

Flood Danger Passes - River Flow in Banks

Estimate of Damages is Yet Undetermined - CCC Enrollees Save Lake McMillian Dam - Repairing East Highway.

The Pecos river dropped a tenth yesterday at the river bridge east of Artesia, according to measurements of reclamation officials. The flow of the river was confined to its banks except in one place, where water was overflowing at a bend about seventy five yards north of the bridge. Mud, quick sand and water covered the highway for about 200 yards east of the bridge, but oil men and oil operators were going through the worst of it with some trouble.

A force of WPA workers were placed on the highway just east of the bridge this morning and will sandbag the river bend in an effort to keep the river in its channel.

Pecos valley residents breathed easier Monday as the second flood danger passed. Torrential rains in the vicinity of Santa Rosa late Thursday afternoon sent the Pecos river on its second rampage and washed out the Santa Fe bridge at Fort Sumner. In the meantime leaks developed at Lake McMillian dam and threatened to carry the flood waters down the Pecos unchecked.

Two hundred and fifty CCC camp enrollees were rushed to the scene of the impending disaster and the men began sand bagging a big leak in the dam about midway between the spillway and head gates. A total of 12,000 sacks of sand and several truck loads of loose dirt were used in stopping the leak. The CCC camp at Carlsbad and at Queen supplied the manpower for the emergency that saved Carlsbad from the greatest flood danger in history. Roswell was flooded for the third time Thursday afternoon with a heavy rain and hail storm, which fell south and west of that city. Some hail fell in the Atoka community Thursday afternoon, but despite the enormous size of the hail stones, little damage was done. One farmer said the hail appeared to just "float down."

On highway 83, flood waters almost reached the height attained on May 30th, however water did not reach as high on farmers along the river. The Lawrence ranch was practically all inundated in the first flood, but only about ninety acres was covered the second flood. Practically all crops under water were lost and farmers have been busy replanting cotton and feed. On the Lawrence ranch cotton was the principal crop planted, but in other areas, particularly where the hail struck, most of the land was replanted to feed. The kind of crop replanted depended on the character of the soil.

Rail connection has been established both north and south on the Santa Fe railway system. C. O. Brown, agent said yesterday. Repairs on the Carlsbad Pecos line were completed Tuesday afternoon and yesterday the bridge over the Pecos north of Roswell was finished so that north traffic could be resumed. Three freights left three Pecos valley points, Artesia, Carlsbad and Roswell yesterday afternoon about 4:00 o'clock, cleaning up the accumulated freight in the yards of the three places, which had accumulated for the past two weeks.

Monday a highway truck crossed the Pecos river bridge on highway 83. Traffic to the oil field has been crossing over the bridge east of Lake Arthur and the bridge east of Carlsbad.

Seventy five families in the flooded area have been supplied with relief funds through the cooperation of the New Mexico department of public welfare and the national Red Cross, district officials said at Roswell yesterday. Relief work has been done in the vicinity of the Berrendo, Dexter, Dexter, Hagerman and Lake Arthur.

Supplemental resettlement loans have been made to fourteen farmers in the flood area also, resettlement officials announced yesterday.

Continental Men Here on Annual Inspection Tour

About forty officials of the Continental Oil Co., headed by Dan Moran, president of Ponca City, Oklahoma stopped here Tuesday and Tuesday night on the annual inspection tour. Tuesday afternoon was spent in inspecting the plant of the Continental refinery here. The officials were guests at the Artesia Hotel Tuesday night and left early Tuesday morning for an inspection of the Lea county oil fields, stopping at Midland, Texas last night.

Eddy County Farm Bureau Organized

Perfection of Eddy county Farm and Livestock Bureau was completed Saturday at a meeting of county farmers held at the court house, in Carlsbad, Fred Barham, county extension agent who presided at the meeting, announced Monday.

Injunction Suit On Water Rights to be Heard 24th

On June 24th in the Chaves county district court, at Roswell, Judge Thomas J. Mabry of Albuquerque will hear injunction suits against five Pecos valley farmers who allegedly appropriated shallow ground water without a permit from the state engineer, Lake K. Frazier, assistant district attorney, announced at Roswell Saturday.

Clady to Head Local Legion Post For Another Year

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We take occasion to extend a welcome to the following new residents of Artesia.

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Dr. George W. Shearer, presiding elder of the Clovis district, delivered the address. Brief talks were made by Mrs. T. W. Guthrie of Wink, Texas, representing the (Continued on last page, column 2)

Oil Activity Rather Quiet For Past Week

Eleven New Wells Staked, Six Completions Recorded in Area-Wildcat E. Lea Plugging After Finding Sulphur Water

The past week has been comparatively a quiet one in the southeastern New Mexico oil area due to the after effects of heavy rains and floods. A summary of the developments shows that six wells have been completed while locations have been staked for eleven new wells with this activity confined principally to Lea county.

Four wells have been added to the production column in the Monument district, two are by the Amerada Oil Co., these are the State 4-D in sec. 1-20-36, which was drilled to 3900 feet and made a flow of eighty four barrels an hour natural and the State 2-Y of the same company in sec. 17-30-37, which made an initial production of forty eight barrels an hour from 3855 feet. Other Monument producers include the Mex 3 of the Phillips Petroleum Co., NE sec. 18-20-37, which made a flow of 770 barrels in six hours from 3850 feet. And the Van Etten 6 of the Skelly Oil Co., in the SE sec. 9-20-37, which made an initial flow of 4100 barrels daily, flowing natural.

In the Eunice field the Gulf Petroleum Corp., Bell 2-E, SW sec. 11-21-36 made a flow of 220 barrels in four hours from 3850 feet.

A wildcat in eastern Lea county, east of Monument and near the state line is being plugged after developing a hole full of sulphur water at 4244 feet, this being the Leonard, Siddall 1, SW sec. 6-20-38.

The sand belt in southeastern Lea county continues to get its share of the locations, four were made in this area the past week. New wells for the sand belt: Skelly Oil Co., Sims 3, NE sec. 9-23-37; Skelly, Harrison 2-B, NW sec. 9-23-37; Rowan, Drilling Co., Elliott 2-H, SW sec. 27-22-37, Gulf, Coll 2, NE sec. 16-27-37. Location for the Jal area: Gulf Petroleum Corp., Arnott-Ramsey 1, NW sec. 16-25-37. Monument field: Stanolind Oil and Gas Co., Gilluly 4, NE sec. 24-30-36; Gulf, State 2-G, SE sec. 17-19-37; Gulf, Shipp 1, NW sec. 21-19-37. Eunice area: Magnolia Petroleum Corp., Hardy 1, NW sec. 29-21-37; Ohio Oil Co., Hardy 1, SE sec. 20-21-37. Hobbs field: Shell Petroleum Corp., Sangor 5, SW sec. 27-18-38.

Co. Tax Payments For 1936 Nearing Budget Estimate

Christian Says Eighty Seven and a Half Percent of Taxes Collected

FIVE OR SIX PERCENT MORE TO BE COLLECTED

H. F. Christian, county treasurer of Carlsbad was up Saturday, tacking up notices in this vicinity with reference to the expiration of the tax moratorium law, passed by the 1937 state legislature, which expires June 30th. Under the moratorium law, delinquent taxes may be paid on 1935 taxes and prior years without interest or penalty, except an additional four percent.

Mr. Christian informed an Advocate representative that the treasurer's office had collected eighty seven and a half percent of 1936, which is an exceptionally fine showing. Collections thus far are within two and a half percent of the amount budgeted for the tax rolls.

Delinquent taxes are still coming in slowly. Mr. Christian says he expects to collect five or six percent more delinquent taxes before the close of the year.

Rowland Resigns State WPA Head

Asks to Be Relieved of The Responsibilities of Office on June 30th

LETTER OF RESIGNATION DATED AT HOUSTON, TEXAS

Lea Rowland, state works progress administrator, in a letter of resignation to Harry L. Hopkins, national relief head made public at Santa Fe Tuesday night, asked to be "relieved" of his "responsibilities effective June 30" to return to "my home in Roswell and my personal affairs."

The letter, released at Rowland's direction from Houston, Texas

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IT DID HAPPEN HERE

People who have lived for numbers of years in the arid southwest are naturally inclined to dismiss any mention of damage from floods as trivial. That is they were inclined to pass lightly over any prospective menace from flood waters, but many are wiser now. They have realized that it can happen here.

For this reason any warnings issued previously to the first flood on the Pecos river, would have passed off as merely a joke. People who live in the flooded zone would have been like one farmer we heard of who lived near the river and who is reported to have said "I have lived here for over twenty years and never have seen the river over my farm, why should I be worried now?"

Folks just naturally refuse to get excited over something they have never experienced before and numerous warnings would have fallen on deaf ears, had they been made.

Under this condition, where floods may occur once in a life time makes flood control more necessary than ever. The flood control ought to be designed not only to stop the water damage as far as possible but to conserve the water as well.

THE CCC BOYS

Carlsbad and the Pecos valley owe a debt of gratitude to the CCC boys that it will be hard to repay. The CCC camps at Carlsbad and Queen supplied the emergency manpower that saved Lake McMillian dam, Carlsbad and the Carlsbad project from destruction by the recent floods. The CCC enrollees worked in destruction shifts, often up to the armpits in water, plugging the leak that would have meant the destruction of Carlsbad. No other organization could have furnished the means of subduing a disaster as quickly as did 250 CCC boys and whether another constructive thing is accomplished by the Eddy county CCC camps, the organization has proved its worthiness and its right to exist.

The CCC organization offers worthwhile possibilities in doing flood control work that will save us from the menace of future floods. We hope a plan can be worked out where a flood control project can be instituted, not only for the benefit of the local area, but for the Pecos valley as well.

USELESS INFORMATION ON RELIEF PROBLEM

We asked Bildad Botts, our eminent research expert, if he had anything further to report about the relief lists his nation-wide organization had been investigating. He replied that a careful study of the 13,213,013 blanks his agents had turned in failed to show the name of a man who had deprived himself of tobacco or any woman who had not been patrons of cosmetics counters or beauty shops. Asked how he accounted for this showing, Doc Botts replied that it was because such things are now considered necessities of life, along with gasoline, automobile license plates and tickets to shows. Another interesting statistic was that the blanks showed 3,001,009 men who daily dug up 15 cents for a package of cigarettes while unable to dig up 3 cents a week for the local newspaper. The lesson in all this, we suppose, is that people in hard lines practice self-denial on luxuries like newspapers and beans in order to have money with which to buy necessities like cigarettes, permanent waves, gasoline and show tickets. —Paris Missouri Appeal.

PEOPLE USUALLY GET WHAT THEY DESERVE

Here's an editorial from the Hatch Reporter packed full of common sense:

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There is always somebody ready to supply any reasonable demand at a reasonable profit and if you will support local business, local business places will meet the demand.

BIRTHS IN MAY DOUBLE DEATHS

Births led deaths in Carlsbad by sixteen during the month of May, while births in Eddy county led the death total by thirty one, Dr. O. E. Puckett, district health officer reported Saturday.

Total deaths in the county during the month were twenty three, while births totaled fifty four.

Number of deaths by towns was as follows: Carlsbad fifteen; Artesia, five; Malaga, two; and Loving, one.

Births were: Carlsbad, thirty one; Artesia, fourteen; Malaga, one; Loving, seven; and Lakewood one.

SCIENTISTS REPORT EXCELLENT VIEW OF TOTAL SUN ECLIPSE

An excellent view of the total eclipse of the sun on Carson Island in mid-Pacific was reported by the United States Navy — National Geographic Society expedition on Tuesday.

A partial eclipse was seen briefly in New Mexico.

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Chislings

Col. W. B. Pistole, now visiting here recalls many interesting as well as amusing incidents connected with the early history. Years ago a fellow by name of Yandall lived here. Yandall's stock in trade is seems was a gunny sack of abstracts. These abstracts covered lands, lots and parcels over the United States. Where Yandall got the abstracts was never explained, but he did a lot of trading, swapping the land or lots covered in the abstract for and giving a quick claim deed to the property, which he said he had never seen. Of course the transaction was worthless so far as Yandall was concerned. The innocent purchaser assumed that since he had the abstract, he owned the land.

One time Col. Pistole got judgment against Yandall for \$60.00, the amount owed a client and with an officer went up and located the abstracts and carried the gunny sack of abstracts into court. Right then and there he said Yandall was ready to pay off and did pay off.

When Edward married Wally last Thursday he said "I do" so loud during the ceremony that his eagerness startled the thirty four guests. Wally was more composed and answered in a modulated tone, which shows what experience will do as this was Wally's third adventure.

The Midland Telegraph lists the following publicity that people pay no attention to:

Propaganda in behalf of carefulness urging thrift; the philosophy that night life injures health; warnings that the government has gone crazy that property is no longer the owner's; urgings that people trade at home; proof that communism is entering this country; statements to the effect that the "new tax" will not be the last tax; close application to work and business and a disposition to save constitute the best social security; John L. Lewis the greatest encouragement in this country, and is encouraged by the government; and, finally, there will be an awakening some day, and it will be too late.

Somebody wishes to know the qualifications of an ideal newspaper man. An exchange obliges:

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He would be as tactful as an expectant heir before a rich uncle and, as firm as granite.

He would be as discerning as a shaft of light and have the analysis of a supreme court jurist. He would be able to, at one and the same time, answer two telephones, place a call of his own, check a proof sheet and add the middle name of the third assistant secretary of the navy, and remember whatever it was he was told to bring home from the corner drug store.

If the Mississippi can turn out web footed babies, the Pecos valley ought to be able to duplicate the feat with a little more practice with floods.

We have a good bank operated by men who are conscientious and sympathetic, but in some places the bankers are so cold the banks ought to have three balls hung under the bank sign. We heard of a man not far away whose wife wanted a summer's vacation up where its cold. The man said he did not have the money. His wife suggested that he borrow it and he suggested that she go with him to the bank for it. Well, they both went and when they got through talking with the banker, blood in their veins had almost frozen and they felt so cold on leaving the bank that all desire for a vacation left them.

The one-ring circus was visiting a town in the hills. The folks there recognized all the instruments of the band except the slide trombone.

One old settler watched the player for quite some time, then said: "There's a trick to it; he ain't really swallerin' it."

"I sent my husband to the hospital because of his knee." "Did he have water on it?" "No; his private secretary."

The doctor was visiting Rastus' wife to deliver her twelfth offspring. While riding along with Rastus he saw a duck in the road. Doctor: "Whose duck is that?" Rastus: "That ain't no duck. That's the stork with his legs wore off."

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George Maxwell of Clovis was held in the county jail at Carlsbad Saturday night, charged with an attempt to steal an automobile from the streets of Carlsbad. Maxwell is alleged to have taken a car with a key in the ignition switch.

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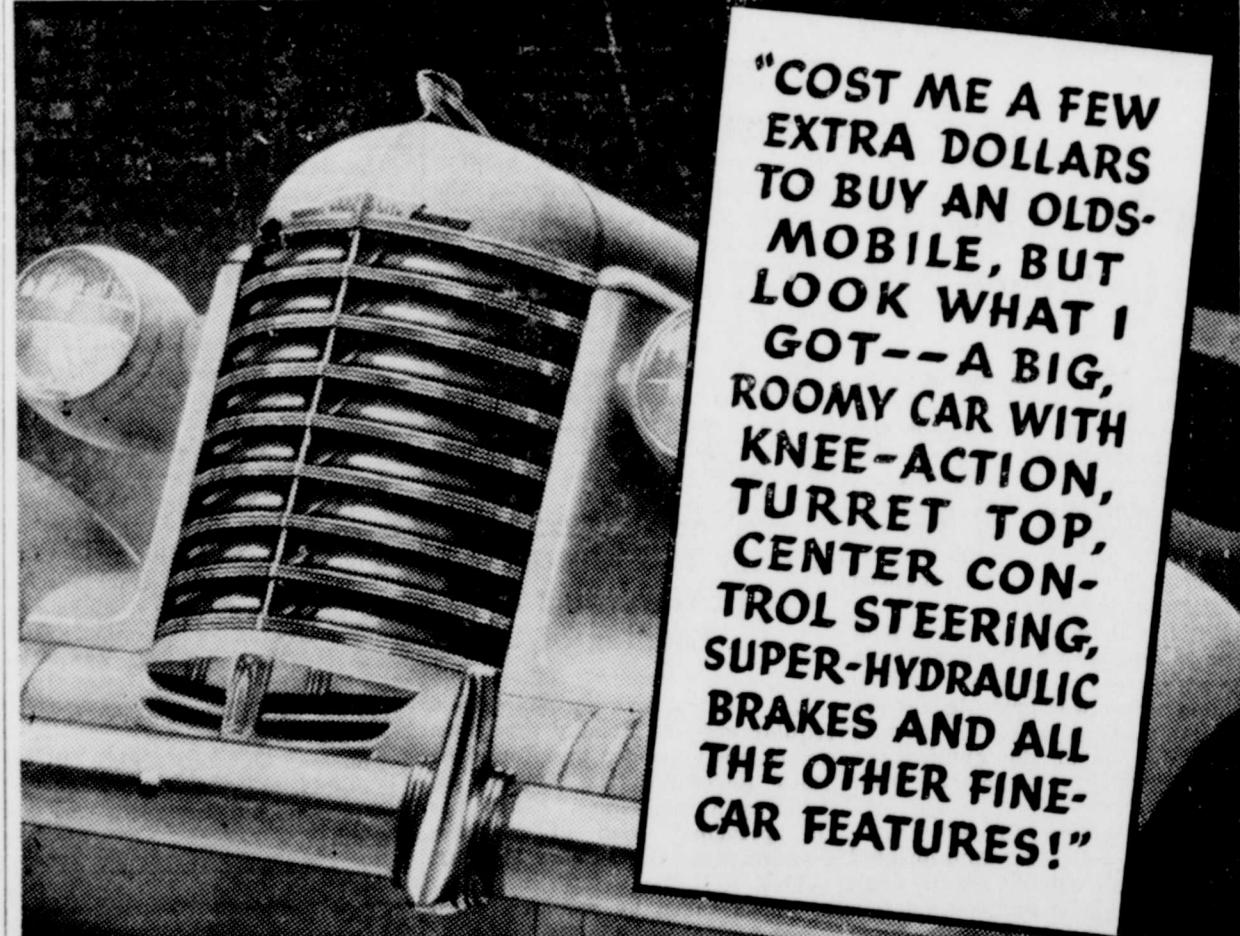
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Cottonwood Items (Bonnie Rowland, Reporter)

Mr. and Mrs. Lydia House and son of Lakewood were here Tuesday visiting friends.

Mrs. Pat Owens returned Sunday after a month's visit with her sister at Slaton, Texas.

C. M. Goodman has reentered the St. Francis hospital at Carlsbad. He has been in poor health for the past month.

Sunday, June 13, Rev. W. M. Bowden will conduct both morning and evening services at the Cottonwood church.

"Hoot" Bradley spent Monday night in Roswell as a guest in the home of his sister, Mrs. Owen Phillips and family.

A group of young folks from the Nazarene church of Artesia enjoyed a picnic and swimming party at Clark Lake here last Wednesday evening.

The Boy Scout Neighborhood Patrol of Cottonwood met last Wednesday night at the school house with their Scoutmaster, Ray Zumwalt.

Mrs. L. C. Brundrett and daughter, Miss Novella, visited last Tuesday afternoon with another daughter, Mrs. A. J. Ramsey and family of Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Gray, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Terry, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clayton, Jr., attended the rodeo at Weed, Sunday.

Miss Bonnie Rowland spent last Thursday night in the A. C. Brown home of Artesia, as a guest of Miss Greta who had just returned from Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Wright and Mrs. Clarence Carson left Friday for San Antonio, Texas after receiving word that Mr. Wright's mother was seriously ill at a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Howard accompanied his aunt, Mrs. Grover James and children to their home at Tuleta, Texas last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Howard will remain there for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Zumwalt and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Malaga left Friday for Zumwalt's ranch, the "Triple Z", which is located near Nogal. They plan to vacation there through this month.

Miss Bonnie Rowland and her cousin, Miss Marjorie of Artesia, spent the week end at Carlsbad visiting with another cousin, Mrs. Annie Smart and family. While there, they drove to Black River village, the Caverns and to the new Red Bluff dam near Pecos, Texas.

The Cottonwood Woman's club met last Thursday afternoon at the farm home of Mrs. Noah Buck for a monthly meeting. Vases of the seasonal roses were placed throughout the home, creating a delightful fragrance. Mrs. J. A. Clayton Jr., presided again, after an illness had kept her away from two meetings. The attendance prizes, a colorful velvet pillow top and a teakwood trinket box, were won by Mrs. Charley Buck and Mrs. T. J. Terry. Due to the weather conditions, Mrs. Hanny was unable to be present. Therefore the meeting was converted into a social one. At a later hour tasty sandwiches, jello with whipped cream, and delicious cake were served with iced tea to the Mesdames L. C. Brundrett, F. R. Zumwalt, J. A. Reed, Clint Powell, Oliver Vandagriff, T. J. Terry, Lewis Rowland, J. S. Funk, A. J. Ramsey, Charley Buck, Orval Gray, I. P. Johnson, Jack Terry of Spartanburg, South Carolina, G. G. Golden, J. C. Gressett, "Grandma" Buck, J. A. Clayton, Jr., Miss Bonnie Rowland and the gracious hostesses, Noah Buck, Henry Hall and Jimmy Buck.

FLUSHING BAR WARNS BIRDS NESTS ALSO MAY BE SAVED Because farm operations like harvesting grain and mowing hay often destroy nests of quail and other game birds, many farmers are using a flushing bar, reports the United States Department of Agriculture. The bar usually is a bamboo pole fastened to the neck yoke and extending in front of the sickle.

Strips of lightly weighted burlap attached to the pole drag through the grass or grain, flush the birds and locate the nests, over which the farmer can lift the sickle bar. Binders cutting high usually leave the nest undisturbed. Many farmers furnish food and cover to birds by leaving corners and odd spots in a field uncut. Descriptions of flushing bars and other means of favoring wildlife are included in Farmers' Bulletin No. 1718, "Improving the Farm Environment for Wildlife", prepared in the Bureau of Biological Survey and available on request from the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

SABLEIN SAYS STOCK MEN TO GET RANGES

ALBUQUERQUE — Almost all of the 600 stockmen in southeastern New Mexico who applied for license under the Taylor Grazing Act will receive them, J. E. Stablein, regional grazier, said Tuesday. Licenses were being prepared for district six following hearings at Roswell for the fifteen months period ending April 30, 1938, he explained.

New Game Refuges Created Recently

SANTA FE. — The New Mexico game and fish commission authorized state game Garden Elliott Barker Friday to allow Indians of Taos Pueblo "reasonable" out-of-season bagging of game for religious purposes, if the Indians comply satisfactorily with other state game laws.

The governor and council of Taos Pueblo, Barker reported to the commission, have signified their willingness to abide by state game laws on and off their reservation and, he said, prospects are favorable for an amicable agreement.

Among the game animals needed in fulfillment of some of the Taos religious rite in winter, when taking of game is taboo, are deer. Barker would be authorized to give the permit, if the Taos requests are reasonable, under the regulation allowing game to be taken for scientific purposes.

The commission voted to continue restrictions and bag limits on El Vado lake and the Chama river below the dam as they are at present. It voted, however, the employment of a special deputy to patrol those waters for the next two months.

If a careful study shows that fishermen "won't be reasonable and won't listen to argument," action will be taken later, Barker said.

The commission created five new game refuges and authorized additions to the Fort Sumner, Claudiell and Bitter Lake (near Roswell) refuges.

It set July 1 to Sept. 30 for the open season on bullfrogs, the daily possession and bag limit to be 12. Hours of takings conform to those for fishing.

New game refuges created: Little Ox Yoke, Chaves county; seven sections for deer.

Acme, twelve miles northeast of Roswell; seven sections for quail.

East of Las Cruces; 22,000 acres. (Located on soil conservation area, under fence, and is intended chiefly as an experiment in quail propagation).

Mimbres, on the Mimbres river, Grand county two sections, stock-exclusion area fenced by the forest service, for quail experiment.

Goldhill, Grant county; four sections.

CHAMBER COMMERCE OFFICE MOVED

The Artesia Chamber of Commerce office has been moved to the building formerly occupied by the Key and Son furniture store, the first door west of the J. S. Ward insurance agency. Since moving from the Artesia hotel, the Chamber of Commerce office has been maintained in the city hall as a temporary arrangement. It is understood arrangements will be made later to dispose of the furniture stock of Key and Son. The Chamber of Commerce office will be maintained in the front part of the building while the rear part of the building will be utilized for an occasional meeting of civic organizations.

GILBERT ROTARY SPEAKER S. W. Gilbert was the principal speaker at the luncheon program of the Artesia Rotary club Tuesday and gave an interesting discourse on the progress of scouting in this locality. Mr. Gilbert also disclosed plans for building a Boy Scout hut, which leaders hope to see materialize in the near future. Supt. W. E. Kerr supplemented talk of Mr. Gilbert with a discussion of plans for scout camping. Col. W. B. Pistole concluded the remarks on the subject of scouting with a comparison of the value of scouting to the cost of crime. Col. W. B. Pistole of Artesia and Walter Harrison of Roswell were the only visitors.

Locals

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Flynn, Friday.

Miss Opal Martin spent the week end visiting with friends in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Collins have moved to the Collin's farm west of town.

Georgia Lee Williams of Lovington is spending a few days visiting with Guinivere Ellis.

B. E. Spencer and John Day who is located on his ranch in the Guadalupe mountains spent Friday in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robertson and James returned Saturday from a ten day visit and business trip to El Paso.

J. C. Mills, probate judge of Adair county of Kirksville, Missouri, spent several days here the past week looking after his farming interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Kranz who have been located in Roswell have moved here where they will be permanently located. They are in the Gable apartments.

Mrs. I. L. Spratt and Dr. J. P. Turner returned Thursday from a motor trip along the Gulf coast and southern Texas. Dr. Turner left Friday for Oklahoma City.

Billie Bullock and Lorid Sharp, who have been attending The Texas Tech at Lubbock, Texas the past school year arrived in Artesia last Thursday afternoon to spend the summer with home folks.

Saint Clair Yates arrived home the latter part of last week for a week's visit with his parents here before returning to the University of Texas at Austin for a summer course where he will complete work for his masters degree.

Word has been received here of the death of the father of R. N. Thomas, Otis school teacher which occurred at Hamilton, Texas Saturday. Mr. Thomas, who is known to many local people was at the bedside of his father when the end came.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Terry of Spartanburg, South Carolina, have been visiting relatives here for the past three weeks. During their visit here they were the recipients of many social honors the last of which was a picnic at Cloudfroft Sunday. The party included Mr. and Mrs. Orval Gray, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clayton Jr., Mrs. Tom Terry and Tommy Terry. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Terry left Tuesday for their home.

REA Project To Be Ready by Fall

Farmers in southern Chaves county and northern Eddy county will have electricity by next fall under a rural electrification administration project if the REA normal progress schedule is followed, according to a bulletin to The Advocate from the REA.

The project (4 and 4G) is sponsored by the Central Valley Rural Cooperative Electric company of Lake Arthur. The project calls for 84 miles of electric lines, from the Cottonwood community south to Artesia, serving 134 customers, and for the construction of a generating plant.

The REA has made a partial allotment of \$164,000 for this project. Of this amount, \$60,000 will be used to build a generating plant to supply wholesale energy and \$104,000 to build electric lines.

Nominations for the project superintendent, lawyer and engineer should be sent to the REA for approval in the very near future. The loan contract will be sent to the project sponsors by the REA about the middle of June. This should be executed and returned promptly.

The bulletin makes the following explanation: "The normal progress schedule for REA projects has been established on the basis of normal conditions. Local conditions beyond the control of anyone often cause delays."

HANNY ESTABLISHES OFFICES HERE

Jack Hanny, Carlsbad attorney has established a law office here and is occupying the office quarters of the late J. H. Jackson, over the old First National Bank building. Mr. Hanny plans to move his family here as soon as living quarters can be obtained. Mr. Hanny is well known over Eddy county, having been associated with G. T. Watts for some time and has maintained an office at Carlsbad for several years.

26,979 CATTLE LEFT NEW MEXICO IN MAY

ALBUQUERQUE — The State Cattle Sanitary board announced Tuesday shipments from the state in May totaled 26,979 head. The April total was 25,794 and shipments in May, 1936 were 32,229.

Scout News

Arrangements are underway for holding the annual summer camp of the eastern New Mexico area council, Boy Scouts of America at Camp Wehinahpay in the Sacramento mountains, July 15th to 24th. Between 100 and 150 Scouts are expected to enroll. The cost will be \$1.00 per day exclusive of transportation. More interest is being shown in the annual summer camp than has been manifested for several years. The camp will be under the direction of Mark Guy King, new field executive for the eastern New Mexico area.

Mark Guy King, new field executive for the eastern New Mexico area council, Boy Scouts of America has arrived to assume his duties in that capacity. Mr. King is a graduate of the National Training course conducted by the National Council, Boy Scouts of America and has a wide and varied experience in scouting.

Roswell will be host to Boy Scouts from all parts of eastern New Mexico June 16 to 19, inclusive, when scouts and their leaders will meet here for three days of intensive training in preparation for the National Boy Scout Jamboree.

The camp, which will be attended by about 70 scouts and their leaders, will be held in the city park on North Missouri street, between Eighth and Ninth streets. Headquarters will be the scout hut on North Missouri street.

Advocate Want Ads Get Results!

SUN SET HEIGHTS

The new community just west of Eagle draw on the Hope highway has been named Sun Set Heights, Mrs. Ernest Scoggins, a resident of that community announced yesterday. At the present time there are seven new dwellings in the community in addition to tenant dwellings on two farms.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mauer and son left Sunday for El Paso, Texas to spend a short vacation in the pass city before going to the mountains for a short visit.

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SOCIETY.

FIRST AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB HONORS MRS. FERREE

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. C. R. Blocker was the hostess to the First Afternoon Bridge Club, at her home, honoring one of the members of this club who has been associated with this group for a long while, Mrs. S. E. Ferree. The attractive home was decorated with a variety of garden flowers arranged with exquisite taste. Contract was played during the afternoon and at the close of the game it was announced that Mrs. Ferree had won high score. She was presented with a beautiful arm bouquet of roses and a surprise shower of handkerchiefs from the club members in token of their esteem and affection for her as she leaves Artesia for a visit with her son in the east. Mrs. J. J. Clarke, president of the club made the presentation to Mrs. Ferree with a warm greeting to her from the club members and other friends who were invited for this special occasion.

Mrs. Maude Ployhar was the real winner of high score for the afternoon. The guests who were invited for the party were Meses. John Lanning, G. R. Brainard, John Lowry, J. B. Atkeson, Wallace Anderson, and S. D. Gates. Club members attending were Meses. S. E. Ferree, J. J. Clarke, J. H. Myers, G. U. McCrary, Jeff Hightower, Beecher Rowan, J. M. Story, Arba Green, James Nellis, and Maude Ployhar. Other guests who came in for the refreshment hour and the shower were Meses. Martin Yates II, H. A. Stroup, and Elizabeth Cooper. After the game and the shower presentation the hostess served a refreshing salad and dessert course along with a drink.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR GUINIVERE ELLIS

Mrs. Margaret Ellis honored her young daughter, Guinivere, with a beautiful birthday party celebrating her twelfth birthday at her home Thursday afternoon. All the appointments of the party were pink and green. These were carried out with careful attention to details and made the party one of much charm. The refreshments served to the guests were a lovely large birthday cake with "Happy Birthday" inscribed in pink letters and adorned with the required number of pink candles and pink punch.

The guests for the party were Bernie Marie Baldwin, Margaret Attebery, Billy Sue Barnett, Shirley Bartlett, Katherine McDermott, Margaret McDermott, Helen Watson, George Lee Williams, Mary Elizabeth Daugherty, Wilma Owen, Lois Owen, Elizabeth Owen, Bernice and Polly Wilde, Jean Owen, Katherine Houk, Betty Tope, Pat Nugent, Phoebe Welch and Betty Flinchbaugh. Each guest presented the honoree with a lovely gift and her best wishes for the day. A series of games were enjoyed during the afternoon by the guests and Guinivere.

MRS. W. G. COOK OF HAGERMAN HONORS CLUB

Members of the Thursday afternoon Bridge Club were honored by a party at the home of Mrs. W. G. Cook of Hagerman, at her home in that city. Mrs. Cook, a former member of the club and a former resident of Artesia, was a most gracious hostess to her friends and an unusually pleasant afternoon was spent at contract. Club members who attended this party were Meses. Fred Daugherty, M. A. Lapsley, M. D. Sharp, Luther Caraway, W. R. Schoonmaker, Andy Comprary, A. M. Archer, and Howard Gissler. An extra table of Hagerman guests also had the pleasure of this occasion and they included Meses. Jacobs, McCormick, Hearn, and the hostess. Mrs. Lapsley won high score for the afternoon and Mrs. Daugherty second high while Mrs. Schoonmaker was awarded the consolation prize. A delicious refreshment plate brought the afternoon's pleasure to a close and was served by the hostess to her guests.

SEIGLITZ-FRENCH WEDDING SUNDAY

Word has been received here of the wedding of Miss Mary Jane French, a former teacher in the Artesia school system, to Mr. Frank Sieglitz of Carlsbad. The wedding occurred Sunday at the Episcopal church in Albuquerque the home of the bride. The wedding of unusual beauty is of much interest to the friends of the bride here. She was dressed in lace empire style and her attendants among whom was Miss Corinne Puckett of Hope, also carried out the old world theme in their costumes of silk organdy. A small flower girl and a maid of honor completed the bridal party who made such an artistic group before the white altar framed with green smilax in the candle light of the early evening. Mr. Sieglitz is in business in Carlsbad and the couple will make their home in that city in the near future.

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THURSDAY (TODAY)

The Young Matron's Missionary Society will meet at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Howard Stroup, south of town.

The members of the Christian church are invited to attend a church picnic at the Golf Course beginning at four o'clock. Committee on arrangements are Mrs. Neville Muncy and Mrs. Jeff Hightower.

FRIDAY

The Viernes Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Wren Barker, hostess, at her home, at 2:00 p. m.

The Fun Lover's club will hold a formal dance at the Woman's Club building.

The Bridge of the Month will meet at the Artesia hotel for their bridge-luncheon at 1:00 p. m. Mrs. Mary Evans, hostess.

An important call meeting of the Woman's club is called for ten o'clock a. m. All members are urged to attend for the short business session as matters of great importance are to be attended to.

The Past Noble Grand club will meet with Mrs. Walter Douglas, at her home at 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the Hut at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. E. N. Bigler, department chairman of 'Fidac, will be in charge of the program.

TUESDAY

The Fortnightly Bridge club will meet at the home of Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, hostess for one o'clock luncheon.

WEDNESDAY

The A. F. F. Bridge club will meet at 2:00 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Leland Price with Mrs. John Williams, hostess.

The Friday Evening Bridge club has changed their meeting time to Wednesday and will meet tonight with Mrs. S. A. Lanning, at her home, at 8:00 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The Christian Women's Association will meet with a covered dish luncheon for an all day meeting with Mrs. A. B. Coll.

Members of the Methodist Missionary Society will hold an all day meeting and covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. Reed Brainard. The morning hours will be devoted to business and the study of the conference minutes while the afternoon will be the literary program.

Ladies of the Presbyterian Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Russell Rogers for the literary program in charge of Mrs. Gail Hamilton.

Thursday Afternoon Bridge club will be entertained by Mrs. Andy Comprary, at her home, with a bridge party at 2:00 o'clock p. m.

MONTHLY BIRTHDAY SUPPER OF THE REBEKAH LODGE

Mrs. A. H. Whitener and Mrs. J. A. Clayton Sr. were the honored guests of the Rebekah lodge at their monthly birthday supper Monday evening. A large attendance marked this meeting as a most successful one for the lodge and a most pleasurable one for the participants of the supper and the social hours. After the pleasant dinner the regular lodge meeting was held at which time a representative to the Rebecca assembly was elected. Mrs. John Williams was elected representative with Mrs. Leland Price as her alternate.

Mrs. S. E. Ferree, a much beloved member of the lodge who has long been associated with the active duties contingent with a Rebekah was the recipient of a handkerchief shower. Mrs. Ferree plans to leave Artesia in the near future and with this thought in mind the members of the lodge desired to honor in some manner one who was so active in the work of the order.

WIENER ROAST AND SWIMMING PARTY FOR NIMBLE THIMBLE CLUB

Members of the Nimble Thimble club who have heretofore plied the needle diligently at their club meetings laid aside their work for play Wednesday. The party drove to the Clark Lake early in the evening where a really refreshing swim was enjoyed. After the swim the wiener roast was truly a treat and the following members with invited guests enjoyed this pleasure Meses. A. H. Whitener, J. E. Keith, S. A. Lanning, Charles Ransbarger, H. W. McCool, J. O. Wood, and Harvey Yates. The party was joined by Mr. McCool and son and Mr. Keith for the wiener roast.

MRS. HARVEY YATES HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB

Members of the Friday Evening Bridge club were entertained at the new home of Mrs. Harvey Yates this past week. Mrs. J. E. Keith and Mrs. John Jenkins were the substitute guests for the club at this party. The evening was devoted to contract bridge and at the close of the game high score was won by Mrs. J. O. Wood who was presented with flowers. Mrs. Glenn Naylor received the consolation prize consisting of a very lovely compact. The hostess served very tasty refreshment plate to the following guests: Meses. J. E. Keith, John Jenkins, J. O. Wood, Lowell Naylor, Glenn Naylor, S. A. Lanning, and Miss Elaine Feemster. A change of date was made in the meeting time of the club and in the future the club will meet on Wednesday evening instead of Friday.

SLUMBER PARTY FOR YOUNG FOLKS

Miss Bettyne Lanning and her mother Mrs. John Lanning were hosts to a group of friends Tuesday evening at a slumber party at the Lanning home. Guests arrived in the early evening to enjoy various games outside and to be refreshed with punch and sandwiches later in the evening. Places for sleep were arranged outside on the upstairs porch and many a wild tale was spun before the youngsters were finally asleep.

Breakfast was served the next morning and games such as badminton and ping pong occupied their interest until they bade their hostesses goodbye. The guest list included Meses Phyllis Bartlett, Katherine Louise Williams, La Vern Hampton, Sybil Pior and Betty Flint.

PUPILS PRESENTED IN RECITAL BY DORIS WELBORNE

The Pupils of Doris Deter Welborne's class of violin were presented in recital at the Presbyterian church at 8:00 o'clock on last Thursday evening. The large class presented a concert of such charm as to delight the audience who heard them. The following young artists appeared in this program, Josephine Steiwig, Katherine McDermot, Roderick Watson, Johnnie Frank Herbolt, Lewis Story, Shirley Bartlett, Josephine Payne, Annadele Williams, Betty Jo Brainard, Margaret Mahone, Jane Shugart, Dorothy Gilmore, Elaine Frazier, Bobby Collins, and Helen Wells, Dorothy Deason was the able accompanist of the evening.

MISS FEEMSTER HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB

Miss Elaine Feemster was hostess to the members of the Friday Evening Bridge club at her home Wednesday evening. Guests who had the pleasure of this party and the contract game that filled the evening were Meses. Lowell Naylor, Glenn Naylor, Harvey Yates, J. O. Woods, John Jenkins, S. A. Lanning and Miss Cecelia Rehberg. Mrs. John Jenkins is a new member who was welcomed into the club at this time. High score was won by Mrs. Wood and low score was awarded to Mrs. Jenkins. The hostess served a very delicious refreshment course after the game had been ended.

CEMETERY BOARD WITH MRS. B. E. SPENCER

Seven members of the cemetery board met at the home of Mrs. B. E. Spencer for their regular business meeting Friday afternoon. Routine business was transacted and presided over by Mrs. Tom Hefflin, president. The board meets each first Friday of the month and will hold its next meeting at the home of the president, Mrs. Tom Hefflin.

H 2 O BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. J. H. Myers was hostess to the members of the H 2 O Bridge club at her home Friday afternoon. One substitute guest played with the members of the club as they met for their afternoon of contract and was Miss Marion Coll. Mrs. A. B. Coll was the winner of high score for the afternoon's game.

BAPTIST WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Business and Missionary meeting of the Baptist Women's Missionary Society was held at the Baptist Church Thursday afternoon. In the absence of Mrs. B. A. Bishop, president, the chair was filled by Mrs. P. G. Woodruff, vice president. Mrs. Nellie Walters led the inspirational devotional service that prefaced the missionary study. Mrs. John Simons was in charge of the study for the afternoon which was devoted to the topic of the "Italian." She was assisted in presenting this interesting subject to the ladies by the following ladies Meses. Fred Cole, P. G. Woodruff, Lynn Buford, Perkins, C. C. Grimland, I. L. Bynum and Carroll Brown.

METHODIST MISSIONARY

An all day meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society was held at the church parlors of the Methodist church Thursday. The meeting was devoted to the regular book study of the society and was led by Mrs. R. O. Cowan. "A preface of Racial Understanding" the book studied was ably reviewed by the following ladies at the morning and afternoon sessions, Meses. R. O. Cowan, George Frisch, John Rice, I. C. Dixon, Reed Brainard, John McCann, and E. J. Foster.

A delightful covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour during which time the ladies had the real pleasure of a social visit. The meeting was well attended. The regular business of the group was disposed of during the session.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARY

The regular business and missionary meeting of the Presbyterian Missionary society was held at the church Thursday afternoon. After the business had been transacted the ladies spent the afternoon sewing. Their plan is to sew on various articles of clothing and other articles as well so as to have on hand those things which might be needed by the less fortunate. The meeting which was attended by a large group of ladies proved to be a very beneficial one.

MISS MARY BAIRD ENTERTAINS

Miss Mary Baird was hostess to a number of her friends at her home Monday evening with a scavenger hunt. The guests arrived early in the evening and at once were engaged in this pastime at the close of which prizes were awarded to Meses Bettyne Lanning and Betty Flint for winning the hunt. Later in the evening the guests were much refreshed with tall glasses of frosted coca-cola served by Mrs. N. M. Baird and assisted by Sybil Pior and Mary Baird.



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By Frances Lee Barton

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Parfait Mazarin
1 cup sugar, 1 cup water; 3 egg whites, stiffly beaten; 2 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted and cooled; 2 cups cream, whipped; 1 tablespoon vanilla.

Boil sugar and water until a small amount of syrup forms a soft ball in cold water, or spins a long thread when dropped from tip of spoon (238° F.). Pour syrup in fine stream over egg whites, beating constantly. Continue beating until mixture is cool. Fold in chocolate, cream, and vanilla. Turn into freezing trays of automatic refrigerator and let stand 3 to 4 hours. Or turn mixture into mold, filling it to overflowing; cover with waxed paper and press cover tightly down over paper. Pack in equal parts ice and salt 3 to 4 hours. Serve in parfait glasses and top with whipped cream. Makes 1 1/4 quarts parfait.

MRS. HAYNES HOSTESS TO VIERNES CLUB

Mrs. Owen Haynes was at home to the Viernes Club for their session of contract Friday afternoon. All members were present for the pleasant afternoon's game. Mrs. A. G. Glasser held high score at the close of the game and Mrs. Andy Comprary was the winner of the average score. The hostess served a refreshing plate and drink after the games had been ended.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gage have completed their trailer home and Monday they moved into it to the Sacramento mountains where Mr. Gage is engaged in highway work. They returned to Artesia Wednesday for Mrs. William Powell and child who plans to visit with her parents in their new home for a few days.

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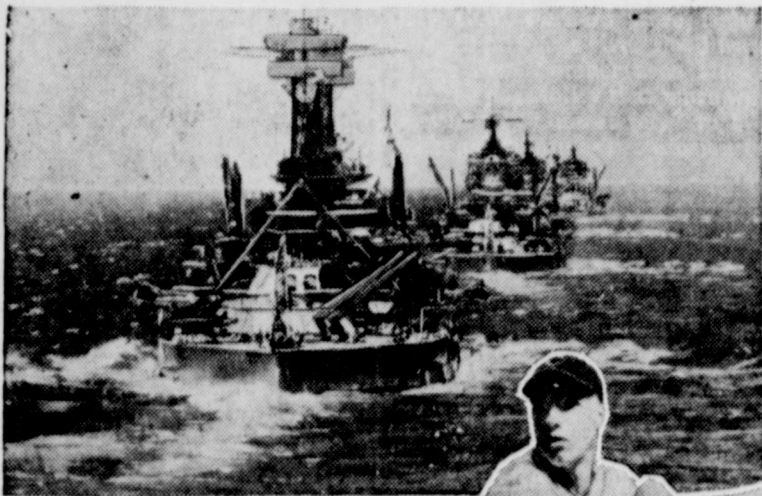
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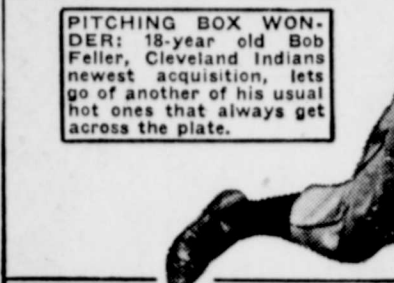
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LAST OF THE SIT-DOWN STRIKERS: Demanding bigger bones and more play, this two-weeks old mascot of the Pan American Exposition (above, right) creates a quiet tempest in a teacup.



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11:00 Song service and sermon.
6:30 Baptist Training Union service.
7:30 Song service and sermon.
The mid-week prayer service and teachers meeting is held each Wednesday night at 7:30.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Announcements for the week: Thursday (this week).
4:00—Church and Sunday school picnic at the Golf Course. All are asked to meet at the church at 4 o'clock so that those who have cars may take those who are without means of transportation. Supper will be served at 6:30. Let's all go!

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
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Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Morning sermon 11:00 a. m.
Young peoples service 6:15 p. m.
Adult class meeting 6:15 p. m.
Evangelistic services 7:15 p. m.
The W. M. S. meets every first and third Wednesday of each month. Mrs. E. A. Paton, president.
The public is cordially invited.
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CHURCH OF CHRIST
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A special lecture week is being held this week from Monday through Friday. Nine visiting preachers will deliver the lectures on Bible subjects. There will be three sessions a day: 10:00 a. m., 3:00 and 8:00 p. m. The people of Artesia are given an urgent invitation to attend these Bible lectures as they are of vital importance to all.

Regular services Sunday:
Bible school 10:00 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
Lord's supper 11:50 a. m.
Young peoples meeting 7:30 p. m.

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"God the Preserver of Man" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Societies and Churches of Christ, Scientist,

and Robert will be engaged in his new position as assistant playground director in Oklahoma City.

Edgar and Burton Bishop, the Rev. and Mrs. P. G. Woodruff, Ed Wilson and Miss Peggy Wilson are attending a B. T. U. convention which closes at Portales today.

Robert French arrived here last Thursday for a short visit with his mother and other relatives. He was accompanied by Mrs. Leone French and her mother, Mrs. Ohr, as he left Saturday for Oklahoma City, by way of Portales. Mrs. Ohr remained in Portales, for the summer while Mrs. French will attend the Oklahoma University at Norman,

9:45—Church school, C. O. Brown, superintendent.
11:00—Morning worship, including communion and preaching. Sermon subject: "Defending Our Prejudices."
7:00—Young people's meeting. There were 18 present last Sunday evening. The meeting next Sunday will be pure discussion, centered around problems of life investment. You may expect an interesting meeting and some live discussion. Be on time, please.

Wanted—at least fifty men in the church service on Father's Day, June 20th, at the First Christian church. Something of vital concern to all men will be presented.

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- JUNE**
- 11—Patriots of Savannah, Ga. seized the powder in the arsenal. 1775.
 - 12—The American army sailed for Cuba in thirty-two transports. 1898.
 - 13—The first American combatant troops sailed from New York to fight in World War. 1917.
 - 14—Sir Henry Vane, governor of Massachusetts colony, beheaded. 1652.
 - 15—Patent for making rubber granted to Goodyear. 1844.
 - 16—Bombardment of forts at Santiago by American squadron. 1898.
 - 17—First important engagement of the Revolutionary War fought at Bunker Hill. 1775.

The Word "Woman"

Etymologists are in full agreement that the word "woman" has a straight line of descent from the Anglo-Saxon "wifman," literally "wife man." The gradual change from wifman to wymman, wumman, woman, woman, is clearly traceable in the literary records and does not encourage the idea that the word has any but an accidental resemblance to "womb."—Literary Digest.

Five Favored Odors

The five odors liked best by the average American, it is believed, are rose, pine, lilac, violet and lily of the valley. On the other hand, the five odors which he dislikes most are garlic, rubber, lard, kerosene and uncooked fish.—Collier's Weekly.

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NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of Application RA-1667. Santa Fe, N. M., May 21, 1937.

Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of May, 1937, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, D. Alton Lowery, of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 1,000 gallons per minute by the drilling of a 10 inch well approximately 200 feet in depth, located in the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 33, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 40 acres of land described as being the N 1/2 NE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 33, and the N 1/2 NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 34, all being in Township 17 South, Range 26 East.

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 within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested is the 30th day of June, 1937.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer. 21-31-23.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO.

CERTIFICATE OF FILING United States of America, State of New Mexico, ss. IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED, that there was filed for record in the office of the State Corporation Commission of the State of New Mexico on the Twenty-fourth day of May, A. D. 1937 at 3:30 o'clock P. M.

CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION OF THE ARTESIA PIPE LINE COMPANY, a corporation organized under the laws of New Mexico, a duly executed consent in writing that said corporation be dissolved; and that this Commission being satisfied that all of the requirements of Section 32-136, New Mexico Statutes Annotated, Compilation of 1929, relating to the voluntary dissolution of corporations have been duly complied with;

NOW, THEREFORE, upon the filing with this Commission of an affidavit showing that this certificate has been published as required by law, the said corporation shall be dissolved. The principal office of the said corporation in this State is in Artesia, New Mexico, and the name of the agent in charge thereof and upon whom service may be made is Manuel A. Sanchez. (18364)

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the State Corporation Commission of the State of New Mexico has caused this certificate to be signed by its Chairman and the seal of said Commission to be affixed at the City of Santa Fe on this Twenty-sixth day of May, A. D. 1937. (SEAL) DON R. CASADOS, Chairman.

Attest: CASME R. GARCIA, Clerk. 22-21-23.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of Application RA-1668. Santa Fe, N. M., May 21, 1937.

Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of May, 1937, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, R. W. Box, of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 480 acre feet per annum by the drilling of a 15 1/2 inch well approximately 200 feet in depth, located in the Southwest corner SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 3, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 160 acres of land described as being the SE 1/4 of said Section 3.

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 within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested is the 30th day of June, 1937.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer. 23-31-25.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of Application RA-1671. Santa Fe, N. M., June 4, 1937.

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of June, 1937 in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, W. J. Jackson, of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 480 acre feet per annum by the drilling of a 12 1/2 inch well approximately 250 feet in depth, located in the NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 6 Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 160 acres of land described as being the NE 1/4 of Section 6,

Township 17 South, Range 26 East. 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 within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested is the 14th day of July, 1937.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer. 23-31-25.

PUBLIC NOTICE

DOCKET NO. 1440

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Jess Buckner of Hope, New Mexico has applied to the State Corporation Commission of New Mexico for a Contract Motor Carrier Permit to operate a service as follows: In Eddy, Chaves, and Otero Counties.

Said Corporation Commission has set the 14th day of June, 1937 for the public hearing to be held at 10:00 A. M. in the office of State Corporation Commission, Santa Fe, N. M., for the consideration of said application.

The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons interested an opportunity to show cause why such authority should not be granted.

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION Motor Transportation Department By: Don R. Casados, Chairman. 23-11.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT AND ESTATE OF NORA J. GATEWOOD, DECEASED. No. 829

NOTICE OF HEARING PROOF OF WILL IN ANCILLARY PROCEEDINGS PENDING BEFORE THE ABOVE MENTIONED COURT THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO: Donie A. Gatewood, Mrs. Willie B. Fifer, Miss Georgia Hester, John Hester, Jask Hester, Mrs. Laura Cook, Mrs. Nancy Cook, Mrs. Corrie Dean, George S. Gatewood, Mrs. Zilla Messer, Mrs. Margaret Henry, Forrest Henry, Herman Henry, Gatewood Henry, Edward Hester, Raymond Hester, Harold Hester; and to all unknown heirs of Nora J. Gatewood, deceased, and to all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent; and to whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Nora J. Gatewood, deceased, has been filed for ancillary probate in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico; and that by order of said court, the 29th day of June, 1937, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M., at the court room of said court in the City of Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, is the day, time and place set for hearing proof of said Last Will and Testament.

Therefore, any of the above named parties concerned in the above entitled matter, wishing to object to the ancillary probate of said Last Will and Testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the 29th day of June, same being the date fixed by said Probate Court for the hearing of proof in said matter.

G. U. McCrary is the attorney for the executrix named in said will and his business address is Artesia, New Mexico. In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on this the 27 day of May, 1937.

R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk and Clerk of the Probate Court of said county. (SEAL) 22-41-25

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF S. L. TARR, DECEASED. No. 786

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Clarence M. Tarr, administrator of the estate of S. L. Tarr, deceased, has filed his final report as such administrator of said estate, together with his petition praying for his discharge; and the Hon. W. F. Montgomery, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, has set the 2nd day of July, at the hour of 10 A. M. at the Court Room of said court in the City of Carlsbad, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing objections, if any there be, to said court and petition.

Therefore any person or persons wishing to object are hereby notified to file their objections with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the date set for said hearing. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk. 23-41-26.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of Application RA-1674. Santa Fe, N. M., June 4, 1937.

Notice is hereby given that on the 27th day of May, 1937 in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, G. E. Sharp, of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application

Filed for Record

Warranty Deeds—

V. H. McNutt, Hallie C. Bearborn, Lots 9, 11, 13, Blk. 39, Stevens Addition.

Herman Gallaway, L. S. Watson, Lot 4 Blk. 102, Stevens Addition. Gertrude Haisley, Glenn W. Booker, Lot 8, E 1/2 Lot 10, Blk. 25, Art. Imp. Co.

Eugene Coats, Harry Adams, Lot 7, Blk. 101, Stevens 2nd, and Lot 8 Blk. 47, Stevens.

Anna M. Gates, Dean Brainard, Lot 1, Blk 15, C. & S. Artesia. Sears Chev. Co., G. F. Coope, Lot 10 Blk. 176, Harrison Subd.

H. E. Hawks, Chas. W. Bartlett, Lot 2 Blk. 99, Stevens 2nd. R. H. Cavender, M. Everhart, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, E 1/2 W 1/2, E 1/2 7-16-24.

R. R. Thompson, C. A. Fuller, NENW 30-21-27. Jim Wetsel, W. V. Chapman, SENW, SNE, NWSE, NSE, ESW, 26-16-23.

Glen N. Polk, John F. & D. W. Runyan, Section 17-16-23. C. E. Odom, C. E. Hicks, N. 50 ft. of lot 10, and West 60 ft. of N. 50 ft. lot 8, blk. 12, Gibson Add.

L. R. Sperry, Ethel M. Vaught, SSE 19-16-26. M. F. Thompson, M. B. Vaughn, N 1/2 lot 12, B. "F", Rio Vista.

In the District Court— No. 6435. Frona Collins vs. Henry Collins, Divorce, Lot 5, Blk. 38, Carlsbad.

No. 6436. W. W. McCutcheon Jr. vs. Mallie Lorena McCutcheon, Divorce.

No. 6437. Eva Speck vs. Calvin E. Speck, divorce, lot 11 blk. 19, Stegman Add. Artesia.

MRS. FRED COLE BURNED

Mrs. Fred Cole was burned about the face in a flash gas explosion as she attempted to light the oven in her gas range Tuesday. The light in the oven of the gas range went out and when Mrs. Cole examined the stove she started to light the over burner with the result that her face was slightly burned and her hair singed in a flash explosion that failed to catch her clothing on fire.

to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 1200 gallons per minute by the drilling of a 12 1/2 inch well approximately 200 feet in depth, located in the center SE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 13, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 160 acres of land described as being 80 acres in the E 1/2 NE 1/4, Section 14, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, and 80 acres in the N 1/2 SW 1/4, Section 13, Township 17 South, Range 26 East.

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 within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested is the 14th day of July, 1937.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer. 23-31-25.



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Lake Arthur Items

Mrs. Clarence Evans, Reporter

Mrs. J. M. Jones has been ill for several days. Little June Simms celebrated her 5th birthday with a party last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bailey of Malaga were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crook, Sunday.

J. C. Reed of Hope and Phillip Reed of Alamogordo were visitors in the A. G. Lane home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and children of Lovington were Sunday visitors of Mrs. John Griffith and Mrs. L. Johnson.

The railroad section crew of Lake Arthur were called to Roswell the first of this week to help repair flood damaged track.

The Girls 4-H club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Dorothy Anna Nihart. An interesting program and refreshments were enjoyed by: Eula Bee Evert, Dorothy Cummins, Joy Evans, Allene Simms, Libby Evans, Mary Helen Spence, Peggy Simms, Lora Mae Love, Dorothy Anna Nihart and Miss Hilda Jean. The next meeting will be June 22 with Dorothy Cummins.

PEERLESS PUMPS FIRST IN FLOOD EMERGENCY When the recent series of floods hit Roswell on the morning of May 29th, Clifford Smith of the Smith-Minton Machinery Co., Peerless distributor, was first to realize that basements in both the business and residential sections must be quickly dewatered.

Mr. Smith immediately contacted J. E. Durston, Peerless sales engineer who was at the Nickson hotel and secured permission to convert a portable demonstrator pump into a de-watering unit.

Arrangements were then made with the Roswell radio station KGFL to make announcements of this service with the result that some fifty basements have been dewatered to date.

Collection State

Taxes Increasing

SANTA FE. — State Revenue Commissioner John D. Bingham reported Monday collections of \$685,762 from the sales, gasoline and liquor stamp taxes, and a total of \$107,220 from the new severance tax on natural resources up to June 1.

This, the first report on the severance tax, indicates an annual collection from that source of about \$750,000, Bingham said. All the money thus obtained goes toward relief.

Sales tax collections in May were \$288,672, against \$16,579 in May 1936; gasoline tax, \$354,556, against \$300,026, liquor stamp tax, \$42,534, against \$32,459.

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Hope Items

Miss Frances Johnson, Reporter

Mrs. John Clark of El Paso arrived here Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hilary White, Sr.

E. L. Madson left Monday for Albuquerque where he will spend the summer attending summer school at the University.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Moore and Maggie Lane of Lake Arthur spent a short time in Hope Monday attending business and visiting with friends.

Mrs. Thelma Neal of Odessa, Texas arrived here the latter part of the week to spend a week visiting Babs Mellard and Mrs. Billie Ballard.

Mrs. E. A. Traylor was able to return to her home here Monday from the St. Francis hospital in Carlsbad where she underwent an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hardin and daughter, Alma Lois, of Engle, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hardin, at their home here Thursday.

Mrs. Buck Wilburn and children returned Tuesday from the Wilburn ranch on the Felix, having spent several days there visiting Mr. Wilburn.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Lovejoy and family have moved in from the old White residence north of town to their home in town which they have recently remodeled.

Mrs. J. P. Parks and daughter, Janet, left Saturday for El Paso where Janet will re-enter the Vocational school, having spent two weeks here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Eileen McMurry left Friday for her home in Bent, having spent several days here visiting her sister, Mrs. LaVern Wilburn, and her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Buckner.

Mildred Harris, student of the New Mexico Junior College, of Portales returned the latter part of the week and will spend the summer here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Harris.

A number of the young people of the Methodist Episcopal church left Monday for Sacramento where they are attending the annual assembly of the intermediates of the Methodist Episcopal Church South.

Hoyt Keller, Iva Payne and Raymond Jones, who have been attending the New Mexico Junior College at Portales the past year returned to their homes here the latter part of the week to spend the summer visiting relatives and friends.

A foot and one-half of the diversion dam in the Penasco river twelve miles north of Hope was washed away in the recent flood waters of heavy rains. The Hope Water Users association started work immediately to repair the damage.

Betsy Parks returned the first of the week from Flagstaff, Arizona where she has been attending the Arizona State Teacher's College the past year, and will spend the summer here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parks, on the Parks ranch.

Superintendent and Mrs. Edwin C. Hawkins and children left Saturday for La Junta, Colorado where they are spending a few days visiting relatives of Mr. Hawkins. From there Mrs. Hawkins and children will go to Illinois where they will spend several weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cain, nee Maxine Gibson, of Pecos, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Doc Adams, nee Naomi Gibson, of McCamey, Texas, were guests of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Teel, here Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs. Cain and Mrs. Adams are former residents and well known in Hope.

Mrs. Cal Beckett arrived in Carlsbad the latter part of the week from her home in Canoga, California to spend an indefinite time with her mother, Mrs. D. Swift, who is ill at the home of her daughter Mrs. Ed Bryant, there. As soon as Mrs. Swift is able they expect to return to their home here.

FREE CEMETERY GETS A RUSHING BUSINESS

ORANGE, Texas. — Citizens of Williamson community complain they are being crowded out of their free cemetery, given to the community several years ago by a lumber company.

Jasper Williamson, protesting to county commissioners on behalf of the community's residents, said that because the space was free and digging easy, persons from all over East Texas were using the cemetery. One woman told commissioners that someone had been buried in the space beside her husband which she expected to occupy.

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150 CCC Enrollees Fighting Erosion

SANTA FE. — One hundred fifty CCC workers were fighting ravages of Pecos river flood waters in the Fort Sumner area Monday, with the possibility that more would be sent in "immediately" to begin work on a permanent erosion control project.

State Engineer Thomas M. McClure, directing the work, informed Gov. Clyde Tingley the 150 men would be "sufficient" for the present. Emergency measures will be required because of the release of waters from the Alamogordo reservoir, he said, while "permanent construction will be absolutely essential" to prevent a recurrence of the damage.

Sen. Carl A. Hatch advised Tingley the department of agriculture was considering sending soil conservation service CCC workers to begin work on a permanent project of flood prevention.

Motor Vehicle Numbers Gain

SANTA FE. — Diego Salazar, motor vehicle commissioner, reported Tuesday that total registrations in the state for the first five months of this year were 100,180 motor vehicles an increase of 12,329 over the same period in 1936 and with a hike in revenue to the state of \$280,780.23.

From January 1 to May 1 this year 78,183 passenger cars were licensed compared to 68,218 in the same period in 1936. Likewise a total of 19,678 trucks were licensed compared to 16,718 in the five months on Qoey.

Total revenue from the sales of all kinds of licenses was \$1,484,002.13 for the last five months while revenue in the corresponding period in 1936 amounted to \$1,203,221.90. The increase in revenue was 23 and one third per cent, Salazar reported.

BUDDY PARKER HURT

Buddy Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Parker of the Cottonwood community was painfully hurt Monday afternoon when he fell from a moving car when the door came open. According to the story of the accident told here, the little fellow attempted to climb from the back seat to the front seat as his mother was driving the car and in some manner kicked the back door open as Mrs. Parker was driving about fifty miles an hour. It was fortunate the lad struck the road at a sandy spot, otherwise his injuries might have been more serious. He was cut and bruised about the head and was rushed here for medical attention.

COL. PISTOLE BUYS HOAGLAND HOME

Col. W. B. Pistole, retiring judge advocate general of the United States army, has bought the Gus Hoagland home at 1103 Main street, it was announced Monday. Col. Pistole is also planning to open an office here, but had not chosen a location Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoagland will probably move to their farm on Walnut, northwest of Artesia.

Locals

Felix Briones, Carlsbad sheepman sold 4,700 pounds of wool at the Bullock warehouse Friday.

James Stagner, Carlsbad attorney was transacting business here Saturday and meeting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter spent the week end in Midland Texas visiting and attending to business matters.

Dr. J. J. Clarke along with Dr. Laurence Clarke of Hobbs has been in Dallas this past week attending a dental meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Story and children, Wanda and Lewis, left Sunday for a motor trip along the Gulf coast and into the interior of Mexico.

The Reverend and Mrs. A. C. Douglas and daughter of Pecos, were here for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. John McCann this past week.

G. B. Armstrong, pioneer resident of Roswell died in St. Joseph's hospital in Phoenix, Arizona Saturday, after an emergency operation, it was learned here Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Berry accompanied by her daughter Dorothy Jim, her mother, Mrs. D. S. Martin, and her niece Miss Charlene Martin, left Monday for a short visit in Ryan, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Phillips and son, John F., formerly of Sardis, Tennessee have recently located at Lake Arthur for the benefit of Mr. Phillips' health. They are old acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Bivens of the Cottonwood community.

Fletcher and Dawn Hornbaker are expected to arrive from California today where they have been attending college this winter. Wayne Hornbaker will remain in Berkeley for postgraduate work this summer. He drove to California in time to attend the graduation of his brother, Fletcher.

Mrs. Howard Stroup is expecting as her guest her small sister, Helen, the latter part of this week. Helen is attending the Junior Assembly of the Methodist church in session this week at the Sacramento Methodist Camp. She is a delegate of the Trinity church of El Paso and at the close of the assembly will come here for an extended visit with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shugart and children left Sunday for Marion, Indiana. They drove to Amarillo where they will take a plane for their destination. Mr. Shugart plans to return in the next fortnight while Mrs. Shugart and the children will remain for several weeks' visit with friends and relatives of that vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Denton motored to Cloudfort Sunday where they met two daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Funkhouser of Las Cruces and Miss Junita Denton, who had been attending State College the past school year. Miss Junita accompanied her parents here and will be employed in the real estate office of her father for the summer months.

Miss Marjorie Johnson left Monday for Albuquerque where she will enter the summer session of the University there. Miss Johnson holds the distinction of being the president of the New Mexico, West Texas and Southern Colorado Methodist Young People and will return to the Sacramento Camp to attend their assembly there next week, after which she will continue her studies at school.

Conservancy Dist. To Get the Hondo Flood Waters

The way was cleared for a long planned project for recharging the artesian basin and preventing Roswell floods by a decision of Judge James B. McGhee in the Chaves county district court last Thursday granting the Pecos Valley Conservancy District the unappropriated flood waters of the Hondo river.

The proposed project which has been held up by protests, calls for the construction of diversion structures from the Hondo river at a point some 12 miles southwest of Roswell, to conduct flood waters into the Hondo reservoir, built by the United States reclamation service after the Roswell flood of 1904 and then abandoned because the bottom of the reservoir would not hold water.

The purpose of the project is two-fold—to protect Roswell from the floods and to recharge the artesian basin. It is declared by those with a knowledge of the artesian condition that water which sinks into the ground from the floor of the reservoir goes into the artesian basin.

Judge McGhee upheld the decision made by the state engineer, Tom McClure, on July 13th, 1936, granting the conservancy district the unappropriated Hondo flood waters. The state engineer's decision had been protested by the Hondo Irrigation Association and by individual members of the association.

Governor Clyde Tingley signed a petition Tuesday night merging Hobbs and New Hobbs into one city.

Mrs. Fred Howard, who has been taken to a sanatorium in Roswell for treatment and rest has been reported as being much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Runyan, of the lower Penasco announce the birth of a baby daughter Tuesday morning at the St. Francis hospital in Carlsbad.

Miss Shirley Feather spent the week end here visiting with the Landis Feather family. Miss Feather plans to spend the latter part of the summer in Mexico City.

Mrs. T. H. Flint, Mrs. T. T. Flint, Kitty and Betty Flint returned home Friday from Albuquerque. The party had driven to Albuquerque last week for Kitty who has been attending the University there and were detained because of the high water.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Crozier expect to leave today for Wilmington, California to visit their sons, Harold and Oliver Crozier and their families and other relatives at various points on the coast. Mr. and Mrs. Crozier expect to be gone about a month or six weeks.

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Flood Sufferers May Get Loans

Flood sufferers may obtain emergency rehabilitation loans, it was announced at Roswell late Saturday following a telegram received by Lieutenant Governor Hiram Dow, in charge of flood relief work from Senator Carl Hatch. Rehabilitation funds may be obtained from the disastored loan corporation on personal notes or chattel mortgages.

The telegram from Hatch was in response to an inquiry by Dow on how loans for flood sufferers might be obtained. Dow met with committees in Roswell Saturday from the various flood areas. Estimates on the damages done by the floods includes: public property damage, \$100,000; 10,000 acres of farm land and crops; damage to Chaves county roads and bridges \$30,000. Damage to Roswell streets and bridges \$50,000 to \$75,000.

Estimate of the damages were sent to Governor Tingley with request that a representative of the disaster loan corporation be sent to the Roswell area for an investigation.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Glasser have as their house guests for this week Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Allen and two children and Miss Lucy McCombs of Charleroi, Pennsylvania. Mrs. Allen and Miss McCombs are Mrs. Glasser's sisters. They will remain here for a week and then continue their trip on to the Yellowstone Park.

MAY BE DECLARED NATIONAL MONUMENT

Information from the office of Senator Dennis Chavez says that the old Lincoln county court house at Lincoln may be declared a national monument. The national park service at Washington has the project listed for study and investigation.

NOTICE TO ARTESIA

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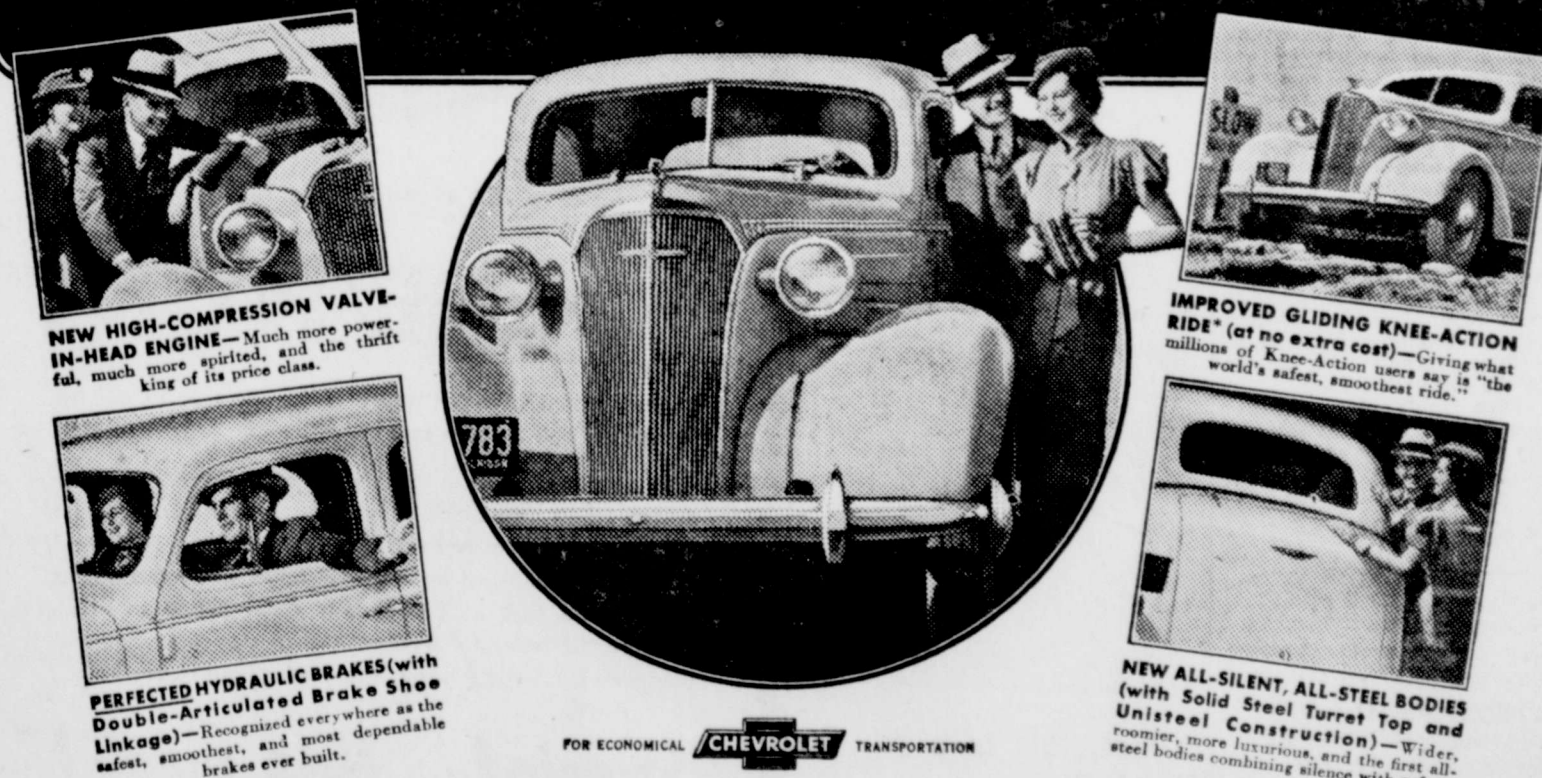
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Resettlement Project at Fort Sumner Was Started Last Week

AMARILLO, Texas, June 8th.—Materials for the construction of houses and other buildings on the twenty three units of the Fort Sumner unit of the New Mexico Farms Resettlement project were ordered last week, according to L. H. Hauter, regional director of the Resettlement Administration, with headquarters in Amarillo.

With the purchase of 1200 acres of land completed and with materials ordered, construction work is expected to begin early in June. Ralph R. Will, head of the resettlement division, said most of the construction work will be performed by local relief labor.

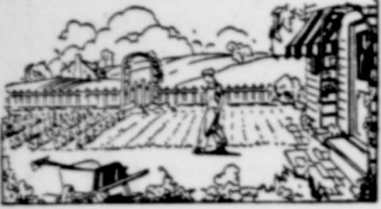
The infiltration type project lies southeast of Fort Sumner. Seven of the farm homes now standing on the Resettlement Administration's land will be remodeled. The administration will construct seven new homes. All new construction and remodeling work will be in line with the secretary of agriculture's low cost housing program.

Approximately one-half of the 1200 acres of land on the project is developed. The remainder is raw land and will immediately be cleared for cultivation. There are now seven farm families living on units leased from the administration. Selection of occupants for the completed units will be made after a careful study of all applicants. The study will include character, ability as irrigation type farmers and stability.

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Hints to Gardeners

by Harold Coulter
Plants Expert
Ferry Seed Institute



Care in Planting

PLANTING and the immediate preliminaries to planting demand care as the first step toward a successful garden.

Though soil may be rich, a gardener will have indifferent success if he does not prepare it thoroughly. The ground should be worked deeply and the top three or four inches should be made as fine and loose as possible. And the best time to whip the weed enemy is while the soil is being prepared, using rake and hoe.

A primary consideration in planting is to have the soil favorably moist, that is, damp but not wet. If circumstances demand that you plant when the ground is dry, moisten trenches or drills before dropping the seed, using enough water to wet the soil, but not enough to cause caking.

To retain moisture after planting, cover seeds with fine earth and press down firmly. In small gardens, the firming may be done by laying a board over the row and walking on it. Some have found it a back-saving practice to cover medium-sized seed by drawing a broom over the top of the rows, pulling the dirt onto the seed.

Consider temperature at the time of planting. Too high a temperature is often as detrimental to seed germination as one too low. Generally, a temperature between 65 and 75 degrees is most favorable.

Depth of planting is important and it varies, of course, with different seeds. Generally, seeds approximately the size of turnip seed should be covered not more than half an inch. Larger seeds, such as peas, beans and corn may be planted one to two and one-half inches deep.

Soil must be loose so that stems of seedlings can push through and roots will be able to find plant food. Fine seed must not be planted when the ground is wet. Where a heavy crust does form, however, it may sometimes be broken sufficiently to let seedlings through by gently pricking the soil with a rake.

There are times when weather conditions render it impossible for seedlings to survive. In such cases, replanting is the only recourse.

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Poultry Flocks Show Increase

Some interesting facts about the poultry industry in New Mexico are revealed in a special report just released by the bureau of census, says W. M. Ginn of the New Mexico State College. Of particular importance is an eleven percent increase in the number of farms reporting chickens in the mountain states, with New Mexico showing the largest increase of any state, or about thirty six percent. The number of small flocks, numbering less than fifty chickens, increased fifty two percent in New Mexico.

These figures indicate that New Mexico farmers recognize the importance of the farm flock, not only because of the improved nutrition of the farm family from including poultry and poultry products in the diet, but also on account of the regular income obtained from the sale of both eggs and chickens. This income, though often only a small amount, usually appears when other sources of income fail. A few hens act as job and weather insurance by supplying that extra money needed for necessities, when other farm enterprises fail.

A decided increase in the number of chickens on the larger poultry farms in New Mexico is also indicated. In 1930 there were thirteen flocks which contained more than 1,000 chickens; in 1935 there were sixteen such flocks.

Flocks showing the least increase or none at all, are the intermediate flocks, those containing from seventy five to two hundred chickens. Records gathered by the Extension Service have repeatedly shown that these middle sized flocks were the least profitable. Indications are that farmers are also observing this condition. The average poultryman can profitably produce from a small flock eggs for home use with a few to sell. However, if he expects to derive a large part of his income from his chickens, he should have a flock large enough that he will devote sufficient time and care to it. Flocks which are not given sufficient care are not apt to yield a profit; one good phase of poultry management is not effective if some poor practice makes the good one inoperative.

Assembly Opened—

(Continued from first page) adults, Miss S. Annie Ruth Johnson, representing the young people, and Miss Georgia Hill of Marfa, Texas, representing the Intermediates.

Nearly 150 people were gathered at the spot where the new building will be erected. The Young People of the New Mexico Conference have raised more than \$500.00 in cash to date for this new building, which is to contain a recreation hall and a chapel for the assembly. Work will begin at once on the building, and the foundation and the floor will be ready for the Young People's Assembly, which opens next Monday, June 14. More than 300 young people are expected to come together at Sacramento from the states of Colorado, New Mexico and Texas.

Social Security forms and systems.—The Advocate.



"Chief, this is a job for Big Jo!"

"That bird is right," spouted the Chief. "Big Jo materials will remodel this old shell and make it look good to the Duke of Windsor. It hardly pays me to hose around saving shacks . . . All I need to save is the basement."

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Conchas Dam to Form Lake Twenty Six Square Miles

CONCHAS, N. M.—The \$12,500,000 Conchas Dam, New Mexico's biggest project of the recovery era rises foot by foot on the Canadian river to herald the day when a lake twenty six square miles and 50,000 acres of irrigated fields will be an oasis in the dust-ravaged plains section.

With the concrete main dam, 1250 feet high and 220 feet long, as the hub, and a spillway, wing-dams, saddle dams and dikes stretching north and south, the complete structure will have an overall length of approximately four miles. It will hold back and store waters of the Conchas and Canadian rivers to a capacity of 600,000 acre feet.

From the dam it is hoped irrigation canals will carry water to nearby thousands of acres now uncultivated. A proposal seeking \$6,000,000 for this purpose is sponsored by the New Mexico congressional delegation.

Also it is planned that municipal water supplies for Tucumcari and Amarillo, Texas will be created by the dam.

Strategically the main dam nestles in a draw about a half mile east of the juncture of the two rivers.

In all but storage capacity the Conchas dam compares favorably with Elephant Butte dam, the state's largest reclamation project on the Rio Grande in southern New Mexico. Elephant Butte's storage capacity of 2,400,000 acre feet far exceeds that of Conchas Dam. But a total of 800,000 barrel of cement will be used in Conchas dam while Elephant Butte consumed only 600,000.

The project is yet less than half completed.

"Just as a dentist has to prepare a cavity for filling," said Capt. Hans Kramer, U. S. army engineer in charge of construction "so we had to prepare the foundation for the pouring of concrete the final phase of construction on the main dam."

His remarks, referring to the 19 preceding months of work, were made during a ceremony at which Gov. Clyde Tingley dumped a symbolic "first bucket" of concrete into the foundation thirty six feet below the river bottom.

Actually the first bucket of concrete was poured into the forms in February and before fall the huge

structure will take definite shape.

Started in 1935

Construction started in August, 1935 after President Franklin D. Roosevelt authorized the project under the emergency relief appropriations act. A year later it was made a part of the Mississippi flood control work under the war department. Plans call for completion by June, 1939.

The main dam and wing dams are under contract awarded to Bent Brothers and Griffith of Los Angeles, for \$4,587,676. This price does not include cement which is purchased by the government under separate contract. Sections of the spillway which is 3,000 feet long and dikes also will be constructed.

1,000 at Work
More than a thousand men work daily at the damsite, but more than a million dollars worth of machinery speeds the project at its present rapid pace.

There is a suction tank at Newlirk, nearest rail point, into which carloads of bulk cement are unloaded. A fleet of trucks carry the cement to a huge concrete mixing machine on the brink of the foundation for the main dam.

A 1,600-foot cableway shoots the mixed concrete in buckets to the foundation where it is dumped and spread at the rate of four cubic yards every 2 minutes. A 2 mile tramway supplies sand and gravel from the source of supply.

Right of way for the dam and reservoir were obtained mostly from the owners of the Bell ranch at a cost of \$165,000. Title will be in the name of the state of New Mexico.

Until the huge project started the site provided pasture for numerous herds of Bell ranch cattle.

A range rider who has kept a keen eye on Bell ranch stock for the last 20 years dropped into the Conchas Drug Store recently to opine: "Darned if I ever thought I'd get a malted milk in the middle of the south pasture."

Town of Conchas
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The third question: A driver wishes to average sixty miles an hour for two miles. He travels thirty miles an hour the first mile. How fast must he go the second mile? Answer: Instantaneous, since all his time has elapsed at the end of the first mile.

(There were no complete correct answers submitted.)

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