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Free Silver Put Into The Inflation Measure

Silver Written In The Administration's Program After Turbulent Scene In Senate—Ratio To Be Set By Chief.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—An aggressive American course to remove two obstacles which hitherto have blocked the path of disarmament and world economic accord is in the making in Washington.

President Roosevelt expects to send to congress soon a message on war debts. Indications were he probably would ask authority to grant a moratorium, until after the London economic conference opening June 12, of the debt installments due three days later.

At the same time it appeared definite that out of the conversations with Prime Minister MacDonald of Great Britain and former Premier Herriot of France, the leaders of the three nations had found a close accord involving American participation in consultative steps with other Kellogg-Briand treaty signers whenever the peace of the world is threatened.

Free coinage of silver was written in the administration's momentary inflation legislation by the senate late yesterday after a turbulent session which ended in an agreement to limit debate and thus hasten a final vote.

An amendment proposed by Senators Wheeler (D-Mont.) and King (D-Utah) was added to the measure to authorize the president to remonetize silver at any ratio to gold that he sees fit. The amendment provides, also, for free and unlimited coinage at that ratio.

The bi-metalism clause was accepted by a vote of 41 to 26 after the provision of the inflation legislation authorizing the president to reduce the gold content of the dollar by as much as fifty per cent had been subjected to terrific opposition from Senator Borah Idaho's republican independent.

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P. E. BUGG BREAKS LEG

P. E. Bugg employe of The Advocate had the misfortune to break his right leg while playing ball at the Brinard park Friday afternoon. The accident occurred when Mr. Bugg who was playing right field for Artesia against Dexter made an attempt to catch a foul ball and ran into a truck parked near the park fence. He struck the running board of the truck, the blow splintering his right leg and bruising his shoulder and face when he fell against the body of the truck. It was necessary to reset his leg Saturday morning, but he is improving satisfactorily according to the last report.

HADLEY RESIDENCE ON WOODS FARM IS DAMAGED BY FIRE

The residence occupied by N. J. Hadley on the Woods farm east of the Lanning addition was badly damaged by fire Saturday morning starting about 6:50 a. m. The blaze is presumed to have originated from a defective flue and fire in the roof was well underway when discovered. The fire truck made a call and the pump was hooked to a small well near the burning building, but the water pressure was too weak. A large well near the swimming pool was turned into a ditch and used to fight the flames, however water from the big well came near being too late.

Practically all of the household furniture was saved it was said. The walls and the ceiling of the dwelling were left standing although damaged. The loss was partly covered by insurance, it was understood.

STILL RULES AIR



Eugene Octave Sykes of Mississippi, whose fitness for the post of federal radio commissioner transcends all party lines, has been reappointed by President Roosevelt. He was first appointed by President Coolidge in 1927 when the position was first created, and was reappointed by President Hoover.

TEN CENT OIL WILL NET PRODUCERS 3 TO 3 1-2 CENTS BARREL

Local oil men have been disturbed over the oil price outlook, following the new posted price of ten cents per barrel in east Texas effective Tuesday morning. Crude oil in east Texas dropped to ten cents per barrel after the Texas railroad commission had set the daily allowable at 750,000 barrels. The Texas Company was first to announce the reduction in crude prices and six other purchasing companies followed in short order. In commenting on the price slash purchasing companies pointed out that Texas would be permitted to produce about sixty-five per cent of the nation's oil supply under the new allowable.

Scouts and operators from Hobbs said yesterday the price at Hobbs remained unchanged, but they anticipated a cut. Under the present system of state taxation oil men were speculating on the net revenue operating companies would realize under the ten cent oil. State leases would bring from three to three and a half cents per barrel after the severance tax of four cents has been paid, the eighth royalty deducted and the gross production tax and the property tax paid. Whether crude at ten cents a barrel would bring three or three and a half cents per barrel would depend on the location of the well, as the local tax rate would have to be figured in.

Ten cent oil here or at Hobbs would mean that the wells would be shut in, Hobbs operators figure that it costs twenty cents per barrel to produce oil in that section and local operators say fifty cents per barrel in Eddy county, where oil has to be pumped.

Oil men said this morning that the present crude prices remained unchanged for southeastern New Mexico. Ten cent crude is not anticipated here for a few days and is contingent on whether or not the East Texas situation shows improvement.

ATTENDS BOARD MEETING

H. R. Rodgers, of Carlsbad, county superintendent of schools attended a meeting of the state board of education at Santa Fe Friday and Saturday. One of the principal subjects under discussion was changes to be made in the text books another year.

PROSPECTS ARE FINE FOR A BIG YIELD OF SMALL GRAIN HERE

Prospects for a bumper small grain crop are very promising at this time. The acreage planted to wheat and oats is not as great as last year, however. Several small patches of grain are maturing rapidly. Col. A. T. Wods has 150 acres of fall oats, which looks good for 100 bushels now. Oat acreage on the Cottonwood also promises heavy yields. Low prices received for wheat and oats last year discouraged farmers from planting the usual acreage.

The first crop of alfalfa hay will be late this year due to cold spring weather and to the activity of the green bugs.

Adding Machines For Sale or Rent—The Advocate.

BEST WOOL SALE OF SEASON IS MADE AT ROSWELL ON MONDAY

Clip Brings 14 Cents—Sheepmen Predict 17¢ Wool Soon—The Lamb-Season Is About Over Now.

The highest price of the year for eastern New Mexico wool was established at Roswell Monday when 40,000 pounds of the Herbert Lowrey clip sold for 14¢ per pound to Sheldon and Co., of Boston. According to Roswell sheepmen this price was double that paid on the corresponding period of last year for the same quality of wool. The highest previous price was 13 3/4¢ for 60,000 pounds bought a week previous. Wool sold at San Angelo, Texas has brought as high as 17 1/2¢ per pound, although the San Angelo wool is usually cleaner than that produced in this section. Sheepmen here look for 17¢ wool before the close of the season.

The present price of wool is also reflecting favorably on the local financial situation. At the beginning of the national bank moratorium, it was estimated that twelve pounds of wool was only worth \$1.00. Now the same amount of wool is valued at \$1.50.

Sheepmen of this area are finishing the lambing season, which up to date has been one of the best experienced here in several years, despite the cold spring weather. The range is needing rain, but has held up unusually well due to the fine winter season. In most instances sheepmen are getting a lamb crop of 80 to 90 per cent.

ARTESIA DAIRY SOLD

The Artesia Dairy has been sold back to the former owner, J. A. Patton of Clovis, it was announced last week. Mr. Patton who has operated a dairy at Clovis since his removal there, plans to assume charge of the Artesia Dairy as soon as he can arrange his affairs. The former dairy proprietors, Messrs. B. B. Thigpen and Ben Dunn will remain in Artesia.

TWO LEA WELLS ARE FINISHED--LOCAL TEST STAKED LATELY

Two wells in Lea county have been completed since the 15th, one in the Hobbs district and one in the southeastern part of the county. The Atlantic Production Co., has completed its State 1-B, sec. 8-21-36 in the Eunice area. On a company gauge the State 1-B flowed at the rate of 1,000 barrels per day from a total depth of 3,901 feet. In the Hobbs field the California Company has completed its McKinley No. 2, in sec. 20-18-38, flowing open at the rate of 120 barrels per hour on a company gauge. The well is shut in at 4,241 feet awaiting a prorogage.

Another well in the Hobbs pool will likely be abandoned after drilling one of the deepest holes in this area. In fact the Hardin No. 1 of the Humble Oil and Refining Co., sec. 18-18-38 is the deepest well at Hobbs so far as our records go. The test is flowing in record time.

STUDY GAS RATES

Carlsbad citizens at a mass meeting Thursday night formulated plans to study the gas rate situation in the Cavern City and appointed a committee to make a study of the rates with a view to securing a reduction. This work will be in the hands of a committee of twelve who will report back to a similar meeting as soon as the study is completed.

HEREFORDS BRING GOOD PRICE IN SALE TUES.

The sale of 1,400 Hereford cows with calves Tuesday at Roswell is reported to have netted the owner, William O'Brien, Chaves county rancher, \$60.00. The sale was made to Rolo White of Brady, Texas and represents the highest price paid for cattle in several years. It was also the largest sale consummated in the Pecos valley for several years.

OFFICERS MAKE TWO ARRESTS IN RAID ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The premises of Frank and Aaron (Bud) Ross in the north part of town were raided Friday afternoon by four officers, R. L. Neal of Roswell, Howell Gage, of Carlsbad, Roy Vermillion and Carl Gordon and eight gallons of whiskey and a fifty-five gallon still confiscated. The defendants were arraigned before S. W. Gilbert, United States commissioner on charge of possession of a liquor still and intoxicating liquor and pleaded guilty as charged. Bond was set at \$500 for each defendant and the defendants were taken to Carlsbad and lodged in the county jail and will await the action of the federal grand jury.

DEFINITE ACTION ON BANK IS EXPECTED MONDAY OR TUESDAY

The Recommendation Has Gone Thru Dallas, Texas Office That Bank Be Opened On The Plan As Approved April 11th.

A definite recommendation that the First National Bank of Artesia be reopened has been made thru the federal reserve district office at Dallas, Texas, it was learned yesterday on the return of four bankers, Messrs. W. A. Losey of Hagerman, J. E. Robertson, C. E. Mann and Hollis Watson of Artesia from Dallas, Texas. The bankers went to Dallas, Friday for a conference with officials of the district federal reserve. Saturday a recommendation that the First National be reopened was forwarded by Chief Bank Examiner Collier. The local delegation remained in Dallas over the week-end for a conference with B. M. McKinney, federal reserve governor, who returned from Washington Monday, where he spent several days attending a meeting of the district federal reserve governors. Owing to the fact that Mrs. McKinney, wife of District Governor McKinney was in a Dallas hospital, a conference was not arranged with the local delegation until Tuesday afternoon.

Federal reserve officials feel very kindly toward the bank here and have endeavored to speed action at Washington, although the district federal offices are about the busiest places in the nation at the present moment, aside from the treasury department.

Additional details are being prepared looking toward the reopening of the bank and officials anticipate some word from Washington will be forthcoming by Monday or Tuesday. We are also assured that when the First National does reopen, it will be on a 100 per cent basis.

The treasury department is also interested in the inflation program according to one source of information and has not seen fit to speed action in reopening banks closed since the national bank moratorium until the present inflation has had more effect on commodity prices. This would strengthen the position of closed banks.

BRYANT GIVEN FINE WHEN ARRAIGNED ON LIQUOR CHARGE

Prohibition officers were active over the week-end. A second liquor raid was conducted Saturday by officers R. L. Neal of Roswell, J. M. Jackson, Roy Vermillion and Carl Gordon on the premises of Johnnie Bryant, who lives on the hill north of town. Three pints of whiskey were secured in Saturday's raid. When arraigned before the justice court, the defendant pleaded guilty and was given a fine of \$25.00 and costs.

AGRICULTURE LOANS IN AREA RUN TOTAL OF NEARLY \$100,000

Applications for agricultural loans in the Pecos valley number 150 for approximately \$250,000, W. E. Flint field agent and inspector, said here Monday. There have been sixty-eight applications filed here for a total of \$100,000. Fifteen applicants have received checks, it was said.

WIDE SEARCH MADE FOR G. L. SIMPSON MISSING SINCE 19TH

Belief Expressed Man May Have Been Victim Of Foul Play—Sold Car At Roswell On Afternoon Of 19th.

G. L. Simpson, about forty, a farmer living three miles southeast of Artesia, mysteriously disappeared from home on the afternoon of April 19th and despite a wide search by officers had not been heard from up to an early hour. He was last seen here in the afternoon of April 19th about three o'clock. He is said to have sold a 1927 Whippet coach for the sum of \$27.50 at Roswell on the same afternoon.

Members of the Simpson family have been unable to explain any reason for the man's disappearance. His family relations are known to have been pleasant and during his residence here for the past ten years he acquired a reputation of an honest upright citizen. Relatives do not believe that he would voluntarily abandon his family.

Officers have checked the possibilities of suicide without any results. Relatives and close friends fear that he might have met with foul play or else that he might have become the victim of amnesia.

There are no new developments in the Simpson case, it was learned yesterday morning. It was said Roswell officers think Simpson was probably the victim of foul play or else that he is suffering from an attack of amnesia. When Simpson sold his car, he was heard to remark that he had to get back to the farm. A man and woman driving a model T Ford, who witnessed the sale of the Simpson car made several inquiries from Simpson after the sale was closed and appeared to be unusually interested in the transaction. No trace of the man or woman has been found since the day Simpson was in Roswell. Relatives and friends have broadcast a description of Simpson from several radio stations.

WESTAWAY SHOWS PERCENTAGE CUT IN TAXES SINCE 1931

R. H. Westaway, assessor has prepared a statement of comparative values between farm land city, real estate and livestock assessments for taxable purposes in 1931 and 1933 and showing percentage of reduction in each case. The following items will be of interest to our readers:

FARM LANDS		
Value Per Acre	1931	% Reduction
\$60.00	\$45.00	25
55.00	40.00	27+
50.00	35.00	30
45.00	30.00	33+
40.00	25.00	38
Hope reduction farm lands 45		

CARLSBAD CITY PROPERTY

Carlsbad City Property has been reduced on an average of 25%+ for 1933 as compared to 1931.

ARTESIA CITY PROPERTY

Artesia city property has been reduced on an average of 26% for 1933 as compared to 1931.

LIVESTOCK VALUATIONS

	1931	1933	Red'n %
Cows	\$20.00	\$16.00	20
Heifers	17.00	14.00	21
Yearlings	16.00	11.00	31
Bulls	40.00	35.00	12 1/2
Ewes	3.00	2.25	25
Lams	2.00	1.50	25
Bucks	10.00	8.50	15

SUPT. KERR'S BROTHER IS FATALLY INJURED

Superintendent W. E. Kerr, received a message yesterday afternoon stating that his brother had been fatally injured at his home in Bakersfield, California. Details as to the cause of the injury are lacking, but it seems that Mr. Kerr was fatally hurt by the fall of a tree. Superintendent Kerr left yesterday afternoon on the stage and expects to arrive in Bakersfield Friday.

CHICAGO'S MAYOR



Edward J. Kelly, former president of the Chicago south park board and chief engineer of the sanitary district, was elected mayor of Chicago by the city council to fill out the unexpired term of the late Mayor Cermak.

METHODIST APPROVE PLAN TO SUPPORT 18TH AMENDMENT

The Roswell district conference of the Methodist Church, South convened at Odessa, Texas last Friday, April 21, at 2:00 o'clock with ninety-seven delegates from twenty-two churches of the district, twenty-one of whom were ministers.

At 3:00 o'clock Friday afternoon Judge C. E. Mead, of Marfa, Texas, delivered a stirring address concerning the cause of prohibition. Following the address the convention reported the following day through its chairman, Hon. Luke Roberts of Lovington, with ringing resolutions pledging the support of the delegates to a determined fight to retain the 18th amendment and the state laws against all intoxicating beverages including beer of 3.2 per cent alcohol. The resolutions commended Senators Bratton, Connally and Sheppard for their stand and those congressmen of Texas who had voted to support constitutional prohibition. The laymen of the convention pledged to the ministers their hearty support in their fight against alcohol and their stand for sobriety and temperance, and urged that all the various church members organize themselves to defeat the efforts being made to repeal the 18th amendment and the state prohibition laws of Texas and New Mexico.

The conference elected eight delegates to the annual meeting at Carlsbad, October 19th, one of whom was J. E. Robertson of Artesia. The district reported an increase in membership of 318 in the past six months. Two young men were licensed to preach, and two other young men were recommended to the annual meeting for admission into the traveling connection.

The following from Artesia were in attendance: The Rev. A. C. Douglas, Z. B. Moon and wife, Mmes. I. C. Dixon and J. D. McCann.

The conference adjourned Sunday afternoon at the close of the missionary session in charge of Mrs. I. C. Dixon.

J. E. GROMO STORE AT LAKE ARTHUR WAS LOOTED TUES. NIGHT

Robbers entered the general mercantile store of J. E. Gromo at Lake Arthur sometime Tuesday night and looted the store of merchandise valued at approximately \$70.00, it was learned here. Entrance into the store building was made by breaking a lock from a door in the rear. Local officers spent several hours yesterday investigating the robbery. This is the third robbery to occur in Lake Arthur in recent weeks. Two tries at the Lake Arthur depot safe netted the robbers little.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Richards had as luncheon guests Tuesday, The Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Dowd and John Richards.

Will Call A Referendum On Two Oil Tax Bills

Joint Conference To Be Held At Albuquerque Friday—Petitions Are Prepared For Citizens Signatures.

A joint conference of the New Mexico Oil Men's Protective Association and representatives of the Midcontinent Oil and Gas Association as well as a farmer organization will meet tomorrow at Albuquerque to devise ways and means of lessening the tax burden on the industry and also to formulate ways to promote the interests of the industry. Wm. Dooley secretary of the New Mexico Oil Men's Protective Association plans to attend and take former State Senator Z. B. Moon as his guest.

Additional details received here today indicated the oil industry will declare war on the state severance tax and the state oil lubricating tax, in the oil conference starting at Albuquerque tomorrow. Oil men have announced they would seek a referendum on both measures. The matter of submitting a referendum has been talked here for several weeks, but little has been known as to the plans of the oil men to fight what is described as an unjust tax.

Harry Leonard of Roswell, independent oil operator, who is well known here has been placed in charge of the New Mexico consumers league with state headquarters in Albuquerque and the league will start an active campaign to obtain the necessary signatures to force a referendum. These petitions will be distributed to garages, stores, filling stations and restaurants over the state, according to the present plans.

The league contends that the tax on lubricating oil designed to furnish revenue to buy free text books, will not even supply enough revenue to even buy one book for half the children.

WATTS ENTERS PLEA

Emerson Watts, former state treasurer and former Roswell broker was arraigned before Judge J. B. McGhee at Roswell Saturday and entered a plea of nolo contendere to the charge of embezzlement of a stock certificate from G. H. Hockenson, valued at \$20.00. Sentence in the case was deferred until June 5th, in order to allow Watts to complete treatment in the United States Veterans' hospital in Albuquerque. According to law, nolo contendere means pleading guilty to a charge with reservations.

It was also learned that Mrs. Watts, wife of the former Roswell resident had entered proceedings for divorce. Mrs. Watts is now living in Kentucky.

TAXPAYERS TO HAVE MASS MEETING AT CARLSBAD MONDAY

Officers of the Eddy county taxpayers association call attention to the mass meeting of taxpayers to be held in Carlsbad May 1. The purpose of the meeting is to consider valuations and outline necessary steps to get relief from the overvaluation of some real estate. The committee will also give a report on the results of the meeting with the county commissioners, at which time it was understood an agreement had been reached whereby real estate valuations would be reduced twenty-five per cent.

Attention of the property owners is also called to the fact that the board of equalization will be in session at this time and any complaint regarding the valuation of your property should be registered at this time, otherwise the property owner will lose the right of appeal.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bowers of Hobbs were visiting friends here yesterday.

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ERA OF CHEAPNESS

When the nation climbs out of the financial hole, the farmer and the laborer ought never to want to hear the word cheap. For a couple of years now we have had cheap labor, cheap produce, cheap farm commodities, while the merchant has had to skimp by on a dwindling profit. As result of the era of cheapness millions of men out of work, factories idle, farmers have lost their farms as prices have shrunk at an alarming rate.

There was considerable "beefing," among many people back five or six years ago when prices were high, jobs plentiful and almost every individual had a little buying power. Those folks who insisted that everything was too high, with the possible exception of what they had to sell, certainly ought to have had their inning the past two years and what an inning it has been.

Back in the early twenties many skilled laborers drawing down from \$8.00 to \$12.00 per day spent much of their idle time complaining about the high prices they had to pay for living expenses. Then as now the capitalists were tired and numbers drawing down good wages longed for the good old days when the necessities of life were cheap. Now we have had a return of the good old days so far as prices are concerned, but the readers might answer the question as to whether low prices have brought happiness.

It all proves to us that perhaps after all the average individual does not know when he is well off. The one trait of human nature we have never been able to fathom is why those who have money and are able to buy will in many instances endeavor to beat down the price of practically every commodity they use. Poverty of those who must sell under these circumstances means nothing to them. Such persons can often be high pressured into contributing fifty cents or a dollar to the community chest, but usually they are as parsimonious about their giving as they are about their buying.

The past year or more this country has been flooded with goods made in Japan, China, India and other foreign countries where low wage scales prevail. Foreign goods brought into the United States after paying a high tariff have been sold at a figure considerably under cost of production here. And these foreign goods found buyers too, buyers who asked wages and salaries commensurate with a high standard of living, but who were inconsiderate enough to think only of their own welfare.

The matter of cheapness is largely up to the people of the United States. We can have cheap goods and cheap commodities by using peon labor and by patronizing the sweat shop factories.

VALUELESS DOLLARS

It probably never occurs to most of us that there is such a thing as valueless money. And it isn't counterfeit either. Millions of honest and legitimate good dollars in this county are now absolutely valueless and useless.

This is the money that drops out of circulation. It is hoarded money. Its owners keep it in safe deposit boxes or in teapots or luried in the back yard.

Money has no intrinsic value—its value is determined by what it can do when it is working. When out of work, it is as useless as would be a number of similar sized pieces of tin. It isn't paying taxes or meeting dividends or employing labor or buying supplies. It isn't doing its part in keeping the wheels of enterprise turning.

There are two distinct ways of putting money back into circulation. One is depositing it in commercial or savings accounts in banks, or purchasing government or other high-grade securities. The other is by buying needed articles or effecting necessary repairs. And this way is the best of all. The money spent serves a double purpose. It provides employment and alleviates distress—and it obtains for the spender the supplies and repairs at the lowest prices since pre-war days.

Put at least part of the dollar into furnace renovation, into a new roof or other house repairs or paint, into some labor saving appliance, into plumbing or yard work. You'll get about twice the value you'd have got three years ago—and you will have helped the cause of recovery.

America needs more jobs, and less charity. It needs more spending—wise spending, that gets honest and permanent values in return.

Remember that right now "investment and employment are cheaper than charity."

Among the unusual presents to be received at the White House for the new president is a huge broom, weighing thirty-five pounds, from admirers in the broomcorn country around Arcola, Illinois. Everybody will join in hoping that many of the nation's obstacles will find themselves caught in the clean sweep a new executive should be able to make with so worthy an implement.—Midland, Texas Reporter Telegram.

According to financial writers the thirty-two or more nations off the gold standard were "two-bitting" Uncle Sam in such a fashion that in a year or so they would have had most of our gold. They were able to export commodities over here, pay a high tariff and still undersell the American producer because the American dollar was worth \$1.35 to them.

Nearly everybody knows that the economic law, so called, demands that price levels shall go up. However, the optimist will find some compensation during the period of maladjustment in consuming luxury goods at the ordinary cost of necessities.

In reading an article on tree specialists it was learned that grafting is always done where the sap is, and it just occurs to me that politicians have known this for years and years.—Tucumcari News.

It may be that we'll all have a wad of bills if the inflation keeps up, we'll take chances because we've been without the wad so long.

PICKED UP ON MAIN

This week a good republican friend of ours tried to peel a little hide off of the writer's back for predicting ten cent oil here soon. Investigating the alleged offensive article we find that it was published week before last, which gives you a general idea of how far behind the republicans usually are. Furthermore we did not say it and furthermore the article in question was prepared before the new deal on inflation was evident, which means that prospects for ten cent oil then is approximately the same as dollar oil now. In fact multiply the present price by ten and you'll have it.

And another thing some of your birds have been luffing up your sleeve because you say, we have said that the bank would open up every week for the past month. This is another thing that will show how near some people can come to getting things right. There's a good Stetson hat to the gink that will find where we positively said the bank would be open on a certain date. And boys we have all of the files of The Advocate at the office.

Most of the state taxpayers went off the gold standard several months ago and we have short school terms as result.

Yes, we heard about Hig's twenty pound cat fish he was supposed to have caught several days ago in the river, but do you suppose that we would print the fish story just on Hig's say so? Not us, we've known that man too long. Now if John Moore, the cook will verify the story, we might say something.

If we had our way, some of these radio croners would be put to calling cows. They sound so much like a love sick cow.

Bert Shipp says men used to demand good cooking from their wives. Now they want the wives to bring in something to cook.

If hay windows caused from beer are like other windows giving light, we sure will have lots of light here after September 19th.

We're sorter confused on these women's fashion notes. We can't remember whether a piece we read the other day said women's clothes will have fewer buttons on them another year or whether it said the buttons will have fewer clothes. Our guess is the latter.

Some of these old fashioned men who used to mind their own business are now wishing they had some business to mind.

Luke Monschke says there are two bad combinations for car driving. A loose tire and a tight driver.

Tom—I've just been reading some statistics here—Every time I breathe a man dies.

Jake—Gosh, man! Why don't you use listerine!

Two lonesome skunks by the roadside stood

As an auto slithered by.

It left an odor far from good,

And a tear ran from one's eye.

Oh, why do you weep? cried his anxious mate,

Oh, why do you sob and quake?

Because that smell, said the other skunk,

Is like mother used to make!

They had to carry Carrie to the ferry.

The ferry carried Carrie to the shore,

The reason that they had to carry Carrie

Was that Carrie couldn't carry any more.

A MODERN TRAGEDY

The golden sun was slowly setting O'er the hilltops far away, Filling all the land with beauty At the close of a winter day. But within one humble dwelling With its fireside warm and bright, Came this oft repeated murmur: "This jig-saw must be done tonight!"

O'er the table bent two figures Man and wife with visage pale, He with thoughtful brow so worried,

She with form so thin and frail. Both were thinking, planning, scheming.

To make small pieces fit in right, Ever saying in soft whispers: "This jig-saw must be done tonight!"

On the street the children rambled Shoes and clothes all worn and tore, And the house was in disorder, Everything strewn round the floor. But a jig-saw bright and showy Was on the table in plain sight, While the couple ever murmured: "This jig-saw must be done tonight!"

Off to bed alone, unaided, The children finally wend their way;

HOWARD CRAGHEAD



After two years of disappointment, the Cleveland Indians finally cash in on their \$25,000 pitching investment. Howard Craghead who was purchased from the Oak and club of the Pacific Coast League in 1931. Craghead showed up so well in training camp that Manager Peckinpaugh expects to make use of him on the major league team.

ONE FOREST CAMP LOCATED NEAR WEED

Each of New Mexico's six national forest areas has been given from one to five forest employment camps, southwestern forest officials said at Albuquerque following an announcement from Washington of the selection of 23 camp sites for this state.

Hugh Calkins, assistant forester, made the following list of campsites public and said they were only tentative locations and might be changed later.

Carson national forest: Vallacitos, Camp Y. 2 and Tusas River, all in Rio Arriba county; Rio Pueblo in Taos county.

Cibola national forest: Sulphur Springs in the Sandia Mountains; Coppertown near Mt. Sedgwick; American Mines, near Mt. Taylor; Hughes Sawmill in the Mateo Mountains.

Gila national forest: Redstone, near Pinos Altos; Mimbres Ranger Station, Mogollon, Beaverhead, Little Walnut creek near Silver City.

Lincoln national forest: upper Sacramento river Raton ranch in the Capitan mountains Weed, actual camp to be located near Bear Springs.

Santa Fe national forest: Los Alamos, at the head of Water canyon; Rowe, near Gorieta; Little Tesque, near Santa Fe; Porvenir, on the Gallinas river; La Vuera, north of Jemez Springs. Apache national forest: Pueblo Park, west of reserve; Tularosa, north of reserve.

FOREST CAMP QUOTAS

SANTA FE—Quotas from each New Mexico county were announced Tuesday in the Roosevelt reforestation program. The quota announced is of the young men 18-25 years of age.

Of the 750 allotted the state, 450 were on the move toward camp. In the following partial table the county and full quota is shown, with the quota moving now:

County	Quota	Moving on
Chaves	35	35
Curry	28	28
DeBaca	5	5
Dona Ana	48	48
Eddy	28	28
Hidalgo	9	9
Lea	11	11
Lincoln	13	13
Otero	17	17
Quay	19	19
Roosevelt	20	10

The first allotment comes from 22 of the state's 31 counties. Nineteen counties will send their full quota immediately and others only a part and some none at all yet.

Adding Machines For Sale or Rent—The Advocate.

Grimy hands and dirty faces, And their clothes in sad array. And the old clock on the mantle, Ticks the time with all its might While this couple murmur faintly: "This jig-saw must be done tonight!"

Twelve o'clock, the moon looks calmly, Down upon the sleeping pair; Dirty dishes in the kitchen, Clothing scattered everywhere. Yet with heads dropped on the table, 'Neath the light still burning bright, In their sleep we hear them mutter: "This jig-saw must be done tonight!"



THE VEGETABLE KINGDOM

All plant foods, except fruits, nuts and grains, are included under the term "vegetables."

With the exception of the so-called legumes (peas, beans, lentils) vegetables consist mostly of water. They are rich in mineral matter but poor in fat and protein, their chief constituent being starch and sugar.

One of the chief advantages of vegetables as a food, in addition to their nutritional value, is this: A considerable part of the vegetable consists of un-absorbable matter which is never digested or assimilated and passes unchanged into the bowel. Here it adds bulk to the residue and acts as a vehicle for the elimination of toxic material. In this role it serves a very useful purpose, as one of the main reasons people are constipated is that there is nothing in the bowel on which its muscular coat can fasten itself and propel onward.

Aid Some—Harm Others
Very few persons can eat all vegetables with impunity. We all have our little idiosyncrasies in this connection as we do in most affairs of life. Some people suffer with a violent attack of gastritis if they eat a piece of onion as large as a pea, while others could eat a bushel basket of onions and suffer from nothing except lonesomeness. Some persons get a beautiful case of "hives" from a few strawberries while others can consume half the patch while they're picking, with no danger except to get caught doing it. And so on throughout the entire diet list—"what's one man's food is another man's poison."

Here are some good rules for cooking vegetables that, I believe, are apropos in this connection:

- (1) Wash thoroughly.
- (2) Pare, peel, or scrape according to kind.
- (3) Let stand in cold water until ready to cook, to keep them crisp, to freshen when wilted, or to prevent from turning dark.
- (4) Cook in enough freshly boiling salted water (one teaspoonful salt to one quart water) to cover, and keep water boiling slowly, as tender vegetables are easily broken. To preserve color cook green vegetables uncovered.

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CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

HEALTH COLUMN

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

MOTHERS AND BABIES FIRST

Gov. Seligman has issued a proclamation announcing May 1 shall be observed as Child Health Day.

The slogan for Child Health Day in 1933 is "Mothers and Babies First." It is a motto chosen for hard times. It recalls the emergency law of the sea. When those aboard ship are in danger, when time presses, and when, perhaps, the space in the lifeboats is insufficient for all on board, then brave men recall the unwritten law of chivalry. "Women and children first," say the officers and if cowards would rush in out of turn they are held back at the point of a gun.

So it is in 1933. Public money is insufficient. Some needs must be withheld. Some things must wait, must be postponed. Shall we put off our health work until tomorrow?

In New Mexico 130 babies die in the first year of life out of every 1,000 babies born alive. For every 1,000 babies born 7 mothers give their lives. At least one half of these deaths can be prevented. Does the voice of chivalry sound clearly in 1933? "Mothers and babies first!"

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Two Miles Minute, Fastest R. R. Train Run on Record

The fastest recorded run of a train for a short distance was made on the Plant System between Fleming and Jacksonville in March, 1901, for a distance of five miles. The speed was at the rate of 120 miles an hour, or two miles a minute. Seven other trains, all American, have made speeds of 102 to 112.5 miles per hour over distances of 1 to 7 miles. "The Flying Scotsman" ran 392.5 miles from London to Edinburgh in May, 1928, in 8 hours 3 minutes, or at the rate of 49.1 miles per hour, a speed exceeded by at least 28 other trains over distances varying from 14 to 2,937 miles. A Great Western train running between Paddington and Bristol in 1904, is said to have made the 118.5 miles at the rate of 84.6 miles per hour, although the same railroad claims to have set a world's record September 15, 1931, when its "Cheltenham Flyer" ran 77.25 miles between Swindon and Paddington in 58 minutes, or 80 miles per hour. An electric locomotive is said to have made 130 miles per hour near Marienfeld, Germany, in 1901.

Historical Sketch of Turkey

Turkey, now reduced in size to about 175,000 square miles, comprises a portion of Thrace adjacent to Constantinople and is now mainly confined to Asia Minor. Agriculture is primitive, but the soil, where cultivable, is fertile and produces considerable crops of wheat, barley, cotton, nuts, tobacco, figs, olives, grapes and other fruits. About 1,500 miles of railways are in operation. The so-called Bagdad railway extends from the Bosphorus via Adana and Aleppo to Nisibin. Constantinople is the capital; Smyrna, an important seaport; Brusa, the ancient capital and center of silk manufacture; Sivas, a mining center; Angora, the provisional capital.

Use of Liberty Cap

The origin and significance of the Liberty cap, seen on some seals, coins, etc., is as follows: In early Roman times, only freemen were permitted to wear caps. When a slave was manumitted, a small cap, usually of red felt, was placed on his head, and his name was registered on the city scrolls. Several Roman commanders hoisted such caps on spears to indicate that all slaves who joined them should be free; and when Caesar was murdered, the conspirators marched forth in a body, with a cap elevated on a spear, in token of liberty. In the French revolution, the Liberty cap was adopted by the revolutionists as a badge of their freedom.

First Town Lights

The first city in the United States to have lighted streets was New York, says the Wall Street Journal. Its city council in 1697 passed an ordinance requiring that "every seventh house in this city do every night in the dark time until the twenty-fifth day of March - next cause a lantern and candle to be hung out on a pole." This was a primitive lighting system, but it continued in use for more than sixty years. Oil lamps for street lighting in New York city were abandoned in 1823, when gas became available and pipes were laid to supply this "magical illuminating fuel."

Goldfish Production

Goldfish are the product of long years of selective breeding. The native fish, from which goldfish were developed, belong to the carp family and are still numerous in the streams of China. They do not naturally have the golden hue but are dark in color much like the ordinary carp. Centuries ago the Chinese fish culturists interbred light colored varieties. Fancliers further induced and strengthened the golden and silver colors by regulating the quantity of mineral in the water.

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HOPE ITEMS

Mrs. C. J. Ferrell and Miss Babe Mellard returned Saturday from a short visit in El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson of Carlsbad were in Hope Sunday visiting Mrs. S. C. Lovejoy.

Ed Watson and family of Artesia spent Sunday in Hope visiting in the home of W. W. Hardin.

Julia Wathen returned Saturday from a week's visit in Artesia with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Keller.

Ernest Landreth of Ft. Worth, Texas returned to his home Monday after spending the week-end here visiting in the Mellard home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bridgman, Mrs. Dick McDonald and Mrs. H. Hughes were dinner guests Sunday evening at the Hal Hammell ranch.

Mrs. J. H. Bridgman, Mrs. Dick McDonald and Delma Ruth Cole motored to Carlsbad Monday where they were visiting and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin of Cleveland, Ohio, were in Hope visiting friends Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Martin were former teachers of the Hope schools and taught here in 1925.

Mrs. Dee Swift left Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Ed Bryant, of Carlsbad for Lubbock and Slayton, Texas, where she will visit her brother, Doc. Smith, for a few days.

Calvin Buckner went to Carlsbad Thursday after Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Reed. Mr. Reed has been in the St. Francis hospital there the past two weeks with a broken leg.

Mrs. Anna Coffin, Mrs. B. A. Nymeyer, Mary Catherine Coffin and Ernest Bunting motored to the Coffin sheep camp Sunday where they had dinner with Thomas and Paul Coffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Cox and Mrs. Irvin Wathen and daughter, Romo Lois motored to Artesia Friday evening to attend the Artesia high school commencement exercises at the Central school auditorium.

Mrs. Will Riley, Will Santo and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Pichke left Wednesday for Los Angeles, California where they will spend the next two weeks visiting and attending to business. Mrs. A. B. Altman is taking care of the drug store while Mrs. Pichke is away.

Mrs. W. W. Lock who expects to leave soon was surprised Sunday at noon at her home with a farewell dinner by a number of friends. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chambers and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Traylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Teel and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Whitley and family, Mrs. George Teel, Inez Teel, C. W. Scott, Wallace Johnson and Guy Crockett.

The Rev. and Mrs. John Klassen left Thursday for El Paso to take home Mrs. Klassen's mother, Mrs. A. Morriss, who has been visiting here several weeks. Mrs. Klassen and her daughters will stay in El Paso and The Rev. Klassen went on to Odessa, Texas to attend the district conference of the Methodist church. From there he will go to Monahans, Texas where he will hold a protracted meeting.

LOWER COTTONWOOD COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

The following program was rendered at the commencement exercises of the Lower Cottonwood school Monday evening:
 Professional, Scharfenberg—Miss Nollie Stephens.
 Invocation—The Rev. Erwin G. Benson.
 Overture—Harp Orchestra.
 Address—Chas. L. Mills.
 Violin Solo—Selected.
 Presentation of Diplomas—H. R. Rodgers, County Superintendent of Schools.
 Presentation of Awards—John Shearman.
 Recessional.

Scientists Say "Peking Man's Hands Human"

The Peking Man—that strange ape-like creature who lived in the caves of China 600,000 years ago—had hands like a modern man's, according to Prof. G. Elliot Smith, the noted anthropologist.

Discussing new discoveries in the cave at Choukoutien, near Peking, Professor Smith said that they throw new light on the mystery which has baffled scientists ever since the Peking skull was found. Hitherto it had been assumed from the abnormally small, flattened skull that the Peking Man was only slightly above the ape in the scale of intelligence.

"During further exploration of the cave," said Professor Smith, "a small bone from the wrist was found which is not appreciably different from a modern man's. This is exceptionally interesting as it adds most powerful evidence to support the belief that the hundreds of stone implements found in the cave were used by the Peking Man."

"It now appears that the Peking Man had hands essentially identical with modern man's, and we are justified in the inference that the tools were made by other primitive people."

"From the shape of other small bones found it would appear that the feet of the Peking Man differed from those of the modern man. They were not straight, and he must have walked holding his toes in, as the ape does. There is nothing to show, however, that he was able to grip with his feet as the apes are able to do."

Coolidge Only President

Sworn In by His Father

Calvin Coolidge was the only man to be sworn in as President by his own father. The incident is one of the most dramatic in American history.

Shortly before midnight of August 2, 1923, the news came that President Harding had died in San Francisco. The message came to the Vice President's secretary at Bridgewater, the nearest telephone point. The secretary drove at breakneck speed to Plymouth.

Col. John C. Coolidge, the Vice President's father, answered the secretary's summons. He went calmly upstairs and awoke his son.

Calvin came down after dressing hastily, but fully. He decided it was his duty to be sworn in at once and that his aged father as a notary had the power to administer the oath.

Thus it was that at 2:47 on the morning of August 3, 1923, Calvin Coolidge was sworn in as President of the United States by the light of a flickering oil lamp in the old-fashioned living room of his father's home.

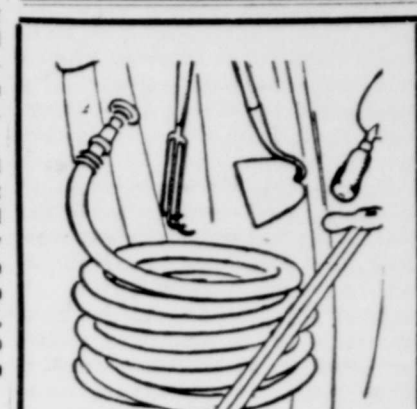
FINANCES OF PEN GOOD

SANTA FE—An audit of the state penitentiary has been completed and affairs found in good condition, it was announced last week by Comptroller Juan N. Vigil.

The audit revealed the net cost to maintain prisoners was 54.9 cents a day. This was divided

into food 16.9 cents, clothing 5.6 cents, heating and lighting 5.6 cents and administration 29.7 cents for a total of 57.2 a day average. Deductions included reimbursement from counties and the United States for feeding prisoners, bringing the net cost to 54.9 cents. Earnings from the brick plant of \$372.03 also were included in the deduction.

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STATE MAY GO INTO THE REAL ESTATE BUSINESS JUNE 12

The state of New Mexico is scheduled to go into the real estate business to the extent of several millions of dollars on June 12. A law enacted by the last legislature is SB 144 putting every piece of land and property in the state on the auction block on that date if all taxes are not paid in full.

Under this law the state must take over the property if it can not be auctioned for the assessed valuation. This, according to some interpreters of the law, will establish the state in the largest real estate business known, as soon as the first sale is completed. They point out that there is a delinquency of taxes amounting to some ten million dollars in the state, some of it extending back for many years. The new law orders this property to be put up at public auction and sold. If it cannot be sold the state takes it over and keeps it.

"On the second Monday in June of each year, the treasurers of the several counties * * * shall offer for sale and sell at public vendue the real property of their respective counties upon which taxes are delinquent for the preceding year or years as shown by the tax rolls of the county" the law says. The sale shall continue five days.

After the fifth day, all unsold property shall be struck off and sold to the state for the amount of the taxes, penalties, interest and costs due.

Tax sale certificates shall vest complete legal title to the property involved. The former owner may redeem his property in two years, but after that time he loses all interest. Redemption is

DELAWARE GARAGE MAN ENDS ELEVEN VOICELESS YEARS; PAYS DEBTS

WILMINGTON, Delaware—Eleven years of self-imposed silence have ended for Melvin Train and a strange vow is fulfilled. Train, a garage employe, formerly was engaged in business in Boston. Friends and relatives had been induced to invest their money in the enterprise.

Then in 1922, Train says his partner absconded with the firm's assets, leaving him to face the music. In less than six months, the missing partner had committed suicide in New York after his funds had been dissipated.

Train made a vow then that he would never speak a word until he had reimbursed all who had lost in the deal. Saturday he mailed the last check in payment of the debt which had stilled his tongue for so many years. The friends who never had heard him speak, were startled at the sound of his voice. Then he told them the story.

In his work at the garage, Train wrote his questions and answers on a pad while associates thought he was mute, never suspecting he was silent by choice.

ISSUE NEW MEXICO ROAD DEBENTURES

SANTA FE—The state highway commission Friday certified and went through the routine of issuing \$500,000 of highway debentures which the state board of finance recently authorized as a purchase by the state treasurer for permanent funds. No announcement of the economy program was made.

The board adjourned until the next call which was not fixed.

provided with the former owner paying the amount for which the property was sold plus 1 per cent per month interest together with all taxes prior or subsequent paid by the purchaser.

Watch as Compass

A watch keeping correct time makes a fairly accurate compass when the sun is shining. Allow the watch to lie flat with face up and the hour hand pointing as nearly as possible to the sun. A line running from the center of the dial to a point half way between the hour hand and the point indicating twelve o'clock will point due south in the northern hemisphere and due north in the southern hemisphere. For example, if it is three o'clock in the afternoon and the hour hand is pointed to the sun, a line from the center of dial to a point midway between XII and III will point due south in the northern hemisphere.

The Friendly Word

A Homely in London was being shown the sights, and was given lunches and dinners at the best hotels.

To his friend he said: "This is all very well, but what I want is something more homely—homely surroundings, simple food, and the friendly word."

He was taken to a quiet place in Kensington for high tea with egg and bacon.

"This is exactly what I want," he said to the waitress; "homely surroundings, simple food, but what about a friendly word?"

The waitress whispered in his ear, "Don't eat the egg."—Tit-Bits.

Pocahontas' Remains Not Found

Unsuccessful search was made for the remains of the Indian Princess Pocahontas, who died about three hundred years ago. She married John Rolfe, one of the early settlers in Virginia, but lived for many years in England. Her burial place is unknown, but it was recently suggested that the remains, in a silver casket, lay on a shelf in the crypt of the church of St. John the Evangelist, Waterloo road, London. This was found to be untrue.

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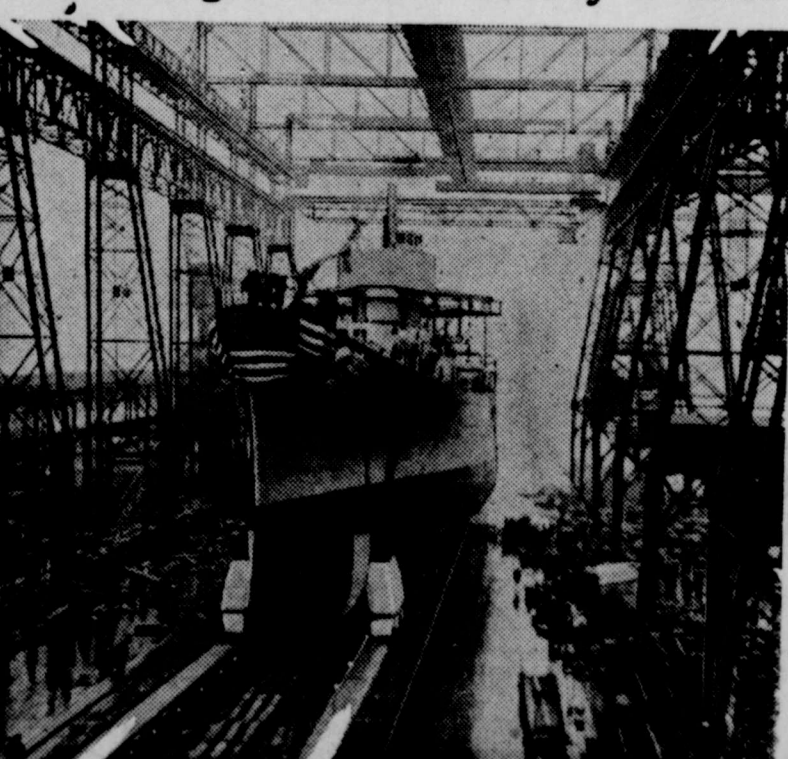
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Launching of a New Treaty Cruiser



The new 10,000-ton navy cruiser, U. S. S. New Orleans, sliding down runway at the Brooklyn navy yard in colorful launching ceremonies. The ship, constructed in accordance with the London naval treaty, is 588 feet over all with a beam of 61 feet. It carries 17 guns, 6 torpedo tubes, and 4 airplanes.

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Social Activities

METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING

The Methodist Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. I. C. Keller last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. John McCann program leader was assisted by Mmes. Kinder, Frisch and Thompson their subject being "A Good Deaconess." Mrs. I. C. Dixon and Reed Brainard assisted by Mrs. McCann in presenting briefs on World Outlook. A vocal solo, "My Task," was rendered by Mrs. Richard Attebery. Conference reports from the state meeting at Gallup were given by Mmes. A. C. Douglass, Reed Brainard, I. C. Dixon and McCann.

Mrs. Nancy Eipper in behalf of the missionary society presented Mrs. Mary Forsyth, who left Saturday for her home in Nebraska, with a beautiful little gift. After the program and business session a social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. W. E. Ragsdale assisted Mrs. Keller in serving refreshments to an unusually good attendance of membership.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Eighteen little friends were invited to help Lloyd Snyder celebrate his ninth birthday at the home of his aunt, Mrs. John Gage yesterday afternoon. Many children's games were played and light refreshments were served at the close of a happy afternoon for the children.

P. E. O. MEETING

Members of the P. E. O. chapter met at the home of Mrs. Ralph Shugart Friday afternoon. The general routine of business was taken care of with the president, Mrs. Ralph Shugart presiding.

A stunt program which followed the business session offered a diversity of amusement for those present. At the close of the program hour Mrs. Shugart was assisted by Mrs. Chester Russell and Mrs. Aletha Phillips in serving delicious refreshments.

FRIDAY EVENING CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Ferree entertained the membership of the Friday Evening Bridge club at their home on south Roselawn Friday evening of last week.

At seven o'clock the guests were seated at dinner, which was served in two courses. Those who enjoyed the evening of auction bridge with Mr. and Mrs. Ferree were: Messrs. and Mmes. G. R. Brainard, Compton, Hartell, Hightower and Rowan.

H2O CLUB

Members of the H2O club met with Mrs. J. Hise Myers Saturday afternoon after a vacation of several weeks.

Contract bridge was studied and played throughout the afternoon. Mmes. Thomas S. Cox was substitute. Members present were: Mmes. John Lowry, Jessie Morgan, J. H. Jackson, G. R. Brainard, Chester Russell, J. B. Atkinson and the hostess, Mrs. Myers.

PICNIC AT BLACK RIVER

A group of young people enjoyed a picnic at Black River Village below Carlsbad Sunday. Leaving here early Sunday morning the entire day was spent in the open.

The picnicking party were: the Misses Margaret Phillips, Ruth French, Edna Bullock and Messrs. Lynn Buford, Cawell Gott, Ed Shockley and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Compton.

SECOND AFTERNOON CLUB

Mrs. J. M. Story entertained members of the Second Afternoon Bridge club and club guests at her attractive home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Bildstone and Mrs. Thomas S. Cox were guests who enjoyed an afternoon of bridge with this club. At the close of the games the hostess served delicious refreshments. Mrs. M. W. Evans was a guest at the refreshment hour.

EASTERN STAR

At the regular meeting of the local chapter of the Eastern Star Tuesday evening, Mrs. Arba Green in behalf of this chapter presented Mrs. Jessie Morgan, secretary a beautiful hand bag. On each side of the bag is an embossed star surrounded with the letters, of which each represents a principle of the Order. The bag will be used by Mrs. Morgan to take care of all materials of her particular office.

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THURSDAY (TO-DAY)

There will be a surprise for Masons, their wives and members of the Eastern Star at the Masonic hall at 7:30 p. m.

Y. W. A. with Mrs. Fred Cole at 7:30 p. m.

Baptist Missionary Society with Mrs. C. M. Cole at 2:30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Bridge of the Month club will meet with Mrs. J. Harvey Wilson at 2:30 p. m.

The Past Noble Grands club will meet with Mrs. John McCann at 7:30 o'clock.

MONDAY

Baptist Missionary Society, Judson Circle with Mrs. Morrison Livingston at 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

The First Bridge club with Mrs. S. D. Gates at 2:30 p. m.

The Tuesday Evening Bridge club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams at 7:00 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY

Women's club will meet with Mrs. T. H. Flint, covered dish luncheon at 1:00 o'clock. Meet at Mrs. J. H. Myers, 321 Richardson St., cars for everyone and will leave at 12:30.

Dorcas class with Mrs. Kay Lydia at 2:30 p. m.

Miercoles Bridge club with Mrs. Howard Williams at 2:00 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

M. E. Missionary Society business meeting at the church at 2:30 p. m.

Presbyterian Aid with Mrs. A. M. Tarbet at 2:30 p. m.

Christian Women's Association and Guild at 10:00 a. m. with Mrs. Hattie Merchant, covered dish luncheon.

FAREWELL PARTY FOR MRS. IDA VAUGHN

On Tuesday afternoon of last week members of the Dorcas class of the Baptist Sunday school arranged for one of their members, Mrs. Ida Vaughn to visit a neighbor soon after lunch. When she returned the house was filled with guests who had assembled for a surprise to Mrs. Vaughn, for a farewell party. Mrs. Vaughn expects to leave for Parsons, Kansas to make her home about the first of the month.

The ladies were children again for a short period of time, playing children's games which proved to be a lot of fun for one afternoon.

The guests had provided lovely party refreshments and the following were served: Mrs. Vaughn honor guest and Mmes. Ed Gillespie, Reed McCaw, Boone Barnett, Grimlan, Carroll, Dan Bynum, Merrill Sharp, W. C. Martin, Kay Lydia, Dale Gleghorn, Merrill Roady, Morrison Livingston, Clyde Jones, Howard Byrd, Marlton Graham and J. C. Jesse.

BLACK CAT PARTY

Mrs. Mary Stillwaugh was hostess to members of the Black Cat club Tuesday evening, at the home of Miss Hannah Briscoe.

On this occasion the evening was spent setting a quilt together for the hostess. At the close of the evening, Mrs. Stillwaugh served light refreshments to the following club members: Misses Nola Naylor, Pearl Henderson, Nolie Stephens, Hannah Briscoe and Mmes. Tom Henderson, Emma Briscoe Huey and two guests, Mrs. J. H. Naylor and Mrs. Virginia Briscoe.

Miss Jeanne Wheatley left Sunday for Amarillo, Texas where she will finish the high school year's work in the Amarillo high school. In June she expects to take the College entrance board examination. Jeanne will be at the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. M. Humphys during her stay in Amarillo.

C. Bert Smith will be taken to the Providence hospital in El Paso, Texas this afternoon to undergo another operation. The trip will be made in the McClay ambulance. Dr. H. A. Stroup, John Lanning and Mrs. Smith will accompany Mr. Smith to El Paso.

CHEVIE SIX CLUB HAS SERIES OF PARTIES

Messrs and Mmes. T. C. Bird, Stanley Blocker and Willis Morgan entertained with a clever little party for members of the Chevie Six Bridge club Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blocker.

At 9:30 o'clock those present were seated at bridge until midnight. Miss Ruth French was winner of high prize at the close of the games, and Mrs. Leslie Martin consolation prize. At the midnight hour a lovely luncheon was served by the hosts and hostesses to Messrs. and Mmes. Leslie Martin, Carl Bildstone, Fred Cole and two club guests, Miss Ruth French and Cawell Gott.

On Monday evening the membership of the Chevie Six club met with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blocker for their usual fortnightly evening of bridge.

The buffet dinner was followed by an evening of auction bridge. Cawell Gott substituted for Leslie Martin on this occasion.

Wednesday evening the members holding low score of the Chevie Six club entertained the winners of high score. Messrs. and Mmes. Bildstone, Leslie Martin and Fred Cole were hosts and hostesses.

The party enjoyed the picture show at the beginning of the evening after which they retired to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bildstone where refreshments were served. The high score winners were not allowed to play auction bridge, Monte Carlo Whist being the game of this occasion. The low score entertainers proved themselves very efficient teachers with Mrs. Blocker winning high prize for the ladies and Mr. Morgan for the men.

Guests were: Messrs. and Mmes. Willis Morgan, Stanley Blocker, and T. C. Bird.

LAST MEETING OF THE WOMEN'S CLUB

The last meeting of the club year will be on next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. T. H. Flint. Every member is urged to be present. A covered dish luncheon will be served at 1:00 o'clock.

Honor will be paid to the mothers on this day, and a program of the "Century of Progress" which is to be held at Chicago from June to November will be given.

If you have not paid your club dues, please do so by this date as the by-laws have been amended by which an initiation fee will be charged for re-instatement next club year.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING

The ladies of the Baptist Missionary Society met with Mrs. C. M. Cole last Thursday for an all day quilting. At the noon hour a covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by those present.

The ladies are meeting again today with Mrs. Cole to finish the quilt which is in the frames. The proceeds from this quilting will be added to their society funds.

EVENING BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. J. D. Jackson entertained with a lovely evening party at her attractive little home on Texas street Wednesday evening.

Guests seated at four tables spent an enjoyable evening of auction bridge. Miss Mary Jane Williams received high score prize, the consolation going to Miss Elaine Feemster.

At the conclusion of the games Mrs. Jackson served dainty refreshments to the following: Misses Ethel Ransbarger, Elaine Feemster, Cecelia Rehberg, Mary Jane Williams, Ruth French, Margaret Phillips, Marjorie Wingfield, Mmes. J. O. Wood, Roy Pior, Harold Dunn, Ellison Burns, Doll Nicholson, Harold Crozier, A. L. Kite, Harry Jernigan and Mrs. Ferris Arnold of Roswell.

AMBASSADOR CLASS PARTY

The Ambassador class of the Nazarene church held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pior. The usual routine of business was taken care of after which the evening was spent in games and visiting. After a pleasant evening refreshments were served to the following: Misses Ruth Wilde, Fay Castle, Opal Rhodes, Vesta Goodlett, Mmes. Myron Bruning, Margaret Ellis, Benson, Mary Jane Wilde and Messrs. Perry Cantrell, Pete O'Brian, R. E. Box, C. J. Wilde and Messrs. Russell, Richard Rockwell and C. C. Pior.

ABNORMIS SAPIENS CLUB

Mrs. Jessie Morgan was hostess to the members of the Abnormis Sapiens Bridge club at her home, 401 West Richardson Street, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Virgil Wells and Mrs. Stanley Blocker were club guests. High score was held by Mrs. Blocker at the close of the games. A delicious refreshment plate was served by Mrs. Morgan to the members and guests at the close of the afternoon.

LOCALS

E. C. Jackson of Lake Arthur was a visitor in Artesia Sunday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John W. K. Williams yesterday morning.

Mrs. A. L. Mount left yesterday for Hobbs to make a short visit with Mrs. F. W. Sewell.

G. R. Brainard spent a short time in Roswell Saturday attending to business matters.

Mmes. Clyde Guy, Ransbarger, McCutcheon and Jimmy Keith were Roswell visitors Saturday.

Mrs. C. O. Gadberry underwent an abdominal operation at the Sister's hospital in Carlsbad Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Henriksen and family of Hagerman spent Sunday here visiting Mr. Henriksen's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Clayton, Miss Pauline and Leon spent Sunday in Hobbs with J. A. Clayton, Jr., and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley and daughter, Joan and Barbara spent Sunday in the mountain district, driving as far as Weed.

Elliott Barker of Santa Fe, state game warden spent a few days the past week in southeastern New Mexico attending to official duties.

Misses Lucille Morriss, Glenn Polk and Anna Mae James spent the week-end in Roswell with Mrs. Joe Massie, sister of Miss Morriss.

Mrs. E. J. Luther returned Friday from Ft. Worth, Texas where she spent the past few weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. Sig Iversen and family.

Miss Evelyn Cobble returned from El Paso, last Friday afternoon where she had been the guest of Miss Glennis Smith for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams and family drove up to Roswell Monday evening to hear the lecture of Major Phillip Martindale, naturalist and noted lecturer.

Miss Katherine Peterson is the house guest of Mrs. Joe Hamann for a few days this week before leaving for her home in Greenville, Iowa, the latter part of this week.

Miss LaVon Brown went to Vaughn by stage Sunday, she joined a party there and motored on to Las Vegas for a few days' visit before returning here the latter part of this week.

R. E. Coleman of Lamesa, Texas, president of the Cottonwood gin is spending a few days here attending to business matters. Mr. Coleman plans to move back to the Cottonwood within the next two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunn and children and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Muncy left Tuesday for California. The Duns will visit Mrs. Dunn's parents near Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Muncy will visit their children at Wilmington.

Misses Linna McCaw, Thelma McCaw and LaDean McCroby drove to Roswell Sunday afternoon with Miss Merrill Bradley who took the stage there for Kirksville, Missouri, where she will spend her summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams of Malaga were here visiting with friends the first of the week. Monday night they were guests at the Tom Terry home on the Cottonwood. Tuesday they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Myers.

Mrs. Ferris Arnold came down from her home in Roswell, Saturday, returning the same day. She was accompanied on the return trip by her mother, Mrs. Beecher Rowan and Miss Cora Rogers who are spending this week in Roswell.

W. E. Flint drove to Signal Peak, south of Carlsbad Sunday to meet Mrs. Flint who has spent several weeks visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Briam of Marfa, Texas. Mrs. Flint's parents brought her to the meeting place, Signal Peak, Sunday.

Miss Lucille Forsyth and her mother, Mrs. Mary Forsyth left Saturday by automobile for their home at Karney, Nebraska.

Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr., Martin Yates, III and small son, John left Wednesday for Temple, Texas where little John will be taken through the clinic. From there they expect to drive to Austin for Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Yates and St. Clair who are students at the University of Texas. Mrs. Yates and the boys expect to be away for several weeks.

MRS. JUDD GOES TO ASYLUM

Winnie Ruth Judd, 28 year old wife of a physician, came back Monday to Phoenix, Arizona, where she admittedly killed her two best friends, Agnes Anne LeROI and Hedvig Samuelson, whose bodies were sent to Los Angeles in trunks.

Mrs. Judd saw few things to remind her of that tragedy, however, before the portals of the Arizona state hospital for insane swallowed her. A lunacy jury by its verdict Saturday night substantiated the asylum for the gal-lows.

The hospital will be Mrs. Judd's home for the rest of her life, unless she is found sane again, in which case she still could be hanged.

She was brought to Phoenix from the state prison at Florence where Monday morning she gave vent to one of her characteristic outbursts, railing at her mother and threatening to kill herself.

RAYMOND TATE DEAD

Local people who knew Raymond L. Tate, former Lea county oil operator will regret to learn of his death which occurred in Trinidad, Colorado Friday as result of an attack of pneumonia. Mr. Tate had lived in the state ten years and up until a short time ago was actively interested in the Lea county oil field. During this time he was a frequent visitor here. Funeral services were held at Portales Monday and burial was made in a Portales cemetery.

MILES STONE DEAD

Miles Stone, age 78, pioneer Eddy county rancher passed away April 15th in Los Angeles, California April 15th, according to word received in Carlsbad. Mr. Stone came to New Mexico in the early eighties and lived in Eddy county a number of years before moving to California.

ENGRAVING—THE ADVOCATE

This Cameraman Got His Picture



When parts of southwest Philadelphia were flooded by the overflow of the Delaware river and Darby creek the news photographers had difficulty getting the pictures they wanted. One of them is shown above perched precariously in a tree with his camera in action.

Do We Americans Need A Dictator?

To tell us where and how to spend our money, so it will not accumulate in the hands of a few?

When the public quits demanding items manufactured and distributed by Wall Street, this independent store will be glad to quit handling them.

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Man's Toyo and Washable Panamas, each—
98 and \$1.95

Ladies' Picture Hats

In beautiful braid and straw combinations, only—
\$2.95

Beautiful patterns in a range of colors in
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Voiles at, a yard—
25c

Ladies White Shoes in Embroidered Sandals, Novelty Ties and Pumps, pair—
\$1.95

Men's smart Ties in colorful combinations, each—
25c

Men's Novelty Summer Socks, a pair—
25c

Men's all Silk Socks with clock design, three pair—
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FOR SALE

BARN YARD MANURE—From feed lot, delivered anywhere in town at \$1.50 per ton. Inquire at the E. B. Bullock warehouse. 11-tfc

FOR SALE—Grade A Milk, 20¢, 25¢ and 30¢ per gallon. Also fresh cow for sale. C. M. Cole. 16-2tp

FOR SALE—Fish Worms, 25¢ per hundred. Apply at N. E. Garrett's residence, north of Continental Refinery. 17-1tc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Four room, modern, furnished house, close in. Mrs. C. R. Blocker, phone 299 or inquire at Advocate office. 50-1f

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LOST—Black purse containing keys and compact. Five dollars reward for return to Mrs. Jack Clady. 17-1tp

WANTED

WORK WANTED—By the hour, day or week, by able bodied widow with reference. Telephone 90. 17-1tp

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-tfc

BLOOD TESTED CHICKS

From some of the Southwest's finest breeding flocks. All flocks **CERTIFIED**—All flocks blood tested—11 great breeds to choose from. Only \$5.50 per 100 and up. Try them at our risk. We are the oldest and largest hatchery in the state. Wicks Modern Hatcheries, Clovis, N. Mex. 14-tfc

EXTRA MATTRESS SPECIAL

These special prices in effect until May 1: New 45lb cotton mattress \$3.00; old mattresses made over, new ticking \$2.25; rugs cleaned 1½¢ per square foot, phone, write Roswell Mattress Co. 16-2tc

USE PROPER METHOD TO DRY DAIRY COW

It is a safe practice to stop milking a cow entirely that is producing no more than two gallons of milk daily, says E. E. Anderson of the New Mexico State College. This method is much easier and quicker than the prolonged practice usually followed of skipping milkings and taking but a portion of milk each time until the cow is dry.

After several months in production, milk secretion comes largely thru the stimulation resulting from the act of milking. Therefore when there is a complete cessation of milking, the stimulation caused by the act of milking itself is entirely removed. In addition, when milking ceases the udder naturally fills up and a pressure is established which is apparently great enough to stop milk secretion. After secretion ceases, the milk is gradually resorbed from the gland until it becomes dry. It is a mistake to milk out a cow during the resorption period, as this releases the pressure within the gland and at the same time the act of milking stimulates the gland to activity, thus again causing milk to be secreted and prolonging the drying off process.

For the cow giving several gallons of milk daily, the flow must be reduced before milking ceases entirely. A satisfactory method is to eliminate all grain from the ration and, if possible, put the cow on a low protein roughage such as corn or grain sorghum fodder or similar feeds. After a few days on such feed, begin skipping milkings, removing only sufficient milk to keep the cow fairly comfortable. When the production has dropped to two gallons daily, cease milking entirely. As soon as the cow is entirely dry, normal feeding can be resumed.

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

THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR



THE CHURCHES

COTTONWOOD CHURCH

Rev. John Klassen, Pastor.
Sunday school every Sunday at 10:00 a. m., I. H. Burgess, Superintendent.
Framing every 2nd and 4th Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
Everybody invited to attend, you will be welcome.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

613 W. Main Street
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Sunday service.
"Everlasting Punishment" is the subject Sunday, April 30th. The golden text from Job reads: "Is not destruction to the wicked? and strange punishment to the workers of iniquity?"

Among the Bible citations in the lesson-sermon is the following verse from Ezek. 18:31: "Cast away from you all your transgressions, whereby ye have transgressed and make you a new heart and a new spirit: for why will ye die, O house of Israel?"
A correlative passage from the Christian Science Textbook states: "Is man lost spiritually? No, he can only lose a sense material. All sin is of the flesh. It cannot be spiritual. Sin exists here or hereafter only so long as the illusion of mind in matter remains. It is a sense of sin, and not a sinful soul, which is lost. Evil is destroyed by the sense of good."

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 6:00 p. m.
Holy communion, second Monday of each month, and at other times as announced.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. A. S. Dowd, Minister
9:45 a. m. Sunday school. C. O. Brown, superintendent.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon and holy communion.
7:30 p. m. evening worship. Sermon and song. Enjoy the hour in fellowship, in worship, in service.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. F. C. Rowland, Pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Fred Cole, superintendent.
Preaching service 11:00 a. m. Sermon on the work of the D. V. B. S. Parents and children interested in the daily vacation Bible school are urged to be present. Some of the questions answered by the pastor in this sermon will be: "What is the D. V. B. S.?" "Why Do We Need Vacations Schools?" etc.
B. T. S. 6:30 p. m. H. C. Morehead, director.
Evening worship 7:45 p. m. A Christian automobile is one that brings as many people as possible to church.

FRAZIER-KEATING REVIVAL

The First Baptist church has been fortunate in securing The Rev. Earl Keating, the popular pastor at Alamogordo and F. C. Frazier, evangelistic singer of the Baptist State convention to assist the pastor and local workers in holding the semi-annual revival June 11-25. Some of the most far-reaching revivals of Arizona and New Mexico have been held by these splendid workers and the Artesia community should be blessed by their coming this way. Mr. Frazier is a graduate of the School of Gospel Music of the Southwestern Seminary, and has always organized and conducted large choirs wherever he works, his booster choirs alone have enlisted the young people by the hundreds. The Rev. Keating is an inspiring preacher of the old time gospel in a way that attracts large crowds to his church at Alamogordo.

COTTONWOOD ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Funk and family spent Sunday at the Roy Vermillion home in Artesia.
Miss Ruth Hogan of Artesia was a guest of Miss Mary Jane Terry several days last week.

Jack Fleming spent a few days last week visiting his sister, Mrs. Glenn Yarnell and Mrs. Yarnell.
Miss Mable Vowell, Upper Cottonwood teacher will spend two weeks with friends at Carlsbad before going to her home at Martin, Tennessee.

Miss Mary Jane Terry and Mrs. Glenn Yarnell gave a social for the 7th and 8th grade pupils of the Lower Cottonwood school Wednesday night.

After the graduating exercises at the Upper Cottonwood school a number of friends gave Jess Funk a surprise party last week. A number of games were enjoyed.

Mrs. Ben Marable of Colorado, Texas and Mrs. Forrest Thar and baby of Big Springs, Texas arrived Sunday to spend the summer with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Prentice.

Mmes. Oscar and Clarence Pearson and Mrs. B. F. Nelson, who have spent a few days visiting Mrs. Pearson's daughter, Mrs. Floyd Senter and family at Houston, Texas returned home Sunday night. Miss Alma Pearson who has also been visiting in the Senter home returned with them.

The Lower Cottonwood graduating exercises were held Monday evening. Eight class members graduated as follows: Essie Smith, Eva L. Smith, Ida Mae Burke, Averill Durbin, Stewart Box, Herman Johnson, George Johnson, Lucille Burke. The program is found elsewhere in this issue.

The graduating exercises of the Upper Cottonwood school was held at the school auditorium on the 19th. Class members presented the class will, the class prophecy, the valedictory with piano solos by Douglas O'Bannon. The graduation address delivered by Supt. D. N. Pope of Roswell on the subject of the advantages of modern education. County Superintendent H. R. Rodgers made a short address in presenting the diplomas. Mrs. C. J. Ferrell played the processional and a violin duet was played by Misses Alma Lane and Iva Ruth Glasscock. The invocation by Clyde Nihart and the benediction was pronounced by the Rev. John Klassen of Hope. The class roll: Cooper Malone, Marjorie Belle Funk, Lucille Ray, Douglas O'Bannon, Geraldine Felton, Z. Taylor, Ione White, J. D. White and Leonard Howard.

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

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. W. B. McCrory, Pastor.
9:55 a. m. Bible school.
11:00 a. m. morning worship. Topic: "The Personal Equation in Religion."
6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor.
7:30 p. m. Evening service. Passion Play picture.

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. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Pressing Forward."
6:45 p. m. Junior and Senior Epworth League devotional services.
7:30 p. m. evening worship. Sermon by the pastor. The first in a series on the "Apostles' Creed." This creed is recited each Sunday by all Methodist congregations. There are many statements in the creed which are not understood by members of the congregation. We shall endeavor to give a practical interpretation of this ancient creed.
We shall be glad to have you attend our worship services. If you are not members of some other congregation, why not come this Sunday.

LAKWOOD ITEMS

Mrs. M. C. Lee, Reporter
Cotton planting is the order of the day in this locality.

Mrs. M. C. Lee is recovering from an attack of tonsillitis.

The following items were received to late for publication last week.

Ruth House is visiting her brother, R. L. House and family this week.

Jim Foster is helping with the lambing at his mother's ranch west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Porter of near Atoka visited a while in Lakewood Monday.

The Rev. J. D. Terry, Mrs. Jim King and daughter, Eunice visited Monday at the M. C. Lee home.

Miss Eunice King of Dayton spent the week-end with Mrs. M. C. Lee and family and attended the picnic Sunday.

Mrs. Dwight Lee came up from Carlsbad and spent Tuesday with relatives here. Mr. Lee went on to Roswell on business.

Mrs. Tom Price and baby came in from their ranch west of town Sunday and went to Rocky Arroyo with the Sunday school picnicers.

H. D. Cass and daughter, Mrs. C. C. Millman and Howard White returned from Tyler, Texas last week after visiting relatives for three weeks.

Clyde Moore spent the week-end with his brother Ray Moore at the Forrest Lea home. Clyde is working for Mr. Joyce on a ranch west of town.

Mrs. Forrest Lee and little daughter have been visiting the past ten days with her sister, Mrs. Tom Scott at the J. A. Foster ranch west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stewart left for their home at Carter, Oklahoma Monday. On their way they stopped over at the Cottonwood and attended the eighth grade exercises Monday night.

El Primero Bridge club met at Mrs. J. D. Millman's ranch ten miles west of town Friday night. Refreshments of barbecued chevon, pineapple pie and coffee were served to about 25 people. All reported a very nice time. The club will meet next Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Joey Hunt.

ENGRAVING—THE ADVOCATE

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Cole and Misses Gladys and Ina Cole were Roswell visitors Friday.

Miss Anna Mae James left by stage Tuesday afternoon for her home in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Larry left Tuesday for Dallas, Texas where they will spend several days before their return.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brainard left Sunday and will spend several days at Dallas and Ft. Worth before their return.

Mrs. Lloyd Simons was a patient at the Eddy county hospital in Carlsbad over the week-end and Sunday underwent a minor operation.

Messrs. L. P. Evans, Martin Yates and J. K. Wallingford returned Friday from a business trip to El Paso, Texas and Jaurez, Mexico.

Mmes. Aubrey Watson, Joe Hamann and Jack Clady were in Roswell Monday, driving up for the afternoon matinee at the Yucca theater.

Mrs. John Runyan and children moved back to their ranch home on the Penasco last Thursday and will spend the summer months there.

Mrs. A. L. Kite drove to Roswell Sunday taking her brother, Olan Woolridge, who had made his home with Mrs. Kite during the past school year.

Mrs. C. W. Boyd and there sons, Wayne, Orville and Grady, who were on their way from El Paso to their home at Plainview, Texas stopped here and spent Tuesday with her sister-in-law, Mrs. C. E. Mann and family.

Miss Lucille Rowley has been appointed girl scout troop leader No. 3 to succeed Miss Anna Mae James. Miss Rowley is a very efficient leader and her familiarity with scouting will enable troop No. 3 to accomplish a great deal during the summer vacation.

Miss Kathleen Newman left Saturday for Las Vegas where she will take work at the next semester at the New Mexico Normal University. She will remain for summer school there also. Miss Louise Newman who is attending the Normal University at the present time will remain for the summer school with her sister.

WATCH TALKS BY OTTS

A watch regardless of the cost is only as good as the time it keeps. A watch should be examined by a competent Jeweler at least once a year, and if dropped should be examined immediately. A broken or cracked jewel may eat away a pivot and cause a double repair bill in a very short time.

Don't regulate your watch. If it is in good condition any Jeweler will be glad to regulate it free of charge.

Don't open the case as this will only hasten a cleaning job.

Don't turn the setting backwards this often causes a watch to bank or hang up and means a trip to the repair shop. Try me on your next repair job. My prices are reasonable.

PAUL OTTS
JEWELER
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AT THE CITY HALL

MANY LIVESTOCK GRAZED ON FOREST LANDS

ALBUQUERQUE—During 1932, as shown by the annual grazing report recently compiled, there were actually grazed nearly 302,000 head of cattle and horses, and 480,000 head of sheep and goats, on the national forests of Arizona and New Mexico, states John Kerr, assistant regional forester in charge of range management.

Of the 1,375 range allotments the big game population is estimated as heavy on 145 moderate on 463, light on 752 and negligible on only 15.

The report further shows that more than 350 miles of range fences were constructed during the year at a combined cost to the government and stockmen of over \$54,000. Investments in water developments, corrals and other range improvements during the year amounted to over \$24,000 which swelled the total to nearly \$80,000. These fences, water developments and other range improvements while furnishing much

needed employment are specifically designed to afford better control of stock and ranges, thus reducing the losses and operating costs to the stockmen and at the same time providing protection from the excessive and damaging use to national forest resources.

Van Welch accompanied by Jack Clady and his daughter Mrs. E. J. Luther left yesterday for Robinson, Illinois. Mr. Welch expects to make a business visit to other eastern points before his return.

THE Gold Standard

We can give you sensible auto or electric repairing, but we can't explain the gold standard, which we beat Uncle Sam off of several months.

Dr. Loucks Garage
PHONE 65



Announcing The Artesia Dairy

Under management of J. A. Patton after May 1st and will continue giving the service and quality dairy products for which it has been noted for 14 years.

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FLOUR ADVANCING---

Flour has made a slight advance the past week and probably will continue to advance with the price of wheat. An extra supply of flour laid in now means a saving for you.

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Do not let your property deteriorate for want of paint protection. If you do, you take a heavy loss... we have what you need to stop rust and decay and save what you have—

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Still a few numbers in porch and lawn trellis at Bargain Prices

Kemp Lumber Co.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

TRANSPORTATION BIDS

The Eddy County Board of Education will receive bids until May 5th, 1933 upon the following school transportation lines: District No. 3—Transportation of all pupils to Carlsbad school. District No. 4—Transportation of all pupils to Carlsbad school. District No. 4—Transportation of all pupils to Upper Blackriver school. District No. 6—Transportation of all pupils to Carlsbad school. District No. 7—Transportation grade pupils to Lakewood school. District No. 7—Transportation of all high school pupils to Artesia as well as high school and grade pupils from Dayton. District No. 10—Transportation of grade pupils to Loving. District No. 11—Transportation of grade pupils to Malaga school. District No. 11—Transportation of grade pupils to Harroun Farm school. District No. 12—Transportation of grade pupils to Dayton. District No. 12-A—Transportation of grade pupils to Oilfield school. District No. 12-A—Transportation of high school and grade pupils to Artesia. District No. 17—Transportation of grade and high school pupils to Artesia school. District No. 27—Transportation of all high school pupils to Artesia school. District No. 27—Transportation of all grade pupils to Lower Cottonwood school. District No. 27—Transportation of all grade pupils to Upper Cottonwood school. Any information relative to routes or equipment may be had on inquiry from the office of County Superintendent of Schools, Carlsbad, N. M. Bidders are requested to submit one-year and two-year bids. All bids must be sealed and addressed to the County Supt. of Schools. The County Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Signed: JACK D. WILLIAMS President.

ATTEST: H. R. RODGERS Secretary EDDY COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION. 15-4t

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

KEMP LUMBER COMPANY, a Corporation and J. W. GARETT, Plaintiffs, Vs. MRS. LULA PRICE formerly Mrs. Lula Cantrell, Administratrix of the Estate of A. WEBB, deceased; M. S. WEBB, et al, Defendants. No. 5368.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE

Whereas by virtue of a Final Judgment and Decree rendered and entered by the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, in the above entitled and numbered cause on the 23rd day of February, 1933, wherein Kemp Lumber Company, a corporation, J. W. Garrett are plaintiffs, and Mrs. Lula Price formerly Mrs. Lula Cantrell, Administratrix of the Estate of A. Webb, deceased, M. S. Webb, J. L. Maus, A. V. Webb, H. L. Webb, Lula Price, formerly Mrs. Lula Cantrell, J. N. Webb, if living or if any of the above named parties be dead, then the unknown heirs, executors, administrators, guardians, devisees, trustees and assigns of such deceased persons and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon, or right, title or interest in and to the estate of A. Webb, deceased, are defendants to which judgment reference is hereby made for the particulars hereof, I, D. I. Clowe, heretofore appointed Special Master in the Judgment and Order of Sale in said cause and having been ordered to sell the hereinafter described property at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will offer for sale and sell at the front door of the First National Bank of Artesia, New Mexico on the 22nd day of May, 1933, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. on that day all of the right, title, interest and claim of said defendants and each of them, of, in and to the following described real estate situate, lying and being in Eddy County, New Mexico, and more particularly described as follows to-wit: SE 1/4 of Section 11 in Twp. 17-S., Range 26-E., N. M. P. M., containing 160 acres of land more or less, and all of the appurtenances thereunto belonging including the rents and profits on said lands for the year 1933. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying the judgment and decree in said cause rendered in favor of the above named plaintiffs and against the above named defendants in the principal sum of \$3,319.34 together with 10% interest per annum thereon from the 15th day of February, 1933, until paid, and the further sum of \$331.93 attorneys fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 15th day of February, 1933, until paid, together with all costs of said suit and the cost of this sale and a reasonable Special Master's fee. NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell the said property as aforesaid or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy said Judgment under the terms of said Decree and the law in such cases made and provided. Witness my hand this 18th day of April 1933.

The west half of Lot 13 and the W 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 1, all in Twp. 16-S., Range 25-E., N. M. P. M., containing 40 acres of land more or less, and all of the appurtenances thereunto belonging, including the rents and profits on said lands for the year 1933. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying the judgment in said cause in favor of the above named plaintiffs and against the above named defendants in the principal sum of \$916.78 together with 10% interest thereon from the 23rd day of February, 1933, until paid, and the sum of \$91.67

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attorneys fees together with 6% interest thereon from the 23rd day of February, 1933 until paid, and all costs of suit and the cost of this sale including a reasonable special master's fee.

NOW THEREFORE notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell said property or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy the judgment aforesaid under the terms of said Decree and the law in such cases made and provided. Witness my hand this 18th day of April 1933.

D. I. CLOWE, Special Master. 16-4t

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

KEMP LUMBER COMPANY, a Corporation, MAX COLL and C. C. SMITH, Plaintiffs, Vs. OWEN CAMPBELL and ELSIE CAMPBELL, Defendants. No. 5355.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE

Whereas by virtue of a final judgment and decree rendered and entered by the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, in the above entitled and numbered cause on the 15th day of February, 1933, wherein Kemp Lumber Company, a corporation, Max Coll and C. C. Smith are plaintiffs and Owen Campbell and Elsie Campbell are defendants, to which judgment and decree reference is hereby made for the particulars thereof, I, W. E. Ragsdale, heretofore appointed Special Master by the Judgment and Decree rendered in said cause and having been ordered to sell the hereinafter described real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will offer for sale and sell at the front door of the First National Bank of Artesia, New Mexico, on the 22nd day of May, 1933, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m. on that date, all of the right, title, interest and claim of the said defendants and each of them, of, in and to the following described real estate situate, lying and being in Eddy County, New Mexico, and more particularly described as follows to-wit: SE 1/4 of Section 11 in Twp. 17-S., Range 26-E., N. M. P. M., containing 160 acres of land more or less, and all of the appurtenances thereunto belonging including the rents and profits on said lands for the year 1933.

Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying the judgment and decree in said cause rendered in favor of the above named plaintiffs and against the above named defendants in the principal sum of \$3,319.34 together with 10% interest per annum thereon from the 15th day of February, 1933, until paid, and the further sum of \$331.93 attorneys fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 15th day of February, 1933, until paid, together with all costs of said suit and the cost of this sale and a reasonable Special Master's fee. NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell the said property as aforesaid or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy said Judgment under the terms of said Decree and the law in such cases made and provided. Witness my hand this 18th day of April 1933.

W. E. RAGSDALE, Special Master. 16-4t

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Hints for the Household



Hint For Baby's Crepers Instead of running in elastic at knees of baby's creeper, run Oxford length shoe strings. These will not stretch and have to be replaced. The garment can be ironed flat and the baby's leg will always appear near. The ends of the shoe string can always be tucked inside.

Door Mat Aid In the wet spring weather keep your door mat on your first step covered by roof or eaves instead of at the door entrance. In this way your steps will keep clean longer.

To Keep Cheese Wrap cheese to be kept in paraffine paper. Then in an outer paper. Put elastic around this to keep wrapping close to cut surfaces.

BAKING HINTS

Whole Wheat Bread 2 cups of flour (sifted). 1 cup of whole wheat flour. 3/4 cup sugar. 6 teaspoons of baking powder. Little salt. 1/2 cup chopped nuts.

1/2 cup of chopped raisins. 1 cup milk. 1 egg (well beaten). Method: Mix in order given. Turn in well greased loaf pan. Bake from three-fourths of an hour to one hour.

Butterscotch Pie (By Request) Make pie crust. Line pie tin with pie crust and bake.

Butterscotch Filling 1 cup brown sugar. 1 cup water. 2 eggs (separated). 2 heaping tablespoons of butter. 3 tablespoons of flour. 1 teaspoon of vanilla.

Method: Melt butter—mix the dry ingredients, add beaten yolks—stir well. Gradually add water and cook until it thickens. Fill pie shell. Make meringue using the two egg whites—two tablespoons powdered sugar—little baking powder. Brown in slow oven.

DESSERT AND BEVERAGE HINTS

California Orange Marmalade 1 Doz. navel oranges. 2 lemons. Sugar.

Method: Peel rind and take off white and throw away. Cut up pulp of oranges and lemons. Let stand over night. In the morning cook fast for 20 minutes. Measure and add equal amount of sugar. Cook half hour. Stir constantly with wooden spoon. Pack in jars. Cover when cool.

Nut Frappe

1/2 envelope gelatine. 1/4 cup cold water. 1/2 cup sugar. 1 cup cooked pineapple and strawberries. 1 cup cream or evaporated milk. 3/4 cup milk. 1 cup chopped nuts. White of 1 egg.

Method: Soak gelatine in cold water five minutes. Dissolve over hot water. Add dissolved gelatine to whipped cream. Milk and sugar; stir in beaten egg white; add pineapple, strawberries and chopped nuts. Serve cold.

Delicious Spring Luncheon Dish

Place a piece of buttered toast on each plate. Put a slice of boiled ham on that and on top of the ham a generous helping of fresh asparagus. Serve Hollandaise sauce on this. Top it all with fresh mushrooms well buttered and seasoned.

LOCALS

S. S. Ward was a business visitor in Roswell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vandagriff spent Sunday in Carlsbad with friends.

Bob Scaggs was taken to Roswell Monday, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.

The small son of Mrs. Mary Miller underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils on Tuesday.

John Cauhope passed thru here Sunday en route to his ranch west of here after a visit with home folks at Roswell.

W. E. Flint, inspector of the federal agricultural loans was in Roswell Friday attending to duties connected with his office.

Scott Meyer of Hannibal, Missouri, is spending a few days in this section looking after his farming interests on the Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Garst of Magdalena arrived last Thursday afternoon and visited at the home of Mrs. Garst's sister, Mrs. W. H. Cobble until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jernigan and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn spent Sunday in Hobbs as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jernigan and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clayton.

L. G. May of Santa Fe, district manager of the Pecos Valley Gas Co., and associated companies spent the first of the week here attending to business matters.

A. A. Gargan of Denver, Colorado, district commercial manager of the Western Union Telegraph Co., spent a short time here last week on business connected with his company.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams and daughter, Annadele, Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. T. C. Woods and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips spent Sunday at the Williams ranch on the Cap Rock.

Mrs. Lon Meadows (nee Katie Cowan) of Deming is the mother of a baby boy, born last Wednesday. Her mother, Mrs. R. O. Cowan left here last Tuesday to be with Mrs. Meadows for a period of time.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

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"Many a smart guy who 'knows his onions' can't sell them at a profit!"

GREAT CHORUS WILL PRESENT CREATION AT CAVERHS MAY 6

The major music event of the year in the southwest will be the presentation of Hadyn's oratorio, "The Creation," by a chorus of 125 Texans and New Mexicans in the amphitheater of Carlsbad Caverns National Park, 750 feet below the surface of the earth at 7:30 p. m. Saturday, May 6th. The chorus is composed of the Hadyn Oratorio Society of El Paso and choirs from Artesia, Carlsbad, Deming and Roswell. Roscoe P. Conkling of El Paso is director.

This presentation was made possible through courtesy of the National Park Service and Thomas Boles, superintendent of Carlsbad Caverns National Park. Mr. Conkling praised highly the excellent co-operation that has been given by the Society by the Park Service. Rehearsals for the oratorio have been conducted in El Paso for several weeks. The choirs in the various New Mexico cities have been rehearsing under their own directors, and some of them have visited El Paso to rehearse part of the time with the society in El Paso. The accompaniment will be played by a full symphony orchestra made up of members of the El Paso Symphony Orchestra. There will be no admission charge other than the regular elevator fee at the Caverns.

The presentation of the oratorio in the Caverns is a most unusual event and will be accompanied by some unusual lighting effects. Mr. Conkling made a careful test of the acoustics of the amphitheater and found conditions perfect for giving the oratorio. A mixed quartette composed of Mmes. M. A. Corbin and V. L. Gates and Messrs. Earl Bigler and James Allen will join the great conclave on May 6th.

NEW MEXICO TEACHERS' COLLEGE CUT FROM LIST

CHICAGO, Illinois—The University of Detroit and four colleges were dropped from the accredited list of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools last week. Reasons in the case of four of the schools included "athletic conditions."

In addition to the University of Detroit, the colleges were: Augustana College and Theological Seminary, Rock Island, Illinois; Hamline University, St. Paul, Minnesota; New Mexico State Teachers' College, Silver City, N. M., and Municipal University of Wichita, Kansas. "General educational conditions" was given as the reason for dropping the New Mexico school.

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THE VETERAN CASES TO BE RECLASSIFIED

ALBUQUERQUE — Veterans bureau officials said Friday they were ready to start work at once on the re-classification of all veterans cases in the state under new rating schedules just received.

The new ratings will be applied to every case in the state and it is expected to be some time before it will be known just what effect the new veterans compensation and disability allowance regulations will have on New Mexico veterans.

The review of the cases, officials said, will be conducted entirely on evidence in the bureau's files, and correspondence or personal appearance on the part of the veterans will not be permitted.

It was said the rating in cases of inactive tuberculosis having a history of six months hospitalization for treatment will be 50 percent for the first five years following arrest of the disease and 25 per cent for the next five years after which no rating is provided. Ratings for active tuberculosis cases will be either 50, 75 or 100 per cent depending on the amount of disability.

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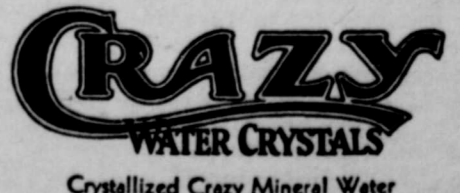


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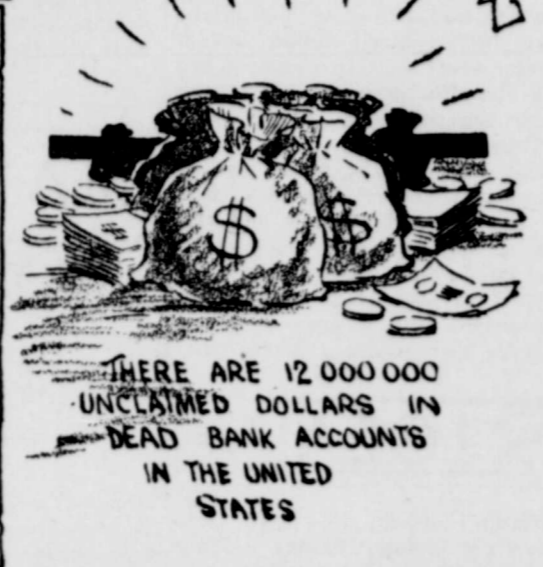
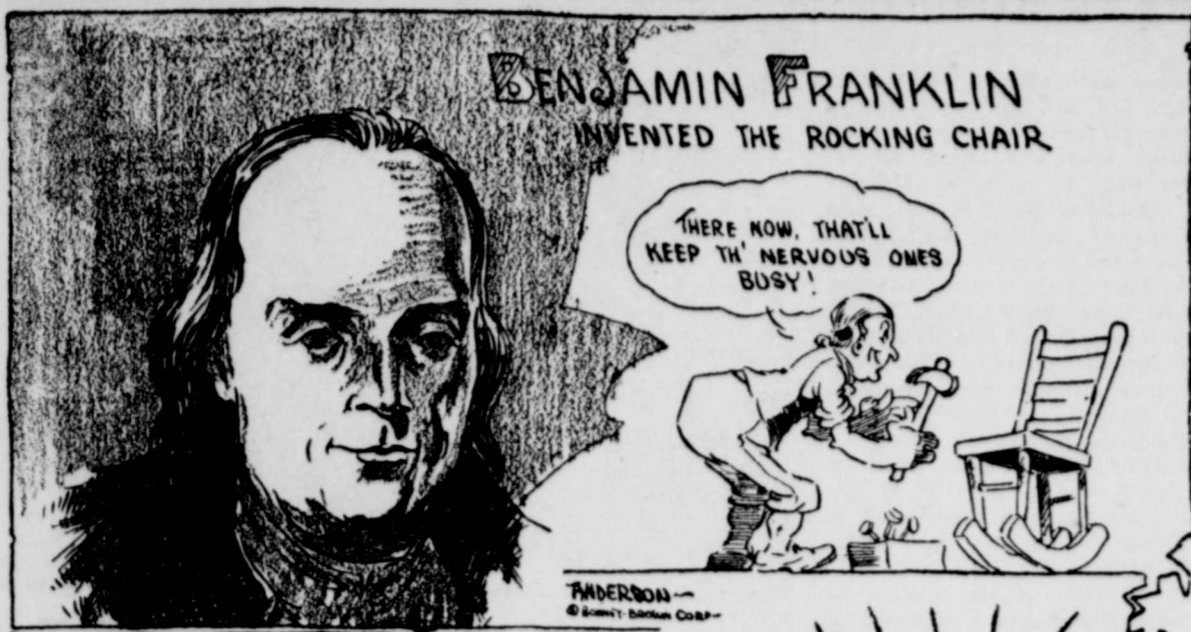
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An Interesting Trip To The Sulu Sea

(By Col. W. B. Pistole)

It was at five o'clock on Saturday the 28th, day of January that all included in the orders previously issued, except Major Taylor, assembled at Pier one, Manila and embarked on the Mine Planter George Harrison bound for a twelve-day inspection trip to the southern islands of this group. The day was fair, a slight breeze was blowing and everybody was in excellent spirits. Promptly at the scheduled hour the signal was given, the ropes were cast off, the engines churned and we were on our way. The Harrison is not a fast boat—ten knots an hour is about her limit—but it is sturdy and we soon settled down to a pleasant routine for the days ahead. We went down to dinner a little after six-thirty and we had just passed out into the China sea beyond Corregidor when we had finished. It was not long after dinner was over until most of us were ready to turn in. There were state rooms for only four ranking officers. The rest of us slept on cots made up on the upper deck. We were protected from the rainfall and from the tropical sun in daytime by two heavy canvases overhead. Another was let down on the windward side to protect us from the breeze. In the morning we were far down the west coast of Luzon. Land was in sight only a short distance away—part of the time on both sides of us. The day was cool and partly cloudy. Men lounged lazily upon the deck, slept peacefully or read books or magazines, of which there was an ample supply. We had radio equipment for sending and receiving messages. Important news of the day came to us as at home. The day soon passed and night was upon us again. There was a little rain at some time during the night and the wind got to fifty miles per hour. We went in the face of it so that while the boat

pitched a little it did not rock. The Harrison is a sturdy boat and was, at all times under good control so that nobody suffered much inconvenience from the movement. At daylight on Monday morning we were in sight of Iloilo (elo elo). The island of Guimaras lies near the island of Panay (Pan-i) opposite to the harbor at Iloilo and the channel is narrow. The port of Iloilo is about a mile up the Buena Vista river from the strait. We anchored at about eight o'clock and were met by a company of Philippine Constabulary, with a brass band, under the command of a major of constabulary. The reception committee was in charge of Captain Thomas Powell, an officer of the Judge Advocate General's Reserve Corps. After the usual courtesies and after a review of the constabulary company by General Booth we went to the provincial capitol where we met the Provincial Governor and other officials, who are, of course, Filipinos. After the reception at the capitol our party separated and spent the day according to our respective tastes. I went for a ride with three other officers and out into the country as far as the Country Club, a distance of about nineteen kilometers. The roads are good and the people are generally comfortably housed after the Filipino standards. The Country Club is not an elaborate one but it is attractive and the golf course is pronounced a good one by members of our party who played. On the way to and from the club I saw, for the first time, natives thrashing rice by an improved method over the centuries old thrashing floor. A platform is built about eight or ten feet above the ground and floored with bamboo poles. The thrashed straw is put upon that and tramped or beaten until all of the grain falls upon a mat spread upon the

ground below and most of the chaff is blown out in the process. A roof of palm leaves protects the workers from the tropical sun. This appears to me to be about as far ahead of the old time thrashing floor as the self binder is ahead of the cradle in harvesting. Iloilo is a city of about 50,000 people. It is the principal shipping center for the sugar industry of the islands of Panay and Negros. It is not, on the whole, so up to date a city as Manila; but it appears substantial. Many of the buildings in the business center are substantially reinforced concrete three or four stories in height. It has an up to date airport and while we were there were just inaugurating three times a week air mail to Manila. Several of our officers flew over the island of Negros to witness an active volcano in slight eruption. The stores are similar to those in Manila—off the Escolta, Manila's Fifth Avenue. I bought a few local pictures for my collection; but saw nothing else that attracted me sufficiently to induce me to buy. A few of us were invited to the home of Captain Powell for lunch. And such a home. Both Captain Powell and his charming wife are natives of Georgia. Captain Powell's father was a lawyer and Judge of First Instance out here in the early period of American Occupation. This beautiful home is in the immediate vicinity of some of the higher schools. It is nestled in a bower of tropical beauty. I have been in larger homes but this one has an individuality that is rare anywhere. The walls are paneled in native woods that were sent to the U. S. for sawing and finishing. There is a great deal of grill work of Captain Powell's own design. The decorations are elegant, but not gaudy. The whole house and yard are wired so that a phone can be "plugged in" most anywhere. While we were sitting out in the yard after lunch a servant came out with a phone in his hand and gave it to the captain with the announcement that he was wanted. The "connection" was a matter of a mere "twist of the wrist." After lunch I went with Captain Powell to his office. It is in one of the principal downtown buildings, owned by a company of which he is the head. On the lower floor is a bank and two or three stores. The upper floor houses the Masonic bodies. The other floors are given over to offices. Captain Powell and his partner and one other are the only American lawyers in Iloilo; but the city is, even so, well supplied with lawyers, as there are many native attorneys, some of them very good ones, too. In order to make our schedule and to get into the open sea before nightfall it was necessary for us to leave Iloilo at five-thirty o'clock. We left the place with regret for we had been royally entertained and everybody called it the end of a perfect day as we steamed out into the strait. It is only by experience that the Filipino hospitality can be comprehended—and probably then not fully understood. And there is something about the tropics that puts the American hospitality at its best. Monday night was a little warmer than the previous nights had been—but comfortable. The lower deck of the Harrison is only about four feet above the water and some time during the night

three flying fish, flying toward the light, landed on the deck. They were good sized ones—about eight inches long—the first that I had ever seen at so close range. Tuesday was a quiet day and everybody was content to rest from the strenuous day at Iloilo. Once a whale spouted a short distance off our starboard side, but there was little other sea life. A considerable part of the day we were out of sight of land. We slackened speed early in the night so that we reached the vicinity of Zamboanga shortly after daylight. It was a little before eight o'clock that we drifted slowly toward the dock where an unusual reception awaited us. As we neared the dock three vintas with native women in them rowed out to meet us. Soon they were diving into the water—fully dressed—for coins. Pennies, five and ten cent pieces went overboard in goodly numbers, but none of them reached the bottom. I had seen men in bathing suits diving for coins before, but never fully dressed women. The boat was soon made fast to the pier and General Booth went ashore followed by the rest of the party according to rank. Lt. Col. Harry Grier and a number of the Provincial Officers were at the dock to receive us. After the usual ceremonies—and picture taking—we were escorted—between a double like of scout soldiers at present arms—to Petit Barracks, a short distance away. I do not remember ever having seen a more beautiful army post anywhere. It is small to be sure, but in a setting that must be seen to be appreciated. Added to the natural beauty of the place Col. Grier has made the most of every facility at his command to make it a real paradise. Lt. Col. J. A. O'Connor and I were entertained at the home of Lt. and Mrs. Frank Christian, who had been fellow passengers with us on the Grant when we came to the Philippines. If anything had been lacking to make our stay in Zamboanga perfect it was no longer so when we fell into the hands of these good friends. Soon after our arrival at the post the Commanding General inspected the four companies of Philippine Scouts that are stationed at Petit Barracks. Two companies are Filipino and two are Moros. They all take naturally to military service and make excellent soldiers. Many of them have been in the service since the Philippine Scouts were organized soon after the American occupation. I have never seen barracks kept in better shape nor the soldiers equipment more attractively displayed. It would be a revelation to most of our people at home to see how orderly the squad rooms are kept and how clean the messes are. About ninety per cent of the soldiers are married and live in their own quarters. I think that the ones at Petit Barracks are the best housed of any that I know who are housed under tropical conditions. In the afternoon we drove about the city for a little while and did some shopping. Here, as elsewhere in the islands, the principal shops are owned by the Chinese. Zamboanga is a city of about 30,000 population. In the heart of the business district the buildings are substantial and modern. The shops and stores are attractive and a great many of the homes are comfortable. The Country Club is about eleven kilometers from the heart of the city. The club is fairly well equipped and has an excellent 18 hole golf course. It is the principal rendezvous of the local community of Americans and Europeans, which numbers—including the officers and their families—about seventy persons. The native Filipino homes run about the same as they do in other places that I have visited; but the Moro homes are pretty sorry excuses for homes at all. At five o'clock in the afternoon we went to the quarters of Lt. Col. Harry Grier, the post commander, where we met all of the officers and ladies of the post and of the local government as well as of the American and European community and some of the business and professional families of the Filipino community. It was an unusually colorful and interesting affair and our reception was most cordial. On Thursday morning, beginning at seven-thirty I gave a talk to all of the officers of the post on the general theme of Military Law. After that was over I went to the Court of First Instance—having previously promised to do so—and sat in on the trial of a case. When I arrived at the court room the court was in recess. The judge came down to meet me and said: "Colonel we were just waiting for you to come." After meeting all of the officers of the court and the members of the bar that were present, the court was opened and I was given a seat by the side of the judge. Two policemen were being tried for misconduct toward a woman prisoner—not amounting, however, to a breach of the seventh commandment. There is no jury in either civil or criminal trials in the Philippines Islands.

The case was tried with dignity and dispatch. The Assistant Fiscal (prosecuting attorney) presented his case in a dignified manner and without unnecessary irrelevant inquiry. The attorney for the defendants was a young Chinaman—which is to say that the defense thoroughly understood its case and presented it well. I thought that his cross examination was rather artful. The prosecuting witness was a young Chinaman, too. He had married the woman prisoner, about whom the case had arisen, some time after the incident and out of considerations of expediency. It was interesting to see him parry the thrusts made at his behavior and to study his assumption of childlike innocence. A perfect poker face is the only word that will describe his attitude. I don't think I ever saw his match on a American witness stand. During the afternoon I was shopping about town when I saw and old time "Southern Ducky." He was across the street and I called to him: "Hello, when did you come from Alabama?" He looked at me in amazement as I crossed the street toward him and he said: "How'd you know I'se from Alabam?" When I assured him that I could tell across the street he said: "Well I is all right. I's from Tuskingee (?)" Then he told me that he came over with the 24th infantry in '99 that he married a native woman and settled there and has two grown children. He said that he had a rather hard time for the first five or six years and then he got a Spanish war pension. His first payment amounted to about \$4,700 and that he took four thousand pesos and bought a place out of town a little way. He has 69 cocconut trees, considerable garden land and two houses that he rents. He draws \$50.00 gold (\$100.00) per month pension. As he expressed it: "I'se jus' sittin' on de top of the wuld." When I said "Well, Uncle Sam has been pretty good to you" he replied: "No, Uncle Sam ain't been pretty good to me; he's been jus' AWFULLY GOOD to me." I think that that is entirely in accord with Uncle Sam's disposition. There are quite a few colored men as this one in various parts of the islands and most of them are pretty substantial citizens. One of them asked my chief clerk the other day about the possibility of getting transportation for his son back to the states. My clerk asked him "Sending the boy to school?" He replied: "No, only tryin' to send him where he won't sit around and say, 'Boy, Bring me a drink of water'."

On Thursday three submarines of our navy arrived in port at Zamboanga. At eight o'clock a dinner was given at the Army and Navy club by the officers and ladies of the post to all visiting army and navy officers. Some of the officers of Petit Baracks had recently been hunting and brought in a wild boar. One of the meat courses at the dinner was from that source. It was my first, and probably my last, participation

in that sort of delicacy. The head was roasted and carried about the room on a large platter. Even so he did not look very tame. We partook, however, of other portions of his anatomy. My appraisal is that the meat of the wild pig bears about the same relation to that of his tamer brother as that of the prairie chicken does to the meat of the tame one. In one respect, at least, the comparison is good; the meat is all dark, as is the meat of the prairie chicken. After a fine dinner dance we were entertained for a time by some Moro dances, given under the direction of some of the non-commissioned officers of the post. Each dance was explained by the company clerk of Lt. Christian's company. In most instances the dancers move about very little on their feet. The movement is largely of the arms and resembles pictures of Egyptian dances. One soldier sang a Moro war song, accompanied by native drums. While we did not understand what it was all about we did admire his fine voice. At eleven o'clock most of our party went aboard the Harrison bound for Jolo (Holo) ninety miles away. In the morning about eight o'clock we came into the harbor at Jolo. (Continued until next week)

1934 AUTO LICENSE PLATES

SANTA FE—Color scheme of New Mexico license plates for 1934 will be, probably exactly opposite of 1933. The passenger plates will be yellow figures on a red background, the truck red figures on a yellow background. The sizes will be 14 1/2 inches by 7. A smaller plate for motorcycles will be made.

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Springtime Scene in New England



Poets who sing of the beautiful springtime in New England would be taken aback somewhat by this snow scene. The blizzard fell in April when other parts of the country were enjoying the opening of the base 11 season. Autos were narrowed all along the highways in the vicinity of Boston.

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BIG FEDERAL RELIEF MEASURE IS SPEEDED

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The administration bill to set up a \$500,000,000 fund for direct unemployment relief neared final congressional approval Tuesday when the senate banking committee approved the measure virtually as it passed by the house.

Prompt senate approval of the legislation, introduced by Senators Wagner, (D-N. Y.), Costigan (D-Colo.) and LaFollette (R-Wis.), is expected by leaders because a similar bill was speedily approved earlier in the session.

The house bill approved by the committee Tuesday is virtually the same, however, as the measure which the senate passed. The only major change is that the first \$250,000,000 would be allocated to the states on the basis of previous relief expenditures instead of the first \$200,000,000.

A federal relief administrator would have charge of administering the gigantic fund, distributing the first \$250,000,000 to the states on the basis of public expenditures by the states and their subsidiary divisions during the preceding three-month period. The maximum each state could obtain under this portion of the fund would be one-third of the expenditures during the three month period.

The remainder of the fund could be allocated arbitrarily by the administrator on the basis of need.

The bill marks a departure from the federal policy under the Hoover administration of lending relief funds to states. It provides for outright grants which would not be repaid.

HEAR ABOUT DIST. ASSEMBLY

A report of the district conference and assembly of the 42nd district, Rotary International held at Albuquerque last week was made by the local delegates, Hugh Burch, C. J. Dexter and Col. A. T. Woods, at the weekly luncheon program of the Artesia Rotary club Tuesday.

J. L. Williams of Malaga was the only visitor present.

JUNE 12 AGREED UPON FOR ECONOMIC PARLEY

WASHINGTON, D. C.—June 12 has been agreed upon by President Roosevelt, Prime Minister MacDonald and former Premier Herriot as the opening date for the world economic conference at London.

The decision to open the international meeting on that date was interpreted as indicating the achievement of some substantial progress in the conversations among the leaders of the three nations — United States, Great Britain and France.

As a result of this understanding it is expected the organizing committee for the world conference, which meets in London next Saturday, will definitely fix that date.

FARMERS PLANTING COTTON

Farmers are busy replanting cotton. About seventy-five per cent of the early cotton will have to be replanted, it is estimated. Some cotton planted ten days ago will also have to be replanted because of the condition of the ground. Warm weather has driven the green bugs from the alfalfa fields and the alfalfa is showing a rapid growth.

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ARTESIA MEN MAY OPEN A TURQUOISE MINE EAST OF RIVER

Development of a turquoise mine is one of the latest possibilities of this section. A group of Artesia men have started prospecting operations in a promising territory, about ten miles northeast of Artesia some two miles from an old copper mine, worked several years ago. Preliminary to an exploration campaign the men have taken out about 500 pounds of a promising substance, part of which has been sent to several assayers, but the assayers have not yet agreed on the name of the substance. It has been called turquoise, azurite, malachite, copper silicate and chrysocolla. The New Mexico School of Mines has pronounced it an excellent grade of turquoise. What ever is the correct name for the substance, the assayers have been impressed with the fact that it is capable of taking a high polish, which adds to its value.

The men are now working on what they believe to be a promising lead, which may uncover a higher grade ore or substance. The polished ore looks just like turquoise to the laymen which may be polished into settings for rings, beads and bracelets. In the meantime the interested parties are also endeavoring to get a list of the turquoise buyers and will start plans for operation if additional ore is uncovered and a market found.

BIG FISH

Messrs. Dan Watson and Pearl Johnson Monday brought in a big yellow channel cat fish weighing 22 1/2 pounds, caught on the Pecos river east of the John Fanning ranch.

BRICE MENTIONED FOR JUDGESHIP

Judge C. R. Brice, Roswell attorney and former judge of the fifth judicial district is being mentioned as a successor to John H. Cotterell, federal judge of the tenth circuit court of appeals, who died recently. The tenth court of appeals is composed of the states of Kansas, Wyoming, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Utah.

ANOTHER BIG FISH CAUGHT

Down where the Pecos flows into the Pecos river ought to be about the most popular fishing place in this sector, in view of the recent success of two fishing parties. Yesterday morning a party composed of four local fishermen, Messrs. James Allen, W. R. Hornbaker, Walter Jones and D. E. Buckles caught a thirty pound yellow cat, near the mouth of the Pecos.

CONTINENTAL OFFICIALS WERE HERE TUESDAY

Messrs. J. P. Anthony division manager of the Continental Oil Co., and J. L. Wait, assistant division manager of the Continental Oil Co., were here Tuesday on a business visit and an inspection of company properties.

COUNTY SEED LOANS NOW TOTAL \$48,460

Up to yesterday afternoon there had been 229 applications for seed loans cleared thru the office of County Agent Wunsch at Carlsbad covering a total of \$48,460 and with an average of \$220.00 per loan.

The applications clearing yesterday totaled twelve, with a total of \$2,090.00.

The time limit for the filing of seed loans expires Saturday evening, and in order to make sure that everybody is served the office at the court house and First National Bank here will be kept open until 5:00 p. m. on that day.

DUKE CITY FIRES PROBED

ALBUQUERQUE—Police Tuesday night pushed an investigation to determine whether four fires which caused a total damage of over \$150,000 at Albuquerque on Monday night had been incendiary in origin. While property owners placed night watchmen on duty to forestall and repeated attempts by any half-crazed "fire-bug."

The first three reported within an hour of each other, and fourth never reported until late Tuesday, all occurred after midnight.

The loss to the school was placed at \$35,000 and that on the garage at \$100. The fourth or unreported blaze, did no damage at all.

Officers believed the fourth and unreported fire was definitely the work of a fire bug. They announced they were searching for a mysterious man who was seen near one of the fires.

CAR NEW CHEVROLETS

The Guy Chevrolet Co., Monday received a car of new Chevrolets and staged a parade up and down Main street, showing the new models in passenger cars as well as trucks.

TROUT PLANTED

Five thousand rainbow trout were planted in the north fork of the Ruidoso Monday by officers of the state game and fish department.

MASONS AND STARS

There will be a surprise for Masons, their wives and members of the Eastern Star at the Masonic hall tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

S. F. HEAD TO RESIGN

KANSAS CITY—The Kansas City Star says William B. Storey, president of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, will resign his position at a meeting of the board of directors.

43 STATE HIGH SCHOOLS FORCED TO CUT TERMS

SANTA FE—Forty-three accredited high schools have been forced to cut their school terms this year to eight months, it was announced Saturday at the department of education where the state board of education were holding its first meeting since new members were appointed.

Nine months are required for accrediting and the board is warning these schools that if the high school term is cut to less than nine months next year, the board will "feel justified in removing them from the accredited list." The board still has not decided on text book adoption and free texts and does not expect, it was said late Saturday, any announcement for some time.

LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

Mrs. Roxie Clark spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. C. R. Nail of Hagerman.

I. M. Williams bought the Tom Ridgway home in Lake Arthur last week and moved into it Monday.

Mr. Peters and son, of Cap Rock are visiting friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kingston a few days this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Matthews of Roswell were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Merle Porter and Mrs. D. A. Goode Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Scott and family moved to near Mayhill Monday, where they purchased a place last week.

Mrs. Oran Smith entertained with a family dinner Sunday in honor of her daughter, Velma Darlene's second birthday.

Mrs. Henry Perry and children of Hagerman were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Thomasson, Tuesday.

Rupert Pate attended the district conference of the Methodist church at Odessa, Texas the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Essan and three children, Reinhart, Everett and Eda of Hagerman were guests at the D. Ohlenbusch home Tuesday.

The little operetta given by Mrs. George Wilkins and Mrs. Moss Spence Friday evening proved very interesting and was well attended.

Misses Gertrude Bradley and Amelia Ohlenbusch were house guests over the week-end at the John Norris home on the Cottonwood.

Miss Alma Lane is home spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lane after teaching school at Hope the past term.

A group of high school students visited the Carlsbad Caverns Saturday. They were chaperoned by Mrs. Bostick and Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Southard.

Miss Juanita Tice was hostess to the Freshman class Thursday evening at a party at her mother's home, Mrs. Tom Tice. About twenty-five guests were present. Outdoor games were enjoyed thru-out the evening.

Prof. and Mrs. E. L. Harp had charge of the musical program given in assembly Tuesday morning, which was appreciated very much by the large number of visitors present. Hagerman girls' chorus sang two numbers. A violin solo was played by little Miss Elaine Frazier who was accompanied by Mrs. Harp at the piano.

NEW WARNING GIVEN HOARDERS OF GOLD

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Secretary Woodin Friday called attention to the near approach of the effective date of the President's antigold hoarding order, requiring that all gold be delivered to Federal Reserve Banks, branches or agencies on or before next Monday under penalty of a \$10,000 fine or ten years' imprisonment or both.

"Gold in reasonable amount, actually required for use in industry, profession or art, is excepted from the order to deliver on or before May 1," the secretary said. "An exception also is allowed in the case of gold coin and gold certificates in an amount not exceeding \$100 belonging to any one person, and in the case of gold coins having a recognized special value to collectors of rare and unusual coins."

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved—The Advocate.

ROSWELL MEN HELD ON A CHARGE OF SELLING MARIJUANA

Three men were in the Chaves county jail and District Attorney George L. Reese, Jr., and Roswell officers were conducting an investigation at Roswell Monday of what was declared to be a wild use of marijuana at Roswell.

The three men who were in jail being held in connection with the investigation were Mike Curtis, negro; Jose Duran and Elsie Garcia. No charges were filed Monday and officials had no statement to make as to what action would be taken in these cases.

Marijuana is a weed which is grown in the republic of Mexico and which has been introduced by Mexicans in various sections of the United States. Last year more than an acre of the weed was found growing near Chihuahua in Roswell and many of those who have been placed under arrest lately, according to both police and sheriff's officers, have been under the influence of this weed or drug.

The effect of the weed, according to officials, renders those who use it temporarily insane and violent, according to the extent which the weed has been used. The method of use is to smoke the dry leaves either pure or in a mixture with tobacco, it was said.

LOCALS

Hamp Stephens and wife were here from Malaga Sunday visiting G. H. Stephens and family.

Mrs. C. C. Pior and her daughter, Mrs. Richard Rockwell spent several days at Hobbs this week.

Little John Burton Lanning is ill with scarlet fever, and at the present time it is thought that it will not be a severe case.

Col. A. T. Woods and daughter, Miss Virginia drove up to Clovis Tuesday where the Colonel transacted business, they returned yesterday.

H. C. Holcomb, former watchman at Lake McMillan visited friends a short time here yesterday. Mr. Holcomb expects to leave for his home in El Paso, Texas the first of the week.

E. B. Jones of Santa Fe arrived Saturday, coming for Mrs. Jones, who has been a guest for a fortnight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey Wilson. They returned to their home in Santa Fe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Kemp were here last week visiting old time friends. Mrs. Kemp will visit her mother, Mrs. McClain of Roswell while Mr. Kemp makes a trip to Galveston, after which they will return to their home at Muskogee, Oklahoma.

C. O. Brown drove up to Clovis Thursday to meet Mrs. Brown who arrived with the body of her mother, Mrs. Suzan Mersfelder from Monon, Indiana. Immediately after the funeral on Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Brown departed arriving here that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cook and little daughter, Betty, visited a few days in El Paso, Texas. Mr. Cook returning Sunday of last week, Mrs. Cook and Betty visiting until last Thursday. A little niece, Loma Lou Cook, returned with them for several weeks' visit.

Miss Myrtle Burrows left Saturday for her home at Dows, Iowa. Miss Edna Drury left Sunday for Toronto, Kansas where she will spend the summer with home folks. Miss Jean McDonald left by stage Monday for Wiley, Colorado where she will be at home this summer.

Miss Milta Newman who has been a student of the Draughon's Business College at Lubbock, Texas has completed her course there and returned home Friday. Miss Newman came with Stuart Compton with his brother Kenneth Compton a student of the Technological College.

BEER SHIPPED IN

Numerous reports state that the new 3.2 per cent beer is being shipped in the various dry states and some has arrived for the Pecos valley. In some instances the new brew does not have the alcoholic content, but is merely 'near beer.' The results of course are lacking because the partakers do not get the anticipated kick. Some beer has been shipped in from Colorado, according to current rumors.

STILL MARRYING

The marriage licenses issued over the week-end at Carlsbad are still running about the normal rate. Five couples secured licenses to wed including E. A. Dominguez and Maria Rodriguez of Artesia.

Catching Mermaids for Neptune



Father Neptune required a number of beautiful mermaids for his retinue at the aquatic pageant at Long Beach May 6, so bathing girls were put to work netting them. Miss Adeline Angove was the first one caught.

MARKETS

N. Y. COTTON

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(July Option)

	Opening	Close
Monday	7.72	7.66
Tuesday	7.50	7.65
Wednesday	7.51	7.60
Thursday	7.59	

The crop is of to a bad start but not to such an extent that it may not be overcome. It is the general belief that the acreage will be increased but acreage is exerting little or no effect at the moment on price. News from Washington is the price-controlling factor. Early in the week the market was strong due to continued belief that some sort of legislative action would be forthcoming this week while later the decline was attributed to the belief that the market had already discounted the news and there was considerable profit taking by longs. Reactions are to be expected but undoubtedly cotton with other commodities will yet go higher.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY—Close: cattle, 4,000; calves 400; fed steers and yearlings strong to 15c higher; choice 1,017 lb yearlings at 5.25 other killing classes steady to strong; stockers and feeders steady; few loads 4.25-5.35. Sheep 12,000; includes 5,000 through; active; spring lambs unevenly 10c to 50c higher; fed lambs around 25c higher; best woolled lambs 5.50; top shorn lambs to shippers 5.40; bulk 5.00-5.35; top Arizona spring lambs to shippers 6.60; others 6.10-6.50. Hogs 5,500; including 1,000 direct; slow, mostly steady; some bids lower on weighty hogs, practical top 3.85 on one load 190 lb; stock pigs scarce, 10c higher, 3.00 to 3.25.

Free Silver—

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and Senator Robinson (R-Ind) had injected the cash soldier's bonus issue by offering amendment to pay the war veterans out of the proposed \$3,000,000,000 of new currency.

Before they parted, the president and Prime Minister MacDonalda named six specific points bearing on a revival of world trade which they had explored thoroughly as a step toward assuring definite agreement among the nations at London.

They were:
1—Raising of the level of commodity prices by simultaneous economic and monetary action. This was taken as including world inflation and also production control agreements affecting the major surplus products.
2—Freeing world trade from its entanglement of excessive tariffs, quotas, exchange restrictions and the like.
3—Adequate expansion of credit through concerted action of central banks.

4—Action by the various governments designed to stimulate business enterprise and capital expenditures.
5—Re-establishment of an international monetary standard "when circumstances permit" which will be without the defects developed in the past.

6—Improvement of the price of silver, with a particular eye to increasing trade with the Orient.

Two Lea Wells—

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ing sulphur water at 4,720 feet. A new location staked by R. D. Compton in the Artesia area may be of considerable local interest. The location is known as the Picher No. 2 in the NW NE sec. 8-18-27. A well in the western part of the county, the McClelland No. 1 of the New Mexico Oil Syndicate in the NE sec. 22-22-23, is making fair drilling time after experiencing trouble with the hole. Drilling is in progress below 1,700 feet.

NOTICE!

DISCONTINUING OF ALL PROFIT SHARING STAMPS

On account of recent legislation, we have decided to discontinue the giving of Profit-Sharing Stamps. On and after May 1st we will discontinue the giving of stamps on all purchases.

Stamps will be given on all payments on accounts made on or before May 15th.

All outstanding stamps turned in before June 1st will be redeemed as usual. Fractional parts of books will be redeemed as well as full books. This applies to the red stamps of the Peoples Mercantile Company, and the yellow stamps of Joyce Fruit Company.

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