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Gray-Cloud Are Found Guilty Of Manslaughter

Jury Renders The Verdict Yesterday Afternoon.—Judge McGhee Has Not Passed Sentences Up To This Morning.

A threatened collapse of the Gray-Cloud trial was averted on Tuesday after a brief recess caused by the illness of a juror, Earl Brooks. The case was continued however, and yesterday morning went to the jury. Yesterday afternoon the jury found the defendants each guilty of manslaughter. Judge McGhee had not passed sentence up to this morning.

With the last of the larceny cases disposed of, Judge McGhee Monday called the case of the state versus Dorette Gray and J. L. Cloud, charged with manslaughter in the death of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones, south of Artesia, last summer in an auto accident. The jury was selected Monday noon and the testimony began in the afternoon. O. O. Askren, Roswell attorney and Adolph Heinz Carlsbad attorney, appeared for the defense, while George Reese, district attorney directed the prosecution.

The jury members in the case are: Carl Brown, K. A. McLachlin, W. E. Scoggin, Earl Brooks, E. P. Back, Allen Blackney, Jessie E. Wheeler, Sid Caviness, James M. Vogel, Roy Gibson, John Ward and L. O. Warren.

State witnesses called from Artesia included J. M. Jackson, Hugh Burch, Lloyd and Lee Wehuns, Roy Vermillion, Carl Gordon and Ross Conner. One important feature of the case is who drove the death dealing car, whether it was Gray or Cloud. Each defendant has accused the other of driving the car at the time of the accident and the state endeavored to establish whether the car driver was Gray or Cloud. The defense tried to establish an alibi for Gray and Cloud on the grounds that the Jones car was alleged to have been on the wrong side of the road at the time the accident occurred.

The case of the state against Carl Wright, charged with second degree murder in the death of A. J. Foster of Lakewood will probably be started Monday. This case reversed by the supreme court has been sent back to Carlsbad for a new trial.

VALLEY TO HAVE PARTIAL APPLE CROP THIS YEAR

There will be at least a partial crop of Ben Davis and Champion apples at various points in the Pecos valley this year, Sidney I. Redfield, who is recognized as a local authority on fruit said Tuesday after examining apple trees in a number of orchards according to the Roswell Dispatch. Mr. Redfield said that he was certain there would be a full crop of Ben Davis apples in the top of the trees in various orchards and that there would be a number of Champions and a scattering crop of York Imperials.

He said it was still too early to predict as to a number of other varieties of apples in the valley this year, but that there would be a full crop of several varieties next year.

DR. LINEBAUGH TO BE HERE

Dr. L. N. Linebaugh, of Roswell, will preach at the local Methodist church, Sunday morning, April 2nd. This will be the occasion of the second quarterly conference of the local congregation. Delegates to the district conference at Odessa, Texas, April 21-23 will be lectured at that time.

COYOTE DRIVE NETS EXACTLY NOTHING

The coyote drive staged on the range to the west Saturday and Sunday netted exactly nothing. Somehow or other the coyotes were conspicuously absent. The only coyote sighted was lost when the pursuing car struck a ditch.

WELFARE BOARD NOT TO AID NEEDY WHO REFUSE WORK

Fred Brainard chairman of the welfare board announced Saturday that the attention of the board had been called to the fact that a few needy people here had refused to accept jobs when they were offered work by farmers and ranchers. "In view of this condition, we cannot undertake to provide help for those who refuse employment and in order to eliminate these people, we ask that all employers report to us when such refusal is made together with the reasons for refusal."

The statement was issued after several farmers had complained that they were unable to employ some people here because these people had refused to work, saying that they were employed by the community chest or welfare board.

ONE WELL TESTED TWO TRYING SHUT OFF WATER AT HOBBS

Oil activity over the area has been more or less routine the past week with one new location, one completion and two wells attempting to shut off water for a test. The Continental Oil Co., has completed its State No. 25-A, 330 feet from the north line and 2,310 feet from the west line sec. 25-18-37, at 4,225 feet for 160 barrels an hour on a company test. The test was an open flow. A production gauge will be given the Continental in time to be added to the first April period.

Two wells may be added to the Hobbs production column soon if the operators are successful in shutting off the water developed in the usual pay horizon. The Hardin No. 1 of the Humble Oil and Refining Co., 2,310 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the west line sec. 18-18-38, drilled to 4,245 feet has been plugged back to 4,207 feet in an effort to shut off water. An offset well, the Hardin No. 2 of the Amerada Petroleum Corp., 330 feet SE SW 1/4 sec. 18-18-38, also showed water when drilled to 4,160 feet. A new location has been staked by the Texas-Pacific Coal and Oil Co., for its State No. 4-G, 2,310 feet from the east line and 330 feet from the south line sec. 24-18-37.

COST OF PAIR BOOTS

According to Dave Runyan, veteran stockman, it takes eighty cow hides at the present prices to pay for a pair of boots. That represents quite a spread between the raw materials and the finished products. Maybe you can figure out what is wrong.

CATTLE GROWERS OPPOSE PLANS FOR STABILIZING PRICES

New Mexico cattlemen do not want livestock included in any plans calling for stabilizing the value of agriculture products.

This thought was contained in a resolution adopted by the New Mexico Cattle Grower's Association at the close of its 19th annual convention at Tucumcari. The cattlemen went on record as opposing inclusion of livestock in plans now before congress for stabilizing the value of farm products.

The cattlemen also went on record as favoring the consolidation of all agriculture credit agencies and increasing land bank loans from \$25,000 to \$100,000 on western ranches.

A \$100 reward was offered by the association for the apprehension and conviction of cattle thieves. The reward, however, was limited so as to prevent salaried peace officers from participating.

A. K. Mitchell of Albert, this state, was re-elected president and the following vice presidents also were returned to office: E. T. Springer, Cimarron; Lee Evans, Marquez; R. C. Sower, Ft. Sumner and Joe Lane, Roswell.

The 1934 convention will be held in Albuquerque at the same time the American National Livestock association will be in session. Roswell, Clovis and Las Vegas entered bids for the convention.

TAX REDUCTIONS OF 10 TO 15 PERCENT PROSPECT FOR 1933

Commissioners Agree To Reduce Real Estate Valuations 15 Percent—Other Classes Property Dependent On Schools.

The Eddy county tax rate will be ten to fifteen per cent less than last year, R. H. Westaway, assessor told an Advocate representative yesterday afternoon in a telephone call from Carlsbad. The commissioners met at Carlsbad yesterday to fix the schedule of reductions, the actual average reduction, however will not be known until Mr. Westaway re-arranges and goes over his property schedule. The decreased tax rate is not expected to interfere with the school term another year as an eight months term has been agreed upon in all school districts as well as in the rural communities and the various school districts are expected to rearrange their school budgets to meet the new revenue.

G. R. Brainard, commissioner from this district, in speaking of the session of the commissioners' court held in Carlsbad yesterday said that in view of the fact that the state legislature gave the taxpayers no promised relief, the proposed reduction in Eddy county real estate valuation amounting to twenty per cent could not be made. Mr. Brainard, however figures that a fifteen per cent reduction can be made in real estate valuation and that a substantial reduction can be made in other classes of property, provided the schools will co-operate in cutting down their budgets. The school will be asked to reduce their budgets materially so that some relief may be given all classes of taxpayers.

Mr. Brainard also stressed the difficult position of the county commissioners at the present time, saying that the court had labored long and hard in order to find some means of reducing taxes under the present conditions.

MRS. ALLENE HEINZE IS BURIED HERE ON SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Rites for Mrs. Allene Heinze, who died in a Carlsbad hospital Saturday were said here Sunday afternoon at the Christian church with the Rev. A. S. Dowd, officiating. Mrs. Heinze, age 22 had been a resident of Carlsbad for sometime. Mrs. Heinze is survived by a husband, a mother who lives here, a sister, Mrs. Nathan Kelly and two brothers. Interment was made in the Artesia cemetery.

BEEMAN DECLINES ASYLUM BOARD APPOINTMENT

C. W. Beeman, Loving resident and former county commissioner has declined to serve as a member of the board of the insane asylum at Las Vegas, after receiving notice of his appointment last week. Mr. Beeman previously served as a member of the board of regents of State College. The transfer of Mr. Beeman was made without his authorization and in declining the new position he stated that he felt there was no consideration of loyalty to the administration which required him to accept the new job.

DANGER OF RABIES

Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health officer calls attention to the danger of the spread of rabies among dogs of this section and advises that all dogs which are not wanted be disposed of and that other animals be vaccinated. No case of rabies has been found so far in north Eddy county, but that does not mean that danger does not exist, according to Dr. Puckett.

HUTCHINS BUYS CALIF. INN

Purchase of Sonoma Mission Inn, a resort property in the Valley of the Moon, 35 miles north of San Francisco, by M. B. Hutchins, New Mexico hotel operator, was announced last week.

The announcement of the purchase did not mention the purchase price but said the property represented an investment of \$625,000 of some four years ago. Hutchins formerly operated a hotel at Clondcroft.

HOBBS ALLOWABLE TO BE CHANGED ON THE FIRST OF APRIL

Operators and representatives from the Hobbs pool of Lea County, were in session at Ft. Worth Tuesday at the Texas Hotel considering an engineer's report suggesting revision of the proration program to make allowance for structural position.

E. G. Allen of Houston, Shell Petroleum Corporation, chairman of the operators' committee, presided at the meeting, which may consume two days.

Suggestions made by W. E. Wrather, petroleum engineer, who started a survey last September, provide for changing the factors of allocating production. Wrather's plan would give 42 1/2 per cent consideration for potential, 42 1/2 per cent for structural position and 15 per cent for acreage.

At present the Hobbs pool is prorationed on a basis of 75 per cent for potential and 25 per cent for acreage. During the discussion of conditions prevailing in the Hobbs pool it was reported that production from the Hobbs pool to February 1, amounted to 29,366,436 barrels on an average of 4,370 barrels per acre. The estimated ultimate recovery from the Hobbs pool, on a basis of 6,720 productive acres, was 22,959 barrels or roughly 96,000,000 barrels for the pool.

HOUSE PASSES PRES. ROOSEVELT'S FARM BILL YESTERDAY

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The farm relief bill, integral part of President Roosevelt's emergency program, was passed by the house yesterday by a strong bi-partisan majority.

Passage was voted after two days of committee consideration and two days of debate by the house, during which amendments were barred. It was the fourth major recommendation of President Roosevelt to receive house approval in less than three weeks.

Slower action is expected in the senate where opposition is formidable and there is no restriction on debate, or rule to be invoked against the proposal of amendments. Yet yesterday a number of senators were predicting it would pass very much in its present form.

The bill places enormous powers over American agriculture in the hands of the secretary of agriculture. Its policy was termed by Mr. Roosevelt a "new and untrod path." Its purpose is to increase farm buying power.

The chief provisions: Names wheat, cotton, tobacco, corn, rice, hogs, cattle, sheep, milk and its products as major agricultural commodities.

Authorizes the secretary of agriculture to enter into voluntary agreements with producers of these commodities to secure acreage or crop reductions. In return for curtailments, the producer would receive rent or benefit payments.

Empowers the secretary to levy processing taxes on the commodities to raise the funds for paying the rent or benefits. The tax would be limited to the amount necessary to bring the aggregate farm return to its pre-war purchasing power.

STATE TAX RATE TO BE SAME AS IN 1932

SANTA FE—New Mexico taxpayers will probably continue to pay 5 1/2 mills for state expenses in the next biennium, according to Rupert F. Asplund of the State Taxpayers association, director.

The deduction was arrived at after a conference with Governor Seligman, when the appropriation bills for the next biennium were analyzed. Director Asplund figured that the appropriations will average \$2,052,440 each year with credits against that sum of \$579,433 to bring the next appropriation to \$1,473,007 a year.

RETURNS GOLD

Twenty thousand in gold and gold certificates had passed through the windows of the Roswell banks up to Friday evening, the last day in which hoarded gold might be returned under President Roosevelt's proclamation.

AGRICULTURE LOAN APPLICATIONS FOR AREA ARE \$249,000

Seventy-Three In This District Total \$125,000—Eddy County Farmers Ask For \$33,695 In Crop Loans.

Pecos valley farmers and stockmen had applied for approximately \$249,000 in federal agricultural loans at the close of the week, W. district estimated. The number E. Flint, field inspector for this of applications sent from Carlsbad, Artesia and Roswell numbered 164 and averaged over \$1,500 each. The applications were divided roughly as follows: Artesia 64 for \$125,000; Roswell 50 for \$74,000; Carlsbad 50 for \$50,000.

The bulk of applications have been filed. A few will be filed later. No returns have been received on any application sent in so far as known.

Tabulations compiled up to the end of the week by W. A. Wunsch, county agent, reveal the crop loan applications made in Eddy county to that date total \$2,200 from 105 applications. Sixty of these applications have been filed in this territory.

Later information received here from County Agent Wunsch Tuesday says the total number of applications for crop loans made in Eddy county to that date were 151 for a total sum of \$33,695 making an average loan of \$223 to the individual. Of this number 108 applications were filed in the south end of the county while 63 had been filed in the north end of the county. Out of these applications the Artesia district will get \$14,000 while the Carlsbad district will receive \$19,695.

Eight thousand checks for crop loans were mailed out of the Dallas, Texas office Monday, but no returns have been received from any of the Eddy county applications.

COTTON ACREAGE IS TO BE ABOUT SAME HERE AS LAST YEAR

Preliminary estimates on the intentions to plant over Eddy county indicate that the cotton acreage may be increased, taking the county as a whole. A small decrease is expected to be registered in this section on the cotton acreage while the cotton acreage on the Carlsbad project may be increased as much as ten per cent. Acreage in other crops will remain about the same except in garden and truck patches, where an increase is expected.

Farmers generally are well advanced with their land breaking operations. Some have started their spring planting.

CONVICTED OF LARCENY

Buster O'Brien, James Coats and Bill Crow were convicted in the district court at Carlsbad last week on charge of larceny. Alfonso Nieves jailed on the same charge was acquitted. Conviction of the three men above grew out of a larceny case at the Hope dance hall several weeks ago, during which time a quantity of clothing and auto tools were taken from the dance hall and from cars parked around the dance hall.

LAMBS SHIPPED TO MARKET

Thursday J. P. Cauhope of Hope shipped out two cars of lambs to market at Kansas City. Monday W. Leslie Martin of Artesia loaded out two cars from the local pens to the Kansas City market.

ARTESIA WATER OK

Returns from samples of water from the city wells furnished the state health laboratory by City Manager George Frisch indicate the water supply still standard in cleanliness.

Mrs. J. Gould and son, Dalton Gould, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gould of Cross Plains, Texas arrived Friday to visit Mrs. Gould's sister, Mrs. John McCann and Mr. McCann. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gould will remain here and assist Mr. McCann at Camp Mac.

Hollis Watson returned yesterday from a business visit to Ft. Stockton, Texas.

CHEVROLET COUPE OF E. N. BIGLER IS FOUND RECENTLY

Officers here were notified yesterday that part of a Chevrolet coupe stolen from E. N. Bigler of Artesia, last September had been recovered. The burned body of the car was found in the Pinon section and the engine to the coupe in another car located in the Crow Flat community.

DOG POISONERS AT WORK

Dog poisoners are at work again over Artesia, it was reported this morning. Two dogs have been the victims of strychnine to date, according to our information, but neither have died. Owners of valuable dogs are advised to keep a close watch over their animals if they would save them from a horrible death.

MASONS END THREE DAY MEETING AT ROSWELL YESTERDAY

With the largest crowd in attendance in three years the fifty-fifth annual communication of the Grand Lodge Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of New Mexico opened in Roswell Monday, the first of the three day session being featured by the election of John Milne, Albuquerque, as Grand Master and the annual banquet Monday night attended by 320 Masons from Roswell and from all sections of the state.

Other officers of the grand lodge elected Monday were William H. Duckworth, Clovis, deputy grand master; Reuben Perry, Albuquerque, senior grand warden; Ira L. Pennington, Clayton, junior grand warden; Edward R. Paul, Santa Fe, grand treasurer, re-elected and Alphas A. Keen, Albuquerque was re-elected grand secretary.

E. A. Cahoon, Roswell and Richard H. Hanna, Albuquerque, were re-elected trustees of the New Mexico Grand Lodge, their terms expiring at this time.

Local Masons who attended from Artesia Monday were S. E. Ferree, Arba Green, R. G. Knoedler and Elmo Naylor. Mr. Ferree went up Tuesday morning to attend the secretary's breakfast at the Nickson hotel. Arba Green was among the members of the local lodge to attend the closing session yesterday.

ARRESTED ON LIQUOR CHARGE HERE SAT.

Oliver Harrison was arrested Saturday night by J. M. Jackson marshal, on charge of possession of liquor. He pleaded not guilty and was freed on bond. His trial was set in the justice court for Monday.

EASTER REVIVAL TO START APRIL 2ND AT METHODIST CHURCH

The congregation of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches will unite in a pre-Easter evangelistic campaign beginning Sunday evening April 2nd. The preaching will be done by The Rev. A. C. Douglas and The Rev. W. B. McCrory the local pastors of these two churches. The services will be held in the Methodist church. There will be preaching each night at 8:00 o'clock during the two weeks. The whole community is invited to attend and give their support to this evangelistic effort.

The music will be in charge of Mmes. Gates and Yates. Special music will be a feature at each service.

The two pastors of these churches are looking forward to this special pre-Easter campaign as auguring a new day in the spiritual life of the community.

JUNIOR BASEBALL TEAM WORKING OUT DAILY

The American Legion Junior baseball team is holding a daily practice season now, preparatory to opening the season next month. Coach (Si) Bert Garber announced. Games have been scheduled with the Military Institute Juniors, Dexter high school, Hobbs Junior Legion team and the Carlsbad Junior Legion team. The senior baseball club is also expected to open the season next month.

Await Word To Reopen 1st National Bank Here

Sum Of \$52,000 Pledged To Supply Ready Cash To Meet Requirements Under New Set Up Of The Banking Law.

The Artesia bank situation was unchanged this morning with bank officials awaiting the word to resume the usual banking functions. Directors of the First National here have met every requirement they know to meet in order to speed the reopening and in addition the depositors have supplied \$27,000, \$25,000 in cash and \$2,000 in notes to provide additional ready cash to meet the needs of what federal officials term a solvent bank. The customers and depositors have been given to understand that the First National Bank is solvent, but in need of ready cash to meet the new set up under the new banking law.

After the directors had raised \$25,000 to meet what they thought was the full requirement under the new regulations, application for reopening was held up pending further investigation from Washington. At the suggestion of the bank examiners, who have been here since the first of the week, a meeting of the depositors was held in the roof garden of the Artesia hotel Tuesday morning and on recommendation of the bank examiner pledged \$25,000 in cash and \$2,000 in notes to provide additional cash. Since that time no definite information has been given out from Washington as to whether this arrangement met the approval of the treasury department. It is said that federal reserve officials in the Dallas, Texas office have endeavored to speed action at Washington. It is also known that the Dallas federal reserve office has been in sympathy with the local situation because they regard the First National as a sound institution.

People Determined

Bank customers have shown a praiseworthy spirit in co-operating with the First National in every way. All previous community enterprises backed by a public spirited citizenship have been dwarfed in an effort to speed the reopening of the First National and the customers are willing to make additional sacrifices in order that Artesia might not be deprived further of a sound financial institution. "We are going to reopen the bank at all costs," they say.

It may be some consolation to know that thousands of other communities over the United States are in the same position as Artesia, waiting word from the treasury department to reopen. Approximately 3,000 banks are still closed. The federal reserve district offices and the treasury department at Washington are described as "mad houses," due to the pressing demands made by the various banking institutions.

88 PER CENT OF DEPOSITS ARE LIQUID

NEW YORK—"The American Banker" says that at least \$38,000,000,000,000, or 88 per cent of the money on deposit in the nation's banks, will become available as purchasing power by the end of the week after having been tied up in the banking holiday. Of the remaining five billions still tied up in banks awaiting permission to reopen, completion of examinations, reorganizations and recapitalizations will release a major proportion within a comparatively short period, the publication said, "and losses in liquidation may be less than a billion dollars, or less than 2 1/2 per cent of the banked funds of the country."

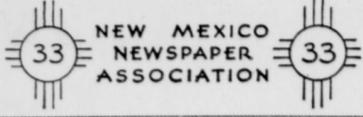
Among those who are in Roswell today to attend the session of the New Mexico Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star are: Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green, Mmes. J. M. Story, Lewis Story, Sid Cox, T. C. Bird and Stanley Blocker. Mrs. Jessie Morgan went up on Tuesday to assume her duties as grand secretary.

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OUR'S STILL BEST

Despite all the bunk you hear about technocracy, communism, socialism or what not, we still believe the American form of government built around the individual initiative is the best suited for the needs of an intelligent people. One hundred and fifty years of American democracy has convinced the people that our forefathers did a mighty good job in starting the basic foundation of the greatest government on the face of the earth.

The flaws that have made appearance from time to time are not due to a defective form of government but to the indifference of the people who are charged with administering the functions of government. We have permitted graft, corruption and even racketeering to take charge in many instances to the detriment of the common people, who are not easily aroused except in times of stress. As long as the ordinary individual is doing what we term well, he isn't particularly concerned about how a governing body operates.

In the past twenty years, the people have been so concerned with material progress and those things that raise the standard of living that they have turned the operation of government in cities, states and in some instances phases of the national government over to a well organized minority. As result racketeering has sprung up first aligning itself with the liquor interests, but gradually spreading to other lines of endeavor until it exacts or did exact a tribute from every organized industry.

Some cities have made a fairly decent job of cleaning out the "hoodlums" and racketeers, while others are still battling to clean out the existing corruption. It looks like the job of cleaning the racketeers out should be comparatively easy, if the majority of good citizens ban together for protection, but this job of ridding a city or community of the undesirables has been a task fraught with many perils.

EDDY'S ACCOMPLISHMENT

In the days when taxes are being cussed and discussed, few people stop to think what Eddy county has done to partially relieve the tax burdens and under what odds the undertaking has been accomplished. The taxes have been high enough of course, but when one considers the shrink in valuation and the mounting percentage of delinquent taxes, it is hardly conceivable that the tax rate should be lowered, yet this is what happened last year and what is promised for this year. The average reduction in taxes last year amounted to twenty per cent according to estimates made by R. H. Westaway and this year at least a five per cent reduction is in prospect.

No other county in the state can point to a like accomplishment under like conditions and the wholesome situation has been brought about not by the state tax commission but by the co-operation of the various county agencies with the county assessor. The county commissioners, the assessor and the tax payers have seen to it that the budget made was religiously lived up to.

In view of the general unrest created by the state legislature in its efforts to find new sources of revenue, it is refreshing to view our own county tax affairs and to know that those responsible for the tax rate and the tax reductions have not forgotten their pledge to the people.

RING-AROUND-A-ROSY

The legislative session just closed cost some \$26,000 and the special session now proposed to do the things which the regular session had 60 days to handle would cost probably \$20,000, making a total of \$46,000, which is more than it is estimated the oil severance tax or the income tax or the lubricating oil tax will raise. It looks as if the successive sessions would have to invent taxes rather fast in order to cover their own expense to the people.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

See where a feller up and sez the elephant has more ivory in his head than any other animal. That guy don't know nothing at all about the New Mexico legislature.—Tucumcari News.

And they tell us the taxpayer has been relieved some more. It costs \$983,584 to print the congressional record of the 72nd congress containing the bull of "Hoovey" Long, et al.

No legislature or congress is going to vote us into prosperity. Each man who gets there will travel on his own feet and no one finds safety in shaping his course with the crowd.

Folks who never do any more than they get paid for never get paid for any more than they do.—Elbert Hubbard.

Our people are said to have lost interest in walking, but anyway they want the ghost to walk regularly.

The man who thinks the world owes him a living fails to realize what he owes the world.

The fellow who does just enough to get by never earns enough to buy much.

A woman has two chances to attain fame—earning it or marrying it.

The first man to quit work is usually the last one to be promoted.

If you would have a faithful servant and one that you like, serve yourself.

In these dishonest times, people seem willing to take everything except advice.

The people holler about their rights, but whisper about their duties.

Fortune does not smile on those who wait. It laughs at them.

PICKED UP ON MAIN

El Paso and Jaurez are naturally associated when one speaks of going to El Paso. Last weekend a group of Artesia ladies were somewhat perturbed over the safe return of several Artesia business men from El Paso, until it was whispered around that Mark Corbin was chairman of the refreshment committee.

Some people believe in inflation so strong that they ride with twice too much air in their auto tires and thus make the going rough.

"When are you going to pay?" asked the bill collector.

Man, who did not work even when times were good: "How do I know? I'm no prophet."

Just because a man is always harping on something is no sign he is a musician. And it probably means that he will never play a harp.

The connecting link between the animal and vegetable kingdom is hash, but who wants to eat the link.

A customer went to a restaurant and ordered a plate of hash. "Gentleman wants to take a chance," yelled the waiter to the cook.

"I'll take the same," said another customer.

"Another sport," called the waiter to the cook.

Aged county club mosquito to baby mosquito: And to think when I was your age I could bite girls only on the face and hands."

John Shearman in Sanitary Barber Shop: "Thank you sir! It isn't often that a customer tips us before we even start to work on him."

Customer: "Tip? That's no tip; that's hush money!"

A girl applying for an office position was asked if she worked long hours but she said only the regulation length, sixty minutes.

"When the clock strikes five do you quit in the middle of a word?" asked the employer.

Certainly not. I never start a word when the clock is going to strike five," she said.

A schoolgirl's essay in a Montana paper ran as follows: "When we go camping, we must keep the place neat, we must be very careful to put out our fire. This is God's country. Don't burn it up and make it look like hell."

THE NEW CAR

Father—How many miles to a gallon?

Mother—What color is the upholstery?

Son—How fast will she go?

Neighbors—How can they afford it?

Pat and Mike stood before a store window wherein were displayed trunks for sale.

Pat—Moike, why doncha buy a trunk?

What furr, and pray tell me?

"To put your clothes in, you bilthern jit.

What, and me go naked?"

French Naval Launchings

When naval vessels are launched in France, the official ceremony subscribes in spirit to the older civilian practice, but is marked by considerably more pomp and churchly parade. There is a godfather and likewise a godmother; and should the ship be named after some outstanding national character or a famous officer, then at least one of the sponsors is a descendant of the person honored.

Altar Made of Gold

Considered a masterpiece of the German goldsmith's art, an altar-piece of pure gold and silver, richly enameled and decorated with precious stones, has been consecrated in St. Mary's, the Benedictine abbey at Buckfast, England. It represents the descent of the Holy Ghost and is the work of M. Witte, the goldsmith of Aix la Chapelle cathedral.

Adaptable Leaves

Pinnate leaves have the power of turning to adjust themselves to the light; if the rays of the sun are too powerful they turn upward; if gloomy weather, such as occurs before the rain, they sink again, and when the rains begin they at once assume the position in which they will offer the least resistance.

A Bladder Physic

Is a medicine that works on the bladder as castor oil on the bowels. Drives out impurities and excess acids that cause irritation which results in getting up nights, frequent desire, burning, leg pains and backache. Get a 25c test box of BU-KETS, (5 gr. Tablets) the pleasant bladder physic from any druggist. After four days if not relieved go back and get your money. You will feel better after this cleansing and you get your regular sleep. Sold by Story and Story, Druggists. ADV.

Murdered Mayor Laid to Rest



Scene in the Bohemian National cemetery in Chicago as the remains of Mayor Anton Cermak, victim of a bullet intended for President Roosevelt at Miami, were laid to rest.

HEALTH COLUMN

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

GONORRHEA

Based on surveys made in other parts of the United States and at a conservative estimate there must be 2,000 new cases of gonorrhoea in New Mexico every year.

Many of these cases are not seen by any doctor. This means that hundreds of men believing themselves cured when they are not cured pass on the infection to their wives.

Gonorrhoea is a disease which often leads to serious results. It is the commonest cause of sterility in both men and women. At least half of the major operations on the female abdominal organs are made necessary by gonorrhoeal infection. A common complication in both men and women is a painful inflammation of the joints.

It has been difficult to fight this disease because of the unwillingness of people to discuss the subject. The "conspiracy of silence" has been the greatest aid to the spread of infection.

At present it is believed that many young men and boys traveling in the freight trains are infected. If this is true it constitutes a serious danger to our railroad towns. Information on this subject is urgently needed. The state bureau of public health stands ready to co-operate with any municipality in dealing with this menace if it exists.

Pamphlets on this disease may be obtained from your county health department or from the state bureau of public health at Santa Fe.

MUTUAL

As the parting instructions were being given, the fresh young salesman picked up his bag and started on his initial trip. "Good luck to you," said his chief; "wire us important news."

KIDNAP CHARGE FILED AT HOBBS MONDAY

Officers Monday night sought Lyle B. Durdy on a charge of kidnaping his three-year-old son, Gene Durdy from the home of Mrs. and Mrs. Ben McGinnis at Hobbs Sunday afternoon.

The child, officers said, had been living with Mr. and Mrs. McGinnis its grandparents, since his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Durdy, obtained a divorce and complete custody of the boy. At the present time Mrs. Durdy is in California.

Durdy, McGinnis told officers when he filed a kidnaping charge against the father, had visited his son several times lately and Sunday afternoon took the boy down town to buy some candy. He failed to return and the grandfather called police.

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HOPE ITEMS

M. E. Pichke is ill at his home here.

Miss Mary Catherine Coffin spent the week end in Carlsbad visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Nymeyer.

Julia Ferrell of Hagerman is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ferrell. Miss Ferrell is a sister to Mr. Ferrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Brewer passed through Hope last week enroute from Albuquerque to Weed to make their home.

R. H. Bynum who has been ill at his home after a stroke of paralysis has improved greatly and is able to sit up.

Messrs John Rowland, W. S. Medcalf and L. P. Glascock motored to Roswell Monday to attend the Grand Lodge of New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Johnson motored to Loving Saturday to take Mrs. Nettie Johnson who has been visiting in the home of her son here for the past month.

Betsy Parks entertained twenty-eight of her friends at her home Sunday with a turkey dinner. Outdoor games were enjoyed during the afternoon.

Mrs. Ricketson, mother of Mrs. Bill Bunting, Lewis Ricketson, Mrs. Wheeler and her nephew, Mr. McDonald, of Las Cruces are here visiting at the Bunting ranch.

A number of young people surprised Miss Barbara Glascock Saturday evening at her home with a birthday party. Candy was served to the guests, twenty-eight being present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rowland and daughter, Lucille, and Mrs. Willie Van Horn, motored to Artesia Sunday where they attended the fifty-sixth wedding anniversary of Mr. Rowland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rowland, at the home of Arthur Rowland.

Marjorie Johnson and Janet Parks of the Texas Technological College of Lubbock, Texas are here visiting their parents, Mrs. Nora Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parks. They will return to Lubbock Tuesday with Kenneth Compton of Artesia.

Oran Parker and his aunt, Mrs. Gus Snyder of Glen Rose, Texas, passed through Hope Friday enroute to their home after a visit in Pinon with Oran's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parker. Oran will leave soon for Baltimore where he will receive medical treatment.

Mrs. J. H. Bridgman and Mrs. Dick McDonald motored to Tatum Sunday where they met Mr. and Gerald Damewood of Lubbock Texas, who brought Mrs. H. Hughes, mother of Mrs. Damewood and Mrs. Bridgman, there to return home with Mrs. Bridgman to spend the summer here.

Frances and Max Johnson entertained at their home Tuesday evening with a Jig-saw party. Numbers were drawn for partners each couple being given a puzzle and the one finishing their puzzle first winning the prize. Adlene Shelton and Tommy Buchanan won the prize. Refreshments of tea cakes and hot chocolate were served.

G. T. Watts passed through Hope Thursday morning enroute to the funeral services of his grandmother, Mrs. Watts, who passed away at her home on the Agua Chiquita Wednesday evening. Mrs. Watts is survived by three children, Mrs. Ethel Jernigan of Los Angeles, who came here in an airplane Thursday, Mrs. Katie and Mr. Ed Watts of Dunken, a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren being present at the funeral services. Mrs. Watts was a well known pioneer of this part of New Mexico and leaves many friends.

Mrs. A. J. Cox entertained at her home Friday with a birthday dinner for her husband who celebrated his seventy-fifth birthday. A large angel food cake was used for the birthday cake and it was decorated

HONORED BY POPE



Miss Mary C. Duffy, supreme regent of the Catholic Daughters' order, who was recently decorated by Pope Pius.

In green and white the St. Patrick colors being carried out as the color scheme throughout the dinner. There were forty guests present some being the elders and deacons of the Christian church of Artesia. Mrs. Otis Brown of Artesia presented Mr. Cox with a bouquet of jonquils and violets and Mrs. Winan of Artesia sent him a bouquet of buttercups, both bouquets decorating the dinner table.

NATIVE NEW YORKERS SCARCE SAYS WELLS

"Although I came to New York City 30 years ago, I really can't remember the names of any of my friends who were born here," says Carveth Wells in his March 29th radio broadcast for Continental Oil Company, dedicated to the Great American Metropolis.

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CARLSBAD PROMISED REDUCTION GAS RATE

As a conference Friday between L. G. May, head man of the Pecos Valley Gas company, a proposition was submitted by Mr. May for a small reduction in the rates, which was not considered as worthy of reception by the city council says the Carlsbad Current-Argus.

A tentative suggestion for a series of reductions based upon a charge of 80 cents per 1,000 cubic feet, with quantity cuts in proportion was just as promptly rejected by Mr. May, who also declined to appear before a mass meeting of citizens, but agreed to talk things over with a committee of citizens.

After a discussion which occupied pretty much all of the day, the matter was left without conclusion of any sort, save that the company declines to make a material change in the tariffs now in force, or to listen to the suggestions for a change that would help a little.

Some interesting figures came out from Mr. May's statements. The company plans to install a plant for washing the gas and to straighten various kinks in the mains to stimulate a free flow of gas.

There were 2096 minimums among the 7992 domestic bills of 1932.

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S. J. BOYKIN EASTERN NEW MEX. PIONEER PASSES ON LAST WEEK

The death of S. J. (Uncle Sid) Boykin at Clovis last week marked the passing of one of the most colorful characters of the early days of the Plains country and set the few remaining first settlers to reminiscing the days of which Uncle Sid was as definite a part as were Tascosa, Endee and the cow trails of the days of the open range.

Hostile bands of Indians still roamed the plains of west Texas and eastern New Mexico when Uncle Sid set out early in 1880 from his home in Erath county, Texas, to seek fortune in the "land of the sunset."

He had his first contact with the old cattlemen of the west at a forking of the trails leading into Sweetwater. There he joined the George Taylor outfit that was headed for the Pecos River valley. Behind the great herds of the Boot Bar and the Rafter T brands young Boykin rode for weeks until finally the outfit established headquarters on the Hondo river west of what is now Roswell.

After a while he returned to Sweetwater, there to join another outfit moving into yet another section. This time he rode with Jim Newman, who afterward became one of the best known and best loved of the pioneer plainsmen. Near what is now the old Yellow House ranch, not far from Littlefield, Texas, Newman established the DZ ranch. There were few outfits that far west on the plains then. Over on the Pecos were outposts of the army and a few scattered cow outfits, on which Billy the Kid and his gang plundered.

Eager to go into business for himself, Mr. Boykin left the DZ after a time and finally settled near Portales Springs, the Billy the Kid hideout about 18 miles southeast of the present town of Portales. He established the SID brand, from which his nickname originated.

As the years passed, as fences choked out the open range and trails became highways, Mr. Boykin became a town dweller, but retained interest in a ranch north of Clovis and until his death spent several days each week there working among his herds of fine cattle.

BARTLETT IS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF STATE FARM HOLIDAY GROUP

O. P. Bartlett of Portales was elected president of the first State Farmers Holiday association convention at Portales Friday.

Other officers elected at the meeting were, Charles Madrid, Las Cruces, first vice president; John Stevens, Clovis, second vice president; A. P. Smoak, San Juan county, third vice president; J. Whitefield Taylor Portales, secretary; Mrs. W. W. Greenhow, Portales, treasurer.

TYPEWRITERS
New, second hand and factory rebuilts in portables and standards—See us before you buy. Artesia Advocate.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley were visiting in Roswell Monday.

Misses Ruth French and Margaret Phillips were in Roswell Sunday.

Dr. J. J. Clarke was attending to business matters in Roswell Friday.

Albert Foster was trading in town Saturday from his ranch west of Lakewood.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sewell of Hobbs spent the week-end here visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn are the parents of a baby daughter, born Friday night.

W. A. Wunsch county agent was attending to duties connected with his office here Saturday.

C. Bert Smith underwent a minor operation at the Masonic hospital in El Paso Friday.

Mrs. George Stesses of Los Angeles, California arrived Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. R. D. Compton and family.

W. A. Scott, oil operator left this week for an extended visit to his former home at Plainview, Texas. Mrs. Scott accompanied him.

Mrs. Ferris Arnold and daughter, Janet of Roswell spent from Saturday until Tuesday here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Rowan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jernigan and daughter, Jeanine of Hobbs spent the week-end with Mr. Jernigan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Jernigan.

Mrs. Georgie Lusk of Santa Fe state school superintendent accompanied by Ed Dalmont of Lovington spent Sunday here visiting Mrs. Lusk's sister, Mrs. Rude Wilcox and family.

Mrs. H. A. Stroup underwent a major operation at the Masonic hospital in El Paso, Texas Thursday and is convalescing nicely according to the last report.

William Todd of Alamogordo, former publisher of The Advocate who attended the Masonic meet at Roswell spent Monday afternoon and Tuesday here greeting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon George of Los Angeles, California stopped off here over the week-end for a visit with his brother Perly George and family while en route from Abilene, Texas to Los Angeles.

Mrs. Frances Hunter and brother, Stanley Carper left Friday for a visit with their sister, Mrs. G. Booker and Mr. Booker in Wellington, Kansas. They were accompanied by Miss Marjorie Wingfield who went for a visit with relatives in Kansas.

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VOTERS WILL HAVE CHANGE TO VOTE ON 5 ISSUES IN SEPT.

SANTA FE—Yes or no choice will be given New Mexico voters September 19 on four propositions one concerning liquor, one about taxes, one on borrowing by the school districts and one creating 12 judicial districts and judges therefor. A fifth proposition for voters will be selection of delegates to a state constitution convention for retention or rejection of the 18th national constitution amendment.

Voters will have the opportunity to determine, under SJR21 whether taxes shall be limited to 20 mills. Since the taxpayers' association has favored a two per cent reduction in property tax it was expected the weight of the organization would be thrown behind this proposal and it was expected to carry. It would amend the state constitution.

Back of the approval for this limitation lies the shadow of a special legislative session, according to tax experts who say the levy will not produce more than two thirds of the money necessary for operating the schools and all branches of government.

BEER CAN BE SOLD IN FOURTEEN STATES

State capitals report that: There are at least fourteen states in which beer can be sold as soon as the federal government legalizes it, which will be fifteen days after President Roosevelt's signature to the 3.2 per cent beer bill.

In others a varied situation exists. In some beer can be sold after a specified time; in some it can be sold in certain localities; in others proposed action to license or regulate the beverage is pending. In still others—at least ten states—neither has there been repeal of prohibition laws nor is official action pending toward licensing beer.

The fourteen in which beer can be sold immediately after United States legalization are: Arizona, California, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Missouri, Montana, Nevada, New Jersey, New York, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Washington and Wisconsin.

H. N. Russell of the Russell Parts Service Co., was called to Virginia Thursday by the serious illness of his mother. V. D. Bolton and Morrison Livingston accompanied him for a visit with relatives in Tennessee, Kentucky and Virginia.

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Social Activities

WHY NOT JIM?

The two act comedy, "Why Not Jim?" presented under the auspices of the Artesia Women's club at the Central school auditorium Friday evening was enjoyed by a good sized audience. The proceeds of the play netted more than \$18.00 which will be applied to the Women's club building fund. The play was cleverly executed and all of the cast of characters deserve special mention. If there was an outstanding cast among the characters, it was Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr., who played the part of a mother-in-law, with an eye for eligible sons-in-law.

The between acts features were also very interesting. Miss Mary Baird gave a humorous reading. A Dutch dance by the pupils of Miss Jacobson was enjoyed as were two readings by Mrs. Keith McCrary and two Brazilian vocal solos by Mrs. Welborne.

The cast of characters appearing in "Why Not Jim?" are as follows:

Mrs. Gordon, with an eye for eligible sons-in-law—Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr.

Paula Harmon, her daughter, a young widow—Mrs. Jack Clady. Edna Fraser—The second daughter, wife of an author—Mrs. Fred Cole.

Vivian Gordon, youngest daughter, Mrs. Richard Rockwell. Gertrude Price, Fraser's secretary—Mrs. Howard Whitson.

Alice, the maid—Mrs. Stanley Blocker. Alec Fraser, a young author, married to Edna—Howard Whitson. Charles Ramsey, a suitor of Paula—Cavitt Jackson.

James Barry, interested in Vivian—Richard Rockwell.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Miss Orlena Martin was the honor guest at a birthday party given by her mother, Mrs. W. C. Martin Saturday morning honoring her eighth anniversary. A number of friends were invited to help Orlena celebrate the event and enjoyed many children's games. St. Patrick's colors were in evidence in the favors distributed and on the birthday cake, bearing eight little candles. Orlena was the recipient of many gifts.

Guests present included Misses Janice Mann, Patsie Ruth Snyder, Margaret Attebery, Helen Jean Evans, Billie Sue Barnett, Frances Knoedler, Shirley Watson, Guinevere Ellis, Christine Anderson, Mary Baird, Darleen Dunn, Barbara Wheatley, Phyllis Bartlett, Anna Frances Roady and Albert Linell, Billy Terpening, Max Schulze, Billie Rowland, Don and Val Morgan, Robert Feather, W. C. Martin, Jr., and the honor guest, Orlena.

56th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Golden wedding anniversaries are rare, but six years added to the fiftieth anniversary is more unusual. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rowland of Artesia honored the 56th anniversary of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rowland Sunday with a dinner to which the children and grand children were invited. Seventeen grand children and one great grand child were present to help celebrate the occasion in addition to Mr. and Mrs. John Rowland and family of Hope, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rowland and family of Atoka, Mrs. Van Horn of Hope and Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Smart of Artesia.

MISS YOUNG HONORED

Miss Margaret Young of Roswell was voted the most valuable girl in the Roswell high school popularity contest recently. Miss Young is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Young who were residents of Artesia for a number of years, during which time, she received her earlier training in grammar school here. Her many friends wish to congratulate her on her high attainment in her high school work.

FRIDAY EVENING CLUB

The Friday Evening Bridge club met with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglas. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff won high score and Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Barnett won low. Lovely refreshments were served to the members and guests of the club who were: Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barker, Miss Mary McCaw and John Richards.

SECOND EVENING CLUB

The Second Evening Bridge club met with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Brainard Friday evening, for its regular seven o'clock dinner. Mrs. Wallace Anderson was a guest of the club.

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FRIDAY

The Bridge of the Month club will meet with Mrs. Hugh Kiddy at 2:30 p. m.

MONDAY

The Chevie Six Bridge club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bilstone for seven o'clock dinner.

WEDNESDAY

The Abnormis Sapiens Bridge club will meet with Mrs. J. M. Story at 2:00 p. m.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN MEET

Christian Church together with the Guild met at the home of Mrs. Jeff Hightower last Thursday for an all day meeting and covered dish luncheon. The afternoon was spent in quilting. The Guild had charge of the program in which Mrs. Stanley Blocker was leader, assisted by Mrs. Albert Richards, Mrs. Ben Dunn and Mrs. A. S. Dowd.

CONTRACT STUDY CLUB

The Contract Study club met with Mrs. R. D. Compton Monday for one o'clock luncheon. Mrs. Compton's sister, Mrs. Geo. Stees of Los Angeles, California was a luncheon guest.

PAST NOBLE GRANDS CLUB

The Past Noble Grands club met with Mrs. Nellie Cobble last Friday evening with a good attendance. The club devoted the first part of the evening to a business session followed by a social time with lovely refreshments.

THE P. E. O.

The P. E. O. met last Friday with Mrs. J. H. Jackson, with Mrs. W. C. Martin in charge of the program which was on, "Religion, Morals and Philosophy of China." A good attendance of members were present.

MIERCOLES BRIDGE CLUB

The Miercoles Bridge club met with Mrs. Elza Swift Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. H. A. Watson won high score and Mrs. H. S. Williams low. Lovely refreshments were served to the members and guests, Mmes. Fred Cole, Rocky Kile, John Dunn and Virgil Wells.

TUESDAY EVENING CLUB

The Tuesday Evening Bridge club met with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Flint for 7:00 o'clock dinner which was served buffet style. The hostesses were, besides Mrs. Flint: Mmes. Albert Richards, C. R. Blocker, and Richard Attebery. Others present were Messrs. and Mmes. H. S. Williams, N. M. Baird, J. Harvey Wilson and Mrs. Albert T. Woods and Messrs. Dewey Darnell of Albuquerque, C. R. Blocker, Albert Richards, Richard Attebery and W. E. Flint.

ABNORMIS SAPIENS CLUB

The Abnormis Sapiens club met with Mrs. Florence Ferree Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Eva Myers won high score. Mmes. Madge Bird and Jackie Blocker were the guests of the club.

BANKER ARRESTED

NEW YORK—Chas. E. Mitchell resigned chairman of the National City bank, was arrested at his Fifth Avenue home Tuesday night on a federal warrant charging wilful attempt to defeat and evade the income tax law.

The warrant was signed by Federal Judge Alfred C. Cox and was served by United States Marshall Raymond J. Mulligan. It was based on an affidavit and complaint by Thomas E. Dewey, chief assistant United States attorney, and charged specifically that Mitchell attempted to evade a tax of \$657,152.40 on a net income of \$2,823,405.85 for the year 1929.

Mitchell was taken immediately to the federal building to post bond. Dewey's complaint states that Mitchell had a gross income for 1929 of \$3,006,705.76, including \$1,206,195.02 from salaries, \$140,105.47 from interest on bank deposits and bonds and \$1,388,237.97 profit from sales of stocks and bonds.

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THE DISTRICT HOME ECONOMICS MEETING

The home economics meeting for district 11 which was held in Artesia March 18th, proved to be most interesting. Artesia was host to about forty-five visiting student home economic club girls and their sponsors. The meetings were held at the Artesia high school from 9:30 to 3:00 o'clock.

During the morning session, Miss Marie White of Carlsbad, discussed the home project. She stated that the home project was an important step in the home economics program; that through this process the girl develops skills which she is unable to develop in the laboratory. Miss Peggy Harrison was unable to attend the meeting but sent a paper which she had prepared, which was read. This paper expressed methods by which the home economics program might be furthered through the various agencies in the community. A very interesting discussion of the Adult Unit was given by Mrs. Opal List, of Lovington. She mentioned some of the problems that would have to be worked out in the presentation of various units in adult classes. Mrs. Ruth Andrews is teaching a class in home economics for boys in Dexter this year. She gave a short summary of the work she is doing there. She finds the boys to be very much interested in the whole course and says they are especially neat in the laboratory. Some of the units that have been presented are: foods and nutrition, grooming, human relationships, social etiquette.

The guests assembled at the noon hour at the Methodist church where they were entertained with a lovely three course luncheon. Beautiful green and white sweet peas adorned the tables. Clever little St. Patrick favors were placed at each cover. Miss Mary Ann Miller played a violin solo accompanied by Ray Bartlett at the piano as an opening number.

The afternoon session was devoted to the student clubs of the district. Interesting reports of the activities of all he clubs were given by the secretaries. The latter part of the meeting was given over to the election of new officers for the district. Miss Glena McLean was selected as district chairman for next year. The Artesia home economics club presented "Dollars and Sense," a three act play as a closing feature of the meeting.

Injured Indian Prisoner Saves Captors in Storm

The Pas, Manitoba.—How an Indian prisoner with bones broken in an airplane crash crawled through a sub-arctic blizzard to bring help for his captors was told in this Canadian outpost as an aftermath to the death of William A. Spence, star northland flyer.

The Indian, Buster Whiteway, was being returned to civilization by an officer of the Canadian mounted police to face the white man's laws. The plane bore the captive, Corporal R. Graves, of the police, an Indian interpreter and Spence. It turned over in a forced landing on the treacherous ice of Moose lake.

The pilot was crushed to death and the others were seriously injured. The Indian prisoner, his ankle broken, crawled away from the wreckage.

Into the blizzard lay liberty, but the injured brave chose the other course. He dug his way through the snow as the mercury stood at 40 degrees below zero until he attracted Indian fishermen.

"Nothing in Bible About It," Refuse to Pay Tax

Lancaster, Pa.—Because "there is nothing in the Bible that says women should pay taxes," wives of Warwick township farmers refuse to pay per capita levies until forced by liens.

This was revealed by Jacob G. Conrad, township tax collector, and W. T. Wahls, state tax collector, after they filed liens against the properties of four women.

Thereupon the women paid the \$4.20 per capita tax, and an additional \$2.40 each for costs.

Conrad explained there is a strong faction of Mennonite farmers in the township, headed by Christian Landis, who fights continually against payment of taxes by women.

"They claim," said Conrad, "that the Constitution of the United States is based on the Bible, and that nowhere in the Bible can they find any record of any woman having to pay taxes.

"This group will not pay until forced to do so, as a matter of principle."

Yiddish Speaking Irish Woman Gets School Job

Boston, Mass.—For years the Boston school committee had been urged to appoint as attendant officer a woman who could speak Yiddish. Most Bostonians were a bit skeptical when the committee recently announced it was meeting this demand by naming Miss Irene Donovan to the job. It developed, however, that Miss Donovan speaks Yiddish fluently.

THE CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

REV. A. C. DOUGLAS, Pastor

9:45 a. m. church school for every age. George Frisch, superintendent.

11:00 a. m. morning worship. 6:15 p. m. Junior and Senior Epworth League.

7:00 p. m. evening worship with sermon by the pastor.

COTTONWOOD CHURCH

REV. JOHN KLASSEN, Pastor.

Sunday school every Sunday at 10:00 a. m., I. H. Burgess, Superintendent.

Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Everybody invited to attend, you will be welcome.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ARTESIA

REV. F. B. HOWDEN, JR., Rector

Services held every Sunday evening except the First Sunday in the month at 7:30 p. m.

The church school meets at 5:00 p. m.

Holy communion, second Monday of each month, and at other times as announced.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

613 W. Main Street

10:00 a. m. Sunday school. 11:00 a. m. Sunday service.

Subject of the Bible lesson for Sunday, March 26th is: "Reality." Among the Bible citations is the following from the 29th chapter of Jeremiah, 13th verse: "And ye shall seek me, and find me, when ye shall search for me with all your heart."

A correlative passage from the Christian Science text book: "Mind is the divine principle, love, and can produce nothing unlike the eternal Father-Mother, God. Reality is spiritual, harmonious, immutable, immortal, divine, eternal. Nothing unspiritual can be real, harmonious or eternal."

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

REV. A. S. DOWD, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday school. C. O. Brown, superintendent.

11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Holy communion, special music and sermon.

7:00 p. m. evening worship, special evening service. Welcome all your friends to all of these services.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

REV. F. C. ROWLAND, Pastor

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Fred Cole, superintendent.

Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Special crucial campaign service. B. T. S. 6:00 p. m. H. C. Morehead, director.

The Unions are taking on new life. Many are taking the work in the training classes this week and will want to start off the work net Sunday with a "bang." Evening worship 7:15 p. m. Be present. "Make straight paths for your feet." Come to church next Sunday.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

REV. W. B. McCORRY, Pastor.

10:00 a. m. Bible school. 11:00 a. m. morning worship.

Topic: "Tomorrow." 6:00 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Bible study.

PECOS VALLEY B. Y. T.

S. REVIVAL SUNDAY

Delegations of young people representing practically every Baptist church in the Pecos valley were present at the local Baptist church last Sunday afternoon at the Association rally held here. Speakers on the program were The Revs. Harold Dye of Hagerman, F. C. Rowland, Artesia; S. S. Bussell, State B. Y. P. U. secretary of Arizona; George Elam state B. Y. P. U. secretary of New Mexico. Plans were laid for the study courses being held this week in every Baptist church in the Association.

BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLES' STUDY COURSES NOW IN PROGRESS HERE

Monday night there were fifty-seven enrolled in the Junior, Intermediate, Senior and Adult classes of the training service of the local Baptist church with several prospective members to enroll later in the week. The study course is under the direction of H. C. Morehead, B. T. S. director; assisted by The Rev. S. S. Bussell of Phoenix, Arizona, Joe Gilenwater of Albuquerque; Mrs. F. C. Rowland and Miss Mounts teaching in the various departments. Classes will close next Friday night with an examination. The pastor, The Rev. Rowland is assisting in a training class at Carlsbad this week.

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SECRETS GIVEN UP BY LIBYAN DESERT

Expedition Finds Traces of Ancient Inhabitants.

London.—The progress of a British expedition of scientists to the hitherto unexplored area of the Libyan desert is described by Sir E. Denison Ross, director of the School of Oriental Studies at the London Institution.

"This is the day of desert journeys," says Sir Denison Ross, "but this expedition to the Libyan desert has attracted singularly little attention in relation to its importance. The expedition of eight men, which left Cairo on September 27 last, under the leadership of Maj. R. A. Bagnold, had for its object the solution of some of the secrets of the South Libyan desert.

Beyond Civilization. "They went by way of the Desert of Fayyum, the Abu Moharik dunes, Kharga, and reached Uweinat. By the time they were ready to start westward from Uweinat, they had completed about 2,000 miles of desert travel.

"They left Uweinat about the first week in October, and carried out a 14 days' tour west of Uweinat, carrying all supplies for 1,200 miles. For that fortnight they were completely off the map of civilization, in a hitherto unvisited and unexplored sand area. They reached the Sarra Well, and according to their plan, they went up the Wadi Fardi.

"Returning to Uweinat, they then did a nine days' tour of the Erd-Ennedi foothills including the Wadis Guroguro and Hawa, and had then traveled about 4,000 miles from Cairo. They then made south to Kuttum and ElFashar, arriving on November 4. From there they sent news that they were all well, that they had found traces of ancient human occupation over the whole area and that the strange Guraan tribes had not been encountered anywhere.

Trip of 7,000 Miles. "They left ElFashar on November 7 and are returning to Cairo by way of Wadi Hawa, Bir Naturun, West Shekaya, Merga Oasis, Lagia, Selima, Halfa, Abu Tingel and Baharia.

"This will be another 8,000 miles added to the 4,000 miles of desert already traveled. On their journey to Uweinat the second time they climbed the Uweinat, which is a mountain mass of an extent of about 2,000 square miles, with an average altitude of 4,500 feet.

"This must have been very exhausting in the terrific heat. They have explored the plateau at the top, but no details have been received of their results here."

Members of League Are in Arrears for Dues

New York.—Like many another club this year, the League of Nations has a list of those who have not found it convenient, or possible, to pay their dues.

In 1919, the new "League Year Book for 1932" shows, collections from states members were 100 per cent, the next year one-half of 1 per cent of funds were not collectible, and in 1921 1 per cent was in arrears.

For three years the percentage remained the same, when it again began falling. In 1930 6 per cent of sums due were not paid, the highest percentage in arrears since the foundation of the League.

Arrears due from states, excepting China, over the period 1920 to 1930 were 3,618,170 gold francs. They included 14 states, Argentina the most important, and Nicaragua, by League membership standards, the least. Argentine's membership comprises 29 units, and Nicaragua's one-half of a unit.

China, on the last day of 1931 owed the League 9,227,795 gold francs. Arrears from 24 states who had not paid their contributions for 1931 by December 31 of that year amounted to 4,575,481 gold francs. The total budget of the League has increased from 25,338,935 francs in 1930 to 33,687,994, the estimate for 1932.

Bevo, Steer Grid Mascot, Is Sent Back to Ranch

Austin, Texas.—Bevo II, brawny Longhorn steer, cut such a swath at Texas university that the flesh and blood mascot has been expelled from the school and sent back to the Diamond T ranch, on the Mexican border, whence he came.

Bevo joined in celebrations and mass meetings with gusto—so much so, in fact, that he seriously endangered the lives of spectators at one football game.

So Bevo was ruled out by a vote of 5 to 1 by the athletic council, and now he can romp in the 12,000 acres of his homeland, unhampered by the cramped stadium walls.

Professor Says Movies Substitute for Liquor

Des Moines, Iowa.—Motion pictures, says Prof. W. H. Bohlander of Drake university, "are the modern substitute for getting drunk." Both offer temporary escape from life's ordinary pace and both throw the indulger into an unreal situation, he says.

NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

Following is a list of the new books received at the Library during the month of March:

Betty Wales, Freshman....Ward The Pink House.....Hauk Beauty.....Faith Baldwin Flowering Wilderness...Galsworthy Strange Death of a Doctor....London

Mystery of a Frightened Day...Wallace His Own Roof Tree....Peter Ash The Last Adam.....Cozzens Where the Trail Divides.....Lillibridge

The Wolf of the Pecos....Billings The Best Man.....McGrath Book of Woodcraft...Ernest Seton Juvenile

Tiny Tales for Little Folks That Provoking Puppy Nature Stories

Mrs. John Hogan presented the library with 25 volumes of excellent books this week and we wish others could be persuaded to do likewise. Donations of good books are always very much appreciated.

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

NOTICE

Arrangements have been made by the publicity committee of the American Home Economics Association with Dr. Florence Hale, first vice-president of the National Education Association to broadcast over the N. B. C. network in the interest of home economics education. The broadcast will be on Sunday, March 26th at 6:30 p. m., Eastern Standard Time. The topics and speakers will be as follows:

General Topic—The Practical Value of Home Economics in the School Curriculum.

6:30 p. m.—As Applied to Youth Miss Bess Goodykoontz, Assistant U. S. commissioner of education, Washington, D. C.

6:36—As Applied to Adults—Dr. Lewis A. Wilson, Assistant Commissioner of Education, Albany, N. Y.

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FOR SALE—250 egg incubator in good condition, also one buckeye brooder as good as new. Inquire at Joyce-Fruit Co., office, 11-2tc

MISCELLANEOUS

HIGHEST CASH PRICES — For several carloads horses and mules to supply farmer demand. Fred Chandler, Chariton, Iowa. 12-6tp

HOT TAMALES—15¢ per dozen. Special prices on special orders. We also make tortillas for enchiladas. See me at Artesia Auto Co., filling station, 4:00 to 8:30 p. m. Jim McNeice. 7-tfe

MARKETS

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY—Close: cattle, 3,500; calves 425; light weight steers and yearlings steady to strong; fairly broad demand for lower grades; heavy steers steady to weak; 2 loads well finished 1,114 lb steers 5.75; 1,185 lbs 5.90; 2 loads choice 1,460 lbs 5.25; rough 1,492 lbs 3.75; light mixed yearlings and fed heifers generally steady; some in between grades easier; light mixed yearlings up to 5.00; others 4.00-5.25; bulk cows steady to strong, 2.40-3.00; all cutters 1.50-2.25; bulls steady; heavy weights around 2.50; vealers steady mostly 5.00-down; few to 6.00; stockers steady.

Hogs 3,500; fairly active, mostly 5-10¢ lower; top 3.70 on 180-220 lb; bulk desirable 170-315 lb 3.55-3.70; 140-160 lb 3.40-3.60; sows 2.90-3.15; few 3.25; stock pigs scarce.

Sheep 12,000; lambs uneven mostly steady; top fed lambs to packers and shippers 5.65; bulk sales 5.30-5.50; medium to good clipper 4.60-5.00; odd lots native spring lambs 7.00; sheep steady.

Galveston Cotton

GALVESTON, Texas—Spot Cotton steady, 10 up; middling 6.15; sales 267.

Science Finds Use for "Pests" Long Problems

"If you keep a thing long enough, you'll find a use for it," careful housewives used to say.

Well, the locust has been "kept," however unwillingly, in tropical countries for a very large number of centuries, and a use has been found for him at last. It has been discovered that an oil can be obtained from his remains which is useful for making soap.

This is not the first time that possibilities of usefulness have been found in "pests." Australia's famous prickly pear, for example, which has swallowed up large areas of valuable land, can be made to yield power alcohol.

But it does not necessarily follow that you have solved the problem of dealing with a pest when you have discovered a use for it. The same product may be obtained more cheaply in some other way, or the market may not be capable of absorbing sufficient supplies.—London Answers.

Evolution of Mankind

Nature was a long time before she made up her mind exactly what the lord of the earth was going to be. Many races of primitive men have come into being, covered large parts of the earth and then died out because they were failures. We are not even descended from the thick-skulled, crouching Java man or the heavy-jawed hairy man of Neanderthal, though like us they can trace their descent back to the same common ancestor. They were useless branches of the great tree that withered and died. Nature evolved modern man by discarding her failures ruthlessly and concentrating on the stock that showed the greatest power of developing and using its brains.—London Tit-Bits.

Old Cloth Decoration

With the introduction of transfer printed or penciled china from the works of Battersea, Worcester and Liverpool, copper plates were used in decorating cotton cloth and advertisements came out with "printed and penciled furniture calico." Benjamin Franklin included some of the new cotton with the china he sent to his wife in 1758, saying, "There are also fifty yards of cotton, printed entirely from copper plates, a new invention to make bed and window curtains; and seven yards of chair cottons printed in the same way, very neat."

THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR



PRESIDENT HAS PLAN TO AID EMPLOYMENT

WASHINGTON.—Pres. Roosevelt is expected by his close advisors to send a message to congress within the next few days recommending an emergency unemployment relief fund of \$200,000,000 for direct grants to the states.

The President also probably will include in his immediate emergency program a \$40,000,000 appropriation out of unexpended funds in the treasury to begin his gigantic reforestation program.

These proposals, which the President regards of immediate urgency, will be submitted to congress in a special message probably as soon as the house passes farm relief legislation, expected by Wednesday.

A more permanent and far-reaching program for relief of the jobless will be submitted later, probably based upon legislation introduced today by Senator Wagner (D., N. Y.) for liberalizing construction loans through the reconstruction corporation.

The \$500,000,000 proposal for direct relief was submitted to the President by the committee which has been studying the proposal for him, composed of Miss Frances Perkins, secretary of labor; and Senators Wagner (D., N. Y.), Costigan (D., Cal.), and LaFollette (R., Wis.).

Leap-Year Prerogative Runs Through History

February, besides being the super-goat month when it comes to adjusting man's record of time, is also blamed at times for leap-year customs. Even the matter of women's prerogative to propose marriage during leap year has been laid at February's door. But the charge scarcely holds water. The true source of the custom seems to be lost in antiquity, but nearly seventy years ago an English almanac quoted a law said to have been enacted in Scotland in 1228—perhaps it was in February—which said: "Ordonit that during ye reign of her maist blessed maistie, Margaret, ilka maiden ladee, of baith high and lowe estate, shall hae libertie to speak ye man she likes. Gif he refuses to take hir to beeh his wyf, he shale be mulct in the sum of ane hundred pundes, or less."

But while 1228 was leap year, there was no "blessed maistie, Margaret" at the time, for Alexander II, whose wife was Joanna, daughter of English King John, ruled Scotland from 1214 to 1249.

However, France once had such a law, and so did Genoa and Florence in the fifteenth century. England, so far as known, never had such a statute.

Humble Beginnings of Sunday School System

The Sunday school, as first established, was, as its name indicates, a school for meeting on Sunday and went beyond the purely religious in its instruction. The first school so established is credited to a resident of Gloucester, England, one Robert Raikes, who regularly on Sunday collected all the children he could find on the streets and took them to his school, where teachers he hired at 25 cents a day taught them. The first school was established in 1780. Its curriculum included letters, reading and the church catechism.

Raikes' school was followed by another in London in 1784, established by Rowland Hill. These schools were day-long affairs. They usually met at 8 p. m. and continued in session until church services began. At the conclusion of the church service the school work was resumed and continued until 5:30 p. m.

When religious instruction was given to the young on Sundays in the New England colonies, the first regularly organized Sunday school in this country is generally attributed to Bishop Asbury and was believed to have been located in Hanover, Va.

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

Smilin' Charlie Says



"Yeah! They laughed when I was called on for a speech but after I had talked for two hours--well, you can imagine!"

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY NEW MEXICO

J. L. Maus, Plaintiff, vs. Christopher Shapland and Minnie A. Shapland, Lula Cantrell, Donnie A. Morris, and James A. Morris, her husband, The Estate of Alexander Webb, deceased, of which estate the said Lula Cantrell is the administratrix, The Union Sulphur Company, a foreign Corporation authorized to operate in New Mexico and Kemp Lumber Company, defendants. No 5368.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE

Whereas, it was ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Hon. James B. McGhee, judge of said Court, in the above entitled cause on the 23rd day of February, 1933, by order duly made and entered in said cause that the plaintiff have a decree foreclosing his mortgage sued on in the said action, covering the following lands and given to secure the promissory note set out in the complaint filed in said action, to-wit: the NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec. 2 and the NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 1, Twp. 16-S., Range 25-E., and the improvements thereon in Eddy County, New Meico, including the rents and profits on the said land for the year 1933, in satisfaction of a judgment rendered in said cause on the said 23rd day of February, 1933, in the sum of \$500.00 principal, from April 20th to the 23rd day of February, 1933 interest \$115.00, attorney fees \$61.50 and the cost of the suit \$13.50 and the further cost of carrying this suit into effect, including a special Master's fee, approximately \$25.00. And whereas, the said decree appointed me special master and ordered me to proceed with the said sale in satisfaction of the said indebtedness, and requiring me to make due report thereof to the said court.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that I will sell the said property or as much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy the judgment aforesaid under the terms of the said decree and the law in such cases for cash at the front door of the First National Bank of Artesia on the 24th day of April at Public out-cry, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m. on said day, to the highest and best bidder for cash.

Witness my hand on this 23rd day of March, 1933.
NOLA R. NAYLOR,
Special Master.

LINCOLN FOREST NOTES

The total number of accidents on the National Forests of the U. S. for 1932 reported is 2430. The cause producing the greatest number of these accidents was poisoning from poison oak and ivy. The Forest of the Southwestern Region reported 208 accidents of which 82 were in the Forests of Arizona and New Mexico.

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

FARM PROGRAMS TO BE HEARD OVER KOB

The following programs broadcast over KOB at Albuquerque each evening at 7:00 p. m. may be of interest to many of our readers on the farms. These programs run to April 1st:

- March 23—"Child Training and Care," Mrs. Grace Long Elser, State College News Flashes. "The State Department," Jas. G. McDonald.
- March 24—"The Lamb Crop and Profits," A. L. Walker. "Your Farm Grown Feeds," F. E. Oakes. Pressing Issues.
- March 25—"Experiences of Producers of Irish Potatoes," P. W. Cockerill, Asst. Economist. "Instruction in Dairy Husbandry at State College," O. C. Cunningham.
- Medical Talk, "The Health Value of Spring," Lloyd Arnold, M. D., University of Illinois.
- March 27—"Growing Certified Seed," G. R. Quesenberry. Talk to High School Students, Dr. H. L. Kent.
- Rural Life Series, "Springtime Down on the Farm," Dr. Aretas W. Nolen.
- March 28—"Produce and Market Quality Eggs," A. L. Walker, State College News Flashes. "Facism in Japan," Jas. G. McDonald.
- March 29—"The Problem of Erosion in New Mexico," B. P. Fleming, dean of engineering. "The New Garden Circular," Extension service. Citizens Forum.
- March 30—"A Lady's Fancy in Spring," Miss Dee Maier. State College News Flashes. "The Schools Belong to the People," Willard E. Givens, Superintendent of Oakland School.
- March 31—"Preventing Death Losses on the Sheep Ranch," A. L. Walker. "The Place of Your Farm Grown Feeds in a Ration," F. E. Oakes. Pressing Agricultural Issues.
- April 1—"The Forgotten Man—The Farmer Who Is Free From Debt," P. W. Cockerill. Junior Extension Clubs in New Mexico, Extension Service. Medical Talk, "Rabies," Lloyd Arnold, M. D.

COTTONWOOD ITEMS

- Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Malone motored to Roswell Tuesday.
- Grandma Johnson who has been ill is slightly improved.
- Mrs. D. A. Bradley who has been seriously ill is improving.
- Carl Crutchfield of Corona was visiting on the Cottonwood Sunday.
- E. P. Malone returned last week from Kansas City, Missouri, where he shipped a car of fat lambs.
- Forty-four attended Sunday school at the Cottonwood church Sunday despite the bad weather.
- Carl Middleton underwent an operation at the Carlsbad hospital Sunday and is reported to be convalescing.
- Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Brown and family of Carlsbad were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Brown Sunday.
- Mrs. Iverson Burgess who has been a patient at the Carlsbad hospital for sometime was able to return home Sunday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Creed Chandler and family of Weed, Mr. and Mrs. O. Fine and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of Artesia were guests at the Ed Chandler home Sunday.
- The Cottonwood ladies aid society met at the home of Mrs. H. V. Parker last Thursday with a good attendance. After the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. D. A. Bradley Thursday April 2nd.

TYPEWRITERS

New, second hand and factory rebulits in portables and standards—See us before you buy. Artesia Advocate.

Whistlin' in the Dark

REPRESENTS FRANCE



M. Andre de Laboulaye who is the successor to M. Paul Claudel as French ambassador to the United States. M. Claudel is being transferred to another post.

LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

- Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter
- Miss Bessie Looney of Artesia was visiting Miss Vernelle Thomason Sunday.
- The Rev. Burnett of Loving, filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday.
- Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cookson of Roswell were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ridgway, Friday.
- Roy O'Bannon is spending this week in Sherman, Texas visiting a cousin, Miss Grace O'Bannon.
- Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd O'Bannon and family are moving this week to Malaga, where they will spend this summer.
- Mrs. J. B. Crook and Mrs. Homer Williams motored to Lake McMillan Sunday to visit Milligan Crook, who is working there.
- Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Jackson made a business trip to Abilene, Texas, the first part of last week they returned home Friday.
- Mrs. I. R. Funk and Mrs. W. R. Anderson of Carlsbad were visiting Mrs. Funk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bradley, Sunday.
- The Rev. Elam of Albuquerque state B. Y. P. U. worker, gave an interesting talk on "Faith" at the Baptist church Sunday morning.
- Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spence are moving back to the Michigan hotel from the Cottonwood. Mr. Spence has served as bookkeeper at the Cottonwood gin since last fall.
- Fank Frazier and The Rev. Sterling, pastor of the Hope Baptist church are conducting the B. Y. P. U. study course at the

Baptist church every night this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sims Dick Spence, John Haven and A. M. Haven were among those who attended the Masonic grand lodge at Roswell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shinneman went to Carlsbad with The Rev. C. C. Hill of Roswell, Sunday. They are spending this week with their daughter, Mrs. George Benz and family.

Mrs. M. D. Menoud and Mrs. A. M. Hedges of Hagerman and Mrs. E. C. Latta and Mrs. W. Walden met at Mrs. Ned Hedges Friday and tacked a comfort for Mrs. Walden.

Miss Pauline Russell was hostess to the Epworth League members at a St. Patrick's day party, Friday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Fern Russell. The St. Patrick motif and colors were carried out throughout the evening and St. Patrick's games were played. At a late hour the guests were served with light refreshments.

The high school had charge of the assembly program Tuesday, which proved very interesting and educational and was well attended by the patrons. Rupert Pate and Alton Eaker versus Arvel Edington and Elmo Cantrell, members of the Lake Arthur debating club, gave a very interesting debate on the subject "Resolved that the Negroes should be imported

to Liberia." Luke Alexander gave an excellent talk on "The Panama Canal." A reading was given by Ella Ohlenbusch and the program was closed with a special song by the entire high school, lead by Vernelle Thomason and Nadene Taylor.

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Remington's new low-priced Remie Scout is sturdily built, with unusually legible and long-wearing type. A thoroughly practical typewriter—yet it costs only \$19.75.

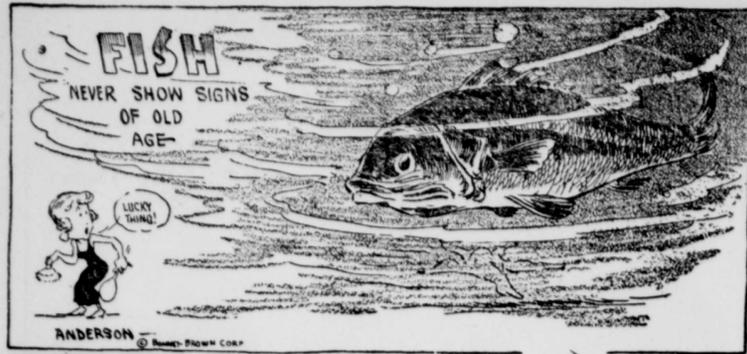
Dad, Mother, and the youngsters, all will find a portable typewriter the handiest sort of help with daily correspondence and other writing. Just ask them. Then, come in and try a Remie Scout for yourself.

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Odd—but TRUE



GOVERNOR SIGNS LAST BATCH OF BILL

SANTA FE—Governor Arthur Seligman Friday night wrote "Fins" across the page of the 1933 legislature by signing the appropriations bill as the last of scores of enactment by that body.

The records Friday night showed 35 bills died in the governor's office by pocket veto. Included in these measures were the mortgage moratorium, appointment of county health officers by county commissioners and fixing of salaries of county officers, mileage and feeding of prisoners.

Also included in the bills that died were SB1117, relating to the plugging of Artesia wells in Chaves and Eddy counties and HB284 authorizing J. C. Gilbert of Roswell to sue the state in connection with tax work.

At a conference with Rupert F. Asplund, director of the New Mexico Taxpayers association, the governor pointed out that the bill called for nearly \$500,000 less than the previous biennium.

According to Asplund's figures, drawn from the bill after the governor slashed several items out of it the total was \$3,935,480. Special appropriations brought the total to a yearly average of \$2,052,440, against which credits from special funds and other revenues of \$579,483 can be charged, Asplund said, making the net property tax for each fiscal year of the next biennium average \$1,473,007.

Against an expected valuation of \$300,000,000 with a 90 per cent collection, Asplund said the tax levy probably would remain the same as the last biennium. Asplund pointed out that if new revenues brought in a fair sum, the levy might be cut a half a mill but this was entirely problematic.

Taken as a whole and including all self sustaining departments, state expenditures show a cut of \$613,000 under the preceding two years, Asplund said, figuring on the basis of a cost for this biennium of \$4,500,000.

The governor signed more than a score more measures. Among them were the balance of the liquor bills, the state purchasing bureau creating bill, the mine safety act and the black gasoline law. Bills signed included:

SB115—To prevent monopolies, unfair combinations, motion pictures.

HB127—Empowering cities, towns and villages to levy license tax.

HB295—Relating to irrigation district receivers.

SB178—Amending workmen's compensation act.

SB136—Permitting railroads to engage in air, water and highway transportation.

HB231—(Substitute) Providing for constitutional convention on 18th amendment.

HB132—(Substitute) Mine safety act.

HB140—(Substitute) Relative to motor transportation.

HB144—Creating state purchasing board.

HB148—(Substitute) Requiring reflectors on rear of vehicles.

HB150—Semi-monthly pay for state employees.

HB178—Lane liquor bill.

HB190—(Substitute) To license premium stamp business.

HB224—Appropriation for control of cattle tuberculosis.

HB230—Providing tax exempt black gasoline.

HB244—Appropriation for the Eastern State Normal.

HB352—To ratify Pecos river compact.

SB62—Relative to lodge emblems.

SB82—Providing monthly instead of quarterly salary payment.

SB141—Exempting farm produce from occupation taxes.

SB144—Requiring county treasurer to collect taxes.

SB179—To bar relative of district attorney from acting as counsel for defense.

HELLO! WHITE HOUSE



Miss Louise Hachmeister of New York has the distinction of being the first woman to hold the post of telephone operator at the White House. Miss Hachmeister won the esteem of President Roosevelt during the busy days of his recent campaign, serving as telephone operator at Democratic headquarters in New York.

PLACINGS DECIDED IN COTTON CONTEST

The results of the 1932 Cotton Contest, conducted by the New Mexico Crop Improvement Association, in cooperation with the Extension Service, have just been tabulated says G. R. Queensberry of the New Mexico State College. The yields of farms leading in this contest were exceptionally close.

C. P. Pardue of Loving, New Mexico, won first place and a prize of \$50 was given by the New Mexico Crop Improvement Association on his 17.86 acres by producing an average of 1063 lbs of lint per acre. F. E. Bowman of Berino, New Mexico, won second place on 16.9 acres, making an average of 1029 lbs per acre. J. M. Sloan, F. J. Rigney and Ernest Licks followed in the order given.

All of these farmers used certified Acala seed. Mr. Pardue's seed was a selection of his own breeding, commonly known as Pardue Acala.

A number of other contestants had excellent fields of certified Acala which made far above the average yield for the state and counties. This contest required a minimum of 10 acres which must have been planted in certified seed, no restrictions being made as to the origin of the seed or to the cultural methods.

The yields in this contest and the prices received by farmers indicate very clearly that certified and registered seed is good insurance and makes more dollars per acre than gin run seed.

TORCH MURDERERS ARE DENIED BAIL MONDAY

TUCUMCARI—Judge Harry L. Patton Monday denied bail for Leonard Beck and Roy Reed held in connection with the death of Lee Marshall, Logan homesteader who was burned to death at his home early in January.

The two men were arraigned before Judge Patton and applied for bail. Defense attorney, Joe B. Moore of Amarillo, said he would apply for a habeas corpus this week in an effort to get the men out of jail.

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Advertisement for Joyce-Pruit Company featuring a picture of a man and text: PLANTING TIME In the garden and on the farm. New low prices on the farm and garden planting necessities. Grow a garden and beat the depression. JOYCE-PRUIT COMPANY Hardware Department

FLINTS HAVE NEW BABY

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Flint, are the proud parents of an adopted baby, presented them at the regular luncheon of the Artesia Rotary club, Tuesday noon. The baby was brought up to the roof garden by Mmes. Woods and Finley, acting as nurses and was drawn, by Mr. Flint, who was exceedingly happy over his good fortune. The drawing for the little one was conducted under the direction of J. Harvey Wilson, program chairman for the day. The only unfortunate incident to mark the joyful scene was an argument over whether or not the little one was a Duroc Jersey or Poland China pig.

Wm. Todd of Alamogordo former resident of Artesia was the only visitor present in addition to Mmes. Woods and Finley. Wedding announcements, printed or engraved—The Advocate.

EYE CLINIC Will Close April 1st EDWARD STONE

WHERE WERE THE CHAIN STORES DURING THIS TEMPORARY TIE UP OF FUNDS

Did they help their friends by receiving their checks for merchandise, or extend them credit? Did they show that friendly interest in the welfare of the community and the consuming public, they rave so much about in their advertising? Our store accepted checks on individuals that were absolutely turned down by the Chain Store... checks that were as good as a Government Bond. It fell to the independent Merchant to take care of the Chain Store customers in a crisis. Just a cold blooded money getting proposition with them... if they can't get the money to send out of the state... you can't get the merchandise.

HAVE YOU TRIED OUR PLAINVIEW FLOUR Sold with an absolute money back guarantee. You be the judge. 48 lbs Everlite \$1.15 48 lbs Golden Harvest .95 THE STAR GROCERY The Home Owned Store We Deliver Free Phone 48

Fly Your Kite KITE-FLYING TIME is here again... and a fine healthy sport it is for boys and girls. But—it may be a dangerous one unless the kite is flown out in the open spaces away from all overhead wires. Wire should never have any place in kite-flying... neither as string nor a part of the kite, because of the danger of coming in contact with electric wires. Even though no bodily harm should result, serious damage to our lines may be caused, thereby inconveniencing users of electricity. Never climb poles to rescue disabled kites... you may fall or come in contact with electric wires. It is not our intention to discourage kite-flying... but we hope, with this friendly warning, to prevent accidents.

Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company We will appreciate the co-operation of parents and teachers in warning boys and girls to avoid the dangers of kite-flying... to fly their kites in the open.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO

LUCILE WINSLOW, Plaintiff. Vs. JOHN B. WINSLOW, Defendant. No. 5452.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO JOHN B. WINSLOW: You are hereby notified that a Civil Action has been brought and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein Lucile Winslow is the plaintiff and you, John B. Winslow are the defendant, numbered 5452 on the Civil Docket of said Court, the general nature and objects of which are to obtain a dissolution of the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between you and the plaintiff and to obtain an absolute decree of divorce against you and in favor of the plaintiff.

You are further notified that unless you appear and answer the complaint filed herein, or otherwise enter your appearance herein on or before the 22nd day of April, 1933, judgment against you will be taken by default for the relief prayed for in plaintiff's complaint, and that James W. Stagner, whose Post Office address is Carlsbad, New Mexico is the attorney for the plaintiff.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal as Clerk of said Court this 1st day of March, 1933.

MRS. RUTH NYE, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico. By M. E. WALLER, Deputy.

"I want a nice present for my husband. What do you advise?" "May I ask how long you have been married, madam?" "Oh about fifteen years." "Bargain counter in the basement, ma'am."

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

SHOOTS WHITE SOX



Lewis A. Fossen, manager of the Chicago White Sox, is spending his spare time at the club's spring training quarters in Pasadena making motion pictures of the players in action with his little movie camera.

ZANGARA PAYS THE SUPREME PENALTY

Giuseppe Zangara, the man who killed Mayor Anton J. Cermak of Chicago, and wounded four others in an attempt to assassinate President Roosevelt at Miami February 15, was electrocuted at Raiford, Florida Monday.

The little Italian immigrant was taken into the death chamber at 9:11 a. m. Eastern Standard Time. The current was applied at 9:15 a. m.

The prisoner was guarded by squads of national guardsmen armed with machine guns and stationed on building tops as the switch was thrown sending the current through Zangara's body. Zangara was officially pronounced dead at 9:27 a. m., 12 minutes after the electricity was applied.

The assassin was taken to the death cell escorted by two guards. He was dressed in striped trousers and white shirt open at neck. He wore no shoes.

When Zangara saw the chair he stopped suddenly and glanced around at the approximately 30 persons who stood in the death chamber.

Turning to his guards Zangara said: "Don't hold me, I'm no afraid of chair."

The guards then released the assassin and Zangara walked unaided to the chair.

He looked over the death machine quickly and then strode over to Superintendent L. F. Chapman and handed him a sheaf of papers on which he had written: "Here is that book I have been writing."

Zangara referred to the book on his life which he said he had started after his arrest in Miami.

After handing Chapman the papers, Zangara walked over and looked at the chair again.

"I'm no afraid of chair," he said. "I'm no afraid of chair, see?"

With that he sat down in the death chair and eyed the witnesses curiously as attendants adjusted the straps on his hands and legs.

"No camera man here?" Zangara inquired from the chair, "no one here to take a picture?"

Superintendent Chapman replied "no" just before attendant placed the metal cap on Zangara's head.

"Lousy capitalists," he shouted defiantly.

"No pictures, capitalists," he repeated. "All capitalists' lousy bunch—crooks."

Then he said "Good bye, adios to all the world. Goodbye."

With his head completely covered and his feet not quite touching the floor Zangara leaned back in the chair and relaxed to await the shocks.

CAN YOU GUESS? To what man in town do all the other men take off their hats? The barber. What is the best material for kites? Flypaper. Under what circumstances is it all right to lie? When in bed. What is the hardest key to turn? Donkey. Why do sailors wear white hats? To cover their heads. When does a man weigh most? When he is the heaviest. Where was King Alfred the Great crowned? On his head. Tome went out, his dog went with him, but he went not before, nor behind, nor one one side of him. Where did he go? On the other side of him.

Knows Songs but Hasn't Time to Sing

THIS comely young lady gives the "special permission of the copyright owner" you used to hear so much about. Around the office of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, Miss Heidinger



MISS ALICE HEIDINGER

known as the "special permission girl." Because constant repetition kills songs quickly, the composers endeavor to prolong the popularity of some of the tunes by having them played less frequently. Miss Heidinger receives about 100 requests a day by letter, telephone and telegraph for permission to play these restricted songs. This makes an impressive average of 45,000 a year. She must know the names of thousands of songs, who wrote them and who published them. That's quite a job because more than 5,000,000 different songs are included in the repertoire covered by the Society's licenses and new ones are added every week.

"Shall we ever achieve the Utopias of which we dream?" is often asked. It is well to have faith that we shall, as a spur to endeavor. As Browning wrote: "All that we have willed or hoped or dreamed of good shall exist... when eternity confirms the conception of an hour."

Horse's Pulling Power

In determining the average pulling power of a horse, much depends on the kind of surface over which an object is pulled, its tractive qualities and the resistance of the object to be moved. In actual pulling contests horses have generated more than ten horse power.

Ignorant Peer

There is a story of an English nobleman so ignorant that being told a Sir Matthew Dexter wrote St. Matthew's gospel he not only believed it but left in his will a large sum of money to Sir Matthew to be by him distributed among the poor.

Performance

"A capable workman," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "will not boast of the ease with which a task can be performed. Each task may present new difficulties which should be studied in silent sincerity."—Washington Star.

Most for Your Money In a Good Laxative

Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGHT has been highly regarded for a long, long time, but it is better appreciated now than ever before. People are buying everything more carefully today. In buying Black-Draught, they get the most for their money. In a good, effective laxative, dependable for the relief of ordinary constipation troubles. 25 or more doses of Thedford's Black-Draught in a 25-cent package. For Children, get pleasant-tasting SYRUP of Thedford's Black-Draught.

**MOTORISTS HARD
HIT BY NEW TAXES**

Contribute Heavily to Cost of Government.

Washington.—A heavy share of federal, state, and municipal government costs is being borne by automobile owners throughout the United States as the result of new taxes enacted during the past two years.

Revenue of more than \$250,000,000 was expected to accrue to the United States government through the excise tax passed by congress at its last session and which levies on gasoline, oil, tires, and all accessories.

States and municipalities also have tapped new fountains of income by levying upon motor vehicle owners. In the 12 years from 1919 to 1931 state license and gasoline taxes alone have risen from \$8.68 to \$34.10 per capita, an increase of 292 per cent.

The tax bill which Mr. Car Owner in the United States paid during 1932 is estimated at the stupendous total of \$1,500,000,000, this figure including the new federal tax and the state and local increases. In license fees, gasoline taxes, municipal and personal property taxes on motor vehicles during 1931 the motorist paid a national total of \$1,025,000,000.

One-tenth of the entire United States tax bill was the amount paid by motor car owners during 1931 through license fees, gasoline taxes, and personal property taxes on vehicles. The percentage is expected to be higher when the figures for 1932 are available.

From figures obtained from all parts of the country it appears that raising the tax on gasoline has been a favorite means of providing new revenue for states. In some states this levy has been pyramided to the point where the gasoline tax amounts to 11 cents a gallon.

While the old-time toll houses that once lined the nation's principal highways as a means of collecting enough money to pay for the roads and keep them in repair have passed into history, the modern gasoline filling station, according to leaders of the automotive industry, has just about taken the place of the toll house.

Gasoline filling stations today are toll collecting agencies for federal, state, and, in many cases, for county and city governments. On a basic tax of 5 cents a gallon, a light passenger car consuming one gallon of gasoline each 20 miles pays a road toll tax of \$50 for every 20,000 miles.

**Famed Thieves' Market
of Moscow Is Abolished**

Moscow.—With the closing of Sukharevsky market the Soviet capital lost an institution of ill fame which was part of Moscow life for generations.

A sort of "thieves' market" before and after the revolution, it became in the last few years the last stamping ground of private traders, legitimate and otherwise. In ordering its abolition the Soviet felt it necessary to explain that the construction of new modern markets made this one unnecessary.

The local press supplemented the official apologies by attacking Sukharevsky market as a hotbed of theft and speculation and disease.

The fame of Sukharevsky went far beyond Moscow. It was known throughout the country. The market presented a scene far more Asiatic than European. Besides rows of booths where government goods were being sold there were others presided over by peasants trying to dispose of farm products under the Kremlin's new permission to trade on a free market basis.

Buyers and sellers milled in a noisy confusion. Men, women, and children stood or promenade all day long to dispose of a bottle of oil, a pair of pants, goshaws, or some other article.

With the increasing shortage of food and clothes in the last year these became the principal items of trade on Sukharevsky. It was chiefly at this market that thieves employed of government shops sold their loot through intermediaries.

Town to Get Free Gas

Bow Island, Alta.—The town of Bow Island will receive free fuel gas for the next five years by virtue of its location in the heart of a gas producing area. The company developing property in the vicinity of the town agreed to supply the town's gas in exchange for a non-producing well owned by the municipality.

**Long Drive Ends in
Accident Near Home**

Washington.—After driving all the way to North Carolina and return in search of her sister whom she had not seen for the last nineteen years, Mrs. Inez Turner, Bethesda, received a cut on the right ankle within a mile of her home.

According to police at Bethesda she was attempting to pass a truck when it swerved to the left. Trying to avoid a collision she turned short, causing her automobile to overturn.



Crackers in their whole state are as familiar to you as your own pots and pans—and quite as necessary to keeping house! But crackers crumbled or "cracked up" are something else again, and have brought a new art into the kitchen, along with about 1,500 recipes for foods that turn out right every single time!

You probably met your first cracker when the beginnings of your set of teeth brought you a piece of zwieback to gnaw on; you got to know graham crackers next, along about the toddling stage, and finally included in your repertoire all the kinds—plain and fancy and sweet ones. For crackers alone or with milk, are a meal in themselves and as "accessors to the fact" with soup or cheese or salad, have been making our tables festive since way back when.

But now crackers go in as well as on or with, and are used as foundations, ingredients and "extenders" besides. It all started when some clever crook banished the pie crust bugbear by making it out of crackers. That inspired the cooks who evolve our recipes and they found out that not only can you make pie crust with crackers, but that you can make delicious stuffings, muffins, cakes; that you can, in fact, use them to advantage in every course from a canape made on a snowy flake cracker to a dessert made with old fashioned ginger snaps.

Easy, Exact and Economical
Brides and new cooks were in haste to take up the new art because they discovered how easy it is to prepare even the hard-to-make dishes perfectly and accurately. "The old hands" took it up when they realized its economy. Now, evidently believing in the axiom "such popularity must be deserved," all the cooks are doing it—and liking it! You will want to start your course with these recipes; they're taste-tested.

Chicken Imperial
1 cup chicken
2/3 cup cracker crumbs.
1 cup hot milk
3/4 cup chicken stock
2 tsp. pimiento
1 tsp. onion
1 tsp. parsley
1 cup mushrooms
Salt and pepper.

Dice chicken. Add crumbled flaked crackers, milk, stock, canned pimiento, onion, parsley. Cook over low flame 3 minutes; add cooked mushrooms and cook five minutes. Serve on heated crackers. 6 servings.

**STATE TO START POKING
NOSES IN GAS TANKS**

If one of these days you see a stranger looking at the gasoline in the tank of your automobile, do not become alarmed. He is only determining the color of the fuel.

Following passage of the "black gasoline" bill by the last state legislature which will exempt the farmers from paying the five cent state tax on fuel used in tractors and other farm machinery, the set-up is now being completed to look after those who may attempt to evade the law.

This law provides that application may be made for black gasoline from dealers by farmers who are going to use the fuel in their tractors and other machines, except automobiles. The gasoline sold under these applications will

Deep-Dish Apple Pie

3/4 cup sugar
3 cups apples
1 cup crumbled butter crackers.
1/3 cup butter
1 pkg. cream cheese
1/2 cup cream
1/4 teasp. salt
1/4 teasp. nutmeg.

Reserve 1 tbsp. sugar for crust and mix remainder with apples (peeled and sliced) and nutmeg. Put into shallow buttered dish. Mix crackers (about 20, rolled fine) with softened butter and 1 tsp. sugar and spread mixture in an even layer over apples. Cover and bake in hot oven (425°F.) until apples are tender, about 30 minutes. Uncover, brown lightly; garnish with cheese blended with cream.

Eggs Louisiana

(Budgets Like This One)
1 cup canned tomato soup
1/2 cup cold water
1/2 cup grated cheese
9 soda crackers
1/2 cup cooked vegetables
1 tsp. onion.
6 eggs
Salt and pepper.

Combine soup, water, crackers (crumbled), vegetables (left-over ones if desired) and minced onion. Pour into oiled baking dish. Break eggs carefully on top; season. Cover with grated cheese, bake in hot oven (425°F.) until eggs are set about 15 minutes. Serves six.

Apricot Ice Box Cake

(Good to Look at, Too)
3 eggs
1 1/2 cups apricot pulp
1/2 cup brown sugar
4 tsp. butter
1/2 cup whipped cream
1 box vanilla wafers.

Beat eggs, and fruit pulp (canned or stewed) and stir over hot water until thick. Add creamed butter and sugar; cool. Fold in whipped cream. Line a loaf pan with waxed paper, and a layer of vanilla wafers. Pour in mixture and top with wafers. Chill and serve with whipped cream.

Cocoanut Taffy Pudding

20 soda crackers
1/2 teasp. salt
2 1/2 cups milk
1 1/2 cups brown sugar.
1/4 cup melted butter
1/4 cup coconut
1 teasp. vanilla.

Crumble crackers and combine with salt and hot scalded milk; cool. Melt sugar and butter in pan. Combine with first mixture and add shredded cocoanut and vanilla. Bake in oiled baking dish, set in pan of water, in moderate oven (375°F.) 45-50 minutes. Six portions.

**Famous Dishes
Of Famous People**



COMMANDER GEORGE NORVILLE, famous aviator who was second in command of Admiral Byrd's airplane flight over the North Pole, was the first person to eat the new Roosevelt Salad when it was served for the first time in New York on inauguration day at the Lexington Hotel.

The creation of the chef of the United States Senate Restaurant in the Capitol at Washington, the new salad became instantly popular throughout the country. The recipe: 1 cup chopped celery, 1 cup shredded white and red cabbage, 1/2 cup green peppers, 1 cup diced carrots, 1 cup mayonnaise and 1 cup French peas mixed thoroughly and served on crisp lettuce.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wilson of the Lawrence ranch a daughter, March 12th.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hale of the Lawrence ranch on March 16th.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bradley on March 17th.

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LAKEWOOD ITEMS
Mrs. M. C. Lee, Reporter

Mrs. Alice Angell has been very ill with a bad cold for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart were Sunday dinner guests of Taylor Ross and family.

Alton Ross came down from Artesia Sunday and visited home folks a short time.

Ernest Millman came in from the ranch Sunday and spent the day with home folks.

Mrs. Ollie Marrs of Dayton is helping with the house work in the Forrest Lee home.

Jim House and wife of Dagger Draw visited with R. L. House and family Wednesday afternoon.

Carl Millman is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Mollie Millman at her ranch ten miles west of town.

Ed Dowell moved his family Sunday into the house recently vacated by Lloyd Adams and wife.

Little Edna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Lee has been ill for the past few days with stomach trouble.

Buster Norwood came in from the J. D. Millman ranch east of Lakewood and spent a few days with home folks last week.

Mrs. Fannie Johns is back with her mother, Mrs. Alice Angell after spending some time with her son, Jack Johns in Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Aaron spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Aaron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. House and family near Dayton.

Mrs. Dick Floyd of Loving is making an extended visit with Mr. Floyd's sister and family, Mrs. Elbert Hughes and Mr. Hughes and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scott came in from Albuquerque Saturday and will visit a while with Mrs. Scott's grandmother, Mrs. A. J. Foster and other relatives and friends.

TYPEWRITERS

New, second hand and factory rebuilds in portables and standards—See us before you buy. Artesia Advocate.

MRS. MARY J. WATTS DEAD

Mrs. Mary Jane Watts, age 88, pioneer resident of the Mayhill community died Thursday evening at her Mayhill home following a seige of pneumonia. Mrs. Watts mother of Ed Watts, prominent Hope sheepman has lived in Otero county for twenty-five years and enjoyed a wide acquaintance over

that section! It was understood that several relatives of Mrs. Watts residing in the El Paso vicinity flew over in an airplane to be at her bedside and to attend the funeral which was held at Weed Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.



Most recipes call for about two cups of flour. Two cups of Pillsbury's Best cost about a third of a cent more than two cups of cheap flour. But—if you use the cheap flour, at a "saving" of a third of a cent, you may get a baking failure which costs you as much as you would save on the whole bag. That's false economy.

If you pay only one third cent more for Pillsbury's Best, you get freedom from costly flour failures, and you get inexpensive, delicious foods which your family will eat in preference to other more expensive things. That's true economy.

**PILLSBURY'S
BEST FLOUR**
"Balanced" for perfect baking!

**EDWARDS' Dependable
COFFEE** Try a can Today!

Always dependable, carefully blended, rich, mel-low and smooth . . . every cup wins enthusiastic users. It comes direct from the roasters to you, fresh, fragrant, and at a lower price. Try a can today.

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California Juice		
Oranges	Doz.	10c
Libby Sliced		
Pineapple	2 1/2 Can	19c
Shelled		
Pecans	1 lb. Pkg.	35c
Chula Vista		
Celery	Jumbo Size	10c
Swift Jewel		
Shortening	4 lb. Carton	27c
Browns Graham		
Crackers	2 lb. Carton	25c
Choice Blue Rose		
Rice	4 lb. Pkg.	19c

Pillsburys Balanced		
Flour	10 lb. Sack	29c
Best Food		
Mayonaise	Pt. Jar	29c
California Crisp		
Lettuce	Large Heads	5c
Crystal White		
Soap	10 Bars	25c
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Eggs	Doz.	7c
Post Toasties	Large Pkg.	10c

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NEW MEX. TEACHERS GET AVERAGE SALARY OF \$1,142 A YEAR

SANTA FE—Three thousand eight hundred and sixteen persons, men and women, are engaged in teaching the youth of New Mexico from the kindergarten through the senior high school, at an average salary for the aggregate of \$1,142 a year.

These figures, which include superintendents and principals were made public yesterday by the state superintendent of public instruction and were prepared by George I. Sanchez, chief of the division of information and statistics.

The table shows there were 76 male and 21 female superintendents at an average wage of \$2,548. Two hundred and ten male principals and 177 female drew an average of \$1,372.

Special supervisors of which there are ten male and forty-four female, were paid an average annual salary of \$1,517.

NEW DETROIT BANK WILL OPEN SOON

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Out of the government's study of the Detroit banking situation plans emerged Tuesday for creation of the National Bank of Detroit to stand in the place of the First National Bank and the Guardian National Bank of Commerce there.

The new bank will have a capital of \$25,000,000 half of which will be subscribed by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and the remainder by the General Motors Corporation.

The General Motors Corporation will sell common stock in the new bank to stockholders and depositors of the two old banks at \$50 a share, the same price at which it was acquired by the corporation.

In working out the plans, which were approved by the treasury, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation adopted the principle of matching dollar for dollar with depositors and stockholders of the old banks.

Jesse H. Jones, a director of the corporation indicated in a statement which accompanied announcement of the plans, that this principle would be followed in dealing with similar re-organization of banks.

Hope was expressed that about 40 per cent of the net deposits would be made available immediately to the more than 800,000 depositors of the old banks, the new bank taking over the more liquid assets of the two old ones.

The remaining assets will be liquidated by the conservators to recover all possible for depositors and creditors.

Retain Savage Ways

The Iquitos, a tribe of South American Indians, are divided into many branches, some on the River Tigre, others on the Nanay. Missionary efforts have failed and they remain savages, worshipping figures carved in the shape of birds and beasts. They brew the Indian fermented liquor chicha better than any of the neighboring tribes, flavoring it with the shoots of some plant which has the effect of an opiate.

Old College Executive

In 1638 the regular course of academic studies at Harvard began, degrees being conferred four years after. Nathaniel Eaton, with the title of master or professor, was the first in charge. He was appointed in 1637, but two years later was dismissed from the institution and was followed by Rev. Henry Dunster, the first college executive in the United States to bear the title of president.

Mrs. Roosevelt Knits in Gallery



Mrs. Roosevelt, wife of the President, with Mrs. Henry Morgenthau knits in the gallery as she watches proceedings in the new congress.

Ferry Older Than U. S.

Believe it or not, the Hoboken ferry of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western is older than the United States. It first went into action in the service of the traveling public on May 1, 1775, more than a year before the Declaration of Independence was signed. At that time, New York boasted a population of about 22,000, all of whom—just as New Yorkers do now—probably considered everything west of the Hudson as being well beyond the outermost rim of civilization. The early day ferries were powered by sails, or horses working on treadmills, but these were displaced in 1811 when the first steam ferryboat in the world was operated on the Hoboken route.—Railroad Age.

Red Volcanic Dust

In 1883 the great volcano of Krakatoa, on the straits of Sunda, between Java and Sumatra, erupted with the most violent volcanic explosion known in historic times. A cubic mile or so of finely powdered volcanic dust floated in the atmosphere, spreading through the air, over all the earth. When the air is exceptionally dusty or filled with the smoke of forest fires, or other haze, even the noonday sun seems red. The cause is the same as that which makes the sunrise and sunset red. Communal prayers were said in churches and public squares. It was considered a certain prelude to the end of the world.

Raft of Oysters

A new Japanese method of oyster raising suspends the crustaceans from specially prepared ropes hanging from a floating raft. Formerly oyster growers believed that the most satisfactory means of growing them was in the bed of inlets. The Japanese way, extensive tests have shown, grows the oyster faster, larger and in far greater quantities. The raft can be moved around to take advantage of weather and tide conditions.

Leisure

Sonny's teacher required the class to turn in at least one arithmetic sheet of problems solved each day, and more according to ability. Sonny worked with unusual energy one week, and turned in two sheets every day. His mother was delighted and commended him highly. "Yeah," he responded in a rather bored tone, "but I'll have to just sit around all next week waiting for the class to catch up with me."

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

ENGRAVING—THE ADVOCATE

ALFALFA ASSOCIATION ELECTS OFFICERS IN MEETING SATURDAY

Organization of the board of directors at their regular meeting last Saturday resulted in the election of T. J. Terry as president, I. S. Reser, vice president and J. H. Holloman secretary, each succeeding himself. W. R. Hornbaker was selected as manager to succeed himself having been with the Association in this capacity for ten years.

The directors decided unanimously to erect cotton storage houses at the Espula and Atoka gins to take care of cotton coming in to these gins during the rush season, or of damp cotton not in proper condition to be ginned. Parties living at a considerable distance from these gins will thus be able to unload immediately upon arrival at the gins if they wish to do so and their cotton can be ginned out at night.

13,500 OF 18,000 BANKS ARE NOW OPEN

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Major developments in the country's first week of financial rehabilitation: Approximately 13,500 of the country's 18,000 banks reopened on a normal basis the first of the week.

Hoarders returned \$327,000,000 in gold to federal reserve banks which will be used by the latter to bolster their reserves.

Banks found it necessary to issue only a few millions of the proposed two billion dollar emergency currency issue because of the light demands on them from depositors.

Federal authorities went ahead with appointment of "conservators" for temporarily embarrassed banks or those in need of reorganization, instead of costly receiverships.

Directors and stockholders of liquid banks began to subscribe funds for reopening under their own initiative without aid from the government.

Ed Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Wilson of the Cottonwood underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils here Tuesday.

A son as born to The Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Howden, Jr., at Albuquerque last week. The Rev. Howden is rector of the local Episcopal church.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Garrett, Jr., and little daughter of Los Angeles, California and Dorcas Garrett of Anaheim, California arrived Friday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Garrett.

Mrs. C. L. Womack accompanied by Mrs. Emma Briscoe Huey returned from El Dorado, Arkansas Thursday, where Mrs. Womack had visited her sister and Mrs. Huey her brother, W. B. Briscoe.

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Old Phrase — "King's English," meaning the English language as it should be spoken, is a very old phrase. Who originated it is not known for certain. Shakespeare used it in the "Merry Wives of Windsor," but it is supposed that it was old already then. "Queen's English" is used in the same sense.

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N. M. INCOME TAX LAW MAY BECOME EFFECTIVE APRIL 15

Governor Seligman has signed the state income tax law, which is estimated to bring from \$30,000 \$40,000 in new income. The bill introduced as senate bill SB137, passed both houses without opposition. Said to be insignificant it provides a graduated tax of 1 to 4 per cent on incomes from \$1,000 up. Married exemption is \$1,500 and \$200 is allowed for each dependent.

The bill carries an emergency clause which puts the law into effect immediately. Returns are to be filed by April 15th, if the tax is to be levied on calendar years, or on the 15th day of the second month after the close of the fiscal year if it be the basis.

Members of the tax commission do not think the law will become operative until next year, but an opinion has been asked from the attorney general.

Centennial Exposition

The Centennial exposition in Philadelphia in 1876 was really the first in this country, although an exhibition of Industry of All Nations was held in New York in 1853, with several foreign governments participating.

The Big Noise

Movie theater organs contain hundreds of pipes, ranging from those the size of toothpicks to those large enough to hold a man. There may be as many as 200 stops, 240 keys and 32 pedals to them.

First Apostle Spoons

Apostle spoons, the ones bearing the figure of an apostle with his emblem, were first made in England during the latter part of the Fifteenth century.

Illogical to Bear Grudge

Forgiveness is required by reason," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown. "No one has ceased to enjoy honey because he has been stung by a bee."

Nature Makes Mistakes

Nature doesn't seem so grand when you observe the kind of parents she trusts children with.—Los Angeles Times.

Astronomical Discovery

The first double star, Mizar, discovered by Jean Baptiste Riccioli in 1650.

Led in Prayer Making

The first prayer in congress was made by Rev. J. Duche.

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Getting Oil From the Back Yards



Oklahoma has another oil boom, this time a series of backyard oil wells drilled on city lots on the edge of the residential section of Blackwell. Two of the oil "miners" are shown working their well, which is the smallest in the world. The wells come in at an average depth of only 23 feet from an oil sand 18 inches deep. They are being drilled with post augers and pumped by hand with common farm pitcher pumps, and each has a yield of five or six barrels a day.

MILK AND ITS USES

A good milk cow averages approximately seven thousand five hundred pounds of milk a year. Humanity is so dependent upon "bosy" from the cradle to the grave, that the government and the states have enforced rigid laws to prevent milk from unhealthy herds from being used. Recent surveys of the milk situation made in co-operation with the United States Bureau of Economics shows that the owners of milk cows are lucky if they get as much income as the hired man. Strangely enough the official statistics reveal that children use more milk in March than any other month.

Milk has its place on all diet lists and the medical profession has discovered that evaporated milk may be prescribed as a diet for treatment of ulcer patients with "very satisfactory results." The developments in the use of evaporated milk have been remarkable since that period in the beginning of the century when it was first discovered that unsweetened evaporated milk was an

ideal and uniform food for young infants. Science and hygiene has come a long way on the road of progress since the period when cool cellars, crocks and open pans, furnished the method of caring for fresh milk in the days before refrigeration was common. New and useful uses for milk furnish lengthy lists of food products.

Mrs. Fred Brainard is expected home Sunday from Port Arthur, Texas where she was called by the illness of a sister.

WE THANK YOU

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

- W. S. Patterson T. J. Stagner W. F. Daugherty B. D. Wilson P. E. Ramuz T. F. Thomason W. A. Scott Scott Meyer

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In The WEEK'S NEWS



FOUND BY WANT-AD. Rhymed want-ads in newspaper "agony" columns this week located America's first woman ad-writer, Mrs. M. M. H. Ayers, shown at left with her famous creation "Sunny Jim." After thirty years of retirement it was decided to revive Sunny Jim and his cheerful jingles, but his creator could not be found. Jingle ad was used as a last resort. Now she will once again write Sunny Jim jingles.



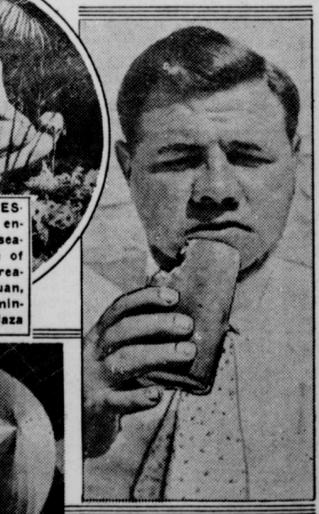
ASKS PUBLIC CONFIDENCE — President Franklin D. Roosevelt shown at his desk talking to the entire public from the White House during the recent bank crisis.



GETTING IN PRACTICE — As soon as President Roosevelt started his move for legalized beer, Fred Reiser, champion steeltoter, started intensive training. Here he is juggling twenty steins at once.



A FIG FOR DEPRESSION! — Miami Beach enjoyed one of its best seasons in years in spite of depression. One of the reasons is Dolores Del Juan, shown enjoying the flamingo pool of the Roney Plaza hotel.



HE BALKED at taking a cut in salary, but—what a cut Babe Ruth took out of this lettuce-mayonnaise sandwich "on rye!" And without hurting his diet either. It's just a part of his daily routine at his Florida training camp.

NEW AIR QUEEN — The huge U. S. S. Macon during its christening ceremonies in Akron. P. W. Litchfield, president of the Goodyear-Zeppelin Corporation, builders of the ship, introduced Mrs. W. A. Moffett, wife of Rear-Admiral Moffett, who named the new sky giant.

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