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## PLANS FOR THE CITY BEAUTIFUL CONTEST RECENTLY COMPLETED

The City Beautiful Contest gets under way with unusual interest this year. The Women's club and the Chamber of Commerce working together have made a number of changes in the program of previous years, and believe that they have made much progress in perfecting a permanent program. The contest has been divided into two sections, No. 1 Home Beautiful, with two divisions, the owned home and the rented home, No. 2 Floral Display, which is divided into three divisions, dahlias, roses and a miscellaneous list.

A detailed report will be given in the next issue of this publication, after which entries will be made during a limited period of time.

## VALLEY ORCHESTRA TO GIVE FINE PROGRAM HERE TOMORROW 8 P. M.

The Pecos Valley Orchestra, under the leadership of Prof. E. L. Harp, has prepared two splendid programs for this week. One will occur here on Friday night and the other will be held at Roswell Sunday, beginning at 2:30 p. m.

Friday, May 2nd, 8:00 p. m., the Pecos Valley High School Chorus and the valley orchestra will give a program at the Artesia Central school auditorium.

High school violinists from Las Vegas will play a violin duet, a trio of Carlsbad singers will give an excellent number, chorus will sing the two State Interscholastic Contest numbers and the orchestra will play three numbers.

The program is sponsored by the Artesia schools, there will be no charges for admission and the public is cordially invited.

**National Music Week Program**

Next Sunday, May 4th, 2:30 p. m., the fifth annual Pecos Valley National Music Week Sunday program will be given at Roswell Junior high school auditorium.

**C. A. Bulot of Artesia will sing, "Ave Maria," by Gounod, a trio of singers from Carlsbad will give one number, there will be a violin duet played by Las Vegas violin players, the Pecos Valley Orchestra will have three numbers on the program and the Pecos Valley Grade School Chorus of three hundred and twenty-five singers will sing "Old Glory," by Vaughan De Leath and two other familiar patriotic numbers.**

The program is sponsored by the Roswell Ministerial Alliance, Rev. J. H. Ketchum, chairman.

A silver offering will be taken for auditorium and incidental expense. The public is cordially invited.

The following program will be rendered in the Central school auditorium, tomorrow evening, beginning at 8:00 p. m.:

Overture—"The Midnight Dream," by Slespegg, orchestra.

Violin Solo—"Concerto," by Chas de Beriot, Charles Onion, accompanied by Miss Virginia Ludwig, (pupils of Mrs. Augusta O'Malley, Las Vegas, New Mexico).

"God is a Spirit" by W. S. Bennett, Chorus—conductor, Miss Florence Oakes; accompanist, Miss Grace Sinclair, Artesia, New Mexico.

"Wind Bells," by J. S. Zamecnik, orchestra.

Tenor Solo—"Flee As a Bird," by Dana, Lowell Price, (pupil of Mrs. Virginia Laurie Coffman, Carlsbad, New Mexico).

"American Fantasie," by Victor Herbert, orchestra.

Violin Duet—"Andante Cantabile," by (Continued on last page, column 6.)

## MORE CENSUS FIGURES

More census figures were released Tuesday from the office of the district supervisor at Roswell. The count affecting four towns in eastern New Mexico is preliminary and subject to correction:

Lake Arthur, 215, increase 74.  
Dexter 540, increase 207.  
Elida 325, increase 25.  
Lakewood 348, decrease 24.

## OIL ASSOCIATION IS TO HAVE AN EXECUTIVE SESSION HERE SOON

William Dooley, secretary of the New Mexico Oil Men's Protective Association, announces a business meeting of the executive committee and advisory board on May 19th at the Artesia hotel. The session will last through the afternoon and part of the evening of the above date. It was understood that Dr. Crile, land commissioner plans to attend the evening session. The association expects to hold a banquet for all of its members at a later date.

## RECHECK OF ARTESIA CENSUS MAY ADD 100 NAMES TO POPULATION

## City Loses 100 Through An Error In Addition On The Preliminary Count—The Dead Line For Getting Enumerated Saturday.

At the call of Lawrence Kremer, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, a re-check of the 1930 census of Artesia has been made, with the assistance of a number of citizens, who volunteered to make a canvass of the town. In as much as the present count will stand for the next ten years, it was felt that it was imperative to count every resident of the community. While the re-checking operations have not yet been completed, it was indicated here yesterday morning that at least seventy-five names will be added to the Artesia census roll as result of the recount. Sid Cox, who is supervising the recount hopes to add 100 names, to offset the error of 100 made in the preliminary announcement of Artesia's population last week. The first preliminary report gave Artesia's population as 2,474 and later it was discovered that an error of 100 had been made in the addition, cutting the population to 2,374.

In checking the local population, Chamber of Commerce officials and the enumerator have found that it was a comparatively easy matter to miss an entire family. Large centers are confronted with the same problem. Some people were missed because they were not at home when the enumerator called and failed to return the enumeration slip placed in the door. Others were missed because they moved from one section of the community to another at the time the count was being made and still others, usually the heads of families neglected to enumerate their wives or children.

## Saturday Last Day For Placing New Names on the Census Rolls.

If you live in the city limits and know that you or your family have not been counted in the present census, get in touch with Mr. Kremer or Mr. Cox at once. Mr. Kremer may be communicated with by phoning 36.

## KIMBROUGH—BIGLER WIN FOUR BALL GOLF TOURNAMENT LAST WEEK

Through an oversight last week, we failed to mention the final outcome of the four ball golf tourney, which was concluded at the local course last week. A. C. Kimbrough and E. N. Bigler defeated Landis Feather and V. L. Gates for first place. The winners were each awarded a first prize of \$15.00 in trade from Joyce Pruitt's and Brainard and Corbin Hardware Co. The runner ups were each given \$7.50 in trade from Joyce Pruitt's and the Palace Drug Store.

## NEAR SERIOUS CAR WRECK LAST NIGHT

One automobile collision caused a second here last night about 8:00 o'clock in front of the post office. Two cars ran together near the intersection of Main and 4th streets. While watching the results of the near wreck, George Beal driving west on Main and E. V. Haisley driving east on Main collided with result that Mr. Haisley's car was badly wrecked. No one was injured, however, and only one car was damaged in the first collision.

## T. J. TIDWELL SHOWS COMING

The T. J. Tidwell shows, which are now playing in Carlsbad will fill a six day engagement here, beginning Monday, May 5th. The Tidwell shows come to Artesia this year playing under the auspices of the American Legion. This organization played here two years ago and returns again with a bigger and better show. They have fourteen attractions, eight riding devices, thirty-five concessions and 300 people.

The Tidwell shows is the largest carnival that has ever played in Artesia. Bill posters and a special agent traveling in advance of the show have been here practically all the week. This week is the seventh week out for the Tidwell shows.

## ROSSELL POPULATION

Roswells' population is placed at 10,782 in the first preliminary announcement of the 1930 census made last week at Roswell.

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Advocate.

## TWENTY CANDIDATES QUALIFY FOR DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ON MAY 15TH

## Not Necessary For Voters To Register To Enter The Primary—Lea County Primary Is To Be Held June 2nd.

The time for filing notice of candidacy in the coming Eddy county democratic primary to be held May 15th, expired on the evening of April 25th. This year voters of the county will select candidates for twelve offices, including two district offices, seven county offices and three precinct offices. The line up is as follows:

For district judge—J. C. Gilbert, G. A. Richardson.

For representative in the state legislature—E. K. Neumann.

For sheriff—Walter McDonald, E. S. Shattuck, A. F. Schnaubert, B. C. McCutcheon.

For clerk—Ruth Nye and Norma T. Powers.

For assessor—Mrs. Richard Westaway, J. S. McCall.

For treasurer—R. E. Wilkinson.

For superintendent of schools—H. R. Rodgers, Mrs. Frances G. Donley.

For probate judge—Mrs. M. O. Grantham.

For surveyor—John W. Lewis, Jr. For county commissioner—district No. 1—R. M. Thorne. No. 2—C. E. Mann, Fred Brainard. No. 3—C. W. Beaman.

Registration is not necessary in the coming democratic primary. Although voters who go into the primary will make a pledge that he or she is a democrat and will support the democratic nominee.

This year Eddy and Chaves county will hold the democratic primary on the same date, May 15th, while Lea county will hold a primary on June 2. The time for Chaves county candidates to file their names on the ballot closes today.

## TICKETS FOR COWBOY BAND

Tickets for the coming concert of the Simmons Cowboy Band, at the Central school auditorium Friday evening, will be on sale at all drug stores in Artesia. All children under school age will be admitted free.

## DIRECTORS CHOSEN AT BASEBALL MEETING LAST THURSDAY EVE.

Preliminaries of the organization of an Artesia baseball club were completed Thursday evening with a number of the local baseball fans met in the Chamber of Commerce office and elected directors for the coming season. Bill Gissler was made president of the club and Howell Gage and Bill Mount were selected as directors. F. A. Linell was made secretary and business manager. Fred Brainard, former major leaguer, who piloted the team last season was again made active manager.

Owing to the inclement weather which prevailed here during the early spring, few prospective players have reported for practice, however, the warmer weather is expected to increase the interest in the practice periods now.

Another item of interest at Thursday evening's meet was that the fans present voted to pay off a percentage of the ball park debentures with interest.

## ADDS NEW EQUIPMENT

Gray Coggins has added new equipment and new workmen to his welding and blacksmith shop, located east of the tracks, to better serve the public. Ed Ditto, formerly of Snyder, Texas, has assumed charge of the blacksmith shop of Mr. Coggin. F. R. Stone, formerly of the Mabe-Lowrey Hardware Co., of Roswell, is now Mr. Coggin's head machinist. A shaper and trip hammer is among the last equipment to be added to Mr. Coggin's establishment.

## REAL RODEO FOR ARTESIA

Milt Hinkle, better known as the "South American Kid," was in Artesia last week arranging for a rodeo and wild west performance here on September 25, 26 and 27. Mr. Hinkle, a widely known rodeo performer promises to stage a real show for the rodeo lovers of this section. The Brainard park has been selected as the rodeo site and Mr. Hinkle is bringing his own steers, brones, portable shutes and bleachers. An extended announcement concerning the coming performance will be made at a later date. See Mr. Hinkle's ad in this issue.

## CLOSING DATE OF THE COTTON CONTEST IS MOVED UP TO MAY 14th

Sponsors of the cotton contest announced here several weeks ago, have decided to move the date of final entry up to May 15th at 6:00 p. m. The final date was originally set at 6:00 p. m., April 30th. Officials of the Chamber of Commerce and others interested in the contest are highly gratified at the number of entries already made, but hope to see a still larger entry list from a wider section of the country. It was indicated here yesterday that the prize money would also be increased. The amount of the prizes will be announced in our issue of May 15th.

## OVER 100 VISITORS ATTEND CELEBRATION I. O. O. F. ANNIVERSARY

An outstanding event in the annals of Odd Fellowship in the Pecos valley was the program celebrating the 111th anniversary of the order on last Friday. One of the chief features of Friday evening's entertainment was the play presented by members of the local Rebekah lodge entitled—"One Minute Till Twelve." The cast of characters in the play was as follows:

Billy Butler.....J. McCann  
M. T. Butler.....Mrs. E. L. Perry  
Marvel Butler.....Mrs. Etta Douglass  
Leeta Murray.....Mrs. Glenda Joiner  
Ninette DeLacy.....Nellie Hamann  
Mary Ann Martin.....Irma Woolridge  
Ermintrude Fair.....Nola Naylor  
LaDon Lisk.....Mrs. Kimbrough  
Pokadot.....Mrs. Littlejohn  
Linda Lou.....Juanita Cobble

Approximately 100 visitors were registered during the day. Numbers of visitors attending the evening's program were not registered, however. Among the Rebekahs attending from Roswell were: Miss Lula English, Mrs. C. H. Glover, Mrs. M. A. Maples, Mrs. Agnes Swanson. Odd Fellows in attendance from Roswell included:

C. H. Glover, Olaf Person, Rebekahs from Hope were: Mrs. Medcalf, Mrs. N. E. Gage, Mrs. Will Scoggins, Mrs. George Chambers. Odd Fellows from Hope were: W. S. Medcalf, Will E. Scoggin, George W. Chambers, J. W. Collins. Rebekahs from Lake Arthur: Mrs. E. C. Latta, Mrs. Grace Haven, Mrs. J. B. Crook. Odd Fellows from Lake Arthur: J. R. Spence, Bob Allison, H. A. Sims. Rebekahs from Carlsbad: Mrs. Irene Benz, Miss Belle McCord, Mrs. Nell N. Vest, Mrs. Gertie Stamp. Odd Fellows from Carlsbad: George R. Benz, T. C. Horne, J. B. Leck, H. C. Murphy, H. T. Berk, R. H. King, Richard Westaway. Other valley visitors included Miss Lila Woodall and Miss Thelma Woodall, I. O. O. F. home, Roswell, Mrs. Tom Ball, Lovine, J. H. Long, Dexter. Oddfellow officials included: J. H. Davis, Tacoma, Washington, D. D. Monroe, Clayton, O. E. Silver, Albuquerque. Mrs. Margueret Jackson of Tucuman, president of the Rebekah assembly was also in attendance.

**Officers Elected**

J. R. Thomas of Roswell, was elected president of the Pecos Valley I. O. O. F. Association at its 19th convention held here Friday. Other officers elected at the convention were: Schlyer Smith, Dexter; C. H. Glover, Roswell; H. A. Simms, Lake Arthur; Gorge W. Chambers, Hope; T. W. Ball, Carlsbad; Mrs. Laura Welsh, Artesia, were all elected vice-president and B. P. Rasmus, of Roswell, was elected secretary.

## MINIATURE GOLF COURSE

Have you played your game of golf today? This question will soon be frequently heard in Artesia, if golf lovers take to the miniature golf course, which has been recently installed at Fourth and Quay at the rear of the Peoples Mercantile Co., by Messrs. Aubrey Watson and Joe Hamann. Miniature golf has taken many sections of the west by storm and should prove very popular here. The owners of the course, Messrs. Watson and Hamann have gone to quite a little expense in preparing the grounds.

## AMARILLO BOOSTERS WILL VISIT IN ARTESIA ON FIFTEENTH OF MAY

Approximately 175 Amarillo business men will visit Artesia on May 15th, it was learned here the first of the week. The visitors will travel down the valley on the morning of the 15th and will make stops at Roswell, Dexter, Hagerman, Lake Arthur and Artesia. At noon the Texans will make a trip through the Carlsbad Caverns. They will be accompanied by a forty piece high school band.

## Over an Inch Of Rain Falls Here--Range Is Benefitted

## Precipitation Here From Thursday To Monday Measures 1.07 Inches—Water Spout Falls On Day Ranch.

General rains fell over the eastern slope of the state as far south as Carlsbad during the first part of the week. The heaviest portion of rain fell in the vicinity of Dexter, where farming operations were practically stopped due to muddy fields. Thursday evening and night the rainfall here amounted to approximately a quarter of an inch. Sunday afternoon the precipitation amounted to a quarter of an inch as did the rain fall again on Monday evening. In the showers, both Sunday and Monday, a light hail fell, but not enough to damage growing crops or fruit.

Sunday and Monday's rain amounted to 1.07 inches, according to a report submitted by R. W. Bruce, weather observer. The total precipitation for the month amounted to 2 inches, Mr. Bruce states. The high temperature for the month was 93, while the low was 33. The lowest thermometer reading, one degree above freezing, occurred on the 17th.

While the stockmen generally welcomed the rain, cotton growers would have preferred to have seen the moisture after cotton planting time. Ranges have greened up almost overnight as result of the rains during the past week.

Mountain sections to the west report the heaviest rainfall. A heavy hail is reported Sunday in the vicinity of Picocho hill.

Later reports from the hills to the west indicate that the precipitation was generally lighter than in the north valley. Good rains fell as far west as Y. O. Crossing and from Y. O. to the Sacramento mountains, light showers fell. A water spout fell at the Day ranch in the Guadalupe southwest of here Monday, it was said this morning and drowned about twelve kid goats.

## HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS WIN FIFTH PLACE IN ROSWELL TRACK MEET

Artesia high school finished fifth in the district track meet, held at Roswell, Friday, on the Military Institute field. Roswell high school finished first with a total of 38 points; Albuquerque 27; Carlsbad 24 1/3; Artesia 11 1/3; Lake Arthur 1/2. The Junior track meet was won by the Institute Juniors with 47 1/2 points. Roswell Juniors 30 1/2, Artesia 8 1/2, Dexter 6 1/2, Lake Arthur 4 and Hagerman 1.

Allen of Carlsbad was high point man in the Senior meet with 17 1/2 points. Withers of Artesia won 3rd place in the Senior 440 yard dash; Shockey of Artesia, took first place in the 100 yard dash; Shockey also took third in the 220 yard dash. Artesia won second in the 880 yard relay. Pollard of Artesia tied for second place in the pole vault.

## THE NEW CITY COUNCIL SWORN IN MON. EVE.--STUDY CITY FINANCES

Artesia's new city council was sworn in at a meeting in the city hall, Monday evening. The personnel of the new council includes: D. I. Clowe, mayor; S. E. Ferree, alderman ward 1; C. O. Brown, alderman ward 2; M. W. Evans, alderman ward 3; Arba Green, alderman ward 4; P. A. Otts, city clerk; L. B. Feather, city treasurer.

The principal part of the session was taken up with routine matters and a discussion of ways and means to finance the various phases of the city government. One of the first official acts of the council was the employment of a city marshal. Ross Conner, present deputy sheriff of this precinct received the appointment and will take office on June 1, 1930, succeeding Carl Gordon. The matter of appointment of a nightwatchman was not disposed of, owing to the lack of funds. The selection will likely be taken up at a later date.

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## NEW MEXICO'S NEW INDUSTRY

Substantial new industries do not spring up overnight. The rise of a new line of business is more often marked by delays, waits and slow progress. Such has been true of one of our greatest potential industries, potash. No one yet knows the magnitude of the potash deposits existing over the eastern section of the state, but a start has been made toward opening up a commercial mine and we have reason to believe that the new venture will eventually be a success. From what is known of the government tests drilled in Eddy and Lea county, no one particular locality will have a monopoly of the potash beds. Once the venture is established, there will be room for more than one potash company even in Eddy county.

Recent experiments conducted by the United States Bureau of Mines at Brunswick, New Jersey, have resulted in a process which gives promise of economic production of refined potassium salts from polyhalite. Estimates of the cost of production indicate that potassium sulphate can be produced at a treatment plant at approximately \$16.00 per ton, and the double sulphate of potash magnesia for approximately \$8.00 per ton. Adding the cost of transportation to the principal markets of the nation, it is believed that this section can sell potash more cheaply than the foreign competitors.

State Treasurer Emerson Watts has found another "boner" that the 1929 state legislature pulled, which is number 101. In as much as this is election year, there ought to be somebody at the capital, who could tell us of the good things accomplished by the 1929 solons.

I was thin and run down. I had nervous spells, there were black spots in front of my eyes at times and my hair kept coming out and would not stay combed. I did not get enough sleep. My garters kept slipping down.—Exchange.

## MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE

Folks of this section will be interested in the announcement from Roswell that Rev. C. C. Hill, probate judge of Chaves county has performed 1,000 marriages since he came to Roswell a number of years ago. Included in the 1,000 marriage ceremonies are many couples from this section. Certainly Rev. Hill should be an authority on how to tie the nuptial knot and it is also reasonable to suppose that from his years of experience in the marriage business that Rev. Hill could give the prospective bride and groom some worthwhile advice on how to live happily. One of the most important factors in an amicable marital relationship is:

"Don't both get mad at the same time."  
If that is avoided, he says, there won't be any trouble.

"The danger of married happiness, to a great extent, is that both parties, during times of stress which are inevitable, lose their heads and think more about cutting things to say to the other than about the point of issue. If there is one level head in the family all the time, almost any difficulty can be ironed out."

"But even this is impossible if a real love is not manifest. That is the basis of all marriage, despite the fact that you have heard it before. It always has been, it always will be."

Young people, contrary to the popular opinion of their parents, are not so scatterbrained as they might seem, Rev. Hill says.

"I have found in my experience that the younger class get along best. I have seen them come in so young that one might wonder how they got away from their mothers. And yet in almost every case, the young couple has built a relationship which has only ripened with time, and not soured."

"There is nothing more ridiculous than the doctrine of the degeneration of the martial tie. The modern world of today harbors an utter disregard for the seriousness of marriage, according to the contemporary philosopher. Nothing, in my estimation, could be more false. Marriage has not degenerated. It is not a declining institution, but a divine one, and a very normal one. With the right companion, marriage exemplifies life in its fullest form, but to insure its success it must be based on real love."

## FLY TIME

With the advent of summer, the flying corps of the army of disease swoops down from the skies to attack our health. With a small outlay of dimes, anti-air craft guns in the shape of fly swatters can be placed in strategic places about the home. Poison gas shot about the rooms will also have a desired effect. Fly paper entanglements placed in No-Man's Land will enmesh some of the enemy, but the greatest offense which we can afford will consist in properly screening our homes and keeping them clean.

Flies constitute the greatest carriers of disease, and are tolerated more freely. The inconvenience of having flies around is remarked by some people more than the danger to health that they offer. We simply do not realize enough that a fly crawling around on the butter is leaving the germs from the barn yard or other places more unclean upon our food.

Whether we are disturbed by flies or not, is not the entire question. We are jeopardizing the health of the entire community in allowing our homes to be breeding places for them.

## POISONED BOOZE

While the Literary Digest and some newspapers are conducting a straw vote on the prohibition question, local bootleggers are working overtime peddling poisoned booze. Three persons have been victims of concoctions of wood alcohol, sheep dip, etc., in this section during the past three weeks. Looks like rotten booze and the straw vote might be connected in some way. We are just wondering if the vendors could not be prosecuted under the pro law, whether or not it would be possible to convict them under the pure food and drug act.

## INSIDE INFORMATION

Hollandaise sauce, made with egg yolks, butter and lemon juice, is a delicious accompaniment for asparagus, and it enriches the meal in respect to both minerals and vitamins.

Never boil new peas, let them simmer. Salt the water very lightly. Some cooks add the salt when the cooking is half done. Do not cover while cooking, and do not cook longer than necessary for tenderness.

When first teaching a little boy to dress and undress himself, it is a good plan to make all his trousers exactly alike so that he will always find the buttons and buttonholes in the same positions. The Bureau of Home Economics has a great many practical suggestions as to how little boys' clothing should be made.

The flavor of whipped cream used as a sauce may be varied. Add two tablespoonfuls of dry powdered cocoa to one-half pint of whipped cream which has been sweetened to taste and flavored slightly with vanilla. Or add a small amount of caramel sirup. Or crushed fruit pulp such as strawberries. Whipped cream flavored in different ways may be served on sponge cake for an emergency dessert.

In preparing buttered crumbs for the tops of various dishes, such as those given the name "au gratin," melt the butter in a pan first and mix the crumbs and seasonings with it. Many "au gratin" dishes have also grated cheese in the sauce or sprinkled over the top.

## FOREST ROAD BILL PASSED

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A house bill to authorize an additional \$30,000,000 for forest roads and trails in the next three years with \$5,000,000 for next year and \$12,500,000 each for the following two years, was passed Friday by the senate and sent to the White House.

## TYPEWRITERS

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## JUST KIDS— Starting Young

By Ad Carter



## OPONENT HE BREAKS NECK SUNDAY

Hernandez hit Sam LaRue hard Monday evening on his own neck. That is the cause of the death of LaRue, an autopsy showed, of a broken neck. The double action happened right after the fight. LaRue sprang back away a few feet and fell dead. He was fighting, according to reports, over the affections of a vacant lot. The fight was between Hernandez and Wheel-er. Hernandez had seen the girl to the store. A bloody battle and Hernandez was the best of it at the end. He had a decision from the referees. LaRue, who is usually beaten on the face, had a mark on the body of the current-Argus.



Small dairies or persons selling only cream may cool their milk or cream by setting a covered barrel, through which water may be pumped, in the ground between the pump and the stock tank. The pipe from the pump should be extended to the bottom of the barrel, and the outlet should be near the top of the cans.

A "tabloid" picture of the factors that effect the farmer's economic position from month to month appears in the agricultural situation, a 24-page pamphlet issued monthly by the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Economics. It is sent free to cooperators of the Department of Agriculture and to public institutions; others may subscribe for it for 25 cents a year.

A manure pit is desirable for the temporary storage of manure if it is fitted with a tent trap or cone trap to catch flies that may breed before the pit is emptied. To retain the fertilizing value of manure, it should be protected from rain and the air excluded as much as possible. There is no need to cover a large part of the top of the pit with a trap, but merely to leave holes large enough to attract flies to the light. Cover the holes with ordinary conical fly traps with the legs cut off so the bottom of the trap will fit closely to the box. In large bins two or more holes covered with traps should be provided.

Western farmers who must combat injurious rodents—which in some localities destroy 25 per cent or more of the farm crops and range forage—can now do so cheaply and efficiently through bait mixing stations established by the U. S. Biological Survey. The most effective bait for poisoning ground squirrels, prairie dogs, field mice, and some other rodents is made from good, clean, specially steam-rolled oats, says the Biological Survey. At a bait mixing station in Idaho, in 1929, more than 400,000 pounds of oats were prepared for poisoning in Idaho and other states and at a saving of \$23,560.

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## LOCALS

S. S. Dalgren of Dexter was a visitor here Friday.

Owen McClay was a business visitor to Hobbs, Tuesday.

Frank Donahue is spending a few days at Chandler, Arizona.

Judge and Mrs. Doering of the Cottonwood were trading in town, Saturday.

Pat Reilly of the International Supply Co., was a business visitor at Roswell Monday.

Judge J. C. Gilbert of Roswell, candidate for district judge was mixing with the voters here Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Mae Robinson and daughter, Wilma, were visiting with friends and relatives over the weekend.

William Buel was in Roswell Sunday with his daughter, Miss Olive, who was in St. Mary's hospital for a tonsil operation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Medcalf were here from Hope Sunday, guests at the home of their son-in-law, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edington Gage.

Hugh Burch, local oil operator, returned Saturday from Fort Worth, Texas. Mr. Burch had the misfortune to suffer an illness of about two weeks during his last visit with his family.

Mrs. Van Welsh returned last Thursday from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Sig Iverson, in Amarillo, Texas. Mrs. Iverson came home with her mother and is spending this week here.

Messrs. R. H. Henderson and C. J. Dexter drove over to Alamogordo Tuesday to meet Messdames Henderson and Dexter, who were returning from an extended visit with relatives in points in California.

Rev. Scoggins went to Roswell Sunday afternoon, to assist as instructor in a Sunday school training school, which began at the M. E. Church, South, that evening and continues through the week. There were no services at the local Methodist church Sunday evening.

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By S. W. Straus, president American Society for Thrift.

"You can do more than strike while the iron is hot; you can make the iron hot by striking." Thus the philosopher, Colton, epitomized a great lesson in personal progress. It was in much the same spirit that Napoleon is said to have exclaimed upon an occasion to one of his generals, "Circumstances? I make circumstances!"

One of the great values of thrift is that it enables us to take advantage of opportunities for self-advancement when they are available. But still deeper value comes through the creation of opportunity. Fortified by thrift one often may force the issue with fate rather than wait patiently for opportunity to come knocking at the door.

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Lafontaine's great fable of the grasshopper and the ant contains a depth of meaning for all of us. When skies are clear and the sun is shining we may get along very well without provision for the future but when adversity and hard times come, the foresight and providence of the ant prove their worth.

Thrift is essential to progress whether our pathway leads to adversity or opportunity. If disaster awaits us we shall need the material resources and the strength of character which are ours through thrift. If we are more fortunate we shall be able to take advantage of favorable opportunities when they come or create them for our own uses.

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### MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rocky Kile on West Main, Mesdames Bolton, Livingston and Blakeney were joint hostesses with Mrs. Kile, assisted by Mrs. Moon, entertaining at bridge and dominoes. Mrs. Howard Gissler being the honored guest. Roses and white honey suckle carried out the pink and white color scheme in house decorations. At the close of the games, Joan Livingston and Bettie Jo Blakeney as little cupids in their huge pink bows appeared pushing a pink carriage loaded with gifts wrapped in pink and white, the honored guest being the recipient. Refreshments in which the above color scheme was carried out, were served to Mesdames J. M. Jackson, William Gissler, Ed Kissinger, Glenn O'Bannon, Maynard Brown, Carl Jenks, Noel Meeks, Tom Franklin, Chas. Morgan, Boone Barnett, Richard Attebery, Elza Swift, Frank Seale, S. S. Ward, John Dunn, Skelt Williams and Margaret Ellis.

### P. E. O. CONVENTION

The annual convention of the state chapter of P. E. O. is in session in Roswell this week. Mrs. S. W. Gilbert, president of Chapter J, and Mrs. K. L. Paris, vice-president, both delegates from the chapter, went to Roswell Tuesday to be present at the first session that night. Last evening Chapter J put on the "Model Meeting," with Mrs. Atkeson taking the part of president. Others from Artesia, who were present and assisted were Mesdames C. E. Mann, E. M. Phillips, Chester Russell, Fred Cole, V. L. Gates and Ralph Shugart and Miss Merrill Bradley, Mrs. G. M. Winans and Miss Esther Morgan, members of the chapter, at present located in Roswell, also assisted. The meeting closed at noon today.

### FORTNIGHTLY BRIDGE CLUB

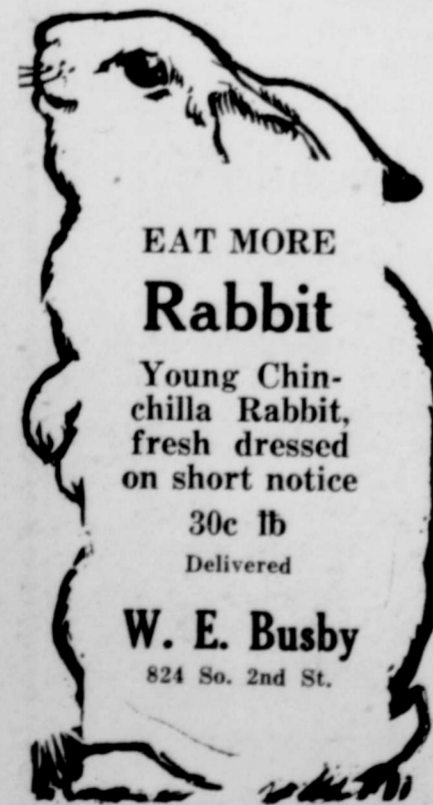
The Fortnightly Bridge club held its regular one o'clock luncheon and bridge on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Seale, who also entertained Dr. Esther Seale and Dr. Ruth Van Duesen at luncheon. Mrs. Dick Attebery was the only substitute.

### GIRL SCOUT TROOP ORGANIZED

Mrs. Z. B. Moon, chairman and Mrs. George Deane, of the Girl Scout Council, drove out to the oil field school house last Thursday afternoon and organized a scout troop. Twenty-four girls joined the troop and much enthusiasm was manifested. Mrs. E. L. Glosbrenner will be captain and much activity and interest is anticipated in the new troop.

### SCOUTS HAVE DANCE

Oil Scouts of the Pecos Valley enjoyed a dance in the roof garden of Artesia hotel last evening. Music for the dance was furnished by Judy Saunders, of Waco, Texas. Scouts from Roswell, Carlsbad and Artesia were in attendance.



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## Social Calendar

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### THURSDAY (TO-DAY)

The "Chevie Six" Bridge club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Martin at Alfadale for seven o'clock dinner.

### FRIDAY

The meeting of the Cemetery Association will be held at the home of Mrs. Walter Douglass at 2:30 p. m.

The P. E. O. Sisterhood will meet with Mrs. J. B. Atkeson at 2:30 p. m.

### MONDAY

The Library Board will meet at the Library at 3:00 p. m.

### TUESDAY

The Eastern Star will have initiation at regular session.

The Idlewhites Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Ralph Shugart at 2:00 p. m.

The First Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Wallace Anderson at 2:30 p. m.

The T. E. L. Class of the Baptist Sunday school will have a business and social meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Wilson on the Cottonwood. All day meeting.

### WEDNESDAY

12 in 1 Bridge club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett.

### PENNEY FORCE PICNIC

The managers and other employees of the Penney stores at Artesia, Roswell and Carlsbad met here Sunday morning for an all day outing in the mountains. Leaving the home of Mr. Schulze, local manager, they journeyed up Lower Penasco, where they ate picnic dinner under the walnut trees on the banks of the Penasco. The more ambitious of the "bunch" drove on after dinner up beyond Elk pine tree hunting. And all returned in the evening with renewed vigor and enthusiasm after a delightful day in the hills. The members of the different stores, who were able to go were Mr. Schulze and family, Mrs. L. W. Feemster, the Misses Opal Martin, and Hannah Briscoe, and Troy Olds of the Artesia store, Mr. and Mrs. Hockinson and Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson, of the Roswell store, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Claywell and others, whose names we could not get, from the Carlsbad store. A number from each establishment were not able to go, but at that there was a goodly company of about twenty-five.

### THE PASSTIME CLUB

The Passtime club met with Mrs. Schoonmaker on Tuesday afternoon, with two substitutes, Mrs. Marvin Archer and Mrs. McKee, a sister of the hostess, who is here from Texas, visiting her mother, Mrs. John McCormick. Mrs. Charles Morgan won high score and consolation went to Mrs. S. B. Barnett. Ice Cream, fresh strawberries and cake were served.

### MARRIED AT ROSWELL

Miss Mabel Tice of Lake Arthur and Mr. Garland Duncan of Hope were married at Roswell the first of the week.

### MUSIC WEEK

SANTA FE—Governor R. C. Dillon Tuesday issued a proclamation designating the week of May 4 to 10 as music week in New Mexico.

### CRAWFORD INFANT DIES

Johan Crawford, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Crawford, who live southeast of town, died Monday morning. Burial was made here Monday afternoon.

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### MISS GLADYS HENDERSON MARRIED LAST WEEK

Artesia friends of Miss Gladys Henderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Henderson, may be interested to learn of her marriage to Mr. Durwood Alden, which occurred last week at Monterey Park, California. The following item relative to the marriage appeared in a California paper:

The marriage of Miss Gladys Henderson, formerly of New Mexico, and Mr. Durwood Alden, son of Mrs. Mary Alden, was solemnized Monday night at 7 o'clock at the home of the groom's mother, 1625½ South Stone-man avenue, with Rev. Clarence Pix, Pentecostal minister from Monterey Park, as the officiating clergyman.

The bride was charmingly dressed in a gown of pink and white crepe and carried pink rosebuds and white sweet peas, while her bridesmaid, Miss Christine Homer of New Mexico, wore eggshell crepe and carried orchid and white sweet peas.

The best man was Elden Vincent. The ceremony was performed under a beautiful arch made of white flowers and greenery, from which was suspended a large white wedding bell. The room was beautifully transformed into a garden with a profusion of all kinds of garden flowers. A reception for about 15 guests followed the ceremony.

The young couple will make their home in Monterey Park.

### PIPE LINE PICNIC

The employees of the Illinois Pipe Line Co., planned a picnic at the Oasis Sunday evening, but on account of the rain the festivities were held at the home of E. H. Perry, manager of the Pipe Line Co. A few friends, E. T. Jernigan, wife and daughter, Elsie were invited in addition to the force, which includes Mr. Fox and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Joiner, E. L. Glosbrenner and family, Pat Moyer and family, Mr. McBride and family, Harold Streeter and wife, from Dayton and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cheney, of Artesia.

### B. Y. P. U. ACTIVITIES

The Senior B. Y. P. U. drove to Lakewood dam Tuesday night for a picnic supper and an evening of games and fun out of doors.

The Intermediate Society of which Mrs. Ralph Peterson is leader had a party at the church Tuesday evening. The regular meeting preceded the games, which were followed by refreshments. There was a good attendance of members.

### THE YOUNG MOTHERS' CLUB

The Young Mothers' club met with Mrs. Kay Lydia last Friday afternoon. Games took the place of the regular program and light refreshments, were served. Mrs. H. M. Gray and Mrs. Gillispie were special guests.

### THE SECOND BRIDGE CLUB

The club met with Mrs. E. N. Bigler on Tuesday for one o'clock luncheon, which was served in two courses. Substitutes were Mesdames Sid Cox, J. M. Story, E. M. Phillips and P. J. Phillips.

### MRS. CHAMBERS HONORED

Mrs. Jim Chambers was the honoree at a bridge party given by Mrs. Jack Clady last Friday afternoon. High score was won by Mrs. Wendell Welsh and delicious refreshments closed the festivities. In addition to the honoree the guest list included, Mesdames A. F. Phillips, Wendell Welsh, Sig Iverson, of Amarillo, Texas, J. S. Ward, F. W. Sewell, C. A. Bulot and Jack Wingfield.

### GUILD PARTY

Mrs. N. M. Baird was the honoree at a delightful luncheon which was given by the Episcopal Guild at the home of Mrs. Mabel Welton last Thursday afternoon. The home was charmingly decorated in yellow flowers, the same color being featured in all of the table appointments. In addition to the honor guest those present were, Mrs. E. E. Coll, Miss Addie Coll, Mrs. M. A. Corbin, Mrs. E. N. Bigler, Mrs. C. A. Bulot, Mrs. Martin Yates, Mrs. J. P. Lowry, Mrs. Carl Gordon and Mrs. Welton.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY

Sunday school day was observed at the Methodist church at the regular preaching hour last Sunday morning. There were special songs by the little folks and a number of talks explaining the aims of the Sunday School Board as outlined by its program. There was a profusion of beautiful flowers on the chancel rail.

### EVENING BRIDGE PARTY

Complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chambers, who are moving to Carlsbad, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Ward were hosts to two tables of bridge last Saturday evening. The lady's prize was won by Mrs. Chambers and the gentleman's prize, by Jack Clady. Lovely refreshments were served. The company included besides the honor guest, Messrs. and Mesdames A. F. Phillips and Clady and the hosts.

### LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Mrs. Ned Hedges, Reporter

Rev. Dye filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Messrs. R. T. Spence and Max Walden returned from Ruidoso Monday.

Prof. Bernard has received a message from his wife, who is in Chanute, Kansas, stating that her sister had died a few days after Mrs. Bernard's arrival.

The local Odd Fellows and Rebekahs were represented at the I. O. O. F. anniversary celebration at Artesia by Messrs. J. R. Spence, H. A. Sims, Bob Allison, E. C. Latta and Mesdames Haven, Crook, Latta and Spence. All report a fine meeting.

The last meeting of the P. T. A. was well attended, the first and second grades put on a program that well reflected the patient drilling of their teachers, Mrs. Moss Spence and Miss Bradley. Mrs. W.

W. Walden the new president was in the chair. A social hour was enjoyed after the business meeting.

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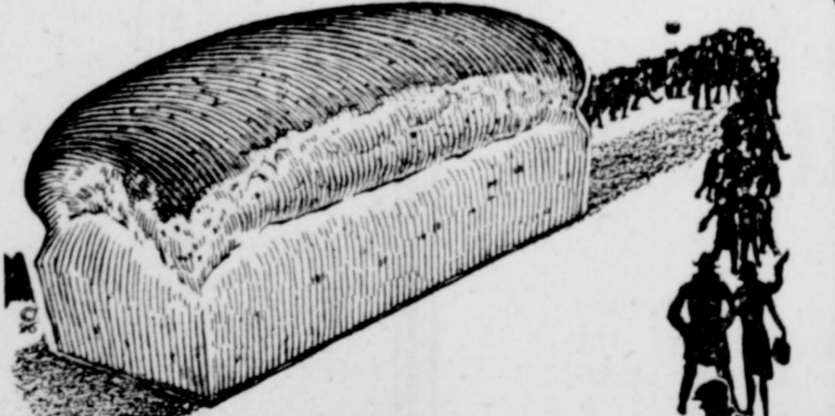
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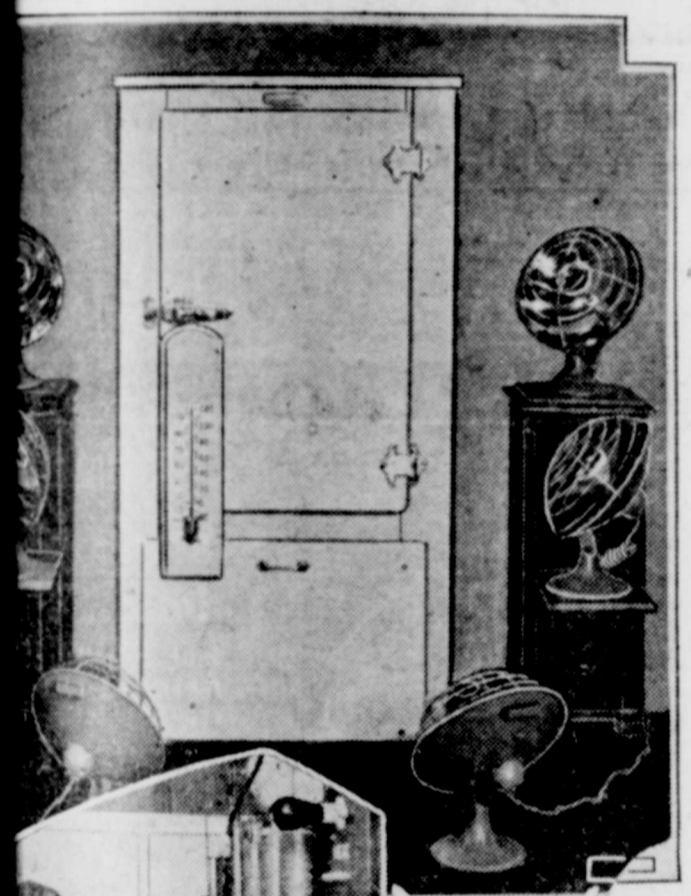
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**LOCALS**

Ira Stephens has been severely ill  
this week.

Bryant Williams of Hope was trad-  
ing in town Monday.

H. L. Williams of Carlsbad was at-  
tending to business matters here Fri-  
day.

Mr. Naylor, of El Paso, manager  
of the Artesia-El Paso truck line was  
transacting business here Tuesday.

Mrs. Nabors and Mrs. Dearborne,  
of Carlsbad, and Mrs. Craig of Ros-  
well, were here Tuesday visiting  
Mrs. Harry Woodman.

Mrs. C. M. Cole and children, Her-  
man and the Misses Gladys and Ina,  
were at home from Montezuma Col-  
lege at Las Vegas over the week  
end.

Mrs. Tom Williams came from  
Carlsbad yesterday and will be the  
guest of her friend, Mrs. Ira Reser,  
for a couple of weeks. She is on  
her way north for an extended stay.

Margaret Frisch was operated upon  
for acute appendicitis at St. Mary's  
hospital in Roswell Tuesday eve-  
ning and is resting easily. Her  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Frisch  
are with her.

Mrs. S. S. Ward and daughter,  
Jack, returned Sunday from Roswell  
where they had been visiting Mrs.  
Bob Rehn for a few days. Miss  
Jack was present at the DeMolay  
dance on Saturday evening.

**OTHER STATES ARE  
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MEX. OILED HIGHWAYS**

**SANTA FE**—In response to num-  
erous requests from highway officials  
and laymen for detailed information  
regarding New Mexico's oil-process-  
ed roads, the state highway depart-  
ment has issued a bulletin which is  
just off the press and is now being  
mailed out.

This bulletin contains complete data  
on the subject of oiled roads in this  
state, in concise form. It is not a  
technical treatise, but is written in  
popular style within the comprehen-  
sion of the layman. W. C. Davidson,  
state highway engineer and E. B.  
Bail, construction engineers, collab-  
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They state that the requisites to  
successful results in oil-processing are,  
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solution of road surfacing, oiling has  
its utility in large areas of the  
western states. Oiled roads will  
safely accommodate 1,500 vehicles per  
day, it is stated. "The oil-processed  
road has been a success in New  
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be extensively used until such time  
as traffic densities demand higher  
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mit their use."

A check-up of maintenance costs in  
January 1930, showed an average  
cost of \$200 per mile for oiled roads,  
while gravel and caliche surfaced  
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Oil-processing began in New Mex-  
ico three years ago and there were  
300 miles of such roads in January  
of this year. It is planned to oil  
333 miles of road during 1930. The  
average cost of the "mixed-in" type  
of oiled road was \$4,000 per mile and  
the cost of the "pre-mix" type was  
\$4,600. Highway engineers figure  
that the annual saving to motorists  
from oil-processing as against gravel-  
surfacing amounts to \$1,095 per  
mile in operating costs.

**NOTICE OF PUBLICATION  
(Domestic)**

Pursuant to Section 1018 of New  
Mexico Statutes Annotated Codifica-  
tion of 1915, as amended by Session  
Laws of 1925, notice is hereby given  
of the filing in the office of the  
State Corporation Commission of  
New Mexico of the Certificate of  
Incorporation and Certificate of  
Stockholders' Non-Liability of VAC-  
UUM PROCESS OIL AND GAS  
BURNER AND APPLIANCES COR-  
PORATION (NSL).

1. The amount of authorized capi-  
tal stock is \$60,000.00. The amount  
of capital stock actually issued and  
with which the company will com-  
mence business is \$40,000.00.

2. The names of the incorpor-  
ators and their post office addresses  
are:  
Jack Cunningham, Artesia, New  
Mexico.  
Mrs. Lillian Cunningham, Artesia,  
New Mexico.  
G. U. McCrary, Artesia, New Mex-  
ico.

3. The objects and purposes of the  
said corporation are: To manufac-  
ture and have manufactured Vacuum  
Process Oil and Gas Burners, to  
place same on the market and sell  
same directly by the company or  
through agents and factors; and to  
do any and all things authorized  
by the Certificate of Incorporation.

4. The principal place of business  
of the corporation and the name of  
the statutory agent therein and in  
charge thereof, upon whom process  
against the corporation may be ser-  
ved is G. U. McCrary at Artesia,  
New Mexico.

5. Filed in the office of the State  
Corporation Commission on April  
22nd, 1930, No. 16271, Cor. Rec'd.  
Vol. 7, Page 750, at 3:30 P. M.  
STATE CORPORATION COM-  
MISSION OF NEW MEXICO.

By MAX FERNANDEZ,  
Chairman.  
Certified copy of certificate of in-  
corporation has been recorded in the  
office of the county clerk of Eddy  
County, N. M., April 28th, 1930, at  
8 A. M.; Book Three, Page 465.  
20-1t

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

Notice is hereby given that the  
State of New Mexico has filed in  
this office its Indemnity School Land  
Selection, list 9355, Serial No. 039142,  
for the following land:

Lots 6, 8, & 12, Sec. 3; SE 1/4  
NW 1/4 & NW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 18,  
T. 16-S., R. 23-E.

The purpose of this notice is to  
allow all persons claiming the land  
adversely, or desiring to show it to  
be mineral in character, an opportu-  
nity to file their protests against the  
application of the selection.  
V. B. MAY,  
Register.  
20-5t

**Empty Compliments**  
"There are conditions," said Hi Ho,  
the sage of Chinatown, "that render  
compliments compulsory. Only a most  
credulous person believes everything  
he reads in epitaphs."—Washington  
Star.

Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Until Friday, May 23, 1930 the  
County Board of Education will re-  
ceive bids for the following trans-  
portation routes:

District 1-10-11 — Transportation  
of all High school children from Otis,  
Loving and Malaga to Carlsbad.

District 3 — Grammar and High  
school children to Carlsbad.

District 4—Grade pupils to Upper  
Black River school.

District 6—Grade and High school  
pupils to Carlsbad schools.

District 10 — Grade pupils from  
Cuba to Loving school.

District 10—Children east of Lov-  
ing to Loving.

District 11—Harley Ranch pupils  
to Malaga. Chili and Dog Town pu-  
pils to Harroun Farm school.

District 12—Pupils from east of  
Dayton to Dayton school.

District 12-A—Oil Field grade pu-  
pils to Oil Field school. Oil Field  
high school pupils to Artesia.

District 17—Atoka upper grade and  
high school pupils to Artesia.

District 27—Grade pupils to Up-  
per Cottonwood. Grade pupils to  
Lower Cottonwood. High school pu-  
pils to Artesia High school from  
both Upper and Lower Cottonwood.

Please send all bids to the County  
Board of Education, in care of Mrs.  
Wilma Dillard, County Superintend-  
ent of Schools.

Bids for a term of one or two  
years will be considered. The Board  
reserves the right to reject any and  
all bids.

**COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCA-  
TION.**

By DEAN SMITH,  
President.

20-4t

**Eternal Cypress**

Shingles of cypress laid on the roofs  
of many New England homesteads two  
hundred or more years ago are still  
turning the weather and keeping those  
houses tight and warm.—The Country  
Home.

**His Weak Spot**

In a recent breach of promise case  
the defendant admitted that the wom-  
an in the case kissed him on his bald  
head. She knew where to find his  
weak spot.—Atlanta Constitution.

**MONEY  
CANT BUY  
A BETTER OIL  
than  
THE NEW  
ZEROLENE**

Reason why (1 OF MANY)  
**SECURITY—The end  
of Lubrication worries.**  
STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

**MANY SEE ECLIPSE**

Many observers here watched for  
the eclipse of the sun Monday morn-  
ing, but owing to the prevailing  
cloudy weather, some were disap-  
pointed. Smoked or colored glasses  
were pressed into use by students  
and townspeople and a partial eclipse  
was visible for several minutes, it  
was said. About the only difference  
noted by the casual observer, who  
did not take the trouble to closely  
watch old sol, was a darkened sky  
for a few minutes.  
The eclipse was said to have been  
plainly visible in many parts of  
California.

Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate  
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Department of the Interior, United  
States Land Office, Las Cruces N.  
M., April 22, 1930.

Notice is hereby given that the  
State of New Mexico has filed in  
this office its Indemnity School Land  
Selection List 9362, Serial No. 040016  
for the following land:  
SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 2, T. 16-S., R.  
24-E.

The purpose of this notice is to  
allow all persons claiming the land  
adversely, or desiring to show it to  
be mineral in character, an opportu-  
nity to file their objection to the ap-  
proval of the selection.  
V. B. MAY,  
Register.

**Congratulations**  
to the  
**Dr. Pepper Corporation**  
on its good judgment in selecting Ar-  
tesia for the location of its plant. We  
wish it success.

**THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
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**We Extend Our Best Wishes  
and Congratulations  
to Artesia**

on securing a modern bottling plant and to Dr. Pepper on the  
occasion of their formal opening. You will find the New Plant  
modern in every respect.

**We Furnished the syrup room  
equipment**

We founded our business on quality syrups

**JOHN MULHERN CO.**  
San Francisco, California.

## MOTOR VEHICLE PLATES YIELD A RETURN OF \$726,073.23 IN 1929

SANTA FE—Motor vehicle plates yielded \$726,073.23 for the year 1929, after refunds amounting to \$1,282.13 were deducted, Nick Herrera, head book keeper of the motor vehicle bureau, shows in a report for the year made public Tuesday.

For 1930 the fees, which were raised by the 1929 legislature, have already passed this mark.

The state road fund received two-thirds of the 1929 fees, after the cost of transportation of the plates and the bureau's 6 per cent for office maintenance expenses were taken out, or \$448,053.20. The counties received \$224,026, the remaining third, for road work.

The cost of transportation of the plates is given as \$11,094.70.

All told the registration bureau had \$59,419.28 available for its running expenses last year. The sum included \$16,522.30 from the "miscellaneous account" in addition to the 6 per cent fund which brought in \$42,896.90.

No statement of the bureau's expenses is given in the report.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS TO ROSWELL

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Woodman, Mrs. L. Crouch, Mrs. Slaght, Miss Ella Bauslin and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. McLean and two small daughters drove to Roswell last Thursday evening to attend a lecture in the Masonic temple by a lecturer from Kansas City, Missouri, Mr. James G. Rowell.

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## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### RATES

State	\$25.00
District	\$20.00
County	\$15.00
Senator and Rep.	\$10.00
Probate Judge	\$10.00
County Commissioners	\$10.00

### Strictly Cash with Copy

The following candidates submit their announcements, subject to the action of the democratic primary

#### For Judge, 5th Judicial District:—

G. A. RICHARDSON,  
Roswell

J. C. GILBERT  
Roswell.

#### For Sheriff:—

WALTER L. McDONALD  
Carlsbad

A. F. SCHNAUBERT  
Carlsbad

E. S. SHATTUCK  
Carlsbad

B. C. McCUTCHEON  
Carlsbad

#### For County Clerk:—

NORMA TOFFELMIRE POWERS  
Carlsbad

RUTH NYE  
Carlsbad

#### For County Supt. Schools:—

MRS. FRANCES G. DONLEY  
Carlsbad

H. R. RODGERS  
Cottonwood

#### For County Tax Assessor:—

MRS. RICHARD H. WESTAWAY  
Carlsbad

JAMES S. McCALL,  
Carlsbad.

#### For County Treasurer:—

R. E. WILKINSON  
Carlsbad

#### For Probate Judge:—

MRS. M. O. GRANTHAM  
Carlsbad

#### For County Commissioner:—

District No. 2:

C. E. MANN,  
Artesia.

FRED BRAINARD  
Artesia.

District No. 3:

C. W. BEEMAN  
Loving

District No. 1:

R. M. THORNE  
Carlsbad

#### For County Surveyor:—

JOHN LEWIS JR.,  
Carlsbad

### CLOUDBURST SAVES TEXAS TOWN AFTER IT IS FIRED BY LIGHTNING

PECOS, Texas—The elements for a time threatened the business district of Pecos with destruction Monday and then saved it.

Lightning striking between the wall of the Hotel Justis and a grocery started the blaze, which did damage of \$250,000. Then came a cloudburst to extinguish the flames, after they had raged out of control of the firemen.

Buildings covering an area of half a block, including the Hotel Justis and the First National bank, were destroyed.

## OLD TIMER RECALLS ARTESIA'S FIRST TOWN ELECTION IN YEAR 1905

"You fellows don't know nothing about a real political scrap," remarked an old timer last week, as he watched the animated competition over the selection of Artesia's first board of city aldermen. "You should have been here when we fixed up her first village organization twenty-five years ago. Them were the days and I remember that things got pretty doggone hot along toward the shank of the evening, mostly because of a hang-over fight between early townsite promoters. The original town builders put the western boundary of the future Eddy county metropolis at the corner of Main street and Rose Lawn, where the First National Bank now stands, but another more ambitious crowd didn't see why the town should not extend further out toward Hope, so they tacked on an addition beginning where the Cunningham barber shop now stands, whittled out, I think, from the 160-acre homestead of Johnny Boyles. There were not a great many people here, but you can bet that they all went to the polls—all but the women folks, who hadn't yet been given the sacred privilege of dirtying their fingers at the polls.

The first board of town trustees were administered the oath of office by J. B. Atkeson, Esq., on February 22, 1905. They were A. V. Logan, George P. Cleveland, E. B. Kemp, J. C. Gage and John Rickey. The own was safely democratic, John Rickey being the sole republican—and by the way, one of the best of the early settlers. He died in San Antonio two years ago.

A. V. Logan was named chairman of the board. He is now county judge down at San Benito, Texas.

Albert Blake was appointed clerk. He was holding down a homestead claim out in the antelope range toward the head of Cottonwood creek at the time, and may not have been a qualified elector in the town, but a little thing like that didn't make any material difference when a hand was needed.

F. P. Hutchison, who had just arrived from Oklahoma, was made city attorney. He now lives in San Antonio. S. W. Gilbert, then president of the First National Bank, was made treasurer to handle such cash as the new town expected to get hold of and John T. Patrick became marshal, with Will Benson city engineer.

All of this original board of trustees are dead except Judge Logan. George P. Cleveland was an unreconstructed Confederate soldier who had taken his young bride for a horseback ride into Old Mexico at the close of the war and remained for years, and it is not recorded that he ever did get much further back into Yankeeland than the Pecos valley, which valley he did not hesitate to say was much more fertile than the Nile or any other country. He it was who stuck a shingle nail down beside an irrigation ditch in Artesia and pulled up a five inch spike the following year and swore it was the same nail. Which it probably wasn't at all.

The names of E. B. Kemp and J. C. Gage are still spoken with reverence in Artesia. They were the salt of the earth, than whom no more worthy men have lived beneath the sun of New Mexico. Brother Gage, as a Methodist circuit rider, had been riding herd on the sinners of the eastern slope of the mountains for many years before Artesia was dreamed of. When a church organization was formed in Artesia during the summer of 1903, he was asked to take charge of it, and his salary fixed at \$250.00 a year. This he said was "fine," and to show his appreciation he said he would

donate that amount toward erection of a house of worship. How like him it was!

The very first restrictive ordinance adopted by the board was one aimed at the saloons, of which the town had two, one of them located down at the foot of Main street, about where Lowrey-Keyes hold forth, presided over by a genial old timer, named Pate and the other about two doors west of the present Advocate office, run by Faulkner and Rascoe. It was made illegal for a saloon to open before five o'clock in the morning or to stay open after ten at night, and no woman was allowed to patronize the things at all. Another instance of where the fair sex did not have equal rights that they have been clamoring for so long. Later Artesia became the first town in New Mexico to abolish saloons by law, after a hot election on the subject. This first prohibition ordinance was written by G. U. McCrary.

Along with this saloon ordinance, on the same day, was enacted one prohibiting the depositing of any garbage or trash upon any premises in the "city," said ordinance carrying a penalty of a fine of not more than \$25.00 or imprisonment of thirty days in jail, and which ordinance has probably not been repealed as yet. The city's new administration may take a notion to enforce the thing as a matter of good faith, so some of you folks had better get busy hiding those souvenir tin cans and automobile skeletons.

Also, on the same date, it was unlawful in Artesia to hold any public meeting, engage in any labor or sport or exhibition on Sunday, except it be for religious purposes. That statute is probably still on the books too. It might be well for a lot of golfers to consider before donning their plus fours and starting out on their reducing exercises about Sunday school time next Lord's day. The Ministerial Association will probably insist upon a strict enforcement of the law, now that it knows a quorum can be conscripted at eleven o'clock services.

Some of these early laws may seem a little antiquated to us now, but they reflect the fact that the old boys who laid the mudsills of Artesia town had the courage of their convictions and wouldn't do to fool with. That they have been improved upon in twenty-five years remains to be seen.

### Missouri Follows by

It's not the weather, nor where they live, nor whether they are sick or well, poor or rich, that makes people grouchy—it's their disposition.—Hopkins Journal.

### Possible Remedy

One way to do away with the noise evil might be to make so many new noises that the old ones would be drowned out.—American Magazine.

**That Grand Old Flavor**  
XXX  
**Pearl**  
Dr. Pepper Bottling Co. Distributor

## CONGRATULATION

TO THE

### DR. PEPPER COMPANY

on the opening of their modern, sanitary Bottling Plant

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### RICHARDS ELECTRIC SHOP

PHONE 42

HEAR THE COWBOY BAND MAY 3

## Congratulations

To the Dr. Pepper Plant on the formal opening of their new plant on South First Street.

### GRAY COGGIN

Machine Work—Welding—Blacksmithing  
East Main Street,—Across the Tracks

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## Congratulations

To the Dr. Pepper Bottling Plant on the formal opening of their New Plant on South First Street.

The Dr. Pepper Co. will maintain an economical and efficient delivery service with a new Ford Truck, a product of—

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Telephone 52

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## WE EXTEND TO THE Dr. Pepper Bottling Plant

our best wishes on the formal opening of their new plant. Artesia's newest industry has been constructed at no small expense and we feel that it will be a decided asset to the Artesia community.

We will contribute our part toward its success by giving 24-hour Electrical Service.

### Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company

HEAR THE COWBOY BAND MAY 3

## We Join the Many Citizens of Artesia

in welcoming the Dr. Pepper Bottling Plant to our midst. We congratulate the Dr. Pepper Co., not only on the fact that they have opened a new and up to date building in our city, but will maintain a substantial pay roll in the community.

We take this opportunity to extend to the Dr. Pepper manager and employees our best wishes for their success.

## Big Jo Lumber Company

INVITED TO  
DR. PEPPER  
SATURDAY P. M.

ing plant of Dr. Pepper  
on South First street,  
Main street, will be  
public inspection on  
3rd from 2:00 till  
according to an an-  
by A. P. Malone.  
Arrangements have  
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Caribadi, Hidalgo,  
El Caritan, Van  
Pisano, Marfa; and  
El Paso.

### OILFIELD NOTES

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Frances Clark, supervisor of music is ill at the present writing.

Everyone is busy getting in practice for field and track events which will be held at Lakewood Friday.

Margaret and "Buddy" McCrary were absent two days last week on account of the serious illness of their mother.

The base ball game played between Lakewood and the Oil Field schools Monday resulted in a score of 4-3 in favor of the Oil Field.

The following pupils won places on the honor roll for the month of April:

First grade—Roy Castleberry, Buddy McCrary, Velma Newberry, Claud McGonagill; Second grade—Peggy Roberts, Junior Smith, Viola Newberry, Jean Moyer; Third grade—Ruby Smith, Vernon Norris, Ben-nye Wylie, Roy Shafer, Jack Har-ison, Maxine Roberts, Ruby Ken-edy, Charles Wilson, Haskel Rich; Fourth grade—Louise Beard; Fifth grade—Ruth Wylie, Wilma Moyer, Margaret McCrary, Junior Fox; Sixth grade—Ralph Shafer; Seventh grade—Allen Wylie, Esther Fargier.

### NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

The following books have been received at the library since the last publication:

- All Quiet On Western Front.....
- Remarque.....
- Mother India..... Mayo
- White House Gang..... Earl Looker
- Roper's Row..... Deeping
- Burning Beauty..... Temple Bailey
- Thunder God..... Ryne
- Left Guard Gilbert..... Barbour
- Left Tackle Thayer..... Barbour
- The Happy Mountain..... Chapman
- The Virginian..... Owen Wister
- They Had To See Paris..... Croy
- Job's Niece..... Mrs. Hill
- Mystery Range..... Seltzer
- Mystery of Blue Train..... Christie
- Redwood and Gold..... Gregory
- Silas Bradford's Boy..... Lincoln
- Another Day..... Farnol
- Homeland..... McCarter
- The Black Flower..... Jane Abbott
- The Aristocratic Miss..... Brewster
- Lincoln
- The Crossways..... Helen Martin
- In of the Hawk and Raven.....
- McCutcheon
- Hesper..... Hamlin Garland
- Penrod Jashber..... Tarkington
- "We"..... Lindbergh

### Florid Epitaph Common in Revolutionary Days

"Stop, Passenger," begins an epitaph, dated 1781, on a stone in a cemetery in Elizabeth, N. J., "here lie the remains of a woman who exhibited to the world a bright constellation of the female virtues. On that memorable day, never to be forgotten, when a British foe invaded this fair village and fired even the temple of the Deity, this peaceful daughter of Heaven retired to her hallowed apartment, imploring Heaven for the pardon of her enemies. In that sacred moment she was by the bloody hand of a British ruffian dispatched like her Divine Redeemer through a path of blood to her long wished-for native skies." There were few brief epitaphs in those early days. It was apparently regarded as a lack of reverence to fail to enumerate the virtues of the departed, and as a disregard of opportunity to fail to warn the "passengers" of what was in store for them.

Typewriters for rent at Advocate.

### THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN

By GENE BYRNES



### NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

OF ARTESIA-PLAINS TELEPHONE COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Artesia-Plains Telephone Company will be held on the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1930, at the office of the company in the town of Artesia, New Mexico, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. for the purpose of electing a board of directors and for such other business that may properly come before the meeting.

Dated at Artesia, New Mexico, this 17th day of April, A. D. 1930.  
J. B. MUNCY,  
President and owner of more than ten per cent of the outstanding capital stock. 18-3t

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# WELCOME

We take this occasion to welcome the Dr Pepper Plant to our midst and extend our best wishes for its success.

## PECOS VALLEY GAS COMPANY

# Congratulations

To DR. PEPPER

ARTESIA'S MODERN BOTTLING PLANT

J. S. WARD

General Insurance

HEAR THE COWBOY BAND MAY 3

# Formal Opening

... OF ...

# Dr. Pepper Plant

It is our pleasure to invite the public of the Valley to go through our New Bottling Plant, on South First Street, five blocks south of the Artesia Hotel on—

Saturday, May 3---2 to 9 p. m.

Refreshments will be served every guest visiting our plant on the above date and every guest will be shown through our New Sanitary Plant. You can see how the famous Dr. Pepper drink is made with the latest equipment.

We wish also to express our appreciation for the fine manner in which the dealers have cooperated with us. We also appreciate very much the cooperation extended us by the people of Artesia.

MEET THE COWBOY BAND AT THE DR. PEPPER PLANT

## Dr. Pepper Bottling Company

SOUTH FIRST STREET, FIVE BLOCKS SOUTH OF ARTESIA HOTEL

## WE APPRECIATE

the faith and confidence expressed in the Artesia Community by the officials of the Dr. Pepper Bottling Plant in deciding to locate in our midst. We extend our congratulations and best wishes for the future success of the Dr. Pepper Bottling Plant.

We Did the PLUMBING

L. P. EVANS

HEAR THE COWBOY BAND MAY 3

## THE CHURCHES

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Fourth and Grand  
Rev. John P. Sinclair, Pastor  
Phone 249.

Sunday, May 5th, 1930.  
9:30 a. m. orchestra rehearsal.  
9:55 a. m. Sabbath school.  
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.  
Sermon subject—"The Place of the Church in the Plan of the Kingdom of God."—Another study from the Act of the Apostles. We hear lots of criticism regarding the church but criticism does not require much intelligence, even an imbecile can do it. However, no church can be self satisfied. It must be willing to honestly face its task and ask itself if it is accomplishing what God has for it to do in the world.  
6:45 p. m. Junior and Intermediate Christian Endeavor Societies.  
7:30 p. m. evening worship. Anthem by Junior choir. Music by the church orchestra. Sermon subject—"Building the First Skyscraper," a study in true and false ambition. During this building program there was confusion so that the builders could not understand each other. Hear this modern interpretation of an old story.  
Wednesday, May 7th, praise, prayer and study of Acts, chapter 15.  
Roger Babson, a hard headed business man recently said—"The political, social and economic problems which confront every generation have varied with different races and religions. Altho some one of these problems may have seemed for a while to be all important, they were

sooner or later pushed into the back ground, but the church, Sabbath observance and daily devotions, have continued throughout the ages to be the generators of vitalizing power."  
What are you doing to uphold these great and sacred sanctions?

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH**  
Rev. Harold G. Scoggins

"The large church with a warm welcome and a helpful gospel."  
Last Sunday was devoted to an intensive study of the purpose and function of the Sunday school. The splendid program presented by Geo. Frisch, superintendent and his staff was an illuminating review of the whole program of the Sunday school. Attendance at the Sunday school services has been very much better for the last six weeks.  
Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock the sermon theme will be "Religion, a Burden or a Power." This is a practical sermon designed to make religion more real in the lives of the worshippers.  
Epworth Juniors and Seniors in their respective rooms at 6:30 p. m. Sermon theme at 7:30 service—"What is God's Will."  
Come let us worship together. "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord."

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
6th and Quay Streets  
Ralph Waldo Emerson, Pastor  
9:45 a. m. Bible school.  
11:00 a. m. morning worship. Sermon subject—"As Ye Go Preach."  
7:30 p. m., evening service, sermon subject—"A Great Change Coming."

May we all work for a record attendance in the pre-pentecostal period. "Forget not the assembling of yourselves together for the breaking of bread and of prayers."

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY**  
613 W. Main Street

Sunday services at 11:00 a. m. Wednesday services at 7:30 p. m. Subject of the Bible lesson for Sunday, May 4th, 1930 is—"Everlasting Punishment." In this lesson the following scriptural selection is found: "He that covereth his sins shall not prosper; but whose confesseth and forsaketh them shall have mercy. (Prov. 28-13).  
Also the following citation from Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, page 391: "It is error to suffer for aught but your own sins. Christ, or truth will destroy all other supposed suffering and real suffering for your own sins will cease in proportion as the sin ceases."  
Visitors always welcome.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

We are asked to give one Sunday in our south land to education. Our state board set aside the first Sunday in May as Education Day for New Mexico. The purpose is to reach our young people who are going away to college with the message on "Christian Education." We want our young people in Christian colleges and we want to set before them the benefits of the Christian school.

Next Sunday the pastor will bring a message on the Christian school and also some facts about our own school at Montezuma. New Mexico has a Christian college and we want our young people to know about our school here in New Mexico. At the Sunday school hour the offering will go for the benefit of our college at Montezuma. Let us remember this and make it just as great as possible. Let us seek to make the attendance and offering both in our Sunday school next Sunday morning as large as we can. We are glad to see the increased attendance but we would like to see it much greater. At the evening hour the pastor will bring a message on "The Exalted Christ." We are expecting good music at both the morning and evening service. Do not forget our young people's service at 6:30 each Sunday evening. You will find a hearty welcome to all our services.  
R. PETERSON, Pastor.

## LOCALS

Jim Montgomery is in Hobbs this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kimbrough spent several days at the ranch near Lovington, the past week.

Mrs. Oliver Scoggins and children of Hope, were here Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. W. S. French.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Taylor, of Amarillo, Texas, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dunn.

Mrs. W. S. Medcalf and the Misses Fannie Selman and Olive Blanche White, of Hope, were shopping in town Tuesday afternoon.

N. L. Johnson, Hope realtor, who was trading in town Monday, reports general conditions looking up in the Hope community.

Bert Shipp, accompanied by his father-in-law, R. W. Bruce, expect to leave next week for Phoenix, Arizona, where Mr. Bruce will likely locate temporarily.

C. E. Speck of Roswell is the new manager of the Safeway Grocery, succeeding G. M. Reid, who has been transferred to Roswell. Mr. Speck has been on duty several days.

A small son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rowland, at Atoka, was taken to St. Mary's hospital in Roswell Monday evening and underwent an operation for strangulated hernia.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Paton returned Tuesday night from a trip to San Antonio, Corpus Christi and Brownwood, Texas. At the latter place they visited a sister of Mrs. Paton, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Nickey enjoyed a visit the last of the week from Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Oliphant, who were en route from Ft. Stockton, Texas to their home at Wichita, Kansas. The ladies are sisters.

The four children of Mr. and Mrs. Rabb returned Sunday from Roswell, where they had been to see their father, a patient in St. Mary's hospital following an appendicitis operation. Mrs. Rabb has been there several days but returns today.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Ayers, of Monte Vista, Colorado, were here from Friday until Monday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Anderson. On Saturday they visited the Carlsbad Caverns. They are on a tour of the western states and Canada.

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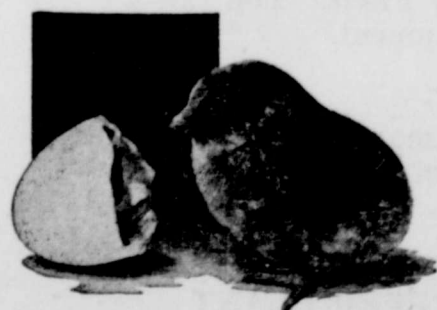
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# LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Simon were in from Maljamar yesterday.

M. A. McLean and I. C. Dixon made a trip to Hobbs yesterday.

Mrs. Bernard Cleve and children of Elk, are here this week visiting home folks.

Roy Hurd went to Socorro Tuesday, where he is employed as a driller for the Western Drilling Co.

Messrs and Mesdames A. L. Mount Jack Wingfield and Marvin Archer spent Sunday on Rocky Arroyo.

Herman Green and Miss Edna Dungan and Fred Henderson and Miss Dorothy Steiwig picnicked on Rocky Arroyo Sunday.

Mrs. C. Bert Smith and Mrs. John Richards drove up to Roswell Monday to see Mrs. S. A. Lanning, who is failing rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Trammell, of Sweetwater, Texas, are spending this week here, guests of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Polk.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stagner of Carlsbad, Sunday, the 27th, a daughter. Mrs. A. L. Allinger is with her daughter in Carlsbad.

Forrest Levers, Roswell oil operator, stopped off in Artesia yesterday afternoon for a short visit while en route home from the oil field.

Mr. and Mrs. White were here from Roswell the past week, guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. White. Mrs. White will be remembered as Mrs. Day, who lived in Artesia a number of years ago.

Mrs. J. W. Stephenson came down from her home at Pinon the past week to be with her husband, who sustained a broken leg some two weeks ago, when he was crushed by a water tank. Mr. Stephenson is recovering nicely from his injuries.

Mrs. S. A. Lanning is rapidly failing at her home in Roswell, her sister, Mrs. Stevens, of Baldwin, Kansas, and her brothers, Sam McRoberts of New York, Joe McRoberts of Kansas, and Frank McRoberts of Oklahoma, arrived in Roswell last week. Her son, Stephen of Inglewood, California, is still with her, but her son Frank, has returned to California.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chambers are moving to Carlsbad this week to make their home. The Phillips' have built a fine new home there and Mr. Phillips and Mr. Chambers are associated together in a new camp ground, which they have named Rio Vista. The camp is located on this side of town, about two blocks from Canal street, overlooking the Pecos.

Beecher Rowan returned Sunday from a trip to Texas and was accompanied home by his daughter, Mrs. Bruce McLean of Dimmett, who is spending the week here. Mrs. Ferris Arnold, of Roswell, was also here for the week end, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rowan, who accompanied by Mrs. McLean, motored to Roswell with her on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Arnold left yesterday for a month's visit with her sister, Miss Aline and brother, Kenneth Rowan, and family in Los Angeles, and her sister Mrs. Rex Williams, at Redondo, California.

Three epidemic spinal meningitis cases were reported to the state health bureau at Santa Fe, Tuesday. One was a Roswell school boy, who died. The other cases are in McKinley and Grant counties.

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No report.

Prairie Oil and Gas Company, Crump No. 1, NW corner NE 1/4 sec 15-19-38.

Drilling.

Prairie Oil and Gas Company, Crump No. 2, SW NW NE sec. 15-19-38.

Drilling.

Prairie Oil and Gas Co., Selman No. 1, NW SW NE sec. 15-19-38.

Drilling.

Shell Petroleum Corp., McKinley No. 1, sec. 19-18-38.

Drilling out plug at 2790 feet.

Shell Oil Co., State No. 1, 2310 feet from north line and 1650 feet from the east line, sec. 32-18-38.

Coring below 3290 feet.

Sun Oil Co., State No. 1, 330 feet from east line and 330 feet from north line of NE 1/4 sec. 5-19-38.

Rigging.

Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Co., State No. 3 NENW sec. 21-23-36.

Plugging back sulphur water 3806 to 3808 feet.

Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Co., State No. 1-G, SE SE sec. 24-18-37.

Drilling below 1950 feet.

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

Drilling below 300 feet.

Walker Oil Corp., Terry No. 2, SW SW SE sec. 10-19-38.

Drilling below 1000 feet.

# WEST TEXAS-N. MEX. POTASH WILL COMPETE WITH FOREIGN PRODUCT

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The existence of bedded deposits of potash salts of such thickness and purity that they may be mined cheaply is demonstrated, according to the Bureau of Mines of the Commerce Department, as the result of the governmental exploration in Texas and New Mexico, conducted by that bureau in cooperation with the United States Geological Survey.

The principal potash mineral disclosed by the government drilling is polyhalite, a sulphate of lime, magnesia and potash, which contains an average of 12 to 15 per cent of potash (K<sub>2</sub>O). Experiments by the United States Bureau of Mines at Nonmetallic Minerals Experiment Station, New Brunswick, N. J., have resulted in the development of a process which gives promise of the economic production of refined potassium salts from Polyhalite. Two products are obtainable, potassium sulphate and the sulphate of potash-magnesia, and mixtures of the refined sulphate and of the crude polyhalite can be made to yield the various commercial grades of mixed salts.

Estimates of the cost of production indicate that potassium sulphate can be produced at a treatment plant in Texas or New Mexico for approximately \$16 per ton and the double sulphate of potash-magnesia for approximately \$8 per ton. Although transportation charges to market must be added to these costs, it is shown that at present prices potash salts from Texas and New Mexico can be delivered to the principal markets of the United States more cheaply than foreign salts.

A study of foreign production costs indicates that, although a material reduction in the current prices of potash salts is possible, conditions in the industry are such that prices are apt to remain fairly stable a present levels.

## MASONIC MEETING

Regular meeting of the Artesia Masonic lodge will be held in the lodge hall this evening at the regular hour. Visitors cordially invited.

## OWENS AWARDED MAIL ROUTE

Fletcher Owens has been awarded the mail contract on the Artesia-Weed route. The contract extends over a period of four years from July 1930 to July 1934.

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Vote For H. R. RODGERS for County Superintendent of Schools at the Democratic Primary

MAY 15th

## NEW MEXICO LEADS WITH GREATEST GAIN IN AUTO REGISTRATION

SANTA FE—New Mexico and the District of Columbia lead the states of the union in showing the highest percentage gain in automobile registration in 1929, each showing a gain of 19 per cent over 1928. The average for all states is 8 per cent. There were 26,501,443 motor vehicles registered in the past year in the United States. This represents an increase of 2,008,319 motor vehicles over 1928. These figures are taken from the bulletin of the U. S. Department of Agriculture just received by the state highway department.

The total fees collected amounted to \$347,843,543. This is an increase of \$25,213,518 over 1928. Of the total, \$323,337,806 was applied to highway construction by the various states.

New York and California took first and second place in the number of vehicles registered. Although New Mexico led all the states in the percentage of gain in 1929 over the preceding year, there are 44 states that have more cars registered. According to the bulletin of the department of agriculture, there were 78,374 motor vehicles registered in this state last year, and the registration fees amounted to \$756,763.00.

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## FILED FOR RECORD

April 18, 1930.  
In The District Court:  
No. 4974 Lis Pendens. W. A. Nelson, et als vs. W. A. Price et als, lot 6 and N. 15 ft. of lot 8, Blk. 1, Orig. Carlsbad. T. H. Flint vs. J. B. Cecil, Trustee, et als N $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ; SW $\frac{1}{4}$  23-17-26.

April 21, 1930.  
J. F. Thompson to Claude Brown Lot 2, Blk. 98, Stevens Second Add. to Carlsbad. Joseph S. Stevens to Virginia Van Dolson, Lot 6, Blk. 101, Stevens Second Add to Carlsbad. Joseph S. Stephens to Claude Brown \$300.00 Lot 4, Blk. 100, Stevens Second Add. to Carlsbad.

In The District Court:  
No. 4977 In the matters of the correction and adjustment of assessments and tax matters of Juan Minjares, et al Lot 9, Blk. 18, Orig. Carlsbad; Lot 12, Blk. 50, Artesia Imp. Co., E $\frac{1}{2}$  17-16-25. No. 4978 Divorce. Lee Elkins vs. Bernice Reynolds Elkins.

April 24, 1930.  
Probate Court:  
State of Kansas; Barber County. Administrator's letters. In the matter of the estate of George E. Mulhaupt.

April 25, 1930.  
Warranty Deeds:  
W. H. Drake to T. H. McCombs \$10.00 W $\frac{1}{2}$  10-18-25. Charles W. Eaker, et als to O. A. Pearson, et al \$100.00 Block of land out of the NW corner of lot 4, section 5-16-26; H. W. Kiddy to Oscar Pearson, et al \$1.00 Lot 11, Blk. 40, Artesia Imp. Co., Add. to Artesia.

April 26, 1930.  
Warranty Deeds:  
Peter C. Kepple to Alice S. Kepple Pt. NE $\frac{1}{4}$  18-17-26; 1-10 Interest in Artesia well on Pt. NE $\frac{1}{4}$  18-17-26; Lots 9 & 11, Blk. 48, Artesia Imp. Co., Add. to Artesia; SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  19; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  30, Twp. 17-S., R. 27.

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Under the auspices of the National Poultry Council, a proclamation has been issued setting aside May 1-7 as national egg week. This will be a period in which to pay our respects to an industry that stands fifth among our agricultural pursuits as measured by the value of products produced, says E. E. Anderson of the New Mexico Agricultural College. More people are directly interested in the production and consumption of eggs than any other single food commodity.

Contrary to popular belief, there is no difference in the composition of eggs with white and dark shells. Egg yolk is rich in mineral matter and is an important source of iron in the diet. The fat in egg yolk contains substances which stimulate growth. Therefore egg yolk is especially valuable in the diet of children.

Compared with other foods, eggs are easily and quickly digested, although eggs cooked below the boiling point of water are more easily and quickly digested than are boiled eggs.

Eggs are a tissue building food, being rich in protein and mineral matter. They are among the first foods to be fed to little children, because they are rich in iron and because the proteins, fats and mineral substances are well suited to building body tissues.

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Billie Meeks	Norma Michael
Mary Ann Miller	Gladys Savoie
John Rodriguez	Martha Sinclair
Chas. Floore	Louise Smith
Bert Muney	Juanita Zamora
E. Hammond	Jr. Hannah
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Elsie Jernigan	Neil Jackson
Clementine Cobble	Frances Eaton
Ida Savoie	Earl Schneider
James Robertson	Mae Buck
Wilfred Weske	Avis Clowe
Dorothy Savoie	Lois Fanning
Marjory Morriss	Fay Gushwa
Sam Beal	Claudine House
Jr. Bryan	Dorris Mann
Marinelle Coggin	Frank Cogsdell
Jessie Cunningham	Ross Conner
Coy Duval	Stuart Eads
Wm. Dunn	T. W. Gilliland
Zanna Filbert	Chas. Gushwa
Mildred Gilliland	Carl Jorin
Dee Haines	Geneva Bailey
Mary Ogg	Mary Harrison
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Bonnie Rowland	Inez Irby
Gordon Smith	D. E. Webb
Aubrey Parham	Dick Burnett
Carroll Griffith	Allen Graham
Lavern Jones	Eunice King
Alec Smith	Florence Savoie
Juanita Carr	Arthur Dunigan
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Edward Atkins	Mildred Covey
Selron Beal	Rosalie Gordon
G. C. Denton	Harold Hannah
Glenn Evans	Jack Fox
James Graham	Lois Cavin
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J. C. Baumgardner	James Thigpen
Woodrow Williams	Buster Tidwell
Jonita Richards	Leota Smith
Kathleen Morriss	Estelle Bailey
Dawn Hornbaker	Willis Wilde
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Walter Hammond	Vera Standard
Lova Bell Martin	Bennie Juarez

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Mary Sanchez	Eldon Holt
Geo. Gonzales	Marvin Begart
Domingo Rodriguez	Hershel Epps
Mary Marquez	Clarence Mack
Guatemala Villa	Ila Mack
Aneda Zamora	Opal Floyd
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Cruiz Marquez	Mammie Terry
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Alvina Gomez	C. Bert Mann
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Nenno Sanchez	Howard Kiser
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Melzene Perry	Mary Evans
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David Clowe	Chas. Knoedler
Anna Coggin	Margaret Kyle
Serena Jonas	Edgar Bates
Jack Gilliland	Bertha Shipman
H. McDaniel	Donald Pior
Maribeth Alcorn	John Campbell
Billie Gray	J. D. Roberts
E. Tomlinson	Ethel Bowman
E. Marquez	Jr. Boyce
Pauline Guerrin	Jane Rabb
Frank Zamora	Homer Glover
Arlas Davis	H. Brannon
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# PROTEST ACTION OF THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC RY.

Adjudication of the water rights under the Ruidoso, Bonito and Hondo rivers and other streams of the Lincoln National Forest will probably be made finally as a result of an organization to be formed at Roswell which will have its principal object the resistance of any further encroachments by corporations or individuals in diverting waters from this watershed.

Eastern New Mexico cities and towns, together with water users at various points in the Pecos valley have been asked to submit a date for an early organization meeting at Roswell at which time attorneys will probably be employed to protect the situation.

The Southern Pacific railroad for a number of years has been diverting water from the Bonito valley and is now preparing to build a dam on the Bonito which, water users claim, more water will be diverted.

The Southern Pacific has purchased 13 second feet of water from the Bonito, according to records at Roswell.

There has never been an adjudication of the waters of the various streams having their source in the mountains of the Lincoln forest and the entire situation may be taken to the courts for an opinion.

The right of the Southern Pacific to take water for the Bonito dam project is being questioned by water users of the vicinity. In 1907, the railroad purchased various water rights in the Bonito valley and later took water from the south fork of the Bonito over the mountains into Nogal lake, where in turn it is taken to Carrizozo and other points in the Tularosa basin and used there.

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## THE LOCAL BOY SCOUTS WIN MANY PLACES AT THE ANNUAL JAMBOREE

More than six hundred Boy Scouts and leaders attended the annual Scout Jamboree held at Roswell, Friday. Forty-five scouts and leaders attended from Artesia. Hope scouts completely mounted rode to the jamboree, arriving on time. The appearance of the mounted Hope troopers was quite an innovation.

Marshall Pucket of Hope, won second place in the fire building by flint and steel contest. Billy Bullock of the local troop 8 won second place in the axe throwing contest. Troop 8 Artesia won second place in wall scaling and troop 33 of Hope won third in this event. Troop 29 of Artesia won third in the cooking contest. Troop 8 of Artesia won second and third in the scout pace. Troop 8 won second in the skin snake event. The local troop 8 also won first place in the life line contest, third place in the sack race, third in message relay. Artesia troop 29 won second in the message relay contest, second in Morris buzzer and telegraph. In the bagging contest J. W. Collins of troop 29 took first place against a number of contestants. Troop 33 of Hope took first place in the parade.

Among the scouts attending from Artesia were: Emory and Clyde Champion, Arnold Loving, Lord Sharp, James Sharp, John Shearman, G. C. Denton, Frank Cogdell, Frances French, Norman Grimm, Arthur Paton, Billy Bullock, L. Vandever, Sebron Beal, Roland McLean, Osburne Keller, John Collins, Herbert Mathis, Jo Bill Ballard, Paul Crockett, George Conner, Ansil Pior, Mark Corbin, Joe Jones, Billie Jones, Ralph Lowrey, Willis Wilde, James Thigpin, Coy Devol, Edward Atkins, Wilford Weske, J. C. Baumgardner, Roy Cowan, Delbert Jones. Local scout leaders in attendance included Troy Olds, Bert Aiken and E. B. Bullock. Eight cars furnished transportation for the local boys. The car drivers were: Billy Bullock, Richard Wheatley, I. C. Keller, M. A. Corbin, Helen Cogdell, E. A. Paton, Mesdames Jones and Thigpin.

### ZANDER—GUMP

The wedding of the Widow Zander and Uncle Bim Gump will be solemnized at eight o'clock, Friday, May 9th, at Central School auditorium. The widow is out for GOLD, so are we. Come! American Legion Auxiliary.

## ROCKY ARROYA YOUTH DIES

James Dexter Campbell, aged 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dillard F. Campbell of Rocky Arroya, died at the Eddy county hospital at two o'clock Saturday morning after a long illness. Up to the time he was taken ill the young man was a student in Carlsbad High school.

The Campbells are ranchers at Rocky Arroya, and the family is well known to many Carlsbad people, as they are old residents of Eddy county. James Dexter was born at Minral Wells, Texas. Besides his parents, he is survived by four sisters and one brother.

Burial was at Rocky Arroya at three o'clock Saturday afternoon, following services conducted by the Rev. J. O. Cox, pastor of the Carlsbad Methodist church.—Curren-Argus.

### LOGS NEW HIGHWAY

Dick Attebery as a representative of the Lovington, Cloudercroft and Las Cruces highway association accompanied by L. E. Kremer of the Chamber of Commerce, made a trip to points below Snyder, Texas for the purpose of logging the new highway for road signs. They returned Thursday evening.

### LAKE ARTHUR CONCERT

A large crowd greeted the Pecos Valley Orchestra in the Lake Arthur school auditorium Sunday, as they met to give a sacred concert. Despite the heavy rain at Artesia, thirty-five orchestra members were present at the concert.

The opening number was an overture entitled, "Billy Sunday." Songs were sung by the audience between orchestra numbers, led by George Deane, of Artesia. The next orchestra number was "Pilot Me," and the concluding piece was "Love and Loyalty." The orchestra played for the singing in the meantime.

—The Messenger Hagerman.

### DEXTER HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

Eleven seniors of the Dexter high school will be presented diplomas at the annual commencement exercises the latter part of the month. The class roll is as follows: Hannah Garrard, valedictorian; Jessie Essary, Lavina Rainbolt, Minnie Campbell, Gladys Lawing, Horace Johnson, Avalee Barnes, Clarence Lathrop, Agnes McMains, Audavee Clark and Mitchell Kirkland.

—The Hagerman Messenger

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## DEXTER TEACHERS REELECTED

All of the teachers in the Dexter schools have been reelected for another year. The election occurred at a recent meeting of the school board. C. M. Graham, who has completed a very successful year's work as superintendent will again head the school. Other instructors elected were: P. N. Albright, principal, J. B. Howell, coach and physical education; Paul McMain, agriculture; Mrs. Ruth Andrews, home economics; Miss Marguerite Edmunson, Spanish-English; Miss Alma Thomas, music and art; Miss Edith Bursum, commercial; Miss Lucy Thomas, English and librarian. The grade teachers are: Miss Ollie Durand, 6th grade; Miss Laura Moss will succeed Mrs. Roy Bailey, who is retiring as teacher of the 5th grade; Miss Violet Smith, 4th grade; Mrs. Cazier, 3rd grade; Miss Blanche Pollock, 2nd grade; Mrs. Mont Garden, 1st grade.

James McNeil, who taught the 7th and 8th grade this year, plans to enter Normal at Las Vegas next fall. Miss Edith Jones, who was employed as a substitute teacher this year will likely return to Illinois. Another teacher may be added to the high school faculty next year, if the enrollment justifies.

—The Hagerman Messenger

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### OIL STORY (Continued from first page)

Humble is also shipping in a lot of pumping machinery to be used on the line from the Humble operations in Texas. Pipe for the Atlantic line from the Atlantic tank farm near Midland to Hobbs, is en route from the mills.

Production in the State 2-B of Cranfill and Reynolds sec. 2-21-31, in the Lea district has been materially increased by deepening the hole fifteen feet. An increase in the oil was registered from 3,764 to 3,773 feet and from 3,776 to 3,779 feet. The well is said to be capable of pumping 1,200 barrels per day since being deepened.

While there is little individually owned acreage left in the Hobbs field, an occasional acreage transfer is made. Recently the California Co., is reported to have purchased 80 acres in sec. 20-19-38, for a consideration of \$50,000.

Flynn, Welch and Yates, has encountered a bad fishing job on their Stevens No. 1 in the NW corner NE SW sec. 13-17-30, at 3,250 feet, having lost two strings of tools in the hole. The tools were said to have been lost just after the second oil break was found and over 1,500 feet of oil is reported in the hole.

The Russell No. 5 of the Pueblo Oil Co., in NW 1/4 sec. 18-17-31, looks very encouraging. A million feet of gas was found at 2,885 to 2,890 feet, according to recent estimates.

### HEADQUARTERS FOR DEMOCRATS OPENING

SANTA FE—Democratic headquarters was opened this week at Santa Fe, Arthur Seligman, state chairman.

Eight rooms were rented on the second floor of the Gans building overlooking the plaza.

John Bingham, secretary of the organization arrived Monday to take active charge of state headquarters, Mr. Seligman said.

### CARLSBAD MEXICAN SHOT

Silvetri Ortego of Carlsbad is in the St. Francis hospital suffering from a wound in the right lung, after being shot Tuesday night near the Carlsbad ball park by an assailant who lay in wait for him. A Ponci also of Carlsbad is in the county jail charged with the shooting. Ortego's wound has been pronounced serious by a Carlsbad physician.

### TYPEWRITERS

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### DR. I. Z. BROWN DIES AT LEUDERS, TEXAS EARLY SUNDAY MORN.

Old timers will regret to learn of the sudden death of Dr. I. Z. Brown of Leuders, Texas, former resident of Hope, which occurred Sunday morning. Early information received by Otis Brown, son of Dr. Brown, did not give the cause of his father's death. Otis and his brother, John Brown of Fort Sumner left at 12:30 Sunday afternoon for Leuders, Texas.

Dr. Brown and family lived at Hope for a number of years and were well acquainted over this section.

R. E. Callaway of Clovis was a visitor here yesterday.

R. H. Lowrey of Lubbock, Texas, spent yesterday in Artesia, attending to business matters.

### VALLEY ORCHESTRA (Continued from first page)

Tchaikovsky, Miss Elm and Charles Onion, and Eddy court Mrs. Virginia Ludwig, No. 5 of the F. New Mexico.

"Rose Dance," by F. Val orchestra.

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