovery.

BURGLARS BREAK PUMP

Burglars broke the pump at the filling station of the Artesia Auto Co., last night and secured about 8 gallons of gasoline. No arrests have been made.

IMPROVEMENTS

Artesia residents continue to make improvements about the business and residential section of town as the summer season approaches. J. M. Jackson is having his residence painted and built in cabinets added to the interior of the building. J. M. Story is putting in oak floors in his dwelling. C. C. Pior has recently laid hard wood floors in his residence. Rex Wheatley has painted his dwelling on West Main street. Painting operations are underway on the residence of Dr. Chester Russell, Ralph Shugart has painted his dwelling, Mrs. Jessie Morgan has repaired and added improvements to the porches on her dwelling. Luther Rideout has recently renovated and remodeled his dwelling in north Artesia.



He who is useless on top of the ground, ought to be under it inspiring the cabbages.—Mark Twain.

"Hunger is the best sauce."

GOOD THINGS FOR EVERYBODY

An occasional potato salad is always welcome. Here is one that is slightly different:

German Potato Salad.—Boil six medium-sized potatoes in their jackets, peel while hot and slice them quite thin. Add one or two finely cut onions. Cut two slices of bacon into squares, fry potatoes in the fat. Now add three tablespoonfuls of vinegar to the pan and when boiling add to the other ingredients. Season to taste with salt and pepper and place in a warm oven for ten minutes to season.

Caramel Pie.—To one quart of milk add the yolks of five eggs and the whites of two, well beaten; add five tablespoonfuls of sugar and two tablespoonfuls of caramel sirup, made by browning sugar and adding water to dissolve it. Add a bit of salt and a cupful of damson preserves. Pour into a pastry-lined plate and bake until firm. Cover with a meringue, using the other three egg whites and two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Brown lightly.

Perfect Orange Marmalade.—During February usually oranges are the most plentiful and the cheapest. Take one dozen tart oranges, five lemons and slice very thin, removing all seeds. Let stand covered with two gallons of water for twenty-four hours. Now cook one hour after the boiling point is reached, stirring very often. Set away another twenty-four hours. Measure one cupful of sugar for every cupful of the fruit mixture and cook one hour. Pour into jelly glasses and seal when cold. This amount makes twenty-four glasses.

Egg Fritters.—Take three hard-cooked eggs, two sardines, bread crumbs, egg, salt, pepper and vinegar. Cut the cooked eggs into halves after removing the shells; remove the yolk. Skin and bone the sardines, mash with the egg yolks, season with salt, pepper and vinegar and rub through a sieve. Rebeat the whites, brush with beaten egg and cover with bread crumbs. Fry in hot fat and serve garnished with parsley and lemon quarters.

Nellie Maxwell

NEW MEXICO CROPS IN A FAIR CONDITION

The following forecasts and estimates of acreage and production are based upon data furnished the Crop Reporting Board of the United States Department of Agriculture, by crop correspondents and others.

Winter Wheat.—The winter wheat sown in New Mexico this year was estimated on December 1, at 287,000 acres. On May 1 the abandonment, due to dry weather and high winds, amounted to 25% of this acreage, thus leaving for harvest 215,000 acres with a condition of 85%. This indicates a production of 2,795,000 bushels. More rainfall will be needed during May and June to insure a good crop. Drouth would result in a greatly increased abandonment.

The yield now indicated is the largest since 1926, when 219,000 acres were sown and 212,000 acres harvested. The condition of the crop on May 1 of that year, was 100%, and the final production amounted to 4,876,000 bushels.

In the fall of 1926 there were 227,000 acres planted. In the following May the abandonment was estimated at 50%, which indicated a production of 1,122,000 bushels. A further decline in condition after that date resulted in a harvest of only 25,000 acres, and a production of only 150,000 bushels.

The acreage of winter wheat planted for harvest in 1928, amounted to 278,000, but only 150,000 acres were harvested as a result of drouth. The condition of the crop on May 1, was 62% and indicated 1,696,000 bushels, but the ultimate harvest amounted to 1,500,000 bushels.

For the United States the acreage of winter wheat left for harvest amounted to 40,647,000. There were 43,225,000 acres sown. The condition on May 1, was estimated at 83.6%, which indicated a production of 595,335,000 bushels, compared with last year's production of 578,964,000 bushels, and a five year average of 549,257,000 bushels.

Rye.—Only 1,000 acres of rye for harvest this year in New Mexico. It is estimated that the abandonment of this crop amounted to 10%, and the condition of the crop left for harvest was 90%.

The acreage of rye sown in the United States in the fall of 1928 was estimated at 3,360,000, which compares with 3,895,000 last year, and a five year average of 4,138,000. Of this planted acreage it is estimated that 3,225,000 will be harvested, which compares with 3,444,000 last year, and 4,105,000 for a five year average. The condition of the crop on May 1, was 87.6%, which indicates a production of 44,366,000 bushels, compared with 41,766,000 last year, and 54,793,000 as a five year average.

Hay.—The hay stocks for New Mexico was reported at 7.5% of last year's production, or 33,000 tons. The condition of the crop this year is estimated at 86%.

For the United States the condition was 87%. The stocks on farms was estimated at 10.5%, indicating the supply at 11,126,000 tons, compared with 17,896,000 tons last year, and a five year average of 12,803,000 tons.

Pastures.—For New Mexico were in an 80% condition. In the United States the condition was 86.9%, compared with 71.3% last year, and 83.4% for a 10 year average.

Peaches.—The peach crop for the southern states was estimated at 67.4% compared with 73.8% last year, and 42.7% in 1927.

R. F. HARE, Agri. Statistician.

TRAINED FOREMAN WITH JACKSON-BOLTON

A number of changes have recently been instituted by the Jackson-Bolton Chevrolet Co., in their repair department. They have recently employed G. L. Muschke, a factory trained man, who will serve as foreman of this department. Associated with Mr. Muschke are two other trained mechanics, who will add materially to the quality of the repair work turned out by this concern. Mr. Muschke has already moved his family here and plans to make Artesia his home. Roy Blair, who has served the company as foreman for several months plans to remove with his family next week to Iowa. Jackson-Bolton have also added new equipment to the shop in addition to the construction of an extension on the rear of the building. The extension will be used for washing, greasing and ducoing cars.

CARLSBAD GIRLS WINS TYPING CONTEST

Miss Helen Benson, of Carlsbad won first place in the state typing contest held at Albuquerque Saturday, clicking off 70.6 words per minute. Gilbert Platt of Santa Fe was second in this contest and Jimmie Prichard, third. In the novice class, Lillian Danielson of Albuquerque was first; Lillian McNatt of Alamogordo second and Patricia Mahoney of Artesia, third.

The awards were made at a banquet Saturday evening by Mrs. Theresa Iseman of Hope, chairman of the contest.

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FORTY-SIX IN EIGHTH GRADE TO RECEIVE DIPLOMAS TO-NIGHT

The eighth grade graduating exercises will be held this evening at the Central school, beginning at 8:00 p. m. The program as published in our last issue will be carried out. Forty-six pupils will receive diplomas from the Junior High on this occasion. The class roll:

Jeanne Wheatley,
 Roy Crockett
 Ray Cowan
 Norman Grimm
 Mabel Myers
 Sam Harrison
 Loma Ruth Henderson
 Myrna Yeager
 Joe Bill Ballard
 Mildred Fox
 Lorid Sharp
 Beatrice Davidson
 Alice Moore
 Glenn Smith
 Velma French
 Kathleen Blount
 Marjorie Kerr
 Paul Crockett
 Gwendolyn Bliss
 Catherine Cogdell
 Leonard Vandever
 Averil Stuart
 Nina Gray
 Victoria Moore
 Agnes Weske
 John Gates
 Nell Jackson
 Mona Sinclair
 Mary Louis Paris
 Earl Pior
 Elizabeth McCombs
 George Nicholson
 Eleanor Rogers
 Hansford Shockley
 Paul Bruce
 Herbert Mathis
 Irene Irby
 Merbeth Thomasson
 Russell Floore
 Jaunita Perry
 Elizabeth Muncy
 Osborne Keller
 Lillie Mae Miller

BOY SCOUT NOTES

The Boy Scouts who attend this summer will have an opportunity to pick their activities, from a large variety of subjects. Instruction will be on hand to teach camp pioneering, nature, Indian lore, handcraft and handicraft.

The handicraft program offers wide variety to select from, and includes leather handicraft, wood plaster casting, carving, knife featherwork and silver smithing.

The various Indian crafts given in a real Indian teepee, new log cabin will be used for handicraft and the crafts shop continue to house the woodwork.

The camp is located in Scout Canyon ten miles west of Weed, one of the most beautiful spots in the mountains. The local Scouts planning to attend on the day periods, under the direct supervision of Scoutmasters George Frisch and Moorehead.

BIG LAMBS TO MARKET

If you want the recipe for good big lambs, ask Bryant Williams. He. Yesterday Mr. Williams hoped out a car of 274 lambs weighing 22,620 pounds or an average of 82½ pounds each. The age of lambs was between four and a half months old. They were fed on alfalfa.

THREE NEW POTASH TESTS

Three new tests for potash were made in southeastern Eddy county, it was announced at Carlsbad Sunday. The locations of the were not made known.

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

Ethlyn Cobble
 Reno Gene Shelton
 Nora Ellen Ransbarger.

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