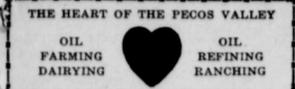


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BIG WELL IS DEVELOPED IN LEA CO.

15,000 Gallons Acid Used To Get 16,345 Bbl. Well; Parke 3X Also Develops Into One of Eddy County's Best Wells.

One of the best producers developed in the east Eddy county field was completed a short time ago with the treatment of 3,000 gallons of acid. This well is the Parke 2-X, SESE sec. 15-17-30, owned jointly by the Repollo Oil Co., and the Premier Petroleum Corp., and drilled to a depth of 3,450 feet. At the end of a twelve-hour test yesterday morning, the Parke 2-X made 380 barrels.

The Premier Petroleum Corp., is owned by C. J. Dexter and J. W. Berry of Artesia and Capt. C. C. Spicer of Los Angeles, California.

Big Well Developed
One of the most sensational wells to be developed in Lea county was completed this week in the Byers No. 2 of the Samedan Oil Co., sec. 3-19-38. Likewise the shot of 15,000 gallons of muratic acid was the largest to be used in an oil well in the state with results proportionate to the amount of acid used. Drilled to 4201 feet, the initial production of the Byers No. 2 was given as thirty-two barrels per hour. Then the test was acidized with 15,000 gallons of acid and responded by flowing at the rate of 16,345 barrels of oil per day with 19,000,000 feet of gas.

Seven other completions were made for the week and included: State No. 2-G of the Atlantic Oil Co., sec. 5-21-36, which was drilled to 3904 feet and came in for an initial production of 15 barrels of oil per hour with 500,000 feet of gas. The Continental Oil Co., Meyers A-8 No. 4, sec. 8-21-36, made an initial production of forty-five barrels of oil per hour with 3,000,000 feet of gas. Continental Oil Co., Meyers B-8 No. 3, sec. 8-21-36, drilled to 3875 feet and tested at the rate of forty-three barrels of oil an hour with 4,750,000 feet of gas. The Continental Oil Co., Vaughn A-14 No. 6, sec. 14-24-36, drilled to 3502 feet, made an initial production of 100 barrels of oil per hour with 1,500,000 feet of gas.

The Humble Oil and Refining Co., finished two wells. One the Coates No. 4, sec. 10-24-36, drilled to 3594 feet, gauged sixty-seven barrels of oil per hour and 750,000 feet of gas through a 3/4-inch choke on tubing. The Mosley No. 2, sec. 34-18-38, was drilled to 4241 feet and made 620 barrels of oil per day with 1,500,000 feet of gas.

Jal Field Limits
The east edge of the Jal pool in southeastern Lea county has apparently been found in the Carlson No. 1 of the Jeffers Oil Co., sec. 27-25-37, which has been plugged and abandoned. The Carlson is two miles east of the nearest production.

Six locations for new wells have been staked the past week, one of which is in western Lea county and one in Eddy county. New wells include: Maljamar Oil and Gas Corp., Baish No. 5, sec. 21-17-32; Repollo Oil Co., McIntyre 1-D, sec. 17-17-30; Atlantic Oil Co., State No. 2-B, sec. 5-21-36; Stanolind Oil and Gas Co., Farnsworth 8-A, sec. 18-36-37; Repollo Oil Co., Whitten No. 1, sec. 4-24-36; Repollo Oil Co., M. Byrd No. 1, sec. 11-20-36.

Alfalfa Growers Store Room Is Robbed At An Early Hour Saturday

The store room of the Artesia Alfalfa Growers association was robbed Saturday morning of tools consisting of hammers, pliers, wire cutters and a carpenter's plane, etc., the robbers took only merchandise and did not attempt to enter the cash drawer or the office safe. W. R. Hornbaker, manager, said Saturday he did not know the exact value of the stolen goods.

The robbers gained entrance into the store room by prying open the back door. The men were seen on the yard of the association on two occasions and were seen by a local citizen Saturday morning about 2:00 o'clock, at which time the robbery is thought to have occurred. The local citizen did not report the men because he said he thought they were employees of the gin.

Man Held In County Jail Is Charged With Robbing Local Mexican

N. F. Walker, alias Ed Clark, plead not guilty to a charge of grand larceny when arraigned before Frank Richards, Carlsbad justice of the peace, last Thursday. He waived preliminary examination and was bound over to the action of the district court.

Walker is alleged to have participated in the robbery of \$500.00 from A. Medrano, local Mexican farmer, at a Carlsbad hotel last April. The other men have been sought by the officers. With Walker they are alleged to have drugged Medrano and taken the money from him.

PLANS MADE TO HAVE BOOTH AT ROSWELL FAIR

Community Booth To Be Arranged At Roswell Oct. 2 to 6 To Contain All Products of This Trade Area.

Plans are underway to have a community booth at the Eastern New Mexico State Fair at Roswell October 2 to 6. W. B. McCrory, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, announced here this week. The community booth will contain as nearly as possible an exhibit of all products produced in this trade area. It is hoped to have at least 200 different exhibits.

If you have a good specimen of farm produce, canned goods, flowers, etc., or an unusual specimen of either of these, you are asked to get in touch with Mr. McCrory at the Chamber of Commerce. The exhibit is also expected to contain many domestic articles and if you have these, please communicate with the Chamber of Commerce manager.

Exhibits must be brought to the Chamber of Commerce office not later than September 30th.

Plans for arranging an exhibit at the fair as well as starting preliminaries for the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet to be held in December, were made at a director's dinner at the Artesia Hotel Coffee Shop Monday evening, attended by the manager and all of the directors, except one, who is out of town.

An invitation has been extended Donald MacKay, president of the Eastern New Mexico Junior College at Portales to deliver the principal address at the annual banquet.

DIST. HEALTH MEETING HELD HERE FRIDAY

Problems Discussed With Dr. Puckett; Nurses of District No. 5 Also Hold Meet On Same Date; To Have Xmas Party.

The personnel of Public Health District No. 6 met with Dr. O. E. Puckett in the Roof Garden of the Artesia hotel Friday evening.

Since July 1st the state has been divided into districts with a district health officer. District No. 6 is composed of Eddy, Chaves and Lea counties with headquarters at Carlsbad.

Problems of the nurses were discussed and Miss Violet Middleton, secretary of the district, led a round table discussion on the new records.

Those present were: Dr. O. E. Puckett, district health officer; Carl Henderson, sanitarian; Miss Violet Middleton, secretary of the district public health office at Carlsbad; Miss Mathiele Worthington, secretary Chaves county health department, and the following public health nurses: Miss Agnes Covalt, Eddy county; Mrs. Julia Graves, Carlsbad schools; Miss Beryl Kaigler, Lea county; Miss Matilda Murbach, Hobbs schools; Mrs. Ann E. Kinder, Artesia schools; Mrs. Esther Schaubel, Chaves county; Miss Violet Smith, Roswell schools.

Upon adjournment of the public health meeting, the nurses of district No. 5 of the New Mexico state association, met for their quarterly meeting.

Dinner was served in the Roof Garden to eighteen nurses and (Continued on last page, column 5)

UNOFFICIAL SPECIAL ELECTION RETURNS

(Held September 17, 1935)

Precinct	Court House Bond		Amendment No. 1		Amendment No. 2		Amendment No. 3		Amendment No. 4		Amendment No. 5	
	For	A	For	A	For	A	For	A	For	A	For	A
ARTESIA	21	178	169	105	52	208	70	186	116	135	123	130
COTTONWOOD	9	7	25	7	8	21	14	15	19	8	22	8
CARLSBAD	179	48	138	171	107	188	151	139	169	99	194	92
HOPE	12	108	87	54	35	42	32	93	35	71	53	72
LAKEWOOD	1	13	12	13	4	23	9	18	18	8	22	5
LOVING	11	14	4	24	8	29	18	17	20	10	22	11
MALAGA	18	4	4	8	35	2	43	15	30	22	27	18
OILFIELD	0	4	8	8	4	11	6	10	7	9	6	10
OTIS	12	9	15	16	10	21	30	2	18	9	21	7
WHITE'S CAMP	5	3	3	14	2	15	7	10	7	10	7	10
QUEEN	4	0	2	8	0	10	2	8	3	7	3	7
TOTALS	272	388	467	428	265	570	382	513	442	388	500	370

Above returns are unofficial and include eleven out of twelve precincts.

Volley Ball Teams May Be Organized Among Business Men

Volley ball teams for business men will likely be organized shortly, school officials said yesterday. Teams will be organized to play at the Central gym, probably each Monday and Wednesday evenings or two evenings a week that will be the most convenient for the business men and townspeople who wish to participate. A. D. Partee, who directed the summer play activities, has suggested that a team may be organized in the Rotary club, one in the Presbyterian church, one in the faculty, one in the Christian church, one in the Baptist church, one in the American Legion, a town team and possibly other organizations.

The school has the equipment ready. If interested contact either A. D. Partee or C. D. Marshall.

Cattle and Calves To Move Shortly

Demand Brisk For Calves And Steers; Sales From 6 1/2 to 7 1/2 cts. lb.

Several hundred cattle and calves sold for October delivery are expected to move shortly to pasture and to market. Four or five hundred head have been sold in this vicinity recently for October delivery and an equal number will be moved out of the southern end of Chaves county shortly and more if the buyers and growers can reach terms. Prices paid here range from 6 1/2 to 7 1/2 cents per pound for steer calves and yearlings. Some cattlemen are asking eight cents per pound.

Stockmen in the vicinity of Lake Arthur and Hagerman have sold at prices ranging from 7 to 7 1/2 cents per pound, which netted one grower about \$35.00 per head for heavy calves. Another stockman is reported to have offered a choice lot of steer calves and steers at \$40.00 per head. Commission men from Kansas City have been in the valley recently and it understood these men were in the market to purchase around 3,000 head of calves and steers.

Improved range conditions have done more to boost the hopes of one of the stockmen than a favorable market. The range over the eastern part of the state is the best condition for ten or twelve years and grass on the range east of the Pecos river resembles a green grain field. Plenty of winter grass and weeds will be available for grazing during the winter with a little additional moisture. The range condition has assisted materially in improving the weight of both cattle and sheep and has been a material factor in retarding the movement of livestock to market.

Condition of the ranges over the state on September 1st was reported at eighty-two percent of normal compared with seventy-five percent last month and eighty-three percent for a ten year average.

PERMANENT CCC PLANS

Although the regional office of the grazing service, department of interior, has not been advised officially that CCC camps are to be made a permanent federal institution, it is anticipating the possibility by planning a ten-year program for the camps which are under its command in New Mexico, Arizona and southern Colorado.

The program, officials at Albuquerque said, will be along the line of present activities for conservation and protection of grazing resources on the public domain land under supervision of this office.

Record Should Be Kept of All Cotton Sold

Information Should Be Given County Agent When Application Is Made For Adjustment Payment.

All cotton producers of Eddy county who expect to share in the adjustment payment to be made under the AAA loan and payment plan must keep a careful record of all cotton sold, and present this information to the county agent's office when they apply for this adjustment payment. The producer should secure a receipt showing the date of sale and the gross weight of the cotton sold, the names of the tenants who have an interest in the cotton, and the name of the buyer. This information should be kept in the 1935 farm record books, which may be obtained at the county agent's office.

The government will make adjustment payments not to exceed two cents per pound. The adjustment payment per pound is the difference between the average price of 7/8 inch low middling cotton on ten spot markets at 12c on the day the farmer sells his cotton. It is to the advantage of each farmer to keep in constant contact with the market and to sell his cotton for the price above the average of the day.

Mohair Shearing Now Underway in Pinon-Queen Area

Angora goat raisers of the Avis, Pinon and Queen sections are in the midst of the fall mohair shearing operations now and expect to have mohair moving to market shortly. Mohair raisers are facing the brightest outlook seen by the industry in five or six years. While the crop this year is short compared with the normal crop of several years ago, it is said to be one of the cleanest and best clips produced by these areas in several years. Mohair men have been aided this season by a good range and the lack of dust and a combination of these factors have produced some of the best mohair ever seen in this section.

It is understood here mohair growers have an option to sell the present crop for 45 and 55 cents per pound, whereas in former years no market existed at all and growers were forced to store their clips to await future developments.

Estimates say the clip in the Pinon-Avis section will average about 40,000 pounds this fall and the clip in the Queen section is expected to produce about the same amount.

NO APPEALS AFTER SEPTEMBER 23rd

The county agent has received the following notice from the state cotton control board:

"The state board will accept no Bankhead appeals following September 23rd. Please give adequate publicity."

Any producers desiring adjustments on their Bankhead allotments should notify the county committee at the office of the county agent at Carlsbad.

Allred Withdraws His Protest On Building Of Alamogordo Dam

It was announced at Austin, Texas, last Thursday that Governor Allred of Texas had withdrawn his protest on the construction of the proposed Alamogordo dam on the Pecos river near Fort Sumner. He announced he would ask the Texas legislature in session at Austin to ratify the compact last Monday. Whether the threat of the Carlsbad irrigation district to protest the building of the Red Bluff dam just below the state line had anything to do with Governor Allred's decision could not be learned.

Plans For Staging Cleanup Campaign

Chamber of Commerce to Call Civic Representatives to Discuss Plans.

A talk by the Rev. A. C. Douglas at the luncheon program of the Artesia Rotary club Tuesday on "Caring for the Needs of the Community," in which he mentioned the need for staging a cleanup campaign here brought results. After the address of the Rev. Douglas, at the suggestion of W. E. Kerr, president of the Rotary club, C. J. Dexter, president of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, announced this organization would soon call representatives of the various civic organizations together to discuss the proposal.

The Rev. Douglas stressed the need of a cleanup campaign for Artesia as a civic tonic. He also recommended establishing a more cordial relationship between the rural and the urban people, sponsoring a traffic patrol system for the city schools for the safety of the school children and the establishment of a fund to worthy students.

J. R. Orden of Carlsbad was the only visitor present at Tuesday's luncheon.

ENROLLMENT IN RURAL SCHOOLS IS HIGHER

Incomplete tabulations at the office of the county superintendent in Carlsbad last week revealed there had been a big increase in the rural school enrollment over the county this year. Preliminary figures indicate the increase amounts to about forty-five percent. Five of the first schools to report their enrollment had a registration of 511 pupils against 394 pupils a year ago.

The increase is partly accounted for by the fact that the cotton picking season is slow starting this year.

TO ERECT MODERN RESIDENCE SOON

J. W. Porch has purchased four lots in the north end of the Keller-Ragsdale addition, near the C. M. Cole residence and has broken ground for the erection of a modern four-room dwelling.

FOURTH CUTTING OF HAY

The fourth cutting of alfalfa hay is well underway over this section now and prospects are good for another cutting before the close of the hay season. Some of the present crop has been damaged by rain, but both the quality and the quantity of the remaining part of the crop is good.

THORNE HEADS EMBALMERS

R. M. Thorne of Carlsbad was re-elected president of the New Mexico State Board of Embalmers at the board's final session at Albuquerque yesterday.

Attack of Red Ants Almost Proves Fatal To W. E. Ragsdale

An attack by a number of red ants almost proved fatal to W. E. Ragsdale last Thursday evening. Mr. Ragsdale was attacked when he went to the melon patch of Ed Watson, a neighbor living only a short distance from the Ragsdale farm home. Later, when Mr. Ragsdale returned home his condition grew serious and a physician was summoned and it was the timely first aid administered by the physician that probably saved his life.

Mr. Ragsdale was sufficiently recovered from the attack to resume his work the following day at noon.

CO. BOND ISSUE LOST WITH 2 OF 5 AMENDMENTS

Amendments 1, 4 and 5 Given County Majority While Amendments 2 And 3 Lose; Hope Wins School Bond Issue.

The five constitutional amendment fared better in Eddy county than over many parts of the state in the special election last Tuesday. Three of the five amendments were approved while the court house bond issue was defeated. Amendment No. 1, relating to the homestead exemption and Amendments Nos. 4 and 5, relating to the speeding of criminal trials and criminal procedure were successful in the county while amendments No. 2 and 3 were defeated.

Little interest was manifested in any of the issues and a light vote was recorded. Probably because of a school bond election, Hope polled the greatest percentage of votes than any other precinct in the county. The special school bond election to supply revenue to build a school gymnasium under a PWA project carried by a vote of sixty to six. Hope also defeated the court house bond issue by the greatest majority of any box in the county except the Oilfield.

The vote on the amendments in Chaves county was very similar to that in Eddy county in that the same three amendments carried. Amendments Nos. 1, 4 and 5, all were successful while Nos. 2 and 3 were defeated.

CO. STOCKMEN TO MEET SEPT. 24 AT CARLSBAD

Will Discuss Problems of Industry Under Govt. Work; Control Weeds And Disease Will Also Be Talked.

The following letter will be of interest to all livestock men in Eddy county:

"A meeting of all livestock men including both cattle and sheep men, will be held in the court room at Carlsbad at 2:00 o'clock on Tuesday, September 24th. At this meeting problems of interest to the livestock men under all government work will be discussed.

"J. K. Wallace from Washington will be the principal speaker and he will discuss marketing and the various phases dealing with marketing problems. J. E. Stabilein, supervisor of the work in connection with the Taylor grazing act, will also be present, and will discuss the work that will be done by the Taylor grazing representative, which will improve the range by supplying water and taking care of rodent and weed control.

"W. L. Black, extension livestock man, will discuss livestock diseases and their control.

"We urge you to be present."

SQUIRES HERE

W. R. Squires of El Paso, Texas, manager of the Southwestern Irrigated Cotton Growers Association, has been in the valley since Monday and has held three meetings with cotton growers of Artesia, Dexter and Otis. Monday evening a meeting was held with the local farmers to explain the equalization plan. Tuesday evening a meeting was held with the Dexter growers and last night a meeting was held with growers at Otis.

FIVE ISSUES DEFEATED IN LIGHT VOTE

Less Than Twenty Percent Of Voters Turn Out To Register Vote Tuesday; An Indifferent Attitude Marks Election.

All amendments are apparently defeated in the state. A tabulation of 472 precincts out of 760 over the state this morning shows: No. 1 (tax exemption)—8,517 for, 12,317 against. No. 2 (state superintendent)—5,508 for, 14,596 against. No. 3 (land exchange)—6,714 for, 13,426 against. No. 4 (judiciary)—8,786 for, 10,374 against. No. 5 (judiciary)—9,116 for, 10,923 against.

SANTA FE—An indifference bordering on complete contempt was shown by New Mexico voters in the special election at which five constitutional changes were proposed and only one of them was likely of adoption on the face of early but fairly complete returns. The vote cast was averaging about ten per cent, or slightly more, than in the last general election.

Organized opposition by veterans organizations to the tax exemption proposal, number one, appeared to have killed the proposal—although the vote was extremely light considering the veterans voting almost to a man. The amendment would permit the legislature to exempt only homesteads from property taxes to the value of \$2,500, placing all taxpayers on a parity. Veterans now have a \$2,000 exemption on any taxable property.

Number two, actively supported by the State Educational Association, would have provided an appointive state superintendent of public instruction instead of an elective official, but this proposal appeared hopelessly defeated. Third, exchange of state lands with the federal government also was running steadily behind.

Amendment four was running behind yesterday morning as new figures came in. It would provide that a felon might be convicted of a lesser degree crime than charged in an indictment. The fifth, proposal to clarify the change of venue provisions of the constitution, was piling up a slight lead.

Heaviest Vote In

The vote from 158 of the heaviest precincts of the 760 in the state, with only the light rural vote missing, showed:

Number One—4,148 for; 6,319 against.

Number Two—3,304 for; 2,275 against.

Number Three—4,028 for; 6,417 against.

Number Four—5,046 for; 5,210 against.

Number Five—5,353 for; 5,081 against.

Some precincts were consolidated when voters failed to appear. Others did not open at all. In one precinct not even the three election judges voted, and in another only the three judges voted. Farmers said they were "too busy" to vote in one county.

TWO MEN ARRESTED

Officers arrested two men near the Carlsbad Caverns last week charged with forcibly taking a car from an El Paso taxicab driver. They gave their names as A. O. Holderman and George F. Terrill and were arrested near where the abandoned car was found.

Mexican Independence Program Here Draws Large Number People

Festivities in celebration of the independence of Old Mexico, Monday and Tuesday, staged by the Mexican population, drew the largest attendance in the history of the celebration here. The program was presented this year on east Main street, just east of the old National Supply house location. The street dance, which drew hundreds, was staged just west of the Joyce Fruit store. A colorful parade presented Tuesday morning was over a mile in length. Monday night, in addition to the dance, a patriotic play was presented.

Games, including horse racing and foot racing, provided other forms of entertainment.

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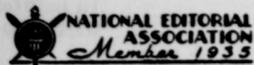
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TELEPHONE 7



A MATTER OF SAFETY

Safety engineers in trying to reduce the yearly toll of auto accidents realize their greatest problem of today is creating safety devices for the protection of the foolhardy motorist. The problem is brought about by the increased efficiency of the modern car and the constant stepping up of its speed limits. It is recognized also that auto engineering has far outrun the ingenuity of the average auto driver and of the highway engineer and that the present-day safety devices are too few in number to prevent a mounting death rate, which when viewed from a national standpoint, is worse than any disease plague we have to deal with.

In connection with arousing serious thought in this matter, it is said the California police have a very effective way of slowing down the motorists without arresting the offenders or going into courts. When a motorist "lets her out" to sixty-five or seventy miles per hour, he is frequently halted by a motorcycle officer. The officer in a nice way shows him some actual photos of wrecks with all of the gruesome details. The interview with the officer has its desired effect and the motorist naturally does not press the accelerator so hard.

A great deal of speeding is due to a thoughtless habit. We speed without necessity, even though we are going no place in particular and in these thoughtless moments a wreck often occurs.

For the promotion of safety in our own locality, it has been suggested that the U turn in highway 2 be removed and that the turn be placed in Main street rather than the highway. Forty or fifty miles per hour is also too fast to drive up Main street or past any school ground.

DICTATORSHIP LEADS TO DISASTER

The present-day European dictators have been more fortunate than the late lamented one who ruled Louisiana; they have not yet come to a violent end. Lamentable as the Louisiana episode may have been, in which Huey Long met his death, the removal of a dictator never has been executed thru peaceful means. Violence has been employed in the same manner in which the dictator rules his subjects.

Just now it seems that Mussolini is bent on a conquest of Ethiopia and not even the threat of a united front of the League of Nations will stop him. How many lives will be sacrificed to the personal ambition of the Italian dictator will not be known until the conquest is ended, but it is regarded as certain if the conquest were left up to the people of Italy, it would never be made and it is also certain that Mussolini will never be removed from power except through violence.

If Mussolini is successful in his Ethiopian coupe, Hitler may also try the same methods in expanding the German nation. Furthermore Mussolini has visions of becoming the second Caesar and establishing the old Roman empire.

Mussolini's death by violent means might be regrettable, but if he lives how many human lives will it cost to try to accomplish his ends? Only history will tell.

TWO CLASSES

There are two classes of the reading public; those who like to see their names in the paper and those who don't. Incidentally those who don't are almost like the dodo bird; extinct. Unfortunately a great many people exist in the large population centers, where only the sensational news reaches the front page. Realizing that only the sensational usually survives the waste basket, a few who want notoriety are willing to do the sensational things in order to gratify a personal ambition.

But, as was mentioned last week, residents of smaller communities are more fortunate. They can read about the doing of their neighbors and see their own names in print without the necessity of looking for a scandal in the next line of print. The news may be unimportant to you, but it is at least classed as wholesome and this is one reason why the newspapers in the smaller centers have retained the respect and confidence of the public.

THEORIES

If all the people who think they know how to run the government were in Washington in addition to the employes of the various bureaus now maintained at the national capitol, we could exhibit the average citizen and taxpayer at the Smithsonian Institute as a rarity. Yet, if a man knows how to run the government, he ought to be in Washington and not in Artesia. All of which proves there are lots of theories on how to run the government expounded at the daily session of the spit and whittle club that are apparently wasted because they never reach official Washington. And for our part, we are glad some of these theories never travel very far because if they did and were accepted, the county would sure be in a mell of a hess.

"Inherited economic power is as inconsistent with the ideals of this generation as inherited political power was inconsistent with the ideals of the generation which established our government."—President Roosevelt.

We believe it will be a long time before the people of this country will follow the leadership of the theorists and college economists into government ownership of America.

A disease which thickens the human skull may eventually be identified as nature's effort to evolve a more durable taxpayer.

A modern food expert is one who can look at a calf and tell how many chicken sandwiches it will make.

No wonder a hen gets discouraged at times. She never can find things just where she laid them.

Assisting a criminal to escape the law is a crime, unless you happen to be a lawyer.

TELL US YOUR PRINTING TROUBLES—Phone 7

NEW 1936 PHILCOS AS LOW AS \$21.00 MANN DRUG CO.

Chislings

"I want a man to work on my farm. I don't give dancing lessons. I have no piano. I can't serve plank steak three times a day. I do give three square meals, a real bed, fair wages. If any man knows a cow from a talking machine, can hear an alarm clock and get up at five o'clock and wants the job, I will agree not to treat him like one of the family, but a darn sight better."—Recent newspaper ad.

A man walked into a pool parlor and said: "I will give a dollar to the laziest man here."
Man lying on billiard table: "Roll me over, buddy, and stick it in my back pocket."

She (cooly): "You had boy. Don't you kiss me again!"
He: "I won't. I'm just trying to find out who has the gin in this party."

A prominent member of the Fortnightly Bridge club has been teaching her husband to play bridge. "No," she says, "if I can get him to quit eating peas with his knife I will be able to take him out in company."

A Vermonter, 103 years old, has smoked for ninety-nine years, according to report and the sturdy fellow attributes his longevity to the fact that he is still looking for a good 5-cent cigar.

It is reported that the government has granted a subsidy to a school to teach women how to talk. Although normally a republican, Albert Richards is said to have endorsed the proposal, contingent on the condition that the men be allowed to go first.

Predictions of the weather prophet and the promises of the politician should never be taken too seriously.

"Tell your boss I have come to see him," said a tall, broad-shouldered man, bursting open the door of the clerk's office. "My name's Daniels."

The office boy, a puny little fellow, gazed awe-stricken at the visitor.
"You're Mr. Daniels?" he exclaimed. "How very awkward."
"What do you mean awkward?"
"I've got orders to throw you out."

"My wife ran away with my best friend," said Coyote Pete.
"Was he god-looking?"
"I don't know. Never met the fellow!"

And now "Popper" Buford Gray is anxious to obtain the words and music to a few old "lullabies" for the benefit of his new daughter.

Some say they got stung when they married the first time, but Senator McAdoo is braver. He recently tried it for the third time.

FLORENCE BRECKENRIDGE KILLED ON SEPTEMBER 8

Mrs. Nellie Cogdell returned home Friday from Fort Collins, Colorado, where she attended the funeral for her little granddaughter, Florence Breckenridge, age 4, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Breckenridge, on September 10th. Little Florence was fatally hurt on September 8th, when struck by an auto on the streets of Fort Collins as she stepped in front of a passing automobile. The little girl had attempted to go around the parked car of Mr. and Mrs. Breckenridge and in doing so stepped in front of another car. She lived only a few minutes after being struck.
Mrs. Breckenridge (nee Helen Cogdell) will be remembered by many local people.

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- 17—First air flight across U. S. 84 hours, 1911.
 - 18—Start of the great Jay Cooke Panic on Wall Street, 1873.
 - 19—"Dixie" is first sung in public at New York, 1859.
 - 20—Women found their Equal Rights Party, 1848.
 - 21—New York's Trinity Church is burned to the ground, 1776.
 - 22—Virgil, famed Latin poet, dies, B.C. 19.
 - 23—E. L. Ovington becomes first U. S. air mail pilot, 1911.

Oil Compact Is Formed Friday

OKLAHOMA CITY—The interstate compact commission of the six oil producing states organized Friday and is ready to function for three desired results:

Conservation of the natural resources; prevention of waste, and prevention of price fixing within the oil industry.

Texas, New Mexico, Kansas, Oklahoma, Colorado and Illinois have representatives on the commission.

Arkansas, Michigan, Wyoming and California had observers present.

The commission will meet again on October 11.

Patrick J. Hurley, former secretary of war and an advisor to Governor Marland of Oklahoma, stressed a plea for state sovereignty.

"The power to use in handling the natural resources of the nation is the police power of the states," he said. "Invariably the courts have held that the states have sole power."

Hiram Dow of New Mexico warned that if the compact failed, New Mexico operators would turn to federal control.

"We are going on the assumption that we're not going to permit production of cheap oil," he said. "If the price drops, we'll control the output and let them take it out. And we're not going to debate much over physical or economic waste."

"If the compact fails, it means federal control, and we may be the first for it, but we're not for it right now. Unless the industry is stabilized and we get a fair price, we'll look to the federal government."

MASONIC MEETING TONIGHT

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Health Column

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

Cancer Research
What are they finding out about cancer? asks the man in the street. And he does not mean that he wishes to understand the biochemical modification of cancer tissue metabolism induced by iodoacetic acid. What he wants to know is, Can cancer be prevented? Can cancer be cured?

The answer is that advance is being made in both directions. Chemical research has discovered compounds that cause cancer in the lower animals. These compounds come from coal tar but they are close relations of other chemical compounds that are secreted in our bodies. These discoveries bring us nearer and nearer to the cause of cancer and so nearer to its prevention.

The treatment of cancer has been made more hopeful by the separate study of different tumors; for cancer is not really one disease but several. And the best treatment for one sort of tumor is surgery, for another radium or X-ray, for another a combination of these methods. It is increasingly true to say that the outlook in early cases of cancer is hopeful. Electrical engineers have improved and are improving the apparatus of treatment. Pathologists by examining the tumor can tell with even greater accuracy what treatment to select and what dosage of

MAKING TESTS FOR GRAVEL

A crew of ten men are employed, making tests for suitable gravel beds along highway 83, east of here. As soon as the gravel is located a graving project will be undertaken on a portion of the highway between here and the Cap Rock.

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radiation to employ. Almost all of the gains made in treatment depend upon early discovery of the tumor. Your county health department will supply you with literature on the early symptoms of cancer. If you will ask your doctor to give you an annual medical examination he will be on the lookout for early signs of cancer as well as of other diseases.

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Corn-Hog Hearing To Be Held Sept. 26

The Agricultural Adjustment Administration has announced a public hearing on a future corn-hog adjustment program to be held in the small ballroom of the Willard Hotel in Washington, D. C., September 26 at 10 a. m., according to R. R. Will of the New Mexico State College. The hearing will be held under the provisions of the new amendments to the agricultural adjustment act.

All interested parties will be given an opportunity to be heard upon the following questions:

1. Whether the current average farm price of corn and of hogs is less than the fair exchange value of these commodities.
2. Whether the average farm price of corn and of hogs is likely to be less than the fair exchange value of these commodities during the period when the corn and hogs produced during the current or next succeeding market year will be normally marketed.
3. Whether the conditions and factors relating to the production, marketing and consumption of corn and hogs are such that the exercise of any one or more of the powers conferred upon the secretary of agriculture under the act as amended will tend to effectuate the declared policy of the act.
4. Whether the exercise of the power to provide for adjustments in acreage of production of corn and hogs thru agreements with corn and hog producers and for adjustment payments in connection with such agreements is administratively practicable and best calculated to effectuate the declared policy of the act.

TYPEWRITERS

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Exhibit Space At Roswell Fair Is To Be Enlarged

ROSWELL—With entries in every department coming in every mail at an unprecedented rate, directors of the Eastern New Mexico State Fair to be held here October 2, 3, 4 and 5, have already started plans for enlarging exhibit space. The interest seems well balanced between livestock, community booths, domestic arts and the classified products exhibit divisions. Regardless of how many come they will be provided for according to the fair management provided the secretary of the fair gets word of the entry by September 28 and it is requested earlier if possible. This closing date does not apply to the farm products division. These may be brought or shipped to the fair on October 1, or so they will reach the general exhibits building not later than 9 o'clock on the opening morning of the fair. In the domestic arts department articles must reach that department before noon on October 1.

Promise of organized delegations from many communities have already been received, and there is every indication that the attendance at each of the four days will far exceed last year's record-breaking figure.

The rodeo each afternoon is again attracting the best amateur cowboys from all over the southwest, and competition is expected to be keen. Entries are likewise pouring in for the first day's parade, which will be the big spectacular event of the four days.

J. F. Hinkle, former governor of New Mexico, and chairman of the Old Timers Day Friday, October 4, is receiving mail daily from many old residents of New Mexico—who have been here thirty years or longer—that they will certainly be here for the big time on that day.

COMMISSIONERS MEET

The Eddy county commissioner's court failed to act on the employment of a county agent at the session Monday in Carlsbad, although they interviewed two or three prospective candidates. The court will meet again at Carlsbad Saturday and canvass the results of the special election held on the 17th. At this time they will probably further consider the matter of employing an agent.

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HOBBS TO CLINTON, OKLA.

The Rev. A. G. Hobbs, pastor of the Church of Christ, has accepted a call to the Church of Christ at Clinton, Oklahoma, it was learned here yesterday. The Rev. Hobbs will occupy the pulpit at the Church of Christ here Sunday and plans to move his family to the new home next week.

WEST HIGHWAY PROJECT NEARLY DONE

The improvement project on highway 83, west of the Reeves hill, will soon be completed, it was learned here last week. About three miles or road will be improved under this project.

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40,000,000 Ducks To Migrate From North This Fall

NEW YORK—The greatest migratory flight of wild ducks in six years, estimated to number 40,000,000 birds, is expected to sweep down from their most important nesting areas in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta this fall, according to results of the first International Wild Duck Census being compiled by the More Game Birds Foundation.

A prolonged drought in the region, which brought forth claims that America's web-footed species were in danger of "immediate extinction," and which just recently contributed to the proclamation wide restrictions on waterfowl hunting, has been broken.

The wild ducks are not going to "follow the dodo." This is shown in reports of hundreds of volunteer observers, and supervising foundation field men, who covered by foot, automobile and airplane major portions of the prairie states and provinces and the demote northwest territories of Canada in the first international wildfowl investigation of its kind.

The aerial duck inventory, in which five airplanes were utilized, encompassed over 12,000 miles of flying, including flights as far north as Great Slave Lake, in the shadow of the Arctic Circle. Hitherto little known nesting areas, comprising thousands of square miles of salt plains near Fort Smith, northwest territories—practically inaccessible except via the air—were found to be the most productive duck nurseries.

A total of 250,000 wild ducks was estimated to populate one small section of this veritable wildfowl paradise, which represented not more than five per cent of the total area of this isolated region. So remote from civilization are these salt plains that buffalo herds still roam the marshy terrain as in pioneer days, according to John C. Huntington, foundation official, who supervised the aerial census work.

Most serious of all factors found responsible for the decline of waterfowl on their nesting areas was the drying up of water during the successive droughts, supplemented by drainage, agricultural development and the encroachment of civilization. With the breaking of the drought however, thousands of small prairie ponds once again are flooded and the status of North America's waterfowl in their nesting areas, far from bordering upon extinction, is riding an abrupt upward curve, according to the census.

NEW DEAL WINS COAL TEST

WASHINGTON—The government won the first round Monday in the battle for a constitutional test of the Guffey coal law.

In the District of Columbia supreme court, Justice Daniel O'Donoghue denied a request for a temporary injunction, intended to restrain the effectiveness of the act. It was sought by James W. Carter, president of the Carter Coal Company of southern West Virginia.

O'Donoghue held since there was a possibility the case would be heard on its own merits before November 1, when the tax provisions of the law become effective, he saw no reason to grant a temporary restraining order. The government must file an answer by September 25 to Carter's petition for a permanent injunction.

Wickman Draws Sentence of 90 to 99 Years Monday

ALBUQUERQUE—Carl Wickman, stocky Denver, Colorado, druggist, was sentenced to from 90 to 99 years in the state penitentiary Monday for the slaying of his wife in 1933 after pleading guilty to a charge of second degree murder.

Coming as an anti-climax in the sensational case which has been tinged with drama since the night Mrs. Donald Chicoine Wickman died in a little Catholic chapel, Wickman entered his plea of guilty before Judge Fred E. Wilson in district court Monday morning when his case was brought up for arraignment.

Wickman, who had been convicted of first degree murder and sentenced to die in the electric chair in his first trial here April 2, 1934, was granted a retrial by the supreme court several months ago on the grounds Judge M. A. Otero, Jr., the presiding judge, had failed to instruct the jury on second degree murder.

His attorney, Claren Waggoner and Tom Wilkerson, appointed by the court, withdrew Wickman's former plea of not guilty, and the retrial, nomadic pharmacist, pleaded "guilty" to the judge's charge. Without comment, Judge Wilson pronounced sentence and Wickman, his expression not changing a whit, turned from the bar of justice and took his seat among the other defendants arraigned in court.

The sheriff's office said it was expected he would be taken to Santa Fe to begin his sentence tomorrow. Wickman's plea was accepted by the court on recommendation of T. J. Mabry, district attorney.

Final disposition of the Wickman case, sensational since its first break, came almost two years after the former Denver nurse was fatally injured, 18 miles north of here on the Santa Fe-Albuquerque highway.

HIGHWAY BIDS TO BE LET SEPTEMBER 20

SANTA FE—The state highway department will ask for bids for the following two projects at a letting Friday, September 20:

Grading, surfacing, minor drainage structures and miscellaneous box culvert, 16.975 miles, De Baca county, on U. S. Highway 60, between Vaughn and Fort Sumner.

Grading, surfacing, minor drainage structures and miscellaneous construction on state road No. 6, between Santa Rosa and Albuquerque, Guadalupe county, approximately 15.059 miles.

LOCALS

Mrs. T. J. Stagner is reported critically ill at her home here.

N. L. Barley, Hope farmer, was transacting business here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Flint of Lovington arrived here yesterday for a brief visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Spence, who have spent the summer at Sacramento, returned to their home at Lake Arthur last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linell left the first of the week for Amarillo, Texas, where they spent several days at the Tri-State Fair.

Hugh Burch, who has been a patient at the Holman Sanitarium at El Paso, Texas, for several months, arrived home Saturday.

Miss Ethel Bullock drove over to Lubbock, Texas, Saturday with her sister, Miss Laura Bullock, and Billie, who were entering Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips are moving to the Lower Cottonwood teacherage this week. Mrs. Phillips is teacher of the fifth and sixth grades there this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Terry returned from a two weeks honeymoon trip the latter part of last week. They are at home at the residence of Mrs. Laura Watson.

Mrs. Stanley Blocker of Carlsbad, worthy matron of the local Order of the Eastern Star, was here Thursday evening for the first meeting of the order after a brief summer vacation.

Artesians who visited A. L. (Bill) Mount, a patient at the Masonic hospital in El Paso, this week state that he is slowly improving from injuries suffered at the Hope rodeo. However, they state that his suffering is intense. Mr. Mount hopes to come home soon.

Mrs. C. C. Pior and her daughter, Mrs. Richard Rockwell, are both patients at the Eddy County hospital. Mrs. Rockwell entered Friday and Mrs. Pior Sunday. Both are somewhat improved, however Mrs. Pior may undergo a major operation as soon as her condition will permit.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Russell and baby daughter, Nancy Jean, who spent the summer with Mrs. Russell's parents in Caloma, Michigan, left Sunday for Albuquerque after a short visit at the home of his father, Dr. C. Russell. Mr. Russell is a teacher in the engineering department at the University of New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Abernathy and family have been enjoying a visit from Mr. Abernathy's two brothers, M. W. Abernathy and wife, and C. O. Abernathy and wife, all of Altus, Oklahoma. Also a sister of Mr. Abernathy, Mrs. D. H. Williams and Mr. Williams of Muleshoe, Texas. The visitors came in Friday and left Sunday.

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SUN. MON. SEPT. 22-23	BIG MUSICAL COMEDY "Hooray For Love" Continuous Show Sunday 2:30 to 11:00 Show Monday 7:00-8:45

Red Bluff Dam Is Progressing

Construction on Red Bluff dam is going forward nicely with the foundation of the west side of the dam completed and construction work on that part is now above the ground level, according to word from Pecos. The core trench on the east side of the dam is nearing completion, and laying of the foundation on that side will begin soon.

Employment of men on the project for the month of August showed a big increase over the number employed in July, with approximately 275 men working on the project. About \$125,000 was spent for construction alone in August.

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Social Activities

MISSIONARY ZONE MEETING HELD HERE

The Greater Zone meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, was held here Thursday at the Methodist church, which was decorated with huge baskets and vases of dahlias and roses for the occasion. Representatives were here from Roswell, Carlsbad, Otis, Loving, Dexter, Hagerman and Hope. The local society was represented by a large number of its members, making a total of about seventy-five present.

The morning session opened at 10:00 o'clock with Mrs. John C. Martens of Roswell, chairman of the Greater Zone, presiding. The morning devotionals were conducted by Mrs. W. A. Cox of Loving; her subject was, "The Way of Jesus." Fine reports were read from the auxiliaries represented.

A two-course luncheon was served at the church by a group of Artesia Missionary ladies, promptly at 12:00 o'clock.

The afternoon session opened at 1:00 o'clock, with Mrs. Martens in the chair. The devotionals were led by Mrs. C. Y. Butler of Dexter. Reports of officers were heard at the afternoon session. Outstanding in interest was the study of Christian Citizenship which was given place on both the morning and afternoon programs. This was conducted by the able chairman, Mrs. Martens. Women were urged to inform themselves on all proposed legislation and be able to vote not just as a citizen, but as a Christian citizen. Also as Christian citizens of New Mexico they were urged to aid in the protection of the beauty of our state, native plants and natural growth belongs to New Mexico and should not be destroyed by tourists. The local auxiliary presented very cleverly a skit, "The Model Missionary Society," which demonstrated the prepared and the unprepared mission study. A special musical number was given by Mrs. M. A. Beyers of Carlsbad, a vocal selection in which she played her own accompaniment.

It was voted at this meeting to hold only two zone meetings of the Greater Zone next year, one in Roswell, the other in Artesia, instead of quarterly meetings as held heretofore. The hostess city will decide on the form of luncheon.

The nominating committee, composed of a member of each auxiliary represented, submitted names for each office; nominations were also made from the floor when the annual election of officers was held. The following officers were elected for next year: Mrs. C. R. Blocker of Artesia, chairman; Mrs. C. Y. Butler of Dexter, vice-chairman; Mrs. Charley Barley of Hope, secretary; Mrs. A. A. Bailey of Hagerman, treasurer; Mrs. George Frisch of Artesia, program chairman; Mrs. Leslie Martin and Mrs. A. P. Mahone, both of Artesia, members of the program committee; Mrs. L. B. Plummer of Roswell, chairman of publicity, and Mrs. M. A. Beyers of Carlsbad, pianist.

A rising vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Martens of Roswell, the retiring chairman, and Mrs. F. L. Meadows, retiring chairman of program committee, for their splendid work this past year.

Mrs. George Frisch, president of the local auxiliary, paid a beautiful tribute to each visiting auxiliary in a clever composition of her own.

The new officers were presented and each pledged themselves to put forth their best efforts in carrying on the work of the organization. The day's session was closed with a prayer by Mrs. F. E. Little of Carlsbad.

TALKS ON RISE OF JAPAN

The Literary club met with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Martin at their home southeast of town Friday evening. A delicious steak fry preceded the program. All members were present. Mr. Martin had charge of the program and gave an interesting discussion on the rise of Japan. In his talk Mr. Martin brought out the fact that Japan had made the most rapid commercial rise of any nation in history during the past eighty years.

H 2 O BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. F. G. Hartell was hostess Friday afternoon when she entertained members of the H 2 O Bridge club at her home.

All members were present and at the close of a pleasant session of contract, Mrs. John Lowery held high score.

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Social Calendar

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FRIDAY

P. E. O. meets with Mrs. Rex Wheatley at 2:00 p. m.

Past Noble Grand club meets with Mrs. C. M. Cole at 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY

Past Matron's club meets with Mrs. J. C. Floore at 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

The Contract Study club meets at the Artesia hotel, Mrs. L. P. Evans, hostess, 1:00 p. m.

The Fortnightly Bridge club meets at the Artesia hotel, Mrs. Glenn Booker, hostess, 1:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

The first meeting of the Book club after summer vacation, with Mrs. N. M. Baird at 2:00 p. m. Members requested to be prepared with current event or item of interest as there will not be a review at this meeting.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The Home Makers Circle meets at the Baptist church for an all-day session.

The Charlotte Burnett Circle meets at the Baptist church at 2:30 p. m.

The Susannah Wesley Bible class meets with Mrs. W. S. Williams at 2:30 p. m. Officers of the M. E. Missionary society will meet to make out third quarter reports immediately at the close of the social hour.

The Episcopal Guild meets with Mrs. Earl Bigler at 2:30 p. m.

Regular meeting of the Eastern Star at the lodge hall, 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Mattie Edwards of Hobbs, district aide, to pay her official visit. Covered dish luncheon.

NEWLYWEDS ARRIVE

Friends of T. C. Williams, day clerk at the Artesia hotel, may be interested to learn that he has deserted the bachelor ranks. He returned with his bride Sunday from Hopkinsville, Kentucky, after a brief honeymoon. The wedding occurred on September 7th at Pembroke, Kentucky. Excerpts from the marriage ceremony, taken from the Kentucky New Era of Hopkinsville, may also be of interest, and follows:

"Simplicity and quiet dignity marked the marriage of two members of prominent South Christian families, Miss Erma Louise Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Graham of Pembroke, and Mr. Thomas Cloud Williams of Artesia, N. M., and son of Mrs. B. W. Williams of Pembroke, which took place Saturday afternoon at 3:30 at the home of the bride's parents.

Officiating before a select company of relatives and friends of the bridal couple was the Rev. Dr. J. W. Weldon, pastor of the First Methodist church of this city. The ceremony was pronounced in the spacious hallway of the home, an improvised altar being formed at the base of the stairway. White and green plants were artistically arranged about the altar and four seven-branch candelabra bore lighted white cathedral candles to shed a soft glow over the nuptial event.

An informal reception took place after the ceremony. Soon afterward Mr. and Mrs. Williams left by motor for a short wedding tour. They returned to Pembroke to visit the bride's parents until Wednesday, when they will leave for Artesia, N. M., where Mr. Williams holds a business connection with the Artesia hotel."

RACHELLE ADELLE SWIFT HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Elza Swift held open house Monday afternoon from 3:30 to 5:00 p. m., honoring her daughter, Miss Rachelle Adelle, on her fifteenth birthday anniversary.

A dainty pink and green color scheme was carried out in the refreshments of birthday cake, confections and punch.

Mrs. Swift was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Dan Beckett, and Mrs. L. C. Reynolds in entertaining. Twenty-four young friends of the honoree called during the hours of open house.

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ARTESIA WOMAN'S CLUB

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Cotton picking is expected to open at about fifty cents per hundred. The El Paso valley and other irrigated sections are paying fifty cents per hundred, it was learned here. When questioned regarding a get-together meeting for establishing a uniform price, such as has been held here in former years, several local farmers said they had not been propositioned on the matter. They said such meetings were of little value as it was rare that all growers would stick to the established wage scale.

TO HEAR BOWDEN SUIT

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EDDY COUNTY'S FIRST BALE

The first bale of cotton ginned in Eddy county this year was ginned at Loving last Thursday. The cotton was raised on the H. L. Landrum farm in the Carlsbad project. A 585 pound bale was secured from 1,575 pounds.



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Good Year For Sheepmen Seen

ALBUQUERQUE—First favorable year since 1930 for New Mexico sheepmen was forecast Tuesday by Thomas Snell, secretary of the state sheep sanitary board, on the basis of figures just issued by the department of agriculture on the fall lamb crop.

"New Mexico is the only place they can get feeder lambs this year," Snell declared, pointing out the federal report shows short crops in all but Arizona and California where lambs have been mostly finished out and marketed already.

Snell said the New Mexico crop on the other hand, both by the U. S. figures and his own checkup, would be "one of the largest in several years with an exceptionally high percentage of lambs."

Counteracting the large number of lambs was the fact, Snell said, that ewe stock in New Mexico is short and many sheepmen will hold back ewe lambs to keep up their breeding stock. For this reason, Snell believes, the marketing this year will be about normal.

He said lamb prices now are from \$7.50 to \$7.60 a hundredweight.

DISCUSSES NAVAL LIMITATIONS MONDAY

HYDE PARK—President Roosevelt discussed the possibility of further naval limitations Monday with Norman Davis, American representative to the preliminary negotiations. Davis afterward expressed doubt of new agreements.

With the British fleet steaming into the Mediterranean in the Italian-Ethiopian crisis, Roosevelt leisurely talked over the situation with Davis and Mrs. Davis at tea. Davis, upon his return to the temporary executive office at the Nelson house in Poughkeepsie, said the foreign situation was discussed just like any other exciting news of the day but there was no thought of American intervention.

Denver, Colo. 31-8tp

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Forest Notes

A new fly-camp of fifty men, from F-28, has been established at Devil's Canyon, over near the Bonnell ranch. They will work the washed-out roads and probably do some soil erosion conservation. They will also replace two bridges on Ruidoso creek, carried out by high water.

Zane Smith, associate recreational director for the Albuquerque regional office, is on the forest revising recreational plans and laying out additional camp grounds of which there are already a number in different forest localities. The camp grounds have been a great convenience to campers.—Alamogordo Advertiser.

GOVERNOR GOING TO TRI-STATE FAIR

SANTA FE—Governor Clyde Tingley announced yesterday he is leaving today for Tucumcari where he will join the Eastern New Mexico special train to the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo.

The governor will speak at a program at Tucumcari Thursday night. En route to Tucumcari he will inspect the Conchas dam site. Friday will be New Mexico day at the Tri-State Fair and delegations will be sent from several eastern New Mexico communities.

AWARD PRIZE TO BEST DANCING COUPLE

Joyce Fruit Co., awarded two prizes Tuesday evening to the best dancing couple at the street dance staged in connection with the Mexican Independence Day celebration. Paul Freques of Roswell was awarded a dress shirt for the most graceful dancer among the men, while Miss Flavia Torrez of Artesia proved to be the most graceful lady dancer present. Awards were made by a special committee selected.

Raleigh Newbill, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Newbill of Hope, was painfully but not seriously injured when kicked in the head by a horse this morning. The little fellow was struck just above the right eye. The injury was sustained as he was playing in the horse lot.

BOY HURT

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Ethiopian Peace Hope Is Fading

LONDON—A worried League of Nations presented its plan for peace to Italy and to Ethiopia last night with advance notice from Benito Mussolini's envoys that Italy won't take it.

"Absolutely unacceptable as a basis for negotiation"—that was what Il Duce's delegation to Geneva called the scheme. It would seek to fashion medieval Ethiopia into a modern nation and would strive to satisfy Italy's fond hopes for expansion, but league circles buzzed ominously with the prediction that Mussolini, when he reads the plan, will turn it down flatly.

Elsewhere in a troubled world the news seemed to emphasize one word: "Prepare!"

From Gibraltar, eight more of Great Britain's swift destroyers foamed through the blue waters of the Mediterranean. As the admiralty here called off home fleet maneuvers in the north sea—the home fleet as such scarcely exists because its men o' war aren't home—the air ministry was expected in authoritative quarters to be preparing an announcement of concentration of air reinforcements in the Mediterranean.

HEALTH EXPENSES TO BE PAID FROM HEALTH FUND

SANTA FE—The attorney general's office has held that county health expenses shall all be paid from the health fund and if a levy of less than a mill is insufficient, the levy may be increased not to exceed one mill, provided the total county levy does not exceed five mills.

RECOVERING FROM SPIDER BITE

Alteno Keno, local Mexican, is recovering from a Black Widow spider bite, it was reported this morning. Keno was bitten yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Skelt Williams of Lovington spent Wednesday here visiting home folks. Mrs. Williams took an extremely large pastel painting which she did before her marriage and presented it to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Polk to Lovington to enter at the Lea county fair. The picture will be returned here.

DANIEL CAR RECOVERED AFTER BEING WRECKED IN ATTEMPTED GETAWAY

Anxiety brought grief to a man giving his name as Mortie Cobble, and his home as Artesia, last night, who was lodged in the city jail, and against whom formal charges of theft of a car will be placed today.

According to the story told by officers, a report of a car wreck at the corner of East McGaffey and the Dexter highway and that of the theft of the Winston Daniel sedan came almost simultaneously.

Both proved to be the same car, which was damaged when the sharp corner and the speed of the escaping man failed to coincide. The vehicle turned over, and was damaged to some extent.

The man in the car was aided by persons nearby, refused aid and started walking toward the city. Meanwhile officers had spread a net, as a cruising patrol car had seen a stranger standing near the Daniel car, presumably just before it was taken.

Descriptions of the witnesses at the wreck, and the patrolling officer coincided, and the net closed on the wanted man on Main street, and thereon hangs the story of an attempted theft that went wrong.—Roswell Dispatch.

AUSTIN RANCH SOLD MONDAY

Sale of 5,300 unimproved acres of land for \$12,333 and of buildings, personal property and 418 acres for \$45,000 marked the public auction of the Tex Austin ranch near Rowe which was held at Las Vegas Monday.

L. E. O'Madey, superintendent of insurance for the state of Missouri in charge of the Continental Life Insurance company and the bondholders were the buyers.

INCOME TAX PAYMENTS UP SIXTY MILLIONS

WASHINGTON—Total income tax payments during the first fifteen days of September amounted to \$221,018,483.74, a figure approximately \$60,000,000 greater than last year, the treasury reported yesterday.

The period covered embraces the third installment of taxes paid on 1934 incomes.

Mrs. Arba Green has been confined to her home on account of illness for about two weeks.

Dr. D. A. Loucks left Saturday for Mississippi to drive home a new school bus.

Grazing Program Is Well Underway

WASHINGTON—Grazing on the nation's public lands is being administered under a local self-government plan by men characterized yesterday as "hardheaded, veteran stockmen who know their business."

"Our program is entirely decentralized," said F. R. Carpenter, grazing director, who has just returned to Washington from the west. "The Washington office is little more than a policy-determining headquarters and we are operating on a strictly democratic instead of bureaucratic basis."

Carpenter said the entire 80,000,000 acres allowed by the Taylor grazing act is now in regularly established grazing districts. There are thirty districts in the twelve western states in which most of the public domain is located.

CCC CAMPS TO BE FILLED

WASHINGTON—The Civilian Conservation Corps yesterday sent out a call for more recruits in a drive to boost its enrollment to the legal limit of 600,000. To help swell enlistments, the minimum age limit was dropped from eighteen to seventeen years and ranks were opened to re-enforcements of youths who have at least four months in the camps and whose families still are on relief.

Coincidentally, officials of FE-RA's rural research division estimated that 400,000 families embracing 1,750,000 persons were dropped from relief rolls in rural areas between February and June.

Robert Fechner, CCC director, said it was anticipated that more than 100,000 young men and veterans would be enrolled for the forest camps in October in a program intended to replace those who will drop out before October 1 and to increase the crops to more than the 519,000 figure reached August 31.

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MEXICO CITY—The University of Mexico, oldest on the American continent, faced a crisis today which threatened its end as an independent institution.

The university council, lacking funds to continue classes, resigned rather than accept a government subsidy which would mean a sacrifice of the right of freedom of instruction.

President Lazaro Cardenas had promised the 400-year-old university the sum of 3,000,000 pesos (about \$840,000) provided it would agree not to furnish instruction contrary to the government's socialistic education program.

Sol Van Cleve, Pinon rancher, was transacting business here yesterday.

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Social Activities

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TURN DOWN TWO WELL PLUGGING PROJECTS

Word was received last week by the Pecos Valley Artesian Water Conservancy district that two projects for plugging wells under the PWA had been disallowed. Previously these projects had been tentatively approved, but the order approving them was rescinded. Officials are hopeful that the application for plugging the wells may be transferred to the federal conservancy fund.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Compton of Fort Worth and their three sons, William, Stewart and Kenneth, with each of their wives and their daughter, Mrs. Lemuel Duffield and her husband are leaving this week for a trout fishing trip to the Chama.

Where the Wife Takes Half

In Scotland an innocent wife who divorces her husband is legally in the same position as a widow in Scotland, as she is entitled to claim one-half of her husband's personal estate, if she is childless, or in the case of there being children, she is then entitled to one-third, and to one-half of his real property.

Red Bananas

The red banana is a less common species of banana which grows almost everywhere that the common yellow species grows. It is inferior to the common banana in raw eating quality, but makes a good cooking banana. It is somewhat hardier and will ripen in climates unfavorable to the common banana.

Cotton Picking To Be In Full Swing By The Middle of Next Week

Cotton picking is expected to be in full swing by the middle of next week over this section. Cotton has matured in some areas both north and south of the Artesia trade area faster than it has here, but when once started the harvesting operations are expected to proceed at a lively clip. The crop this year is about three weeks later than last year, due to a late spring. Last year on the same date, six gins serving the territory from Lake Arthur to Atoka had ginned a total of 1,919 bales.

Cotton picking is expected to open at about fifty cents per hundred. The El Paso valley and other irrigated sections are paying fifty cents per hundred, it was learned here. When questioned regarding a get-together meeting for establishing a uniform price, such as has been held here in former years, several local farmers said they had not been propositioned on the matter. They said such meetings were of little value as it was rare that all growers would stick to the established wage scale.

TO HEAR BOWDEN SUIT

SILVER CITY—Federal Judge Colin Neblett will hear on October 10th the suit of Dr. A. O. Bowden, former president of State Teachers College, against the board of regents of the school, for alleged unpaid salary amounting to \$1,313.30, and \$4,483.96 for breach of contract. Dr. Bowden is now an instructor at the University of Southern California at Los Angeles.

EDDY COUNTY'S FIRST BALE

The first bale of cotton ginned in Eddy county this year was ginned at Loving last Thursday. The cotton was raised on the H. L. Landrum farm in the Carlsbad project. A 585 pound bale was secured from 1,575 pounds.



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Social Calendar

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FRIDAY

P. E. O. meets with Mrs. Rex Wheatley at 2:00 p. m.

Past Noble Grand club meets with Mrs. C. M. Cole at 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY

Past Matron's club meets with Mrs. J. C. Floore at 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

The Contract Study club meets at the Artesia hotel, Mrs. L. P. Evans, hostess, 1:00 p. m.

The Fortnightly Bridge club meets at the Artesia hotel, Mrs. Glenn Booker, hostess, 1:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

The first meeting of the Book club after summer vacation, with Mrs. N. M. Baird at 2:00 p. m. Members requested to be prepared with current event or item of interest as there will not be a review at this meeting.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The Home Makers Circle meets at the Baptist church for an all-day session.

The Charlotte Burnett Circle meets at the Baptist church at 2:30 p. m.

The Susannah Wesley Bible class meets with Mrs. W. S. Williams at 2:30 p. m. Officers of the M. E. Missionary society will meet to make out third quarter reports immediately at the close of the social hour.

The Episcopal Guild meets with Mrs. Earl Bigler at 2:30 p. m.

Regular meeting of the Eastern Star at the lodge hall, 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Matie Edwards of Hobbs, district aide, to pay her official visit. Covered dish luncheon.

NEWLYWEDS ARRIVE

Friends of T. C. Williams, day clerk at the Artesia hotel, may be interested to learn that he has deserted the bachelor ranks. He returned with his bride Sunday from Hopkinsville, Kentucky, after a brief honeymoon. The wedding occurred on September 7th at Pembroke, Kentucky. Excerpts of the marriage ceremony, taken from the Kentucky New Era of Hopkinsville, may also be of interest, and follows:

"Simplicity and quiet dignity marked the marriage of two members of prominent South Christian families, Miss Erma Louise Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Graham of Pembroke, and Mr. Thomas Cloud Williams of Artesia, N. M., and son of Mrs. B. W. Williams of Pembroke, which took place Saturday afternoon at 3:30 at the home of the bride's parents. Officiating before a select company of relatives and friends of the bridal couple was the Rev. Dr. J. W. Weldon, pastor of the First Methodist church of this city.

The ceremony was pronounced in the spacious hallway of the home, an improvised altar being formed at dias of the stairway. White and green plants were artistically arranged about the altar and four seven-branch candelabra bore lighted white cathedral candles to shed a soft glow over the nuptial event.

An informal reception took place after the ceremony. Soon afterward Mr. and Mrs. Williams left by motor for a short wedding tour. They returned to Pembroke to visit the bride's parents until Wednesday, when they will leave for Artesia, N. M., where Mr. Williams holds a business connection with the Artesia hotel."

RACHELLE ADELLE SWIFT HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Elza Swith held open house Monday afternoon from 3:30 to 5:00 p. m., honoring her daughter, Miss Rachelle Adelle, on her fifteenth birthday anniversary.

A dainty pink and green color scheme was carried out in the refreshments of birthday cake, confections and punch.

Mrs. Swift was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Dan Beckett, and Mrs. L. C. Reynolds in entertaining. Twenty-four young friends of the honoree called during the hours of open house.

TYPEWRITERS

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Two residences in good repair and in good location. Can be bought for small down payment, balance monthly installments. J. S. Ward. 22-tfc

FOR SALE: Methodist church parsonage property consisting of three lots, residence and double garage. Located corner Fifth and Richardson. See Dr. Stroup. 15-tfc

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FOR SALE: Weaning pigs. Will Walden, Lake Arthur, N. M. 38-2tp

FOR SALE: Long wheel base 1934 V-8 Ford truck, practically new. Apply at Dunn's Garage, Phone 64. 36-4tc

FOR SALE: Irrigated farm, 159 a in tract, 75 a under ditch, 20 a alfalfa; No. 12 Layne Bowler pump; 43 h. p. International engine and all farm equipment, \$8,000. Part terms. W. J. Reeves, Lovington, N. M. 38-3tp

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Five-room furnished apartment, private bath. Mrs. O. R. Gable, 9th and Washington. 37-2tp

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment. 1103 West Main. Gus Hoagland. 38-1tp

WANTED

MAN WANTED for Rawleigh Route of 800 families. Write today. Rawleigh, Dept. NM-6-SA.

Good Year For Sheepmen Seen

ALBUQUERQUE—First favorable year since 1930 for New Mexico sheepmen was forecast Tuesday by Thomas Snell, secretary of the state sheep sanitary board, on the basis of figures just issued by the department of agriculture on the fall lamb crop.

"New Mexico is the only place they can get feeder lambs this year," Snell declared, pointing out the federal report shows short crops in all but Arizona and California where lambs have been mostly finished out and marketed already.

Snell said the New Mexico crop on the other hand, both by the U. S. figures and his own checkup, would be "one of the largest in several years with an exceptionally high percentage of lambs."

Counteracting the large number of lambs was the fact, Snell said, that ewe stock in New Mexico is short and many sheepmen will hold back ewe lambs to keep up their breeding stock. For this reason, Snell believes, the marketing this year will be about normal.

He said lamb prices now are from \$7.50 to \$7.60 a hundred-weight.

DISCUSSES NAVAL LIMITATIONS MONDAY

HYDE PARK—President Roosevelt discussed the possibility of further naval limitations Monday with Norman Davis, American representative to the preliminary negotiations. Davis afterward expressed doubt of new agreements.

With the British fleet steaming into the Mediterranean in the Italian-Ethiopian crisis, Roosevelt leisurely talked over the situation with Davis and Mrs. Davis at tea.

Davis, upon his return to the temporary executive office at the Nelson house in Poughkeepsie, said the foreign situation was discussed just like any other exciting news of the day but there was no thought of American intervention.

Denver, Colo. 31-8tp

MISCELLANEOUS

TRY HELPY-SELFY LAUNDRY or leave your bundles. Soft water. Men's shirts finished 10c each. All work guaranteed. First street, 400 block. 37-2tp

Forest Notes

A new fly-camp of fifty men, from F-28, has been established at Devil's Canyon, over near the Bonnell ranch. They will work the washed-out roads and probably do some soil erosion conservation. They will also replace two bridges on Ruidoso creek, carried out by high water. *****

Zane Smith, associate recreational director for the Albuquerque regional office, is on the forest revising recreational plans and laying out additional camp grounds of which there are already a number in different forest localities. The camp grounds have been a great convenience to campers.—Alamogordo Advertiser.

GOVERNOR GOING TO TRI-STATE FAIR

SANTA FE—Governor Clyde Tingley announced yesterday he is leaving today for Tucumcari where he will join the Eastern New Mexico special train to the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo.

The governor will speak at a program at Tucumcari Thursday night. En route to Tucumcari he will inspect the Conchas dam site. Friday will be New Mexico day at the Tri-State Fair and delegations will be sent from several eastern New Mexico communities.

AWARD PRIZE TO BEST DANCING COUPLE

Joyce Fruit Co., awarded two prizes Tuesday evening to the best dancing couple at the street dance staged in connection with the Mexican Independence Day celebration.

Paul Fregues of Roswell was awarded a dress shirt for the most graceful dancer among the men, while Miss Flavia Torrez of Artesia proved to be the most graceful lady dancer present. Awards were made by a special committee selected.

BOY HURT

Raleigh Newbill, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Newbill of Hope, was painfully but not seriously injured when kicked in the head by a horse this morning. The little fellow was struck just above the right eye. The injury was sustained as he was playing in the horse lot.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved.—The Advocate.

Ethiopian Peace Hope Is Fading

LONDON—A worried League of Nations presented its plan for peace to Italy and to Ethiopia last night with advance notice from Benito Mussolini's envoys that Italy won't take it.

"Absolutely unacceptable as a basis for negotiation"—that was what Il Duce's delegation to Geneva called the scheme. It would seek to fashion medieval Ethiopia into a modern nation and would strive to satisfy Italy's fond hopes for expansion, but league circles buzzed ominously with the prediction that Mussolini, when he reads the plan, will turn it down flatly.

Elsewhere in a troubled world the news seemed to emphasize one word: "Prepare!"

From Gibraltar, eight more of Great Britain's swift destroyers fanned through the blue waters of the Mediterranean. As the admiralty here called off home fleet maneuvers in the north sea—(the home fleet as such scarcely exists because its men o' war aren't home)—the air ministry was expected in authoritative quarters to be preparing an announcement of concentration of air reinforcements in the Mediterranean.

HEALTH EXPENSES TO BE PAID FROM HEALTH FUND

SANTA FE—The attorney general's office has held that county health expenses shall all be paid from the health fund and if a levy of less than a mill is insufficient, the levy may be increased not to exceed one mill, provided the total county levy does not exceed five mills.

The point was raised by Andres A. Gallegos, clerk of the board of county commissioners of San Miguel county.

RECOVERING FROM SPIDER BITE

Alteno Keno, local Mexican, is recovering from a Black Widow spider bite, it was reported this morning. Keno was bitten yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Skelt Williams of Lovington spent Wednesday here visiting home folks. Mrs. Williams took an extremely large pastel painting which she did before her marriage and presented it to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Polk to Lovington to enter at the Lea county fair. The picture will be returned here.

DANIEL CAR RECOVERED AFTER BEING WRECKED IN ATTEMPTED GETAWAY

Anxiety brought grief to a man giving his name as Mortie Cobble, and his home as Artesia, last night, who was lodged in the city jail, and against whom formal charges of theft of a car will be placed today.

According to the story told by officers, a report of a car wreck at the corner of East McGaffey and the Dexter highway and that of the theft of the Winston Daniel sedan came almost simultaneously.

Both proved to be the same car, which was damaged when the sharp corner and the speed of the escaping man failed to coincide. The vehicle turned over, and was damaged to some extent.

The man in the car was aided by persons nearby, refused aid and started walking toward the city. Meanwhile officers had spread a net, as a cruising patrol car had seen a stranger standing near the Daniel car, presumably just before it was taken.

Descriptions of the witnesses at the wreck, and the patrolling officer coincided, and the net closed on the wanted man on Main street, and thereon hangs the story of an attempted theft that went wrong.—Roswell Dispatch.

AUSTIN RANCH SOLD MONDAY

Sale of 5,300 unimproved acres of land for \$12,333 and of buildings, personal property and 418 acres for \$45,000 marked the public auction of the Tex Austin ranch near Rowe which was held at Las Vegas Monday.

L. E. O'Madey, superintendent of insurance for the state of Missouri in charge of the Continental Life Insurance company and the bondholders were the buyers.

INCOME TAX PAYMENTS UP SIXTY MILLIONS

WASHINGTON—Total income tax payments during the first fifteen days of September amounted to \$221,018,483.74, a figure approximately \$60,000,000 greater than last year, the treasury reported yesterday.

The period covered embraces the third installment of taxes paid on 1934 incomes.

Mrs. Arba Green has been confined to her home on account of illness for about two weeks.

Dr. D. A. Loucks left Saturday for Mississippi to drive home a new school bus.

Grazing Program Is Well Underway

WASHINGTON—Grazing on the nation's public lands is being administered under a local self-government plan by men characterized yesterday as "hardheaded, veteran stockmen who know their business."

"Our program is entirely decentralized," said F. R. Carpenter, grazing director, who has just returned to Washington from the west. "The Washington office is little more than a policy-determining headquarters and we are operating on a strictly democratic instead of bureaucratic basis."

Carpenter said the entire 80,000,000 acres allowed by the Taylor grazing act is now in regularly established grazing districts. There are thirty districts in the twelve western states in which most of the public domain is located.

CCC CAMPS TO BE FILLED

WASHINGTON—The Civilian Conservation Corps yesterday sent out a call for more recruits in a drive to boost its enrollment to the legal limit of 600,000. To help swell enlistments, the minimum age limit was dropped from eighteen to seventeen years and ranks were opened to re-enforcements of youths who have at least four months in the camps and whose families still are on relief.

Coincidentally, officials of FE-RA's rural research division estimated that 400,000 families embracing 1,750,000 persons were dropped from relief rolls in rural areas between February and June.

Robert Fechner, CCC director, said it was anticipated that more than 100,000 young men and veterans would be enrolled for the forest camps in October in a program intended to replace those who will drop out before October 1 and to increase the crops to more than the 519,000 figure reached August 31.

He said the labor department had reported that at least 140,000 youths of seventeen are eligible for the six-month enrollments under regulations which provide that enrollees must come from families on relief.

The Rev. F. L. Meadows of Roswell, presiding elder of the Roswell district of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, preached at the local Methodist church Sunday morning and conducted quarterly conference in the afternoon.

OLDEST SCHOOL ON CONTINENT MAY BE CLOSED

MEXICO CITY—The University of Mexico, oldest on the American continent, faced a crisis today which threatened its end as an independent institution.

The university council, lacking funds to continue classes, resigned rather than accept a government subsidy which would mean a sacrifice of the right of freedom of instruction.

President Lazaro Cardenas had promised the 400-year-old university the sum of 3,000,000 pesos (about \$840,000) provided it would agree not to furnish instruction contrary to the government's socialistic education program.

Sol Van Cleve, Pinon rancher, was transacting business here yesterday.

Joe Hamann has sold his trucking business and has moved back to Artesia to make his home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Schneider accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Hester Terpening, and brother Bill Schneider, left Friday morning for Amarillo, Texas, where they will spend a few days visiting their sons, George and Art Schneider. They will also visit the Tri-State Fair before returning home.

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Artesia, New Mexico

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1292 Santa Fe, N. M., Sept. 10, 1935.

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of September, 1935, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, W. E. Ragsdale of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the underground shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 1,000 gallons per minute by drilling a well 12 1/2 inches in diameter and approximately 200 feet in depth, located in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec 20, T. 17 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 120 acres of land described as follows: 80 acres in the W 1/2 NW 1/4 and 40 acres in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4, all in Sec. 20, T. 17 S., R. 26 E.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 21st day of October, 1935, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

IN THE PROBATE COURT, COUNTY OF EDDY, NEW MEXICO.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARY C. DAUGHERTY, DECEASED.

No. 761

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 24th day of August, 1935, appointed ancillary executor of the estate of Mary C. Daugherty, deceased, by Hon. P. J. McCall, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

Therefore all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same with the county clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, within one year from date of said appointment as provided by law or the same will be barred.

RUFUS F. DAUGHERTY, Ancillary Executor.

1st Cotton Grade Report Released

The first report on cotton classed from the southwest irrigated section, which includes the states of Arizona, New Mexico, California, and Texas, district 1 (that section of Texas west of the Pecos river) was released Saturday at the El Paso office, Division of Cotton Marketing.

This report covers only Arizona, where ginning is getting well under way in practically all sections. However, a much smaller proportion of the crop has been ginned and classed to this date in 1935 than to the same date in 1934.

Almost 69 percent of the cotton classed this week was strict and good middling, white and extra white, and 26 percent was middling. Less than 4 percent was strict low and low middling and less than 1 percent was spotted. Grades have been slightly lower this season than for the same period in 1934.

Fifty-one percent of the cotton classed this week was 1 and 1-1/32 inches and 49 percent was 1-1/16 and 1-3/32 inches. This compares with 18 percent, 1 and 1-1/32 inches, 64 percent, 1-1/16 and 1-3/32 inches and 17.4 percent, 1-1/8 inches and longer for the same period last season.

Filed for Record

In the District Court—No. 6055 Levers Bros., a co-partnership vs. George Demetres, doing business under firm of Club Cafe; on account for merchandise.

No. 6056 Garnet M. Thomas vs. Autra Mae Thomas, divorce.

Warranty Deeds—C. G. Scott, W. H. Franklin, S. 50 feet Lot 5, Block 108, North Carlsbad.

E. Barker, J. L. Jones, Lot 6, Block 11, Greene's Highland Addition.

In the Probate Court—No. 1519 In the matter of the last will and testament of M. J. McDonald, deceased. Notice; ESW, NSE, ESE, 36-18-27; Secs. 8, 9, 17, 20-16-30.

No. 761 In the matter of Mary C. Daugherty, deceased; inventory, selection of appraiser, ESE 25-18-25; SNW, SNE 22-18-26.

Marriage Licenses—Jose Orosco and Hetel Samaniego, Carlsbad.

H. A. Maloch, Eunice, and Wandina Johnston, Byars, Oklahoma.

ON FRIDAY THE 13TH

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hill of the Cottonwood, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Cox of Hope, and a son to Mr. and Mrs. Buster Kinder of Hope.

Eddy County Farm News

A. M. Vance, assistant in cotton adjustment, wishes to warn contract signers that their contracts are still subject to cancellation due to violation of the regulations in regard to the using of rented acres. Although the compliance check has been completed, and practically all contracts have been recommended for payment by the county allotment committee, it must not be assumed that the rented acres can now be used to derive a profit directly or indirectly. The county allotment committee will investigate any report of misuse of rented acres having actually been used in violation to the regulations, and will immediately notify Washington to cancel the contract.

Agricultural adjustment payments have been made on eleven out of the fifty-six corn-hog contracts submitted by Eddy county. Additional payments are expected to be made in the near future.

Wheat High

Panhandle wheat Monday brought the producer \$1.08 on the Amarillo, Texas, market, the highest in seven years.

Truck wheat early in the morning brought \$1.02, which was a six-year high at Oklahoma City, but the market at Amarillo became jumpy as the day advanced and late in the afternoon cash wheat was \$1.08.

Grain buyers in Amarillo late Monday predicted the price would remain high for some time.

OKLAHOMA CITY—Cash wheat jumped to a top of \$1.02 a bushel here Monday, the highest price in nearly six years. A similar record was set at Alva, in the northwest, where wheat hit \$1.03.

World Series To Start Oct. 2nd.

CHICAGO—Unless the New York Yankees come through with a baseball miracle, the world series will open in Detroit on Wednesday, October 2.

This was decided Tuesday at a meeting of representatives of five clubs still having a mathematical chance of victory in the two major leagues, with Kenesaw Mountain Landis, commissioner of baseball, acting as chairman.

Normally, the 1935 series would open in the city winning the national league championship, but because of a large convention scheduled for St. Louis and the complicated championship race in the American league city.

The world series schedule agreed upon provides that the first and second games will be played in the American league city, with games 3, 4 and 5 in the home park of the National league champions. If games 6 and 7 are needed, the teams will move back to the American league city. There will be no open dates for traveling unless the Yankees nose out the Tigers in the American league race.

LIGHT NO LONGER BURNS

LANDISBURG, Pennsylvania—A missing son for whom a sad couple kept a window aglow for twelve years has returned home—but too late.

His mother, on her deathbed six years ago, made her husband promise to keep a light in the window of their little home for their boy's return.

Recently the father identified his son from a newspaper picture and he was found in Portland, Oregon—a former marine whose memory left him in 1932 and who pleaded in Red Cross offices that he thought he was an ex-service man.

He wanted to know who he was. Then word came from his father in the north woods of Pennsylvania. Arrangements were made for his return.

But now his father is dead. He was buried Sunday.

The light in the window was extinguished Saturday night.

STATE GROUP CERTIFY SEED

The State Crop Improvement association had representatives in the county last week for certification of seed, and roguing of infected plants, so that a high quality seed can be produced for planting. This program has increased the yield of cotton in the state.

J. R. Ogden, president of the association; Tom Reid, extension agronomist from State College, and L. R. Litton, cotton representative from State College, were in charge of the work.

TYPEWRITERS

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

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sarvey and children are expected home soon from a two weeks vacation spent with Mrs. Sarvey's home folks at Caddo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Russell left Sunday for their home in Albuquerque after a few days visit with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Chester Russell.

R. M. McDonald of the McClay Furniture store, left Monday for Albuquerque to attend a convention of the New Mexico Funeral Directors and Embalmers association.

M. S. Bruning, who has been located at Huntington Park, California, for several months, came in Monday for a visit with friends and relatives and to attend to business matters.

W. A. Hamilton, Lake Arthur farmer, was trading in town Monday. Mr. Hamilton says his cotton crop is looking fine and he anticipates a bumper crop, if frost holds off long enough.

The Hobbs schols have registered a twenty-five percent increase in enrollment this year. The total enrollment for Hobbs and New Hobbs reached 1,375 for the first week, it was announced.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bartlett were accompanied to Carlsbad last Thursday by Mrs. Raymond Bartlett where they transacted business and visited their daughter, Mrs. Glenn Leonard and Mr. Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Thomas of Carlsbad and Mrs. Graff of LaGrange, Illinois, who is visiting the Thomas family at Carlsbad, were visiting here Saturday. Mr. Thomas is publisher of the Eddy County News at Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bartlett and their daughter, Mrs. Glenn Leonard of Carlsbad, drove up to the Sacramento camp Wednesday. They will spend a few days there and close the Bartlett cabin for the season before returning.

A lightweight birth record was probably established in the Roswell vicinity Monday evening when a two pound, six ounce son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Simmons. The little fellow was reported to be doing well Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Brainard and Mr. and Mrs. Alf Coll drove to Pecos Sunday taking their daughters, Miss Peggy Brainard, Miss Marion Coll and also Miss Virginia Gates. The three young ladies took the train from Pecos for Denton, Texas, where they entered C. I. A.

Mrs. C. Bert Smith received a message Saturday announcing the arrival of a nine pound baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edson Jones (Velma Smith) of Waukegan, Illinois. The young man has been named Robert Edson, both mother and son are doing nicely.

H. R. Rodgers, state superintendent of public instruction; J. W. Culppepper and Mr. McNeil, employed in the state superintendent's office, stopped here Tuesday for a brief visit en route to their homes in Santa Fe from Carlsbad, where they went to vote in the special election.

Chas. Martin, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Jim Berry, and Harold Dunn, left Tuesday morning for Temple, Texas. All plan to go through the clinic at the Scott-White hospital. Mr. Dunn has been suffering several days with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. E. A. Paton and daughters Mary and Wilma returned Friday from New Matamoros, Ohio, where they have spent the past month visiting relatives. Her brother-in-law, O. H. Stewart of Friendly, Pennsylvania, returned home with them. Lord Sharp accompanied them on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Boyce of Weed were shopping and visiting friends here Saturday. Mr. Boyce reports the Weed section has had several light frosts, but the vegetation has not been killed yet. The frosts, he says, have been beneficial in that they have hastened the maturity of the crops.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lanning and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bigler were joined by Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kastelic of Albuquerque for the two-day session of the district meeting of the Continental Oil Company at Ruidoso, last Thursday and Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Kastelic were guests for a few days at the Lanning home on their return here.

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Four Win College Educations



THESE four young men were each awarded \$5,000 university scholarships at the convention which closed this year's Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild competition. Photo shows (left to right) Kenneth Jensen, 19, of Metuchen, N. J.; Ralph H. Munson, 20, of St. Paul, Minn., both senior winners; W. A. Fisher,

New Liquor Board To Be Named Soon

WASHINGTON — The second chapter in the post-repeal history of federal control is expected to open soon, perhaps this week.

When President Roosevelt appoints his new federal alcohol administrator, the old control agency which took up the task of keeping order after repeal will officially die.

For some time this agency, known as the federal alcohol control administration, has been without power over the beer, wine and liquor trade it formerly ruled. It worked through codes, which were swept away in the decision that smashed NRA.

The new FAA (Federal Alcohol Administration) will have power to fine offenders, as well as revoke or suspend licenses, whereas the old agency had no power to assess fines. Instead of working through code authorities, the new FAA will enforce its rules by direct action against violators.

In the period in which it ruled the industry, the FACA licensed about 16,000 manufacturers and wholesalers through its six code authorities. It approved about 10,000 of the 29,538 labels submitted to it by these dealers.

By vetoing "misleading" labels, revoking licenses of "unfair" companies, and even taking offenders into court, the FACA under Administrator Joseph H. Choate, Jr., sought to stamp out what it considered evils.

85 PERSONS KILLED IN HIGHWAY CRASHES; ILLINOIS TOPS LIST

The nation added up its deal in week-end highway accidents again, counting at a late hour Sunday at least eighty-five victims, in partial reports from twenty-six states.

Twelve of the dead were in Illinois, nine of them in the Chicago area.

Texas totaled eleven fatalities, and as traffic accidents in Dallas county numbered victims at eighty in a year, police in Dallas inaugurated a plan to teach safety rules to 2,000 drivers of commercial vehicles.

Of Pennsylvania's seven victims, six were killed when a train struck their automobile at a railroad crossing.

Oil Test Located Near Seminole

Announcement the first of the week that a location for a deep test has been made fourteen of sixteen miles northwest of Seminole, in Gaines county, Texas, and that the drilling contract calls for a depth of 5,000 feet unless paying quantities of oil is found at a lesser depth.

The test is to be made by Wahlenmaier Petroleum Corporation of San Angelo and York & Harper of Midland, and will be located on Dr. E. H. Jones' ranch (formerly the Armstrong ranch) in Gaines county. The exact location is 660 feet from the southwest corner of section 414, block G, C. C. S. D. & R. G. N. G. Co. Survey, and will be on a block of about 3,200 acres which has been assembled for this purpose.

The new test is located about ten miles east of the Texas-New Mexico state line and about seven miles south of the Gaines-Yoakum county line. It is in territory that has recently had a thorough seismicographic survey and form reports that have been made recently it is in a most favored locality.—Livingston Leader.

CARLSBAD BANK TO OPEN SOON

The American National Bank of Carlsbad will open probably on Saturday or Monday, E. M. Brickley, formerly of Carrizozo, cashier of the bank, said Monday in Carlsbad.

Workmen are installing furniture and fixtures in the new bank, located between the Carlsbad Hardware and Lumber Company and the T. C. Horne and Sons store on South Canal street.

Brickley said that it would not actually be an opening as "we have not closed. We are simply moving the bank from Carrizozo and are doing business each day."

However, he said that a "party" of some kind would probably be held on the day the opening is held.

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Everyone is invited. This is the last Lord's day for the local evangelist, who is moving to Clinton, Oklahoma, next week to begin preaching for the church there. May every member make a special effort to be present and as many visitors as possible.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH A. C. Douglas, Pastor

Church school for every age group at 9:45 a. m. George Frisch, superintendent.

Morning worship begins at 11:00 Sermon by the pastor. Special music under the direction of Mrs. Spratt.

Senior Epworth League devotional service at 7 p. m.

Evening worship at 7:45. Sermon by the pastor.

We wish to invite visitors and strangers within the community to worship with us. We are anxious to serve whenever possible to do so. Come and join us.

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COTTON BOARD MEETS

W. A. Wunsch, former Eddy county agent, and now chairman and executive secretary of the state cotton control board, met with the county cotton board at Carlsbad Monday morning to consider various contracts.

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2. See that every reading or study lamp is equipped with the proper sized bulbs—one 100-watt, two 60's or three 40's, according to the number of sockets.
3. Place lamps so that there is no direct or reflected glare in your eyes.
4. Do your visual work in a room that is moderately well lighted throughout. Reading under a floor lamp in an otherwise dark room is a sure source of eye-strain.

It is an appalling fact that one-fifth of all grade school children have something wrong with their eyes. At college age, forty students out of every 100 suffer from defective vision.

The new Science of Seeing reveals that one of the principal causes of eyestrain is improper lighting. A student who reads in dim light instinctively forms the habit of bringing his book or other object of study closer to his eyes. His eyes adjust themselves to this wrong reading distance—and he eventually becomes near-sighted.

If your child habitually reads with the printed page less than 14 inches from his eyes, there are two things you should do at once. First, have his eyes examined by a competent eye specialist. Then, correct your lighting to conform with the sight-saving suggestions shown at the left. We'll gladly help you with your lighting problems, free of charge.

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THE SPRITE IN THE SUNLIGHT—turns out to be Carole Lombard, wearing a bathing suit of navy satin and an astonishing pair of navy and white sandals as she combines exercise with her sunbathing.



"KITCHEN OF THE FUTURE"—Will help to revive building activity. Kitchen cabinet, sink, dish washing machine and refrigerator at the right are examples of drawn metal construction making possible any color or combination desired. In foreground is a round electric stove on casters permitting cooking from any angle. Created by Briggs designers as a suggestion to the industry.



AND POLL SAYS TO FIDO—???



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON NEUTRALITY—These men worked out the compromise on the bill which had been passed by the Senate. From left to right, Rep. Sol Bloom, ranking Democrat, of N. Y., Rep. McKeynolds, Chairman, and Rep. Johnson of



THE CHARM OF OLD VIENNA—This chic Viennese displays the latest (un)dress



NOBODY PICKS ON HIM—George Smith has a pet lioness, which is all right—but he takes her walking with him, which sometimes is not all right with the rest of the walkers. Here he is shown on a London street—with the photographer the only other person around!



YOUTH PLANS OCEAN FLIGHT—Jack Van, only 19, plans to make the difficult east-to-west Atlantic flight from Ireland to his home in Quebec. He plans to fly solo. He was a pilot at 14, the youngest in the Dominion.

GOLDEN PHANTOMS

Fascinating Tales of Lost Mines
by Editha L. Watson
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THE HILL OF SILVER

A FEW years more than a century ago, a company of eleven men set out from San Antonio, Texas, to search for a wonderful silver mine. This mine was supposed to be near the old fort of San Luis de las Amarillas, on the San Saba river. It was known to legend as the Hill of Silver.

It—or something like it—had been "found" many times before. The Indians knew about it, and rumors of its wonders had reached the Spaniards of Mexico as early as the Eighteenth century. The Apaches indicated its direction; the Lipans brought silver from its veins to San Antonio; the Comanches knew its location, and the Chaddos, Wacos, and Tehuacanas, who survive only by their names on maps of the South, fought off the white men who traveled near it. Don Fernando de Miranda, lieutenant general of the province of Texas, found a mine which he claimed was of vast extent, and from which he brought samples of ore, and reported that he had been told of even richer mines farther on.

The little group of eleven men from San Antonio were not hunting blindly. Their leaders were James and Rezin Bowie, who were supposed to have seen with their own eyes the fabulous wealth of this hidden mine to which they were going. James Bowie, who was to become one of the martyred heroes of the Alamo, was said to have joined the tribe of Lipans who guarded the mine, for the express purpose of learning its location. Having succeeded in organizing the company to go back, fight off the Indians, and secure as much as they could of the rich ore.

The old fort was only 150 miles from San Antonio; both Bowies had been at the mine. Putting these facts together, one might suppose that the travelers would head straight for the source of the treasure. But for some obscure reason, they wandered about for three weeks, following James Bowie, who was "looking over the lay of the land," and finally wound up about six miles east of the fort—where they were attacked by a large band of hostile Indians. A day or so before, a friendly Comanche had warned them of the projected raid, so they were prepared to fight, but one man was killed and three were wounded, and there was no means of caring for the injured. So, as soon as they could move they took their casualties back to San Antonio, making the trip, though crippled and halting, in ten days.

Perhaps reasoning that if he had gone straight on to his objective the expedition would have met success, James Bowie organized another party, of thirty men this time, and started out again for the silver treasure. This time he led them to the right location, but legend disagrees as to whether he found the mine or not.

That there actually is a Hill of Silver in that region is substantiated by records in the archives of Mexico. According to these records, the mine was worked in the early days of the San Saba mission. When the local Indians uprose and killed everyone at the mine, it was considered politic to abandon the place for a while until it should be safe to return and continue operations. But during the years after this massacre so many things of great importance occurred to the Spaniards, and so many of those who knew the location of the mine were killed or returned to Mexico, that the Hill of Silver became actually lost.

Several years ago silver bullets were found in the bottom of San Saba springs, and this find served to bring the lost site to notice again. It is said that treasure-seekers are now hunting over an area of more than 2,500 square miles, hoping to find the wonderful silver hill.

Other lost and hidden treasures of Texas include the famous "Niggerhead," in the wild country along the Rio Grande border. There is not much of a story to go on in the search for this mine, but it is said that a negro who worked for a ranch below Sanderson found the ore and brought specimens of it into camp. He disappeared shortly afterward, and ever since then the hunt has been keen, but with no results. Then there is that deep spring one hundred miles south west of San Antonio, where "seven jackloads of silver" were thrown in early days when bandits attacked the transporting party. Not long ago drought caused the water to become much lower than ever before, and a bucket which scraped the bottom of the spring brought up a Spanish silver coin dated 1742. After every violent storm along the coast of Texas, Spanish doubloons are found on the islands in the gulf—only a few at a time, of course, but still enough to recall legends of Jean Lafitte, who is supposed to have buried his wealth on some of these islands.

Over Fifty Percent PWA Applications Are Now Rejected

WASHINGTON—Secretary Ickes said Tuesday extensive revision must be made in thousands of applications for public works projects if they are to qualify under the revised works program.

He added at his press conference that more than half of the 10,600 applications on file fail to comply with a yardstick laid down by President Roosevelt.

The president has said all contracts must be let by December 15 and project finished in a year, that they must be in regions where workers can be drawn from relief rolls, and the average pay per worker must not exceed \$850 annually.

Ickes said he did not believe the December 15 deadline was intended by the president to be retroactive, with reference to projects for which allotments already had been made.

Deadline Scrapped
Another deadline set for Tuesday when the final meeting of the works program allotment board was scheduled, was scrapped by the president's revision of the \$4,800,000,000 program, Ickes said.

He added the board probably would attempt to have one final meeting before the president leaves on his western trip, but that if there was not time, Mr. Roosevelt might approve projects through the formality of board approval.

Ickes said his understanding now was that PWA would receive \$200,000,000 from the remaining \$1,250,000,000 of works relief funds plus \$100,000,000 for housing, which would be added to the \$127,000,000 already set aside for public works developments.

"We are going to make the money go just as far as we can," the secretary asserted. "December 15 now is the only remaining deadline and we are going to be ready for it."

Lake Arthur Items

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

Mr. Koker and son Hubert went to Dexter Saturday.

Arvil Eddington has enrolled in the CCC camp east of here.

The Rev. Slade and son Roy were visiting in Lake Arthur Tuesday.

Supt. L. E. Dohner and family were business visitors of Roswell Saturday.

Mrs. Otto Dosier of Buffalo Valley spent Monday in town attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eddington and baby are visiting with her mother, Mrs. Luke Alexander.

Lloyd Thommason, formerly of here, spent several days visiting relatives and friends from his home at Hatch.

Mac Price re-entered school here after working with the CCC camp at Cody, Wyoming, having been transferred there from Carlsbad camp in May.

Miss Amelia Ohlenbusch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ohlenbusch, who has been attending State College for the last two years, left there last week for Spur Lake, this state, where she is now teaching.

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Locals

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Gelwick on Tuesday evening.

Sid Cox of Red River is spending a few days here visiting friends and attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hise Myers were accompanied by Mrs. J. M. Story to El Paso Sunday. They returned Tuesday.

Mrs. Rex Ragsdale of San Francisco, California, arrived Saturday to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stagner.

Mrs. Grady Burkhalter, who has been a patient at a Carlsbad hospital for some time, was able to return home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Pickett of Las Vegas, Nevada, and his mother, Mrs. A. M. Pickett, of Providence, Utah, are guests at the Calvin Dunn home this week. Mrs. Seth Pickett is the daughter of Charles Roady and sister of Mrs. Dunn. The Picketts visited the Carlsbad Caverns Wednesday.

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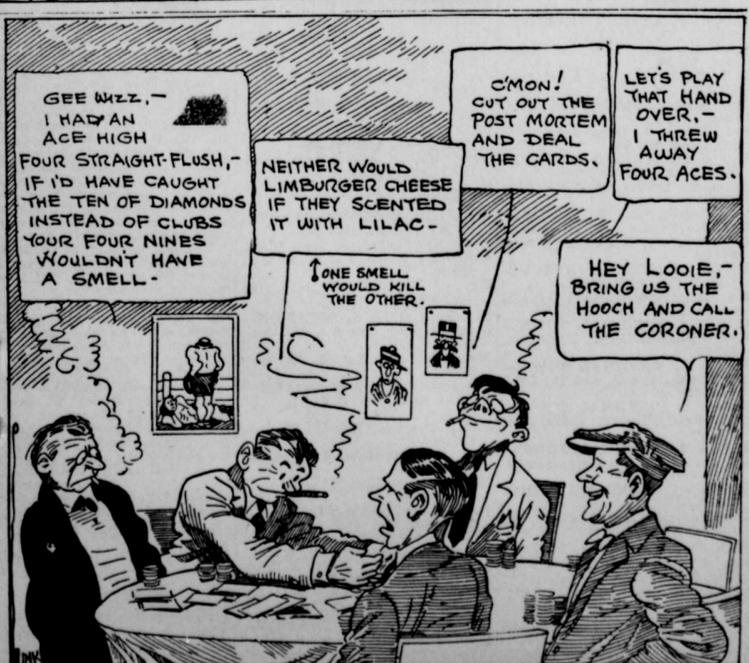
NEWS ITEM

ROY, N. M.—A shipment of 30 sacks of catalogs from a well-known mail order firm was received in the county this week, approximating 1,000 "wish books." As is the practice of this company, shipment was made by freight to the nearest railroad station and they are then mailed from that point. Postage on the shipment amounted to \$90, and with the freight added, this part of the cost totaled considerably more than \$100. It is said that compilation and publishing costs of the book are about \$2 a copy. Yet this advertising expense of approximately \$2,000, which is for a six month period, brings this progressive firm immense returns.

The merchant who refuses to advertise is simply permitting business which is justly his to go to his advertising competitors.

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CURB AND GUTTER PROTEST NOTICE, CITY OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO.

Notice of Hearing to Property Owners Under Curb and Gutter Resolutions

TO ALL PROPERTY OWNERS HEREINAFTER NAMED:

A provisional order having been adopted by the City Council of Artesia, New Mexico, on the 5th day of July, 1935, ordering certain streets and intersections to be curbed and guttered and the cost of material thereof to be assessed against the owners of property abutting upon such streets, avenues and intersections; and a Resolution having been adopted by the City Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, on the 9th day of August, 1935, ordering a hearing to be given to the owners of property abutting on such streets, avenues and intersections.

NOW THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that, pursuant to such Resolution, ordering a hearing to be given to the owners of such property affected by such provisional order a public hearing to such property owners will be given by the City Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, at the City Hall beginning at 7:30 P. M., September 27th. And such hearing to be adjourned from time to time, and from day to day as the proceedings may require.

You may appear at such hearings either in person or by counsel to contest the proposed assessments, the regularity of such proceedings or with reference to the benefits derived therefor and pertaining to any matter with reference thereto.

The cost as estimated by the engineer for material will be found in the following columns on each lot or parcel separately so that you may determine the benefits therefrom.

The cost of material is estimated at 40% of the actual benefits to be derived therefrom and the labor is to be furnished by the Works Progress Administration as the projects are approved. Property names and addresses are as follows:

- BLOCK 10. ROBERTS ADDITION—C. A. Kaiser, Lots 2-4-6-8-10, 361.4 feet, \$144.56
BLOCK 9. ROBERTS ADDITION—C. A. Patton, W. W. Snyder, Lots 2-4-6, 391.4 feet, \$156.56
BLOCK 34. FAIRVIEW ADDITION—Cunningham Bros., Lot 2, 235.7 feet, \$94.28
Creed Thorpe, Sr., Lot 4, 50 feet, \$20.00
Elisha Joy, Lot 6, 50 feet, \$20.00
J. W. Vandagriff, Lots 8-10-12, 192.7 feet, \$77.08
BLOCK 2. ORIGINAL TOWN—Magnolia Petroleum Co., Lots 1-3, 105.7 feet, \$42.28
C. O. Brown, Lots 5-7-9-11-13-15-17-19, 405.7 feet, \$162.30
BLOCK 3. ORIGINAL TOWN—Cave Bros., Lots 1-3-5-7-9-11, 391.4 feet, \$156.56
BLOCK 21. ORIGINAL TOWN—Mrs. Clementine Feather, Lot 1, 246.7 feet, \$98.69
BLOCK 1. ROBERTS ADDITION—Jesse Truett, Lot 3, 235.7 feet, \$94.28
J. H. Jones, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
Walter Nugent, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
Fred Rehberg Estate, Lot 9, 50 feet, \$20.00
W. A. Yeager, Lot 11, 50 feet, \$20.00
Unknown, Lot 13, 92.7 feet, \$37.08
BLOCK 12. C. & S. ADDITION—Owen McClay estate, Lots 1-3, 97.7 feet, \$39.08
Elizabeth Bartlett, Lots 5-7, 50 feet, \$20.00
C. W. Bartlett, Lots 9-11, 50 feet, \$20.00
BLOCK 5. C. & S. ADDITION—Roy Fior, N 1/2 Lots 2-4-6, 136.4 feet, \$54.54
Joe A. Clayton, South 1/2 Lots 2-4-6, 136.4 feet, \$54.54
S. C. Smith, Lots 8-10-12, 75 feet, \$30.00
BLOCK 21. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Ohio Oil Co., Lots 2-4-6-8, 247.7 feet, \$99.08
Mrs. M. H. Rigdon, Lot 10, 50 feet, \$20.00
D. F. Owen, Lot 12, 60.7 feet, \$24.28
BLOCK 22. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Helen Bartlett, Lots 2-4, 297.7 feet, \$119.08
Anna E. Kinder, Lots 6-8, 100 feet, \$40.00
Lydia Widney, Lot 10, 50 feet, \$20.00
Elizabeth Cooper, Lot 12, 97.7 feet, \$39.08
BLOCK 23. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—F. M. Privett, Lot 2, 97.7 feet, \$39.08
L. E. Neeley, Lot 4, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. A. E. May, Lot 6, 50 feet, \$20.00
Beth Tidwell, Lot 8, 50 feet, \$20.00
Vernon Sullivan, Lots 10-12, 297.7 feet, \$119.08
BLOCK 5. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Joe A. Clayton, Lots 14-16-18, 197.7 feet, \$79.08
BLOCK 24. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Emma Clark, Lot 1 & E 1/2 3, 122.7 feet, \$49.08
J. S. Sharp, W 1/2 Lot 3 & Lot 5, 75 feet, \$30.00
H. A. Richards, Lot 7 & E 1/2 Lot 9, 75 feet, \$30.00
Elizabeth Bartlett, W 1/2 Lot 9 & Lot 11, 75 feet, \$30.00
BLOCK 25. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Rex Wheatley, Lots 1-3, 100 feet, \$40.00
C. R. Blocker, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mary E. Bauslin, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
Alice Harvey Estate, Lot 9, 50 feet, \$20.00
Laura J. Welch, Lot 11, 247.7 feet, \$99.08
BLOCK 26. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Tom Hefflin, Lot 1, 247.7 feet, \$99.08

- Arba Green, Lots 3-5, 100 feet, \$40.00
B. E. Spencer, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
Phebe Phillips, Lot 9, 50 feet, \$20.00
J. Caldwell, Lot 11, 210.7 feet, \$84.28
BLOCK 1. FOREST HILL ADDITION—A. C. Brown, Lot 1, 210.7 feet, \$84.28
J. S. Sharp, Lot 3, 50 feet, \$20.00
Clyde Guy, Lots 5-7, 100 feet, \$40.00
J. L. Kirtz, Lot 9, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. Lora P. Grundmeyer, Lot 11, 50 feet, \$20.00
Emma Tatman, Lot 13, 50 feet, \$20.00
BLOCK 2. FOREST HILL ADDITION—J. H. McCrary Estate, Lot 1, 73.2 feet, \$29.28
J. G. Hoagland, Lot 3, 50 feet, \$20.00
Dora M. Burch, Lots 5-7-9, 150 feet, \$60.00
Unknown, Lot 11, 50 feet, \$20.00
BLOCK 3. FOREST HILL ADDITION—J. H. McCrary Estate, Lot 1, 73.2 feet, \$29.28
J. G. Hoagland, Lot 3, 50 feet, \$20.00
Dora M. Burch, Lots 5-7-9, 150 feet, \$60.00
Unknown, Lot 11, 50 feet, \$20.00
BLOCK 4. FOREST HILL ADDITION—F. E. Miller, Lots 1 to 13, inclusive, 466.4 feet, \$178.48
BLOCK 8. ORIGINAL TOWN—F. L. Wilson, Lots 2-4-6-8, 155.7 feet, \$62.29
J. M. Jackson, Lots 12-14-16-18-20, 180.7 feet, \$72.29
BLOCK 9. ORIGINAL TOWN—V. L. Gates, N. 50 feet Lots 2-4-6-8, 77.8 feet, \$31.35
Big Jo Lumber Co., S. 50 feet Lots 2-4-6-8, 77.8 feet, \$31.35
C. C. Smith, Lots 10-12, 210.7 feet, \$84.29
BLOCK 23. ORIGINAL TOWN—J. J. Clarke, Lot 2, 60.7 feet, \$24.29
J. J. Clarke, Lot 4, 25 feet, \$10.00
J. J. Clarke, S. 115 feet Lots 6-8, 41.7 feet, \$16.67
Mountain States Telephone Co., N. 25 feet Lots 6-8, 8.3 feet, \$3.33
BLOCK 9. C. & S. ADDITION—Cunningham Bros., Lots 2-4, 50 feet, \$100.00
Shepherd, Cagle & Bryant, Lots 6-8-10-12, 100 feet, \$40.00
Artesia Auto Co., Lots 14 to 24, inclusive, 192.7 feet, \$77.08
BLOCK 10. C. & S. ADDITION—Joe A. Clayton, Lots 2 to 10, inclusive, 167.7 feet, \$67.08
Carl Lewis, Lots 12-16, inclusive, 75 feet, \$30.00
Mark A. Corbin, Lots 18 to 24, inclusive, 100 feet, \$40.00
BLOCK 11. C. & S. ADDITION—Crouch & Spencer, Lot 2, 95.7 feet, \$38.28
H. Batton Estate, Lots 6-8, 50 feet, \$20.00
F. E. Miller, Lots 10, 12, 50 feet, \$20.00
Will Benson, Lots 14-16, 50 feet, \$20.00
Christian Church, Lots 18 to 24, inclusive, 147.7 feet, \$59.08
BLOCK 12. C. & S. ADDITION—Unknown, Lots 2 to 12, inclusive, 197.7 feet, \$79.08
Mrs. P. W. Hendrickson, Lot 14, 50 feet, \$20.00
Unknown, Lots 16-18, 147.7 feet, \$59.08
Christian Science Church, Lot 13, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mortgage Loan Co., Lots 15-17, 147.7 feet, \$59.08
BLOCK 21. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—M. V. Roberts estate, All S. Side, 395.4 feet, \$158.16
BLOCK 11. ORIGINAL TOWN—D. A. Loucks, Lots 1-3-5, 130.7 feet, \$52.29
Big Jo Lumber Co., Lots 7-9-11-13-15, 125 feet, \$50.00
American Legion, Lots 17-19, 105.7 feet, \$42.29
BLOCK 10. ORIGINAL—Big Jo Lumber Co., all N. Side, 241.4 feet, \$96.58
BLOCK 24. ORIGINAL TOWN—Mrs. C. Sangster, Lots 1 to 9, inclusive, 160 feet, \$64.29
BLOCK 16. C. & S. ADDITION—Nancy A. Eiper, Lot 1 & E 1/2 3, 75 feet, \$30.00
E. D. Darst, W 1/2 3 & Lot 5, 75 feet, \$30.00
W. F. Lindsey, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
C. R. Vandagriff, Lot 9, 50 feet, \$20.00
Calvin P. Dunn, Lot 11, 97.7 feet, \$39.08
BLOCK 15. C. & S. ADDITION—S. D. Gates, Lots 1-3-5, 197.7 feet, \$79.08
T. H. Knight, Lots 7 & 9, 100 feet, \$40.00
Church of the Nazarene, Lot 11, 97.7 feet, \$39.08
BLOCK 14. C. & S. ADDITION—J. B. Muncy, Lot 1, 97.7 feet, \$39.08
Walter Douglas, Lot 3, 50 feet, \$20.00
Emma A. Curtis, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
Joe Anderson Estate, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. Nellie Smith, Lot 9, 50 feet, \$20.00
H. A. Porter, Lot 11, 97.7 feet, \$39.08
BLOCK 13. C. & S. ADDITION—Mrs. C. Sangster, Lot 1, 97.7 feet, \$39.08
H. Q. Haley, Lot 3, 50 feet, \$20.00
J. L. Briscoe, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
J. L. Briscoe, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. Lydia Bruce, Lots 9-11, 297.7 feet, \$119.08
BLOCK 29. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—All City Park N. S. & E. sides, 995.4 feet, \$398.16
BLOCK 28. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Linna McCaw, Lot 1, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. J. M. Smith, Lot 3, 50 feet, \$20.00
W. G. Everett, Lots 5-7, 100 feet, \$40.00
Emma & Eleanor Clark, Lots 9-11, 147.7 feet, \$59.08
BLOCK 27. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Unknown, Lot 1, 97.7 feet, \$39.08
E. A. Hannah, Lot 3, 50 feet, \$20.00
Bertha Roberts, Lot 5, \$20.00
H. A. Porter, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
Alice Harvey Estate, Lots 9-11, 275.7 feet, \$110.28
BLOCK 6. FOREST HILL ADDITION—Board of Education, District 16, 613.9 feet, \$245.56
BLOCK 11. ORIGINAL TOWN—R. W. Dunn & Clyde Guy, Lots 2 to 8, inclusive, 155.7 feet,

- \$62.29
A. G. Bailey, Lots 10 to 20, inclusive, 205.7 feet, \$82.29
BLOCK 10. ORIGINAL TOWN—R. W. Dunn, Lots 2-4-6, 130.7 feet, \$52.29
Will Benson, Lots 8-10-12, 110.7 feet, \$44.29
BLOCK 24. ORIGINAL TOWN—Mrs. Elizabeth Brooks, Lots 1 to 12, inclusive, 160.7 feet, \$64.29
BLOCK 16. C. & S. ADDITION—H. Muncy, Lots 2-4-6, 150 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. Elizabeth Cox, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. E. Hewitt, Lot 10, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. Martha Wilson, Lot 12, 97.7 feet, \$39.08
BLOCK 15. C. & S. ADDITION—William Daugherty, Lots 2-4, 147.7 feet, \$58.08
Mrs. Jeanie Mathews, Lot 6, 50 feet, \$20.00
A. McLaren estate, Lot 8, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. Sophie Blocker, Lots 10-12, 147.7 feet, \$58.08
BLOCK 14. C. & S. ADDITION—Mrs. Effie Wingfield, Lots 2-4, 147.7 feet, \$58.08
J. R. Attebery, Lot 6, 50 feet, \$20.00
T. F. Seal, Lot 8, 50 feet, \$20.00
Josephine Rauleson, Lot 10, 50 feet, \$20.00
Zilli Messer, Lot 12, 247.7 feet, \$99.08
BLOCK 13. C. & S. ADDITION—Van Welch, Jr., Lot 2, 247.7 feet, \$99.08
W. T. Gissler, Lot 4, 50 feet, \$20.00
B. B. Thigpen, Lot 6, 50 feet, \$20.00
J. B. Randolph estate, Lot 8, 50 feet, \$20.00
P. V. Morris, Lots 10-12, 297.7 feet, \$119.08
BLOCK 28. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—W. S. Williams, Lots 2-4, 100 feet, \$40.00
City of Artesia, Lot 6, 50 feet, \$20.00
F. E. Kepple, Lot 8, 50 feet, \$20.00
L. P. Evans, Lots 10-12, 147.7 feet, \$59.08
BLOCK 27. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—A. Burnett, Lot 2, 97.7 feet, \$39.08
W. H. Barker, Lots 4-6, 100 feet, \$40.00
Unknown, Lots 8-10-12, 325.7 feet, \$130.28
BLOCK 6. FOREST HILL ADDITION—Board of Education, District 16, 613.9 feet, \$245.56
BLOCK 7. FOREST HILL ADDITION—Nellie Stehwein, Lot 1 & E 1/2 3, 100.7 feet, \$40.28
Mrs. J. K. Hastie, W 1/2 Lot 3, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. Ina G. Millhuff, Lot 9, 50 feet, \$20.00
BLOCK 32. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—John Boons & Brothers, Lots 1-3, 147.7 feet, \$59.08
F. H. Beckwith, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
Paul A. Otts, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. Ella Hewitt, Lots 9-11, 125.7 feet, \$50.28
BLOCK 31. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—M. W. Evans, Lots 1-3, 100 feet, \$40.00
H. H. Stiewig, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
M. S. Bruning, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. A. J. Cox, Lots 9-11, 147.7 feet, \$59.08
BLOCK 30. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Jno. F. Runyan, Lot 1, E 1/2 3, 172.7 feet, \$68.08
Lewis Story, W 1/2 Lot 3, Lot 5, 75 feet, \$30.00
H. G. Watson, Lot 7, E 1/2 9, 75 feet, \$30.00
Emery Carper, W 1/2 Lot 9, Lot 11, 75 feet, \$30.00
BLOCK 20. C. & S. ADDITION—Mrs. Vena Neuman, Lots 1-3, 147.7 feet, \$59.08
R. L. Burns, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
BLOCK 20. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Mrs. Lydia Bruce, Lots 9-11, 147.7 feet, \$59.08
W. C. Zimmerman, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
BLOCK 19. C. & S. ADDITION—B. F. Pior, Lot 1, 97.7 feet, \$39.08
J. M. Storr, Lot 3, 50 feet, \$20.00
S. W. Ward, Lots 5-7, 100 feet, \$40.00
H. T. Gissler, Lot 9, 50 feet, \$20.00
Alfred Woodruff estate, 97.7 feet, \$39.08
BLOCK 18. C. & S. ADDITION—Esther Morgan, Lots 1-3, 147.7 feet, \$59.08
Mrs. J. W. Gilbert, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
Methodist Church, Lots 7-9-11, 197.7 feet, \$78.08
BLOCK 17. C. & S. ADDITION—H. A. Porter, Lots 1-3, 100 feet, \$40.00
Elna Swift, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
Lea Vandagriff, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
H. A. Porter, Lots 9-11, 147.7 feet, \$59.08
BLOCK 25. ORIGINAL TOWN—Amada Wetig, NW 50 feet by 104 feet, 20 feet, \$8.00
A. H. Whitener, S. 50 feet by 104 feet, 35 feet, \$14.00
Charles Ransberger, E. 50 feet by 140 feet, 90 feet, \$36.00
McCormick & Yeiser, Lots 2-4-6, 136.4 feet, \$54.54
Rex Wheatley, W 1/2 8, Lots 10-12-14, 87.5 feet, \$35.00
BLOCK 15. ORIGINAL TOWN—Mrs. Flora Howard, Lots 1-3-5, E. 15 feet 7, 145.7 feet, \$58.29
Jno. Lanning, W. 10 feet Lot 7, Lots 9-11, 95.7 feet, \$38.29
Mrs. Lorena Crouch, Lots 2 to 12, inclusive, 225.4 feet, \$90.16
BLOCK 14. ORIGINAL TOWN—W. R. Atkinson, Lots 1 to 9, inclusive, 180.7 feet, \$72.29
A. H. Duncan, Lots 11-13, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. Margaret Threlkeld, Lots 15 to 19, inclusive, 130.7 feet, \$52.29
Mrs. S. G. White, Lots 2 to 6, inclusive, 130.7 feet, \$52.29
Mrs. Mary Abbott, Lots 8 to 12, inclusive, 75 feet, \$30.00
Mrs. R. B. Kishbaugh, Lots 14 to 20, inclusive, 155.7 feet, \$62.29
BLOCK 3. BLAIR ADDITION—William Dooley, N. 80 feet Lot 1, 55 feet, \$22.08
A. L. Wilkinson, S. 50 feet Lot 1,

- 42.7 feet, \$16.00
Elmer Fenton, Lot 3, 50 feet, \$20.00
Jas. P. Bates, S. 90 feet Lot 2, 64 feet, \$25.60
Mrs. W. T. Blakey, N. 45 feet Lot 2, 33 feet, \$13.20
S. A. Lanning, Sr., Lots 5 to 11, inclusive, 352.7 feet, \$120.08
D. A. Loucks, Lots 12-13, 50 feet, \$20.00
Ethel Linell, Lots 14-15-16, 122.7 feet, \$49.08
BLOCK 4. BLAIR ADDITION—O. H. Brown, E. 1/2 Lots 1-2-3, NE 1/4 Lot 4, 157 feet, \$62.58
Gail Hamilton, W 1/2 Lots 1-2-3 & W 1/2 4, 160 feet, \$63.78
V. D. Bolton, E 1/2 Lot 5, SE 1/4 Lot 4, E 1/2 6, 56 feet, \$22.50
M. B. Cushman, W 1/2 Lot 6 & Lots 7-8-9-10-11-12, 387.9 feet, \$155.16
BLOCK 5. BLAIR ADDITION—W. A. Anderson, NW 1/4 Block 5, 106 feet, \$42.54
J. B. Atkeson, NE 1/4 Block 5, 106 feet, \$42.54
Fred Cole, Lot 12, 89.7 feet, \$35.88
BLOCK 42. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Unknown, Lots 2-4, 139.7 feet, \$55.88
C. S. Shorey, Lots 6-8, 100 feet, \$40.00
John Simons, Lots 10-12, 139.7 feet, \$55.88
BLOCK 43. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—J. E. Quinlan estate, Lots 2-4, 148.7 feet, \$55.88
J. E. Quinlan estate, Lots 10-12, 139.7 feet, \$55.88
S. E. Ferree, Lots 6-8, 100 feet, \$40.00
BLOCK 44. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Cunningham Bros., N 1/2 Lots 2-4, 60.8 feet, \$27.94
Dave Beckett, S 1/2 Lots 2-4, 69.8 feet, \$27.94
Dave Beckett, Lots 6-8, 100 feet, \$40.00
H. M. McCormic, Lots 10-12, 139.7 feet, \$55.88
BLOCK 45. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—C. S. Shorey, Lots 2 to 8, inclusive, 229.7 feet, \$95.88
A. D. McLean, Lot 10, 50 feet, \$20.00
Roxey Mann Estate, Lot 12, 89.7 feet, \$35.88
BLOCK 46. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—F. G. Hartell, Lots 1-3-5, 189.7 feet, \$75.88
Robert Ohnemus, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
Alice Kepple, Lots 9-11, 139.7 feet, \$55.88
BLOCK 49. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Baptist Church, Lots 1-3, 139.7 feet, \$55.88
Unknown, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
J. B. Cecil, Lots 7-9, 100 feet, \$40.00
S. A. Smith estate, Lot 11, 89.7 feet, \$35.88
BLOCK 50. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Southwestern Homes, Inc., Lots 1-3, 139.7 feet, \$55.88
H. A. Porter, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
Louis Cole, Lots 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
H. L. Walker, Lot 9, 50 feet, \$20.00
Lillian McNeil, Lot 11, 89.7 feet, \$35.88
BLOCK 51. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Carl Folkner, Lots 1-3, 139.7 feet, \$55.88
Fred Brainard, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
J. S. Ward, Lot 7 & E. 20 feet Lot 9, 70 feet, \$28.00
Cora I. Sipple, W. 30 feet Lot 9, & Lot 11, 119.7 feet, \$47.88
BLOCK 52. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Mary A. Call, Lot 1 & E. 16 1/2 feet, \$6.50
E. N. Bigler, W. 33 1/2 feet Lot 3 & E. 33 1/2 feet Lot 5, 67 feet, \$26.86
Walter F. Ferriman, W. 16 1/2 feet Lot 5 & Lot 7, 106.3 feet, \$42.21
Equitable Building & Loan Association, Lot 9, 50 feet, \$20.00
I. C. Dixon, Lot 11, 89.7 feet, \$35.88
BLOCK 53. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—H. A. Stroup, Lots 1-3, 100 feet, \$40.00
Lewis Rowland, Lots 5-7, 100 feet, \$40.00
E. L. Harp, Lots 9-11, 139.7 feet, \$55.88
BLOCK 15. BLAIR ADDITION—W. C. Martin, Lot 1, 77.7 feet, \$31.08
F. M. Robinson estate, Lot 3, 50 feet, \$20.00
McCormick & Yeiser, Lots 5-7-9, 140 feet, \$56.00
BLOCK 14. BLAIR ADDITION—Mary E. Yates, Lots 1 to 6, inclusive, 325.4 feet, \$90.16
BLOCK 13. BLAIR ADDITION—E. S. Bishop estate, Lots 5 to 10, 230.7 feet, \$71.08
J. M. Jackson, Lots 1-3, 147.7 feet, \$51.08
BLOCK 40. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—C. E. Mann, Lots 1-3, 100 feet, \$40.00
J. T. Robertson, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
F. W. Clady, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
T. H. Ragsdale, Lot 9, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. H. A. Watson, Lot 11, 89.7 feet, \$35.88
BLOCK 41. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Hester Terpening, Lot 4, 50 feet, \$20.00
V. L. Gates, Lots 1-3, 139.7 feet, \$55.88
Wm. Linell, Lots 5-7, 100 feet, \$40.00
Silas Rogers estate, Lots 9-11, 139.7 feet, \$55.88
BLOCK 42. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Emma Tatman, Lot 15, 73.2 feet, \$29.28
E. B. Bullock, Lots 1 to 11, inclusive, 379.4 feet, \$151.76
BLOCK 43. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Ethel Bowman, Lots 1-3, 139.7 feet, \$55.88
C. T. Kuykendall, Lot 5, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. Mary E. Stanley, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
Mrs. Minnie I. Doss, Lots 9-11, 139.7 feet, \$55.88
BLOCK 44. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Unknown, Lots 1-3-5, 189.7 feet, \$75.88
C. C. Conner, Lot 7, 50 feet, \$20.00
W. A. Martin, Lot 9, 50 feet, \$20.00
F. M. Spencer, Lot 11, 89.7 feet, \$35.88
BLOCK 45. ARTESIA IMPROVEMENT CO. ADDITION—Mrs. Louis I. Bryant, Lots 1 to 11, inclusive, 379.4 feet, \$151.76
BLOCK 4. ORIGINAL TOWN—J. O. Richards, Lot 1, 230.7 feet, \$92.30
BLOCK 5. ORIGINAL TOWN—L. P. Evans Estate, Lot 19, 230.7 feet, \$92.30
BLOCK 3. ORIGINAL TOWN—Cave Bros., Lot 2, 230.7 feet, \$92.30
BLOCK 2. ORIGINAL TOWN—Maljamar Oil & Gas Corp., Lot 20, 230.7 feet, \$92.30
BLOCK 1. ROBERTS ADDITION—Rama Estate, Lot 4, 235.7 feet, \$94.28
BLOCK 21. ORIGINAL TOWN—Mrs. A. E. Simpson, Lot 4, 215.7 feet, \$86.29
BLOCK 9. ROBERTS ADDITION—J. A. Patton, W. W. Snyder, Lot 5, 235.7 feet, \$94.28
BLOCK 33. FAIRVIEW ADDITION—

100 feet, \$40.00
Kissinger & Ragsdale, Lots 15-17, 50 feet, \$20.00
W. E. Ragsdale, Lots 19-21-23, 122.7 feet, \$49.08
Unknown, Lot 9, 25 feet, \$10.00
You are further notified that if you desire any further information regarding the foregoing Curb and Gutter project before the set time of hearing you may call at the City Hall during office hours and receive such information from the City Clerk as you may require to better understand the benefits you will derive from this project.
By order of the City Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico.
H. G. WATSON, Mayor.

ATTEST: PAUL A. OTTS, City Clerk. 36-3t

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING

In the Matter of the Estate of John J. Buel, deceased, the Administrator, Victor A. Buel, has filed his Final Report as such Administrator, and Notice is hereby given that the Hon. P. J. McCall, Judge of the said Probate Court, has set the 14th day of October, 1935, at the hour of 9:00 o'clock A. M., as the day and hour for the Final Hearing of said Report.
NOW, THEREFORE, you, Ara N. Buel, Artesia, New Mexico; Olive Buel, Artesia, New Mexico; Mary E. Overton, Ceres, California; Clara A. La Rue, Tucson, Arizona; John La Rue, Tucson, Arizona; and Theodore L. La Rue, Santa Fe, New Mexico; Francis La Rue, and Robert La Rue, Santa Fe, New Mexico; Charles H. La Rue, Artesia, New Mexico; Alva La Rue, Tucson, Arizona, being the only and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof, and the name of the attorney for the Administrator is J. B. Atkeson, whose post office is Artesia, New Mexico.
THEREFORE, anyone desiring to object to the report, are hereby notified to file their objections with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the day set for the hearing.
R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk.
By DOTTE C. CRAFT, Deputy. 37-4tc

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF CIVIL ACTION

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

ANNA BROWN, Plaintiff vs. GEORGE H. SMITH; J. O. Burt; William A. Finlay; W. A. Finlay; Louis D. Blauvelt; C. C. Blodgett; the unknown heirs of George W. Smith, deceased; and all unknown claimants of any right, title or interest in or lien upon the premises described in plaintiff's complaint adverse to the plaintiff, Defendants.
No. 6044
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO: GEORGE H. SMITH, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: You, George H. Smith; J. O. Burt; William A. Finlay; W. A. Finlay; Louis D. Blauvelt; C. C. Blodgett; the unknown heirs of George W. Smith, deceased; and all unknown claimants of any right, title or interest in or lien upon the premises described in plaintiff's complaint adverse to the plaintiff, GREETING:
You are each of you are hereby notified that a Civil Action has been commenced and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein Anna Brown is the plaintiff and you and each of you are the defendants, numbered 6044 on the Civil Docket of said Court.
You and each of you are further notified that the general nature and objects of said action are to establish the title of the plaintiff in and to the following described property in fee simple, to-wit:
Lots 12 and 13 of Block 3 of Stevens Addition to the town of Eddy, now City of Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico
against the adverse claims of you and each of you and to bar and annul each of you claiming or to claim by, through or under you or either of you, from having or claiming any right, title or interest in or lien upon the above described premises adverse to the plaintiff, quiet and forever set at rest the title of the plaintiff hereto.
You and each of you are further notified that unless you appear and answer the complaint filed in said cause or otherwise enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 21st day of October, 1935, judgment will be taken against you and each of you by default and for the relief prayed for in plaintiff's complaint.
You and each of you are further notified that James W. Stagner and Don G. McCormick, whose postoffice addresses are Carlsbad, New Mexico, are the attorneys for the plaintiff.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal on this 27th day of August, 1935.
R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk and Clerk of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico. 35-4t

TYPEWRITERS

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By Ad Carter



Cotton Letter

(Courtesy Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association)

Growers are more interested in basis than in price (market) this season because price will not make any difference at all in what the grower will ultimately receive (if he signs for cooperation) while basis does. Unless the market goes above 12c.

There is a good demand for cotton and the basis promises to be fairly satisfactory. In our opinion it should run about equal with last season's normal basis; disregarding the speculative basis some few bullish buyers over the belt always stage, and did pay last season, to their sorrow.

Regarding the benefit payments, there are some quite pertinent observations to be made, viz: Signing of future cooperative contracts with the secretary is necessary. But it should be noted that it is the land owner that will have to sign, or else many a slip could occur to cause embarrassment. A renter signing and receiving the benefit payments might not be growing cotton next year and the farm he had rented this season, if landowner's signature not be required, would be under no compliance contract for 1936. Again, accurate checks will be provided against the quantity of allotment cotton on which the benefits payment alone is based but this will also lend itself to irregularities in spite of the fact that the contracts will set out all these provisions. Landowners and renters are cautioned about what they sign for once this has been done by both another complication arises.

Cotton Seed

Friday of last week cottonseed cake and meal market made new lows for the season. With an abundance of feeds the outlet for these commodities promises to drag. Offsetting this is a good demand for oil due largely to a much reduced hog crop.

\$22.00 Dallas Tuesday of this week, was the price of 43% cottonseed cake, while some other points quoted \$21.00. Mills are expecting higher prices.

Oil Control Board Is Cut

WASHINGTON—A quiet movement is under way to scale down activities of interior department oil agencies since invalidation of the petroleum code left them little to do. There were indications Saturday several boards might be permitted to disappear.

First, Secretary Ickes, oil administrator, permitted Charles Fahy to resign as chairman of the petroleum administrative board, the former code policeman, and then let Dr. George W. Stocking resign as head of the petroleum labor policy board, a court for the code provisions.

Fahy will become a general counsel for the labor relations board Monday and one interior department official said it was likely both the PAB and the PLPB would be coordinated under the larger agency.

TINGLEY SETTLES WAGER

SANTA FE—The governor settled a bet for some Texas Monday. It was a push-over, or technically a push-on.

Ed Sanford of Sanford, Texas, and a companion, were on the Laguna cut-off outside Albuquerque when their car ran out of gas. They were pushed into an Albuquerque filling station. Sanford and his companion then argued about "Who was the pusher?" Sanford insisted it was Governor Clyde Tingley—"I recognized him. I saw him at Amarillo."

Sanford wrote the governor. "I told him (the companion) I would write a letter to you to prove to him that it was you, and even the governor nowadays will give a man a shove when he needs it," the letter said.

Sanford will win the bet, the governor said, explaining that when he was returning from the TWA airport September 7th he found two motorists stalled on the road, their car out of gas.

Typewriters for rent—Advocate.

Scout News

"Philosophy of Scouting," a training course for leaders of boys, will be given in Artesia beginning Monday night, September 23rd and for each night of the week closing Friday. There will be no charge for the course and each man successfully completing it will be awarded a certificate from the National Boy Scouts of America.

P. V. Thorson, area Scout executive, will conduct the course, aided by the Scout officials of Artesia, an invitation is extended to every man eighteen and over who is working with boys in any capacity or who desires to serve as a Scout leader.

This same course has been given at various universities and colleges, many of them giving credit. Fathers of Scouts and of Scout age boys (12 to 18) are particularly invited to enroll.

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Hope Items

Frances Johnson, Reporter

Virgil Craig attended to business in Carlsbad Saturday.

Mrs. A. B. Alaman arrived here Thursday to spend a week visiting her son and daughter-in-law.

Mrs. Ed Bryant of Carlsbad spent Sunday in Hope visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Swift.

Mrs. Rex Seeley returned Friday from the St. Francis hospital where she has been ill for several days.

Frank Danley of Alamogordo and Kyle Danley of Tularosa were guests Thursday of their piece and sister, Mrs. C. A. Hannah.

Irene Nabors returned Sunday from a hospital in Carlsbad where she has been the past week recuperating from an appendicitis operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schrier of Capitan spent the week-end here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne and Mrs. Mamie Schrier.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Eakins and small son of Sweetwater, Texas, were overnight guests Monday night of Mrs. Anna Coffin and her sons, Thomas and Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scoggin left the first of the week for their home in Ventura, California, after having spent a week here visiting sisters and brothers of Mr. Scoggin.

Wade Lane returned home Monday evening from Lake Arthur where he spent two days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lane, and recuperating from a bad cold.

Mrs. Hal Hamell returned Thursday from El Paso where she went to take her sister, Mrs. Sam Zumwalt, home after she had spent several weeks here visiting her parents.

Tommy Buchanan, who has been with the U. S. Navy the past two years, arrived here from Los Angeles Tuesday to spend a month visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Buchanan.

R. L. Trimble, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Trimble, returned home Wednesday from the St. Francis hospital in Carlsbad where he had been a week after undergoing an appendicitis operation.

Word was received here Friday of the death of Arch Sanders at his home in Globe, Arizona. Mr. Sanders had been in ill health for some time. He was the son-in-law of Mrs. Mary Tell and well known by many of the old timers here.

Mrs. Sue Bowman and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Inman returned to their homes at Coolidge Dam, Arizona, and Weed Monday after having spent several days here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Inman's daughter, Mrs. Dave Bunting.

Edgar Williams returned Saturday from Santa Fe where he spent several days attending to business. On the return trip home Mr. Williams received an injured foot when the car in which he was riding overturned near Encino.

E. L. Madson spent the week-end in Tularosa visiting his wife and children. Mrs. Madson brought Mr. Madson home Sunday afternoon returning to Tularosa that evening. She expects to move to Hope about the first of October.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Altman entertained at their home Monday evening with a spaghetti dinner. Guests invited were Mr. and Mrs. Hal Hammil, Mr. and Mrs. Cy

NORTH CENTRAL CITY TO GET DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION IN 1936

WASHINGTON—Men close to the democratic party leadership forecast Saturday that the 1936 national convention will be held in some city of adequate size in the north central states.

Minneapolis, Chicago and Cleveland received prominent mention. San Francisco, which had been mentioned as a possibility, has lost ground because of its remoteness. Atlantic City, another possible location, still has a chance.

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Advocate.

Bunting, Mrs. A. B. Altman, Mrs. Billie Ballard, Bobs Mellard and Ernest Landreth.

Corinne Puckett entertained Sunday with a chicken fry at Walnut Grove on Lower Penasco for a number of her friends. In the afternoon the party returned here to the Williams farm where they had a watermelon feast and lawn party. Guests invited were Mr. and Mrs. C. Baldwin, Maurine Lewis, Margaret Williams, John Clarke, Paul Stapp and Ed Markey, all of Artesia.

Raymond Buckner entertained at Weed at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Buckner Saturday and Sunday with a week-end party for a number of his friends.

The guests enjoyed hunting and hiking while in the mountains. Those invited were Mr. and Mrs. Merle Ogle, Iva Ruth Glasscock, Marjorie Johnson, Dorothy Clark, Barbara Glasscock, Frances Johnson, Olive Blanch White, Hoyt Keller, Claborn Buckner, Hoyt Traylor, Tommy Buchanan, Floyd Cole and Eugene Chambers.

Penasco Items

Miss Madie Reeves, Reporter

Miss Trudie Mobley is spending a couple of weeks in Artesia.

The Elk baseball team played Weed Sunday, the score being 13-21.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Powell of Dexter were visitors in the community Sunday.

The Penasco baseball team played the Indians Sunday, the score being 11-24.

Elk school was dismissed Tuesday on account of the election being held at the school house.

The Elk school was dismissed Thursday and Friday of last week on account of the illness of Miss Edna Page.

Among the Roswell business visitors last week were: Messrs. and Mrs. Frank Crockett and H. J. Powell, Misses Ernestine Chesser and Edna Page and H. J. Powell, Jr.

Artesia business visitors Thursday were: Messrs. Ralph Bates, Leslie Bates, Cecil Brazilton, F. G. Irwin, Mrs. Cecil Brazilton, Mrs. Bernard Cleve and son Charles and Miss Edna Page.

Those present at the picnic at Cleve Spring Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Paxton and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter and children, and Mrs. Gregg of Mayhill, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vickers, Mr. and Mrs. Oris Cleve and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cleve and son Charles, and three CCC men.

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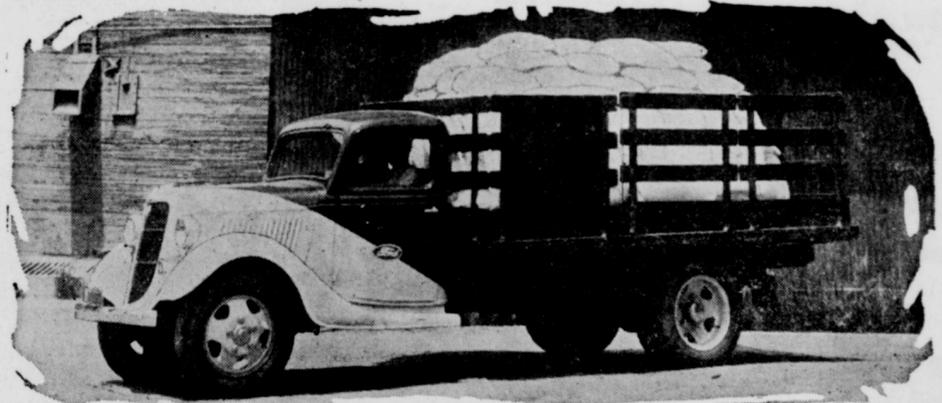
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