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## A SAD WEEK AND A SAD YEAR

The thought has occurred to us that this, the saddest week of the year, might have more significance to the average citizen of the United States this year than in normal seasons.

At the time of the Crucifixion, only a handful of people of the Holy Land were concerned, but the incident has come down through the ages with great meaning to untold peoples. And year by year its significance grows.

At this time, it seems only a handful—relatively speaking—of people of this land are concerned, but the incident of World War II and the current year will go down through the ages with great meaning to untold peoples. And year by year its significance will grow.

Democracy is being crucified at this time, and before the ultimate victory it may seem to have gone to the tomb.

But we believe that it too will have a day of resurrection, leading to life everlasting for those peoples who love life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

This cannot be accomplished, however, unless more of us are concerned and start to take the war seriously, for it is a serious thing, much more serious than the majority of people realize. The war is far from being won; it can be lost!

Buy more and more and more War Savings Stamps and Bonds; therein—and in a renewed faith—lie our salvation as a nation.

## THE EARLY DAYS OF THE ARTESIA COMMUNITY

From Dr. Ed Stone, one of the old-timers of Artesia, who started his thirty-fourth year here in March, we have received a letter, interesting in itself, but more interesting from the standpoint of things to come. He writes:

"My Dear Editor:  
 "Last year, at the close of my thirty-second year in Artesia it was suggested that I write some of the doings in Artesia thirty years ago and the changes since. But procrastination stole the show and now another year has passed and the thought again came to mind. But it is entirely too vast a subject for one man to do justice to, so I submit a list of old-timers and their activities or items of interest they can tell you of that happened thirty or more years ago. If I overlook some, it is purely because they do not come to my memory at this writing. So I suggest that you get any of them to give some of their 'I remember one time' stories, which will make interesting reading.

"For instance ask C. O. Brown about railroads . . . ask John Lowery about the first light plant in Artesia . . . ask C. E. Mann and G. R. Brainard about the hot city and school elections of that time . . . ask Frank Linell to show you the photo of his ball team, with Fred and Reed Brainard, Earl Bigler, Dr. J. J. Clarke and others on it . . . Mark Corbin about hardware and the jokes they used to play on newcomers . . . L. M. Friend about the saddle and harness work . . . O. R. Gable for inside pranks at Western College . . . Albert Blake about banking . . . G. U. McCrary about the law then (the judge and Mrs. McCrary took out the first marriage license in the Eddy County courthouse) . . . Judge Atkeson also about law.

"S. W. Gilbert about real estate . . . Rex Wheatley and Crowell Allen about the days when Joyce Pruitt had freighters with from four to ten-horse teams load out from their warehouse; teamsters put up at the wagon yard which by strange contrast was located where the Carper building now stands . . . ask Harry Carder about livery stables (also badge fights) . . . Tom Heflin or Gus Hoagland about buildings . . . ask Mrs. S. W. Turnkett about the early day of the sheep ranching . . . S. S. Ward and D. W. Runyan about the cattle biz; they should write a book . . . ask W. E. Ragsdale about his 5-10-and-up store . . . ask Sam Hale, Myron Bruning and the Gray Brothers about drilling wells; Sam can tell you lots of stories . . . ask Fred Spencer about the O. J. Adams band . . . ask Martin Yates, Jr., and William Dooley about the old Brown well, the well that wouldn't shut down or shut up . . . Drs. C. Russell and H. A. Stroup can tell you of interesting cases.

"Ask Earl Bigler to tell you of the days of the telephone, when the cattle rubbed the poles in two . . . George Henderson what did he do thirty years ago . . . ask Albert Richards to recall lots of things . . . ask Ernest McGonagill and Fred Spencer about the rodeos that were pulled off here every month or so; the rodeo and ball ground was located where the Bethlehem Steel Company is now . . . ask O. E. Nickey about the days he raised and peddled vegetables with his horse and wagon . . . ask William Kissingner about farming . . . Will Benson for early surveys . . . Ward Cave, D. E. Buckles, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hastie and some others who slip my memory just now could all contribute some items of interest.

"Farmers both north and south can tell you of the developments." All right, Dr. Stone, we will ask them, or as many of them as possible, and we will have some early Artesia history. But it will take a little time. First we must run them down, one by one, get their stories and then write them, or have them write the stories, before we can publish them.

In other words, in the near future we will start a series of stories about the early days here, gleaned from the men and women Dr. Stone has suggested. And we probably will be asking the doctor himself some questions. He can't get by with it by merely referring us to the others. After all, he has been here more than thirty-three years himself.

## IT ISN'T FAIR, WE TELL YOU

We read somewhere that there are about 80,000 kinds of insects in the United States, of which only 600, or less than eight in 1,000 are destructive.

Then why in thunder, we wonder, do they all have to congregate in our garden?

If you had no other possible way of knowing how the war was going you could get a good slant by just hearing which side is promoting more generals to field marshals.—Washington Evening Star.

Minor leagues are short of umpires because so many have gone to the armed services. It seems rather unspotting of these citizens

# KNOW YOUR NEIGHBOR

## BRAZIL'S OITICICA OIL

The Japanese push southward in the Pacific has menaced shipping lanes to the point where the importation of essential products from China has been seriously curtailed. Among them is tung oil, formerly believed indispensable as a fast-drying agent in paints and varnishes. We have been almost entirely dependent on China for supplies of tung oil.

But that colossal ally in the south, Brazil, a continent in itself, has come to the fore with oiticica oil, the oil with the odd name, believed by many to be superior to tung oil because of its better drying qualities and greater resistance to atmospheric conditions. It would seem that if man were to completely track Brazil's verdant lands he could find a substitute or replacement for almost any material.

Oiticica oil is extracted from the nut of the oiticica tree, found only along rich alluvial river banks, principally in the valleys of the states of Rio Grande do Norte and Ceara. The nut looks like a pecan, and from 50 to 70 percent of the kernel consists of oil.

Prior to 1935, the oil was scarcely known beyond the confines of Ceara, where the natives used it for making soap and as a substitute fuel for household lamps. Industry then became interested in its potentialities and investigations proved its worth as an ingredient of paints and varnishes. Tests showed that oiticica products dried to a firm surface more rapidly than those made with tung oil.

It is said that everything in the hog can be used except the squeal—Brazilians maintain that the entire oiticica tree can be utilized. Its wood has been used for construction and the leaves for livestock. And in addition to its use in paints and varnishes, the oil has been increasingly employed in moisture-proofing fiber boards, as a constituent of linoleum, shoe polish, floor wax and rubber base products. As an agent in anti-fouling paint, it helps keep barnacles and other marine growth from the bottom of boats. Oiticica cake, a byproduct, has been used as a fuel and as a fertilizer.

With such diversified uses, the oiticica closely rivals the palm as Nature's most fruitful tree. And its neighbors are apt to be palms. This is a fortunate arrangement, because the oiticica, of great height and distinctive shape, is easily recognized among the palms. It can be seen from a distance of a mile.

The oiticica matures in seven years and lives to be more than a hundred. Because it grows near river banks, it is impracticable to gather the nut. Entire families of caboccos, as the native farmers are called, collect the nuts from January to April and transport them by burro to nearby factories. In a peak year, the yield of the oiticica is very large—in Ceara alone, there are a million trees, yielding about 150,000 tons. The Brazilian government has taken steps to protect this new source of wealth. Heavy fines are levied for damaging or felling a tree. Not forgetting the transfer of rubber to the Far East and the loss of that valuable market, Brazil has strictly forbidden the exportation of oiticica seeds.

The oiticica industry is an essential one in wartime and will be equally valuable to Brazil and the continent in peace, since it is a product which is not competitive with any in this country. Experiments have shown that oiticica

can be used in conjunction with tung oil, to produce a superior product, so that the return of the Chinese tung market will not seriously affect the new Brazilian industry.

## HOPE THIS DOESN'T START SOMETHING

The faithfulness of a real Texan for his native state is well known to everyone who knocks elbows with the critters.

Tother day one of 'em in a crowd was discussing various songs about the Lone Star State, admitting that "Deep In the Heart of Texas" tops them all.

To which one of the other boys, obviously not a Longhorn, replied, "I guess the best Texas song is 'Take Me Back to New York.'"

An automobile pulled from a stream in the South was filled with fish. Personally we couldn't use so many, and prefer the old hook-and-line method as less awkward.—Christian Science Monitor.

## "Fore-sight!

Typhus, yellow fever, smallpox and scouring plagues—all these are dead or dying. Preventive Medicine, FORE-SIGHT, has won its war upon them. Little children now need never know diphtheria or scarlet fever. Immunization, painless and riskless, prevents most killing contagions.

But the physician needs you in his fight. Your foresight and his TOGETHER, by immunization and building of disease resistance, will hasten victory over pain and suffering.

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 Phone 1 Artesia, N. Mex.

## Filed for Record

### WARRANTY DEED—

Charles X. Gutzeit, Executor, to George E. Currier, lot 14, block 8, and lot 29, block 3, Morning-side Addition, Artesia, \$40.  
 D. W. Runyan to J. Basil Ramsey, lots 6 and 8, block 44, Artesia Improvement Co. Addition, Artesia, \$200.

George H. Buss to Florence Dooley, NE 1/4 Sec. 6-20-26, \$1,600.  
 Katherine Lee Smith et vir, by Laura L. Hinshaw, attorney in fact, to Fred M. Spencer, north 80-foot lots 1 and 3, block 8, Blair Addition, Artesia, \$10 and costs.

Katherine Lee Smith to Fred M. Spencer, north 80-foot lots 1 and 3, block 8, Blair Addition, Artesia, \$10 and costs.  
 Continental Oil Co. to Artesia Farmers Gin Co., lot 1 and 3, block 19, Blair Addition, Artesia, \$100.

Remedios Chaves et ux to R. C. Adams, lots 5 and 7, block 3, Artesia Heights, \$100 etc.

### DISTRICT COURT—

No. 8122. Dewey Stephens vs. Ruth Stevens, divorce.

No. 8123. Thelma DeRouen vs. Perre De Rouen, divorce.

No. 8124. A. R. (Bill) Connally vs. Potash Company of America, claim for compensation.

No. 8125. Homer J. Smith vs. U. S. Potash Co., claim for compensation.

No. 8126. Walter Amstutz vs. E. S. McKittrick Co., claim for compensation.

## Passenger Movement Four Times Greater Than World War I

During the first year of the present war the railroads transported 11,641,838 troops, including inductees, the Army Transportation Corps reports. A total of only 2,734,527 troops, including inductees, was handled in the first year of World War I.

Of the troops moved during the first year of the present war, the corps statement says, almost 60 per cent travelled on special trains. The railroads were called upon to provide 21,000 special trains, in which there were included 197,288 passenger cars and 79,443 baggage and freight cars. More than 55,000 open top cars were included in the special trains, reflecting the large numbers of trucks, tanks and heavy guns now included in the equipment of a military unit.

Elicio Lovato, senior in Costilla High School, was announced as the winner of a state-wide letter writing contest sponsored by the New Mexico Press Association and the Department of Agriculture War Board for New Mexico. A \$100 War Bond is to be awarded the Taos County youth, whose letter on food production and conservation was praised both for excellent ideas and coverage and "because of its personal and human touch." In the competition, Rowena Berkshire, sixth grade, Estancia, was second and will receive a \$50 War Bond, and Thelma Norton, Pipe Spring Junior High School, Datil, was third, winning a \$25 bond. Judges received eighty letters, which won places in county contests, open to all school children through high school. The letters, addressed to the secretary of agriculture, were on the subject "How Our Farm Is Increasing Food Production" or "How Our Home Is Conserving Foods."

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## Regulations on Slaughter and Sale of Meat

Fred A. Barham, Eddy County agent, this week called attention to the ten points covering the regulations of the Department of Agriculture for the slaughter and sale of meat. They are:

The farmer must have a slaughter permit in order to slaughter meat for sale.  
 He must place his permit number on each wholesale cut unless he sells his meat direct to the consumer, in which case a tag will do.  
 If he sells at wholesale, he should use the OPA wholesale point chart for the period in order to determine the number of points to collect.  
 If he sells at retail, he should use the OPA retail point chart to determine the number of points to collect.

For each month during which any sales are made, he must file with the local War Price and Rationing Board a prescribed report together with the points collected.  
 He must grade all beef, veal, lamb and mutton and place the grade on each wholesale cut.  
 He must comply with OPA ceiling prices.

Farm slaughters may grade their own meat without requesting grading service.  
 A statement of the chief specifications which determine each of the federal grades, can be obtained from the county agent or County USDA War Board.

Farmers who deliver fats, such as butter, lard, and cheese, covered by ration order 16 to others will collect ration points from the purchaser and turn them into local War Price and Rationing Board the same as he does when he delivers meat.

## Most Eddy County Farms Are Signed Up For 1943 War Goals

Roy Forehand, chairman of the Eddy County War Board, said 702 farms, representing 95 per cent of the cultivated acreage in the county, have been signed to war goals for 1943.

Forehand expected the grain sorghum goal of 15,500 acres to fall short about 2,000 acres. The bean goal of 12,000 acres and the potato goal of 10 acres have been met.  
 Tabulations on 1943 production will be completed this week and sent to the state USDA War Board office, which will decide any adjustments, Forehand said.

Records to date show the intended crop acreage in the county as follows: Beans, 1,512.5; potatoes, 50.6; grain sorghums, 12,914.4; alfalfa, 17,705.4; SXP cotton, 1,095.9; wheat, 88.6; acala cotton, 22,971.4; barley, 1,610.6; oats, 1,858.3; corn, 2,216.7; rye, 5; commercial vegetables, 173.2; sudan, 398; other hay crops, 145.7; summer fallow, 37.2; other crop use, 560.2; idle, 2,241.4; home garden, 578.9; commercial orchards, 11 acres.

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## Sands of Time

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO  
 (From The Advocate Files for April 19, 1928)

Construction on the main line from the Vandagriff gas well into town has been completed and workmen now are laying the city mains, which will be completed within the next two weeks.

Artesia High School again has been placed on the accredited list of the North Central Association of Colleges and secondary schools for the period ending March 16, 1929.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn and children visited the Maljamar camp Sunday.

Two and three-quarters inches of snow fell over this section starting Saturday morning, while the temperature dropped to 29 degrees. Fruit left by earlier freezes was not damaged to a great extent by the storm, which lasted two days.

Approximately 2,000 bales of cotton have been contracted for by farmers of this locality, with prices ranging from 16 to 20 cents a pound.

The Amuse U Bridge Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Leon Barker.

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**SOUTH BOUND**  
 CARLSBAD, EL PASO, PECOS, FT. WORTH, DALLAS, SAN ANTONIO

All Connections Direct  
 Leave Artesia 1:05 p. m.  
 Leave Artesia 7:55 p. m.  
 Leave Artesia 12:55 a. m.

**NORTH BOUND**  
 ROSWELL, AMARILLO, EL PASO, ALBUQUERQUE, SANTA FE, DENVER

All Connections Direct  
 Leave Artesia 8:52 a. m.  
 Leave Artesia 2:10 p. m.  
 Leave Artesia 6:37 p. m.

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 Santa Fe System  
 for the week ending  
 22,164, compared with  
 the same week in 1942  
 1963, compared with the  
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 moved were 36,127, and  
 32,715 for the same week.  
 A total of 33,652 cars  
 led in the preceding year.

The more bonds the  
**Artesia Lodge**  
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 Mrs. Fred  
 O. E. Montgo  
 Mrs. E. P.  
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**Super Cottonwood**  
(Mrs. D. A. Bradley)

Cottonwood Ladies' Aid Society held its regular April meeting last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Larry Kneoder. The absence of the devotional for the same was, Mrs. Fred Chambers, and O. B. Montgomery, the president. Mrs. E. P. Malone, opened the meeting, with the group singing "The Old Rugged Cross."

Mr. and Mrs. Malone, Mrs. I. Funk had charge of the program on the subject, "There Always Be Room in Men's Hearts for the Personality of Jesus Christ." Those taking part in the program were Mrs. Roy Inman, Mrs. Ralph Pearson, Mrs. O'Bannon, Mrs. Mayberry, Mrs. D. A. Bradley, Mrs. Edler, Mrs. Harold Green, Mrs. Gray and Miss Frances Pearson. During the business, Mayberry was added to the membership list. Dainty refreshments were served to fifteen persons. The May meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Funk.

The Arthur Chapter No. 24 of Eastern Star met for its regular meeting Saturday evening in Masonic building. They were glad to have as their guest Madie Crockett, district deputy of Hope. There was a practicing of the Lake Arthur Chapter Wednesday evening.

Mr. Benton Lamson came in on Saturday from McClellan, Calif., to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lamson, family for a few days. Pvt. Lamson, who recently underwent an amputation operation, is getting along nicely and thinks Army life fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard as their guest Saturday night Sunday, Pink McMorty, one of the guards at the internment camp at Roswell. Mr. McMorty Mr. Howard are old-time friends. McMorty's home is in Law, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Howard and son, Floyd, accompanied Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon and child, Mary Frances and G. W., accompanied the guest back to the camp Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Elliott had their guest several days last week. Mrs. Elliott's son, F. W. Elliott, and his wife and little girls, Myrtle, of Raton. The girls and Mrs. Elliott visited relatives in Carlsbad Friday and Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Mack and daughter left Sunday for their trip to Carlsbad.

Lesley Meadow was taken very ill and rushed to a hospital in Carlsbad Saturday by her parents. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bradley had their guest Wednesday night last week their daughter, Mrs. Phillips, and Mr. Phillips little daughters, Rita Kay and Ann, of Roswell. The little girls spent last Thursday with their grandparents, while their parents went to Carlsbad on business. They returned home Thursday night.

At a regular meeting of the Boy Scouts of America Monday there will be a ceremony for the Scouts who are giving their Tenderfoot badges. Parents and friends of the Boy Scouts are invited to attend this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Crockett of Pecos were guests Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moore of Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. Mabry, who have moved on the Roy Ingram farm on per Cottonwood for the last six months, left Saturday for Texas, where Mr. Mabry will be employed.

At the 11 o'clock services Sunday morning, the pastor, the Rev. M. Glasier, will preach a special Easter sermon. Everyone in the community is urged to come hear this special message. There will also be services at 8 o'clock in the evening. Persons planning to attend an Easter service somewhere else are invited to come to the Cottonwood Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Johnson are expecting their daughter, Helen, on the 25th for the Easter vacation. Mrs. Johnson is a sophomore at State College.

Mr. O'Bannon attended a business meeting at Carlsbad Saturday night.

"Grandmother" Nelson, who has been ill for several days is recovering and is able to be out of bed most of the time.

Brothers are building a new dance house on the gin near the Coleman house. Mr. Arch Horton will live in the house when it is finished.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chambers are expecting their daughter, Mrs. O'Bannon, and her little girls, on the 25th for the Easter vacation. Mrs. O'Bannon is a sophomore at State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Price are expecting their son, born at Artesia Hospital Friday. He weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces and baby doing well.

Mr. Walter Riggs and family, visited friends Sunday.

**Information About Family Allowances And Allotments Made by Servicemen**

In response to many requests for information as to family allowances and allotments made by servicemen on behalf of their families, or for other purposes, the Office of Dependency Benefits has issued an explanation of the benefits as administered for the Army by the ODB.

In question and answer form the most bothersome points are these:

**What is a family allowance?**  
A government check sent to the soldier's dependents regularly every month. The family allowance is made up of money set aside from his pay and money contributed by the government. It is granted only upon application. It is payable only to dependents eligible under the law. These include, primarily, wife and child (Class A relatives); dependent parents and minor dependent sisters and brothers (Class B dependents).

**How much is set aside from the soldier's pay?**  
It is \$22 a month, if the allowance is for Class A relatives only, or class B dependents only; \$27 a month, if it is for both Class A and Class B.

**How much will the soldier's dependents get?**  
Here are a few examples: Wife \$50, wife and child \$62, wife and 2 children \$72, father and mother only \$47, wife and parents \$80.

**How soon does a family allowance begin to be paid?**  
The allowance begins to accrue the month after he applies and is payable when that month has ended. For instance, if he applies in March, the allowance begins to accrue in April and is payable in May.

**Who may apply?**  
The soldier may apply as soon as he is on active duty. All enlisted men in the fourth, fifth or seventh grades may apply. Dependents may apply, too, but it is better for the soldier himself to do it. His wife or child (also a divorced wife to whom alimony is payable) may receive this benefit with or without his consent. But Class B dependents may receive it only if the soldier agrees.

**How is application made?**  
Application is made only on the official form WD, AGO 625. These forms are available at reception centers, recruiting stations, local chapters of the American Red Cross, Service Command headquarters, and the Office of Dependency Benefits.

**Is documentary proof of relationship and dependency required?**  
Yes, and soldiers and relatives should gather that proof before submitting applications and attach to application. Documentary evidence consists of certified copies of the public or church record of marriage and of the birth of the soldier's children; Two affidavits of dependency, sworn to by disinterested persons, for each Class B dependent named in application. Evidence must accompany any application filed by a relative or dependent of the soldier.

All Army men may authorize a Class E allotment from their pay for their dependents, for a civilian life-insurance premium, to a bank, for a savings or a check-account in the soldier's name or in the name of a dependent.

**What is a Class E allotment?**  
The Class E allotment is a voluntary allotment authorized by a man in the Army, by WAAC's, by Army nurses and by certain civilian employees of the War Department on duty outside the United States. The allotment is taken from the allotter's pay each month and sent to his dependents in the form of a government check. It may be in any amount the allotter wishes to authorize, provided (if he is an enlisted man) he leaves himself not less than \$10 a month. An officer may allot his entire pay and allowances.

**Who mails the checks?**  
The Office of Dependency Benefits, 213 Washington Street, Newark, N. J., administers Class E allotments as well as other soldier's benefits, and issues all checks.

**How soon will an allotment be paid?**  
An allotment is payable at the end of the month for which it is made. Check may be mailed during the next month. An allotment authorized to begin in January is payable in February.

**Can a soldier authorize an allotment and also apply for a family allowance?**  
Yes, if in the fourth, fifth, sixth, or seventh grades of the Army.

**Can he increase, decrease, or discontinue an allotment?**  
A soldier may do so at any time on the official form provided for this purpose.

**What is the difference between an allotment and a family allowance?**  
An allotment is a sum deducted entirely from the serviceman's own pay. A family allowance consists of a sum deducted from his pay, plus a sum contributed by the government, and is payable only to certain relatives or dependents.

**Celluloid Ration Book Holders for sale by The Artesia Advocate.**

**Brainard to Represent Roswell Production Credit at Meeting**

G. R. Brainard of Artesia will attend a special meeting of Production Credit Association directors of the state of New Mexico at Albuquerque May 3. He is a member of the board of directors of the Roswell Production Credit Association.

Ways and means of broadening the services of the Production Credit Associations to help meet the increasing demand for financing the war food production program will be the No. 1 item for discussion, Brainard said upon receiving notice of the conference.

Members of the Roswell Production Credit Association used \$1,750,000.00 credit in their farm and ranch operations last year according to Brainard, and credit requirements may be even greater in 1943 as producers strive to reach "Food for Freedom" goals.

The Roswell Association serves Eddy, Chaves, Lea and Lincoln Counties. In addition to Brainard, directors of the Roswell PCA are C. W. Beeman of Loving, E. O. Moore of Dexter, B. J. Bonnell of Glencoe and W. M. Snyder of Lovington.

Besides the Roswell PCA, the associations that will be represented at the Albuquerque meeting are Clovis, Las Cruces, Springer and Albuquerque.

Members of the New Mexico Legislature, its employees and guests and a good many of assorted others were guests of Warden John B. McManus and the state penitentiary at luncheon served in the Hall of Representatives Tuesday of last week. A staff from the prison kitchen served the big and appreciative crowd with smooth precision. The menu consisted of chili and frijoles, salt pork, pickles, relish, rolls and bread and butter, sweet rolls and coffee.

**Loco Hills Items**  
(Jeanne Barton)

Chuck Aston and Emmet Goodrich made a business trip to Santa Rosa Monday.

A. L. Jackson is confined to bed from a serious case of flu.

Miss Christine Wise entertained in her home Friday night with a slumber party. Her guests were Patsy Ranspot, Jeanne Barton and Lois Jackson.

Miss La Vern Rogers of Artesia spent Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rogers, and brother, Ronald.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Jackson and children of Artesia spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jackson and Lois.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Morgan and daughter, Charlene, returned home Saturday evening from a three-day business trip in Kermit, Tex. They also visited relatives.

Billy Rux of San Diego, Calif., is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Golden.

Howard Fanning of Coweta, Okla., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Melton. Mrs. Melton is the sister of Howard. He is a former resident of Loco Hills, and after a two-week visit here he plans to enter the U. S. Navy.

Carlsbad has been having trouble with school truants, and has arranged to remove one temptation for youngsters to skip a few classes. Carlsbad theaters have posted box office notices that no students will be admitted before 3:30 o'clock on school days.

Migrating butterflies that winter in Pacific Grove, California, are protected by city ordinance.

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**SAFEWAY Easter Food Guide**

Free Every Tuesday!  
This week's Julia Lee Wright article in the Family Circle magazine gives tempting ideas and recipes for an Easter dinner as well as hints on egg decorating. The Family Circle is free at Safeway.

**Easter Food Suggestions**

FRESH LOCAL Eggs . . . . .	Doz. 33c	Bell Isle Tuna . . . . .	30c
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**New egg dishes win taste-approval**

We recommend these tasteful offerings for any meal of the day. Eggs, you know, are good in place of meat, besides being rich in Vitamins A, B, E, and minerals.

**CRUMBS-SCRAMBLED EGGS**—Combine 1 cup bread crumbs with 1/2 cup of milk and allow to stand for 5 minutes. Mix well with 4 beaten eggs, season and scramble. And try baking this same egg-crumbs mixture in tomato cups. It's a delightful way to make 4 eggs take care of 6 appetites.

**COTTAGE CHEESE OMELET**—To a 4-egg omelet, add a cup of cottage cheese, beating it well into the egg-yolks. Prepare in the usual way and serve sizzling hot. It's delicious!

**SAFEWAY MEATS**

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**SAFEWAY PRODUCE**

Bananas . . . . .	Lb. 7c
New Potatoes . . . . .	Lb. 6c
Oranges . . . . .	Lb. 8c

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MRS. BENSON, I DON'T SAY THAT SHE'S THE ONE WHO'S WONDERING! BUT...

SAFEWAY SELLS PRODUCE BY WEIGHT AND I CAN BUY JUST THE QUANTITIES I NEED. NO WASTE OR LEFTOVERS. YOU GIRLS SHOULD BUY PRODUCE BY THE POUND.

WE'RE GOING TO—AND RIGHT NOW—WHILE IT'S EARLY IN THE WEEK!

# Society

## Miss Lujana Monschke and Cpl. John Simons Are Married Wednesday Eve

Miss Lujana Monschke, only daughter and child of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Monschke, and Cpl. John Simons, Jr., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Simons, both of Artesia were married at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday evening in a candlelight service at the First Baptist Church. The Rev. S. M. Morgan read the double ring ceremony before a large group of relatives and friend who filled the church.

The church was decorated with floor baskets of gladioli, snapdragons and calendulas. Bridal wreath was used around the candle lighted chancel rail. Mrs. Clyde Dungan, accompanied by Mrs. David Simons, a sister-in-law of the bridegroom, sang as prenuptial numbers, "I Love You Truly" and "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life."

The bride who was given in marriage by her father, was attired in an attractive pink crepe street-length model with black accessories and carried a bride's bouquet of white carnations.

Miss Irene Powell was bridesmaid, and Donald Simons, a brother of the bridegroom, was the best man. Miss Powell wore a black street frock, with light blue accessories, and carried an arm bouquet of pink carnations.

The gift from the bridegroom to his bride was a short string of pearls.

Both the bride and bridegroom are members of prominent families of the Artesia community. Mr. Monschke operates Luke's Garage located in the Myers building. Mr. Simons is in the grocery business.

Cpl. and Mrs. Simons were both members of the graduating class of '41. Mrs. Simons is employed in the office of Loco Hills Pressure Maintenance Association, Inc. She expects to remain here for the present time.

Cpl. Simons, who arrived home on a fifteen-day furlough Sunday, is stationed with a tank division at Fort Benning, Ga. He expects to return to Fort Benning when

## CALENDAR of Coming EVENTS

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### THURSDAY (TODAY)

Young Woman's Circle of the Methodist Society of Christian Service, Mrs. S. P. Yates, hostess, Mrs. Howard Stroup in charge of program, 2:30 p. m.

Young Woman's Guild of the First Christian Church, Mrs. John Collins, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

### MONDAY

Past Matron's Club, Mrs. P. V. Morris, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

Odd fellows and Rebekah's, joint meeting, program and games, cup cake night, lodge hall, 8:30 p. m.

### TUESDAY

The Order of the Eastern Star, regular meeting, lodge hall, 7:30 p. m.

### WEDNESDAY

Literature Division of the Artesia Woman's Club; program, "Our Own New Order," by Mrs. John Rowland and book review "Tap Root," Mrs. Albert Richards, at the clubhouse, 9:30 a. m.

his furlough is up.

Miss Drotha Stuart caught the bride's bouquet that was thrown as the couple left the church in a shower of rice.

A reception was held immediately after the wedding at the Monschke home for members of the wedding party and a few friends. A two-tiered wedding cake, decorated in the pink and white color scheme, was cut by the newlyweds. Mrs. C. R. Jones presided at the table and was assisted in serving by Miss Flora Coggin, Miss Drotha Stuart and Miss Frances Emmons.

The newlyweds left the same evening on a short honeymoon trip.

We're in it—let's win it!

## Engagement Of Miss Peggy Linell Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. William Linell have this week announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their elder daughter, Peggy, to Sgt. Kenneth Brodt of Rice Lake, Wis.

Saturday, May 8, has been set for the wedding date. The ceremony will be at the Methodist Church in Denver, Colo., at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Miss Linell, who graduated at Colorado Woman's College in Denver last May, has been employed in the civilian transportation department at Lowery Field since.

Born and reared in Artesia, she was an honor roll student in high school and edited both the high school paper and the college publication and has had some experience on one of the Denver dailies.

The prospective bridegroom, a sergeant in the United States Army, is now located at Lowery Field in Denver.

## Barbara Jean Martin Honored on Ninth Birthday Anniversary

Barbara Jean Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Martin, celebrated her ninth birthday, when she was honored at a party at the home of her parents last Thursday afternoon.

Several amusing games were played during the afternoon. Barbara was presented many nice gifts.

Cake, iced dessert and cocoa were served. Those present to share the occasion were Joann Walker, Corrine Aaron, Irma Hopp, Alice Ray Martin, Paula Shipp, Patsy Cobble, Carolyn Sperry, Myrna Henderson, Betty Gipson, Jane Collins, Nila Taylor and Margaret Amstutz.

H. G. Watson and Sam Sanders went to Santa Fe Sunday on business and returned home Monday night.

## Mrs. Hastings Is President Of Junior Club

Mrs. Wallace Hastings was elected president of the Junior Woman's Club at the annual election held at the clubhouse Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Hastings has been active in club work for more than two years and is known for her gracious manner and capabilities.

Elected to serve with Mrs. Hastings were: First vice president, Mrs. C. A. Meisinger; second vice president, Mrs. Phillip Kranz; secretary, Mrs. Andy Corbin, Jr.; treasurer, Mrs. Fletcher Collins; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Odis Holly; reporter, Mrs. R. O. Anderson; and parliamentarian, Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson. Mrs. Grady Booker, Mrs. Wallace Gates and Mrs. Fletcher Collins are the auditing committee.

Mrs. Hastings will succeed Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson who has served as president this last year. Under the leadership of Mrs. Roberson the Junior Club has had a full and eventful year.

Mrs. Phillip Kranz, delegate to the annual convention of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs, reported on the convention.

Mrs. Roberson, who was elected state president of the New Mexico Federation of Junior Women's Clubs at the annual election held in Clovis Friday, was honored at a tea after the program and was presented a beautiful corsage of red and white carnations. The lace-covered tea table was centered with iris and baby's breath in crystal.

A call meeting of the club was announced for May 5, the first Wednesday in May, to be held at the home of Mrs. S. P. Yates.

The annual Easter egg hunt, a project of the club in which hundreds of children have been entertained, will not be held this year and will be discontinued for the duration of the war, as there has been a national appeal this year to dispense with the egg hunts in order to conserve foods and materials found in dyes.

Friends of the Paul Otts family have received recent communication, which tells of Mr. Otts going to Macon, Ga., where he has been offered a better job in the jewelry profession. Mrs. Otts and children will remain in Montgomery, Ala., until school closes.

Community ALL OUT REVIVAL April 25th to May 9th for you and your home. 16-11c

## Mrs. Emmons Honored At Shower Tuesday

Mrs. Charles Emmons was honored at a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Glenn Sharp Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. Alvin Payne the co-hostess.

The house was decorated with a profusion of spring flowers. Mrs. Emmons was presented many nice and useful gifts.

Those present were Meses. George Conner, E. N. Bynum, Joe Lewis, Donnie Morris, John McCasland, R. S. Bynum, J. B. Cox, R. C. Journey, Carl Dangler, Saint Clair Emmons, A. Roberts, V. S. Holley, Ben Champion, Bus Colvin, Bill Ray and Leroy Boykins and Misses Jean Ray and Mary Emmons. A number of friends sent gifts who were unable to attend.

Refreshments of cookies and punch were served by the hostesses.

## Grand Officers To Visit The Artesia Chapter On May 3

Mrs. Madie Crockett, district deputy, made her official visit to the Artesia chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star at the regular meeting Tuesday evening of last week.

During the regular meeting reports on Grand Chapter, which was in Albuquerque March 18-20, were given.

Plans were made for the official visit of Mrs. Lottie Howell, worthy grand matron, and Dr. W. T. Neely, worthy grand patron, on May 3. A school of instruction will be held at 2 o'clock that afternoon at the lodge hall.

## Delta Kappa Gamma Celebrates Founders Day Saturday Evening

The Artesia chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma celebrated "Founders' Day" with a dinner at the home of Mrs. I. L. Spratt Saturday evening.

After the dinner, which was

served buffet style from a lace-covered dining room table, the birthday cake bearing three candles representing the years of the Xi chapter life, was cut by Miss Connie Chapman, president of the Delta Kappa Gamma chapter of Carlsbad.

The impressive "Founders' Day" ceremonial was the highlight of the program. As each of the living founders was honored, a red carnation was placed in a white vase. In memory of the only deceased founder, a white carnation was placed in the vase.

Guests from Carlsbad were Miss Chapman, Mrs. Estelle Pope Hayes and Miss Hazel Melas.

Members present were Miss Shelia Higgins, who was recently

initiated in the chapter; Miss Mary Woods, Merrill Bradley, Edna Kletke, Edna Drury and Alvin Erickson, and Meses. Leone French, Flora Thompson and Marguerite Bildstone and the hostess, Mrs. Spratt.

A social evening was enjoyed after the "Founders' Day" service.

First Lt. Carey Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson and his wife are expected to arrive Friday from Camp Young, Calif., on furlough, as Lt. Thompson is transferred to a new post.

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Artesia

Mrs. Ralph Roberson Elected State President of Junior Women's Clubs



Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., of Artesia was elected president of the New Mexico Federation of Junior Women's Clubs...

World" was the subject discussed by Dr. Floyd D. Golden, president of Eastern New Mexico College...

The convention theme was "Building for a Post-War World" and the keynote was "Work." The convention was addressed by many interesting speakers.

Mrs. Roberson, who was state parliamentarian last year, is also president of the Artesia Junior Club, which has accomplished many outstanding things under her leadership.

Others elected to serve with Mrs. Roberson for the ensuing year were: Vice president, Miss Thelma Keuhn, Clayton; secretary, Mrs. Otis Basham, Carlsbad; treasurer, Mrs. Lillian Wilson, Portales...

Major James Kelley of the history department of New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, told delegates, "We must fight to the finish this time. We must purge ourselves personally, that we may be worthy of victory."

Eleanor Wilson McAdoo, Los Angeles, regional advisor of the women's section for the sale of stamps and bonds, spoke at the banquet hour Thursday evening.

An interesting forum, "Women's Part in the Post-War World" was conducted by Mrs. Jefferson D. Atwood, Roswell, chairman of American citizenship of the General Federation of Women's Clubs...

Mrs. Helen Crandall, state home agent, State College, discussed the importance of the "Victory Garden" and the extreme importance of canning everything possible.

"Plane Crazy" Will Be Presented By Senior Class Friday Evening

"Plane Crazy" will be the three-act play to be presented by the senior class of the Artesia High School at the high school auditorium Friday evening.

THE CAST (In Order of Speaking)
Nelda Haleon, Anna, Eloise ("Honey Chile"), Miss Crump, Joe Callender (Muscles), Jimmy Haleon, Harold Petty (Putrid), Julie, Peggy Abbot, Chip Burke, Mrs. Petty, The Gang, Helen Watson, Florence Jenkins, C. B. Strebek, Mayne Sue Roberts, Boots Hancox, Albert Linell, Leroy Harmon, Clifton Perkins, Patsy Gormley, Meredith Martin, Allen Mills, Elsa Runyan, Nancy, Bernice Marie Baldwin, Dorothy McDonald, Betty Smith, Jack Rogers, Constance Welch, Cleo Powell, Howard Lewis, James Shira, Delpha Dixon

PRODUCTION
Director: Alma Sue Felix
Business Manager: Jack Rogers
Assistant Business Manager: Billie Sue Barnett
Stage Manager: Elsa Runyan
Sound Effects: Howard Lewis, James Shira
Stage Carpenter: Arthur Price
Bookholder: Howard Lewis
Properties: Grace Glasscock, Bonnie Fletcher

Executive Board and Husbands Entertained Monday Evening

Mrs. Earl Darst, Mrs. C. E. Lannon and Mrs. Nevil Muncy were hostesses, when they entertained members of the executive board of the Christian Woman's Council of the First Christian Church and their husbands at a party at the church Monday evening.

The Easter color scheme was carried out in decorations. Tables were centered with bouquets of flowers in pastel colors and flanked on either side with pink and green tapers.

After a four-course dinner, a large birthday cake was served. It carried out the white and pink color scheme and was topped with seven tapers, which represented seven members whose birthdays are during April.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Donnell, Mr. and Mrs. John Lanning, the Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blocker, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Darst and son, Leon; Mr. and Mrs. Nevil Muncy and daughter, Billie Jean; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lannon, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Richards, Miss Cora Rogers, Mrs. Harold Crozier and Mrs. J. W. Jones.

After a short business meeting, games were played.

Garden Club Meets City Hall Monday

The April meeting of the Garden Club was at the city hall Monday afternoon, with Mrs. J. W. Jones, president, presiding.

It was announced that the spring flower show which will be held at the Carper Terrace will be on Friday, May 14. The park committee reported that zinnias have been planted in the park.

Mrs. E. N. Bryan gave an interesting program, discussing "Garden Pests and Remedies." After the meeting the members toured flower gardens at the homes of Mrs. W. H. Ballard, where they saw lovely specimens of iris and the Cherokee rose; Mrs. Glenn Sharp, where the columbine and geraniums were outstanding in her garden, and Mrs. F. P. Brown, where both the American beauty and talisman roses were outstanding.

Seventeen members were present.

Hospital News

Two babies were born at the hospital during the week, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Price last Friday, named George Ray, weight 6 pounds 15 ounces, and a daughter to Pvt. and Mrs. Willard E. Morris, born early this morning, weight 6 pounds 10 1/2 ounces, named Arla Jean. Her father is stationed at Fort Dix, N. J.

Mrs. E. F. Balliew who had an appendectomy Monday returned to her home Wednesday.

Bob Younger, who was treated for several days for a badly crushed hand, has been dismissed.

Mrs. Dale Thomas, a medical patient, is doing very well.

Tonsillectomy cases on Tuesday were Pandora and Billy Johnson, Artesia, and Wilma Seely, Hope.

STORY HOUR MONDAY AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

"The Boy King and the Peacocks" will be the story to be told at the Children's Story Hour at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Presbyterian Church.

Story tellers will be Mrs. Fletcher Collins, Mrs. Sam Stewart and Mrs. Otis Bigelow. The story song will be by Mrs. Stewart.



The power and fury of the Army Air Forces was strengthened Wednesday, as hundreds of Uncle Sam's new fighting pilots, ready and eager to hit Hitler and Hirohito where they can feel it, were graduated from the AAF Gulf Coast Training Center's ten ad-



LT. LLOYD W. EVANS

vanced flying schools. Among the new pilots was Lloyd W. Evans, son of Mrs. L. P. Evans, who received his wings and lieutenant's bars at Ellington Field, Tex. Attending the graduation exercises from here were Lt. Evans' mother and his sisters, Miss Helen Jean Evans and Mrs. A. C. Sadler, and Mrs. Sadler's little daughter, Barbara Ellen. The graduating class at the various fields and schools of the Gulf Coast Training Center represented every state, as well as France, Canada, Hawaii, Puerto Rico and Alaska.

Lt. Leonard Spivey, a brother of Mrs. W. L. Vandever, of Artesia, a navigator has been transferred from Pyote Air Base, Pyote, Tex., to Pueblo, Colo., for his last phase of training.

John Hartsfield, son of Mrs. Floy Hartsfield of Gallup and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Floore of Artesia, will graduate at Moore Field, Mission, Tex., today and will be commissioned lieutenant.

His mother is in Mission for the graduating exercises and will have the privilege of presenting to her son his commission and that of pinning his wings on him. John has been in training since

last August. He expects to be sent immediately to another field for special combat training.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Truett

have received word from their son, Jess, Jr., who is stationed at the San Antonio classification center, that he was classified for pilot training Friday.

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Red Cross Activities

Nutrition certificates and pamphlets have been received for members of the nutrition class, which was taught by Miss Anna Howarth. Members are asked to call for them at the Red Cross office.

The local Red Cross chapter is badly in need of infant and baby clothes. Anyone having clothes to donate may take them to the office in the Artesia Hotel. They are urgently needed at once.

The home nursing class, which will be taught by Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, will meet at the high school at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening.

All those who have enrolled or who are interested are asked to be there at this time.

Every woman is urged to take the home nursing class while instructors are now available.

Crusader vs. invader—Buy War Bonds!

Dunagans Announce Marriage of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dunagan of Roswell have announced the marriage of their only daughter, Bernice, to Second Lieutenant Richard Kicks Senter, United States Army Air Corps, son of Mrs. M. M. Senter of Berkeley, Calif. The wedding was on April 12 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Koch in Dallas, Tex.

The bride, a niece of Mrs. George Dungan and a namesake of Mrs. Albert Richards, was born in Artesia, but reared in Roswell. She was considered an unusually beautiful and talented young woman, was valedictorian of her class of 1940 at Roswell High School, and an honor student at the University of Texas for the last three years.

The bridegroom, who was reared in California, attended San Francisco State College and is now stationed at Sedalia Army Air Base, Sedalia, Mo. The young couple will reside at Warrensburg, Mo.

Community ALL OUT REVIVAL April 25th to May 9th for you and your home. 16-11c

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Buy a share in Victory... Invest here in War Bonds and Stamps.

**OCOTILLO -- Sun.-Mon.-Tues., April 25-26-27--Pre-Vue Sat. at 11:00**

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 eighth day of April A. D. 1943 at 3:15 p. m.

**CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION**

of  
The ARTESIA PROPERTIES CO., INC., N. S. L., a corporation organized under the laws of New Mexico; and a duly executed consent in writing that said corporation be dissolved; and 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 J. W. Berry.

(SEAL) (16934)

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 eighth day of April A. D. 1943.

DON R. CASADOS,  
Acting Chairman.

Attest:  
J. J. ROMERO,  
Clerk. 16-2t-17

Thirteen billion dollars — the goal of the Second War Loan drive of the Treasury Department — is the sum Americans spent for new automobiles in the five years from 1937 to 1941 inclusive.

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Artesia Growers

**Pix Rhapsody**

By Mary Jane

Presenting a vivid picture of what a Hitler victory would mean to an enslaved world, "Hitler's Children" features Tim Holt, Bonita Granville and Kent Smith in a daring, highly dramatic and thought-provoking expose, the basis of which is an epic love story, menaced by official frustration and climaxed with a double tragic sacrifice, which will be shown at the Valley Theater May 2, 3 and 4.

The unusual film is based on the sensational best-seller, "Education for Death," by Gregor Ziemer, who for ten years headed the American Colony School in Berlin, saw the insidious growth of Nazi teachings among Germany's young people and came to the United States to tell what he saw.

Kent Smith portrays Ziemer's own schoolmaster part in the picture, with Holt as a young German-American who succumbs to the Nazi beliefs and Miss Granville as Smith's pupil, who later becomes his assistant, only to be sent to a labor camp because of her German parentage.

Attempting to find the girl and get her out of the country, Smith runs into the opposition of Holt, who as a Gestapo officer is trying to conceal his basic affection for Miss Granville under the stern cloak of what he believes to be his duty to the state. Inwardly both young people are rebels against the Nazi doctrines, but outwardly they hide their feelings from one another until a crisis arises that forces Holt to punish the girl.

Then he too goes berserk and makes a futile but courageous attempt to set her free, knowing full well what the inevitable consequences will be. The ensuing climax, with both young people endeavoring to enlighten their contemporaries on their "education for death," is said to constitute one of the most graphic film scenes of recent years.

**WILL CLASSIFY SERVICE MEN FOR AFTER WAR**

New Mexico service men, Gov. John J. Dempsey reported, may be catalogued according to their education and work experience so that post-war planning of the State Planning Board can be facilitated.

"The board needs to know exactly what type of work each service man can do," the governor said, in announcing such a survey was under consideration. Jobs, he stressed, will be the planning board's goal for returning servicemen.

**Wire Is Freed of Rationing Priorities Control by the WPB**

In a move which will benefit farmers, ranchers and "Victory Gardeners," the War Production Board has freed wire and wire products, such as fencing, of rationing and priorities control, Leslie A. Miller, regional WPB director, announced.

The action covers barbed wire, poultry netting, hog fencing and all other wire products normally used on farms and ranches. Any person now can purchase up to \$10 worth of these products without a preference rating or a rationing certificate from his county Department of Agriculture War Board.

In addition, any dealer may sell to one buyer up to 4,000 pounds of these products in any one calendar quarter, provided the buyer certifies his purchases from all sources in the quarter will not exceed 4,000 pounds.

Exportation of thoroughbred mares from Argentina has been prohibited to preserve the quality of horses for the Army, the Department of Commerce says.

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

IN THE MATTER OF )  
THE LAST WILL )  
AND TESTAMENT )  
AND ESTATE OF ) No. 1046  
CHARLES S. )  
HOFFMAN, )  
Deceased. )

**NOTICE OF HEARING OF FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT AND PETITION FOR ADJUDICATION OF HEIRSHIP, AND DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS OF SAID ESTATE AND DISCHARGE OF EXECUTOR.**

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO To: Kate G. Hoffman, Vernonia, Oregon; Robert M. Hoffman, 560 Walnut Ave., Waynesboro, Virginia; Charles S. Hoffman, Jr., 5102 Quilford Ave., Indianapolis, Indiana; Katherine Hoffman, Monmouth, Oregon; and Alice Hoffman, Vernonia, Oregon; and the unknown heirs of Charles S. Hoffman, Deceased; Greeting:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that G. U. McCrary, Ancillary Executor of the Last Will and Testament and Estate of Charles S. Hoffman, Deceased, has filed his final account and report in the above entitled and numbered matter with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, and the Judge of said Probate Court has fixed the 26 day of May, 1943, at the hour of 2 p. m., in the office of said Probate Judge at Carls-

bad, Eddy County, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for the hearing of objections, if any, to said final report, and said Probate Judge will at said time and place proceed to examine and inquire into said final account and report and if found correct, approve the same and discharge said ancillary executor, and will also at the same time and place determine the ownership of said Estate and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof as provided by said last will and testament. That anyone who has any objections to the approval of said final account and report shall file the same with the County Clerk of said County on or before said date of final hearing.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of said Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on this 6th day of April, 1943.

(SEAL) R. A. WILCOX,  
County Clerk.  
14-4t-17

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

No. 8120

**NOTICE OF SUIT**

HOWARD R. STROUP, Plaintiff, Versus THE UNKNOWN HEIRS of Jacob Kissinger, deceased, impleaded with the following named defendants, against whom substituted service is here-by sought to be obtained, to-wit: The unknown heirs of Jacob Kissinger, deceased, if living, and if dead, their unknown heirs; and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, Defendants.

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Each of the Above Named

Defendants: GREETING: You, and each of you, are hereby notified that the plaintiff has filed his Complaint against you in the above entitled and numbered cause in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein plaintiff seeks to quiet title against the claims of the defendants named and referred to in the above entitled and numbered cause, to the following described real estate situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

The South Half of the Southwest Quarter (S½SW¼) of Section Four (4), Township Seventeen (17) South, Range Twenty-Six (26) East, N. M. P. M. and plaintiff prays that plaintiff's estate in and to the above described premises be established against the adverse claims of the defendants and each of them, and any and all persons claiming by, through, or under them, be barred and forever estopped from having or claiming any lien upon, or any right, title, or interest in or to the above described premises adverse to the plaintiff, and that plaintiff's right thereto be forever quieted and set at rest.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that unless you enter, or cause to be entered, your appearance in the above entitled and numbered cause, on or before the 20th day of May, 1943, judgment will be rendered against you in said cause by default.

Plaintiff's attorney is Ray C. Cowan, whose office and post office address is 321 Carper Building, Artesia, New Mexico.

WITNESS My hand and the seal of this Court, this 6th day of April, 1943.

ETHEL M. HIGHSMITH,  
Clerk of the District Court  
Eddy County, New Mexico.  
(SEAL) 14-4t-17

Lady: "I want to see some kid gloves for my 8-year-old daughter, please."

Clerk: "Yes, madam, white kid?"

Lady: "Sir!"

**Travel is Difficult. Hotels are Crowded. This is War!**

The war won't last forever—and we're going to win it, too! When that time comes, all the American people's pent-up yearning to travel will find an outlet. Regular business travel will also reach new "highs" as American industry and commerce readjust themselves. The HILTON HOTELS will be ready to serve you then—graciously and delightfully!

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**BANKS AND THE WAR**

After We Win...

What will the new world be like? There will be sweeping changes, beyond doubt. But some things will not change. There will still be homes, and families, and dreams. People will marry, children will go to college, men and women will engage in business. And there will still be banks—ours and many others—here to help people do these things, to safeguard the funds of the thrifty, to lend to the worthy, to give helpful advice and counsel to all who seek it. Let's all work together for speedy Victory and hasten the day when peace and plenty will be with us again.

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**America's Food Emergency**

**A Statement by Santa Fe**

United States facing most critical "crop year" in its history.

During the coming months, the need for more food may be greater than the need for more guns, tanks and planes.

Serving, as it does, "the breadbasket of America," the livestock and meat industry, and the great fruit and vegetable areas of California and the Southwest, Santa Fe pledges its all-out effort in the production and mobilization of food.

**What Santa Fe Is Doing**

Santa Fe employs are planting Victory Gardens along their railroad's 13,199 miles of right-of-way.

Everything that rolls on the Santa Fe is being kept in fighting trim.

Old cars with good running gear are being rebuilt into sleek new gondolas.

Many Santa Fe refrigerator cars that used to go back "dead-head" now hurry back loaded with other freight.

**They're On The Job, Too!**

For years the Agricultural Development Department of Santa Fe has cooperated with growers all along the line, for greater production per acre, through better seeds and better cultural methods. For example:

The people of the middle Rio Grande know how the desert has been converted into paying crops.

The folks in Blue Water Valley of western New Mexico know how the production of vegetables has increased from 86 to 1076 carloads in the past three years.

The potato growers of Kern County, California, know how Santa Fe cooperated in stamping out ring rot and blight.

This year, the people in the Texas Panhandle are bringing in their first harvest of waxy kafir which promises to produce the starch for tapioca and other important products that formerly came from the cassava roots of Java.

In the present national food emergency, these people of Santa Fe's Agricultural Development Department are working harder than ever, doing everything they can to help food growers all along the line.

Cars are few and hours are precious. Every hour a freight car stands idle holds back food or other vital war freight from folks who need it. Every unused cubic foot squanders vital space.

The supply experts of the Army and Navy, the ODT, and the Interstate Commerce Commission Bureau of Service are all focusing on this problem.

**How Shippers Are Helping**

Shippers are helping and can continue to help (1) by maximum loading; (2) by quicker loading; (3) by quicker unloading.

More than 57,000 Santa Fe folks join with the farmers, the livestock producers, the shippers, and the consumers of all America to help meet the greatest food crisis our nation has ever faced.

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**Warning Warns of Danger of Acid Cars From Slow Wartime Driving**

Motorists are warned that the duration of the war will have to divert from peacetime production they can turn out new automobiles. Consequently it is the motorist's duty to take the best care of the cars they own.

War conditions of slow driving and less frequent driving old danger threatens to do more damage. It has always been known that cold engines, not warmed up to their operating temperature, are responsible for 80 percent of the wear on an engine.

Friction, as is generally understood, is caused by the contact of parts by the action of the driver does not know about the danger of acid and corrosion, its effects, and the best of prevention. Most of all, he does not know how and why the operating problem suddenly more dangerous he patriotically reduces speed and cuts down his driving.

Lincoln went on to say that the condition and its dangers are responsible for Continental Oil's current advertising campaign to prolong the life of America's automobiles by warning motorists.

Continental's advertisement in this series, featuring the danger of acid, appears in the issue of The Advocate.

Industrial production in the United States during the fiscal year 1943 will double that of 1935-39, says the Federal Reserve Board.

**ALL OUT REVIVAL**—to Mother's Day at church around the corner. 16-17c

**New Seed Program In State for Cotton Growers**

A new seed improvement program is under way in New Mexico which will assist the New Mexico Crop Improvement Association in further intensifying the improvement work it has been engaged in for several years in increasing and distributing superior strains of cotton which have been developed especially for the cotton growing areas of New Mexico. The important part of this program is that payments will be made to farmers who plant recommended strains of certified or registered seed.

Payments will be made on the amount of seed planted. Two classes of seed have been designated and payments will be made accordingly. Class A is foundation seed and registered seed which will be used by Crop Improvement Association members to produce registered and certified seed for 1944. Growers planting this Class A seed will be paid at the rate of \$2.25 per 100 pounds for the amount of seed planted.

Class B seed is certified seed and also includes that portion of registered seed planted by farmers with no intention of producing planting seed. Payment on this seed will be \$1.10 per 100 pounds for the amount of seed planted.

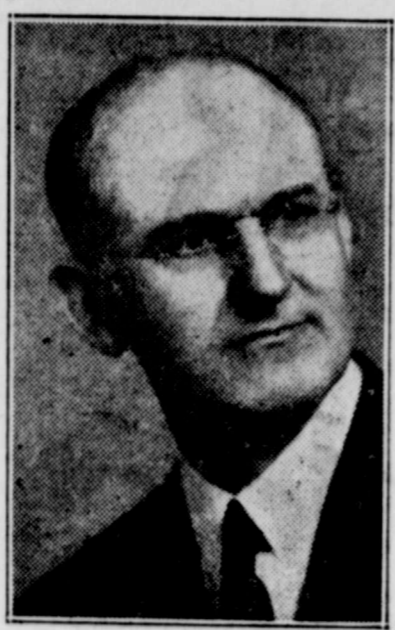
This cotton improvement planting seed program is designed to promote the planting of a single strain of cotton, in certain designated areas, as recommended by a State technical committee. Other states participating in the program are Texas, Tennessee, Florida and Oklahoma.

New Mexico has been divided into two zones—the east side, consisting of Eddy, Chaves and Roosevelt Counties, and the west side, consisting of Dona Ana, Sierra, Luna, Hidalgo and Otero Counties. The strains of cotton recommended for the east side are Acala 2815 and 1064 (37-A). Acala 1517 is recommended for the west side.

Any New Mexico farmer planting the recommended seed is eligible to participate in the program. Eligible farmers will be contacted in the near future.

Saying, "No," is never a virtue when it comes to buying more War Stamps and Bonds.

**AT BAPTIST REVIVAL**



DR. MCKINLEY NORMAN

Dr. McKinley Norman of Dallas, Tex., Baptist state evangelist, will conduct the "All-Out Revival" effort in the First Baptist Church April 25 to May 9. Dr. Norman is well known to New Mexico Baptists and the people of Artesia. He was pastor of the First Baptist Church of Roswell in 1939 and 1940. Since that time he has been devoting his time to evangelistic work in Texas and has led in more than sixty successful campaigns.

The Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor said, "Dr. Norman comes to us fresh from some of the greatest revivals ever experienced in Texas. Our community needs stirring in a religious way. With every church cooperating in the 'All-Out Revival' the businessmen's prayer meeting and the community prayer meetings, it is expected that Artesia will experience an 'All-Out Revival.'"

A recent survey reveals that two out of every three persons in Artesia are not affiliated with any church. "While this campaign is not an effort at 'Just Church membership,' but is an effort at real Christian living, we trust that people will line up with the churches of their choice," the pastor said.

"Three things need to be done religiously in Artesia and it is the purpose of this cooperative effort to bring them about: We need a demonstration of the steady and transforming power of Christianity; a demonstration of the practical outcome of a life of prayer, and an opportunity to show the world what Christianity can do."

Dr. Norman began his ministry as a boy preacher in college and all his work has been marked with

**Army Looking For Skilled Men In Engineers**

Skilled workers looking to their chances for Army service have only one possibility left to volunteer for assignments in which they can use their special abilities, said Col. Lyle Rosenberg of the Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, at Albuquerque.

"The Engineers are admitting 161 such skilled men this month in this area, and there are still plenty of vacancies," the colonel said.

Volunteers in this territory may apply to Capt. George W. Phillips, C. E., area engineer, Carlsbad Airfield, Carlsbad.

The men must be between the ages of 18 and 50 years, inclusive, but those who have received final notices of induction into the armed forces cannot be accepted as volunteers, Col. Rosenberg pointed out.

Skilled workers sought include automobile mechanics, blast men and powder men, bridge builders, construction carpenters and foremen, electricians, operating engineers, machine shop foremen, utility repairmen, quarry men, radio operators, receiving or shipping clerks, riggers, tool room keepers, tractor drivers, truck drivers, water supply foremen, combination welders, motor boat operators, tractor mechanics, jackhammer operators, power earth auger drivers, highway construction machine operators, fire fighters, marine divers, oxygen plant operators, and motor transport men.

"The volunteers will be trained at Camp Claiborne, La., Jefferson Barracks, Mo., or Fort Leonard Wood, Mo."

During his Durant, Oklahoma, ministry of two years, 460 people united with the church, one-half of them for baptism. He was called out of this pastorate to serve on the staff of evangelists of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, when Dr. Ellis A. Fuller, now president of Southern Baptist Theological Seminary of Louisville, Ky., was superintendent. His last year as a pastor was spent in the First Church of Roswell. During that year, which was designated as "Southern Baptist Revival Year," 302 people united with the church, 152 by baptism. He resigned his work to begin as an evangelist of the Texas General Convention in March, 1940, and his gifts have been widely employed since.

**METHODIST EVANGELIST**



DR. T. EDGAR NEAL

The Rev. T. Edgar Neal, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Vernon, Tex., will assist the pastor and congregation of the First Methodist Church during the revival from Easter to Mother's Day.

Dr. Neal will arrive in time for the Monday evening service, and will preach at 10 o'clock each evening morning and 8 o'clock each evening, the next two weeks. He recently closed a five-year pastorate of one of the great churches of Fort Worth, Tex., and six years prior to that time was district superintendent of the Georgetown and Cisco districts.

In addition to being a great pastor and church executive, Dr. Neal is said to be an unusual Evangelist.

If you do not attend one of the other services being held at the other churches, the Methodist pastor invites you to hear the Rev. Dr. Neal.

**Come to the ALL OUT REVIVAL**—Easter to Mother's Day at the church around the corner. 16-17c

Office Equipment—The Advocate.

**Lower Cottonwood**  
(Ora Buck)

Mrs. Wayne Norris and children and Miss Dorothy Norris visited Mrs. Norris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Norris, at Hagerman Sunday afternoon.

Miss Viola Lamb, who was confined to her home here from mumps, has recovered and is out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hobbs and baby daughter left Sunday afternoon for Carlsbad, where Mrs. Hobbs will be near a doctor. She was quite ill Friday from a heart disease.

Mrs. Dayton Reser and Mrs. Jimmie Buck accompanied Mrs. John Buck to Roswell Monday where Mrs. Buck went to see her physician.

Cottonwood School has planned an Easter egg hunt for Friday afternoon. Each child is asked to take four dyed eggs to school Friday morning.

Noah Buck, AAA committeeman, was in Carlsbad Tuesday as a business visitor and attended a meeting of the AAA, when a new committeeman was appointed to replace C. F. Beeman, who recently resigned.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lamon of this place received word last week that their son, Benton Lamon, who is in training in California, had undergone an appendicitis operation and was doing fine. He expects to get a furlough soon. Mr. and Mrs. Lamon also received a letter from Aubry, who has been in Australia for several months, that he has been sent somewhere in New Guinea.

The Mabry family, who lived on the Roy Ingram place, left for Texas Tuesday of last week to make their home.

Mrs. John Buck, who underwent a sinus operation in Roswell recently, was brought home Tuesday of last week and is doing nicely at present.

Sgt. Martha Merritt of Lake Arthur has the honor of being the first Chaves County girl to enter the WAAC, enlisting last September while visiting in San Antonio, Tex. Miss Merritt, now stationed at Boston, expects to be home on

furlough May 3. She finished training last December at Des Moines, Iowa, and has been on active duty in Boston since January 1. She is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Merritt. Martha grew up at Lake Arthur. After her graduation from Lake Arthur High School, she attended Eastern New Mexico College at Portales for three years and then taught at Ripple School in the northeastern part of Chaves County.

Miss Viola Lamb, who has been employed in Carlsbad, has returned to her home here. She plans to stay and keep house for her father, J. Lamb, and family.

Mrs. P. O. Adames and Mrs. Joe Davis of Childress, Tex., returned to their home last week after a three-day visit with their sister, Mrs. John Buck, and other relatives here.

Miss Bertha Mae Hobbs of Carlsbad spent Sunday visiting her father, Wesley Hobbs, and Mrs. Hobbs of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rogers and daughter, Mrs. Clarence Roberts, Jr., of Carlsbad visited Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hobbs here and friends in Artesia Sunday.

Mrs. Arch Horton, who lives near the county line, is assisting Miss Dorothy Norris in the Norris & Taylor Store on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays.

**BOOKLET TELLS HOW TO PROTECT 'VICTORY GARDENS'**—"Victory Gardeners!" If rabbits get in your lettuce patch—and in your hair—count to ten. Then write to the Fish and Wildlife Service, U. S. Department of the Interior, at Chicago, and ask for leaflet No. 236. It's free.

Entitled "Protecting Victory Gardens From Animal Pests," the booklet tells how to prevent rabbits from making a meal of tender, growing vegetables without, in turn, making a meal from the rabbit.

It's all right nowadays to classify members of the family who live more than three miles away as "distant relatives."—Gallup Independent.

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### City Is Zoned For Cottage Prayer Meetings

The city has been divided into fourteen zones for the cottage union prayer meetings to start Monday, in connection with the simultaneous revival by member churches of the Artesia Ministerial Alliance, which will run from Easter to Mother's Day, May 9.

The cottage prayer meetings will be held from 10 to 10:20 o'clock each weekday morning, except Saturdays, during the entire revival period. Similar meetings for business men will be held in the business district from 9:30 to 9:50 o'clock.

The zones, as defined by the cooperating pastors, and the meeting places for the first-day cottage services Monday were announced this morning. Further meeting places will be announced daily at the member churches, which are the First Christian Church, First Methodist Church, First Baptist Church, First Presbyterian Church and Church of the Nazarene.

Limits of the zones and the meeting places therein Monday:

Zone No. 1—North of East Main Street to city limits and east of highway to city limits; home of Mrs. John McElhaney, next door to Ralph Pitt Transportation Company.

No. 2—South of East Main to city limits and east of highway to city limits; home of Mrs. E. R. Ireton, 301 East Quay.

No. 3—North of West Main to city limits and west of highway to North Fifth; home of Mrs. Jessie Crouch.

No. 4—North of West Main to city limits and west of North Fifth to North Ninth; home of Mrs. Hugh Kiddy, 105 North Sixth.

No. 5—North of West Main to city limits and west of North Ninth to city limits; home of Mrs. J. W. Webb, 910 West Main.

No. 6—South of West Main to north side of Missouri and west of highway to Roselawn; home of Mrs. J. A. Fairley, 201 West Richardson.

No. 7—South of West Main to north side of Missouri and west from Roselawn to South Fifth; home of Mrs. S. W. Gilbert, 405 W. Richardson.

No. 8—South of Main to north side of Missouri and west from South Fifth to South Ninth; home of the Misses Emma and Eleanor Clark, 811 Quay.

No. 9—South of Main to north side of Missouri and west from South Ninth to city limits; home of Mrs. E. A. Hannah, 903 Quay.

No. 10—South of Missouri to Centre and west from highway to Roselawn; home of Morrison Livingston, 307 Dallas.

No. 11—South of Missouri to Centre and west from Roselawn to South Fifth; home of Mrs. A. W. Boyce, 502 South Fourth; the V. L. Gates residence.

No. 12—South of Missouri to city limits and west from South Fifth to South Ninth; home of Mrs. E. A. Paton, 511 Dallas.

No. 13—South of Missouri to city limits and west from South Ninth to city limits; home of Mrs. S. B. Wilson, 901 Washington.

No. 14—South of Centre to city limits and west from highway to South Fourth; home of Mrs. D. N. Walter, 920 South Second.

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Take your change in War Stamps every time you shop.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

613 W. Main  
 Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
 Sunday service, 11 a. m.  
 Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.  
 "Probation after Death" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 25.

The Golden Text is: "God will redeem my soul from the power of the grave; for he shall receive me." (Ps. 49:15)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Blessed is the man that endureth temptation: for when he is tried, he shall receive the crown of life, which the Lord hath promised to them that love him." (James 1:12)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "In the midst of imperfection, perfection is seen and acknowledged only by degrees. The ages must slowly work up to perfection. How long it will be before we arrive at the demonstration of scientific being, no man knoweth,—not even the son but the Father; but the false claim of error continues its delusions until the goal of goodness is assiduously earned and won." Visitors always welcome.

### ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Tenth and Missouri  
 Franciscan Fathers in charge.  
 Mass Sundays, 8 a. m., English sermon.  
 Mass weekdays, at Artesia Memorial Hospital, 6:15 a. m.  
 Lenten devotions, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

### OUR LADY OF GRACE CHURCH

Mass Sundays, 10 a. m., Spanish sermon.  
 Lenten devotions Friday, 7 p. m.

### SHERMAN MEMORIAL CHURCH

(Oilfield Community)  
 Sunday school at 10 o'clock.  
 Prayer meeting and choir practice, 7 o'clock Wednesday evening.  
 Mrs. G. W. Walker, Superintendent.

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Fifth and Quay  
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
 Church services, 11 a. m.  
 N. Y. P. S., 7 p. m.  
 Mid-week prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.  
 Cottage prayer meeting, Friday, 8 p. m.  
 Worship with us.  
 Lonnie Voorhies, Pastor.

### VIDAL WARNS WAR BONDS ARE NON-TRANSFERABLE

S. P. Vidal, state administrator of the War Savings Staff, U. S. Treasury Department suggests that business men beware of unidentified persons offering to purchase War Bonds with checks. "Racketeers may try to use bonds as security for loans. Funds should not be advanced, as War Bonds are not negotiable securities. Ownership is non-transferable except through the U. S. Treasury Department. Bonds offered for sale at less than the paid in value or offered as collateral on loans may be lost or stolen."

Mrs. Frank Tigner, who recently moved to Abilene, Tex., and who fell and broke a leg shortly after moving there, is reported to be doing nicely. Her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Miller Carr, formerly of Los Angeles, is with her.

Mexican Indians built adobe structures of six or seven stories in ancient times.

# EASTER SERVICES

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

This service will begin promptly at 10:50 a. m.  
 (Upon entering the Sanctuary, let the people kneel or bow in silent Prayer for the Cause of Christ among all nations and races)

THE PRELUDE (The people in Prayer or Meditation)  
 HYMN: Christ the Lord is Rising today, Alleluja!  
 CALL TO WORSHIP, by the Pastor.  
 BAPTISM OF INFANTS AND SMALL CHILDREN.  
 PRAYER (In unison by Pastor and People, closing with the Lord's Prayer)  
 THE ANTHEM: "CALVARY," by Rodney, The Choir.  
 Responsive Scripture.  
 THE GLORIA PATRI.  
 OFFERTORY: Violin Solo—Selected—Miss Helen Welles.  
 PRESENTATION OF EASTER OFFERING FOR WORLD SERVICE.  
 EASTER SERMON: "ALIVE FOREVER MORE," Pastor.  
 BLESSING and CHORAL RESPONSE by the Choir.

### "VICTORY"

Easter cantata, by Henry Wil-demere, presented by Artesia Methodist Church choir, 8 o'clock Sunday evening, April 25.  
 Prelude, "Largo," Handel, Mrs. D. M. Schneberg.  
 Devotional, Rev. C. A. Clark.  
 VICTORY  
 1. "From Gethsemane to Calvary," choir. Solos, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. M. A. Mapes, E. J. Foster.  
 2. "Not What I Will," Patsy Gormley.  
 3. "Out of the Night of Darkness," choir.  
 4. "O Morn of Joy," ladies' chorus.  
 5. "Angels Filled with Blood," Glenn Caskey and choir.  
 6. "Life Eternal," Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. M. A. Mapes, Vancil Lowery.  
 Offertory prayer, Rev. C. A. Clark.  
 Offertory solo, "Air," Bach, Everett Dean O'Bannon.  
 7. "The Song of Victory," Vancil Lowery and choir.  
 8. "There's No Night in Heaven," mixed quartet, Patsy Gormley, Mrs. Mapes, Vancil Lowery, Glenn Caskey.  
 9. "In the Splendor of His Glory," choir.  
 10. "His Love Divine," H. O. Miller.  
 11. "Christ Hath Arisen," choir.  
 Benediction, Rev. C. A. Clark.  
 Postlude, "March," Mallard, Mrs. D. M. Schneberg.  
 Director, Mrs. Glenn Caskey. Accompanist, Mrs. D. M. Schneberg.

### CANDLE-LIGHTING COMMUNION

Commemorating the instituting of the Holy Communion, or Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, there will be held a candle-lighting Communion service at 8 o'clock Thursday evening at the First Methodist Church. This will be a brief and simple service, and the people are requested to come promptly. This will be open for all who will come. The pastor and congregation of this church are seeking to "Follow in His Steps" during this "His Last Week." Do not miss this service.

### GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

The Good Friday service at the First Methodist Church will be from noon to 3 o'clock. Songs will be from the Methodist Hymnal.  
 The program:  
 Hymn No. 276, "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone?" Scripture lesson, Luke 23:32-38; prayer; THE WORD OF FORGIVENESS: "Father forgive them, for they know not what they do," Rev. Tom W. Brabham, Roswell; Hymn No. 142, "Alas and Did My Savior Bleed."  
 Hymn No. 140, "There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood;" Scripture, Luke 23:39-43; moment of silent prayer, followed by audible prayer; THE WORD OF SALVATION: "Today shalt thou be with Me in Paradise," Rev. J. M. Glazier, Lake Arthur.  
 Hymn No. 246, "I Am Coming to the Cross;" Scripture, John 19:25-27; prayer; THE WORD OF FILIAL LOVE: "Woman, behold thy son—son behold thy mother," Rev. John Neal, Huntsville, Tex.; Hymn No. 148, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross."  
 Hymn No. 149, "In the Cross of Christ I Glory;" Scripture, Mark 15:29-36; prayer; THE WORD OF ATONEMENT: "My God, my God, why hast Thou forsaken Me?" Rev. Charlie Jameson, Carlsbad.  
 Hymn No. 145, "Above the Hills of Time;" Scripture, John 19:28-29; prayer; WORD OF AGONY: "I Thirst," Rev. C. A. Clark, Artesia.  
 Hymn No. 248, "Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross;" scripture, John 19:29-30; prayer; THE WORD OF VICTORY: "It is finished," Dr. G. G. Mitchell, Elida.  
 Hymn No. 168, "O, Could I Speak the Matchless Worth!" scripture, Luke 23:44-56; THE WORD OF REUNION: "Father, into Thy Hands I commend my Spirit," Dr. Frank Turner, Abilene, Tex.; Hymn No. 164, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name;" benediction.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Corner Roselawn and Grand  
 Special Easter service for the Bible school 9:30 in main auditorium. Each department of the Sunday school will take part in this program. Scriptures, readings, songs featuring the Resurrection will be given. The international lesson for the day will be taught in classes for everyone.  
 Resurrection morning worship, 10:50 a. m. The choir under the direction of Mrs. Fred Cole will give a special program of Easter music. Sermon: "Because I Live Ye Shall Live Also," by the pastor, S. M. Morgan.  
 Mission Bible School, 2:30 p. m. Easter Program.  
 Baptist Training Union, 7 p. m. Evening worship, 8 p. m. The administration of the ordinances of Baptism and the Lord's Memorial Supper in the evening service will precede the evening Sermon.  
 Our Church is cooperating in the All-Out Revival for Artesia. The pastor will speak at both services Sunday and Monday. Dr. McKinley Norman of Dallas, Tex., will direct the services from Tuesday on through Sunday, May 9. Those not engaged in services in their own churches are invited to hear Dr. Norman morning and evening, at 10:30 and 8 o'clock.  
 S. M. Morgan, Pastor.

### Come to the ALL OUT REVIVAL

Easter to Mother's Day at the church around the corner. 16-1tc

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Easter Sunday, April 25  
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship, 11 a. m., Easter Sermon subject: "The Risen Christ," text: Matthew 28:6.  
 At the evening services at 8 o'clock, the young people of the Christian Endeavor will be in charge.  
 They will present a play, "The Resurrection," by Rosamond Kimball.  
 Evangelistic services every evening next week, 8 p. m.  
 J. Basil Ramsey, Pastor.

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Corner Fourth and Chisholm  
 Sunday Services  
 Bible school, 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
 Evening worship, 7 p. m.  
 Weekly Services  
 Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p. m.  
 C. A. program, Friday, 7 p. m., special music and songs.  
 The public is invited to attend each service.  
 Rev. Orel Hoteler, Pastor.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Seventh and Grand  
 Sunday Services  
 Bible study, 10 a. m.  
 Preaching, 11 a. m.  
 Young people's meeting, 6:30 p. m.  
 Preaching, 7:30 p. m.  
 Mid-Week Services  
 Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.  
 Ladies' class, Thursday, 3 p. m.  
 Men's training class, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.  
 A. F. Waller, Minister.

### THE HOUSE OF PRAYER

Pentecostal Assembly of God  
 Morningside Addition  
 A fellowship that can't be duplicated outside of Holiness. Come and worship in spirit and in truth.  
 Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
 Sunday services, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
 Wednesday services, 7:30 p. m.  
 Saturday services, 7:30 p. m.  
 Charles M. Fair, Pastor in charge.

### LATIN AMERICAN METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
 Preaching, Sunday, 11 a. m.  
 Everyone is welcome to these services. Even if you do not speak Spanish you will feel at home, for the Spanish-speaking people enjoy having you and will extend a spirit of courtesy.  
 W. Bernardo Oneill, D. D., Pastor.

### Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sixth and  
 Easter. It is the transformation bloom; it suggests the resurrection. The religious realm, mankind the inspiration of the resurrection.  
 Sunday  
 Bible school, 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
 Evening worship, 7 p. m.  
 C. A. program, Friday, 7 p. m., special music and songs.  
 The public is invited to attend each service.  
 Rev. Orel Hoteler, Pastor.

Children's meeting, 6:30 p. m.  
 School for all boys and girls, first grade through high school, Tuesday through Friday, 10 a. m., for just one hour in various homes on Street each morning for twenty minutes in the neighborhood.  
 EVERYBODY, positive and on, boosting for the "All Out Revival."  
 J. T. Wheeler

### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

307 South  
 Holy Communion, 8 p. m., second business publishing month.  
 Evening prayer, 8 p. m., fifth Sunday, a voluntary c at 8 p. m.  
 Good Friday service, withheld m., April 23. Eastern authori- celebration of the Holy Resurrel-Cl at 8 a. m.  
 Public cordially in- ship with the com- director  
 Rev. Joseph H. Community ALL AL April 25th to M- and your home.

RAISE THE LORD AND PASS THE AMMUNITION

This Spring is Different

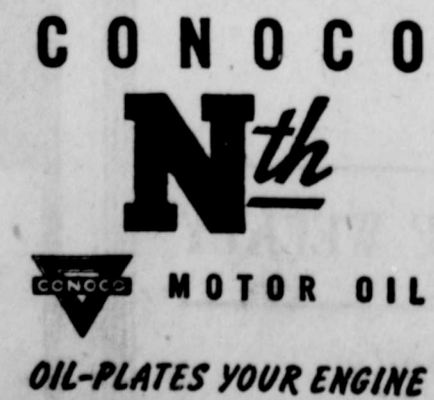
## ACID—not speed—may "burn up" your engine now!



You don't go "tearing off" the miles, and you hate tearing off ration coupons, too. You'd think your low speed and mileage would almost do away with engine wear. But the products of combustion —always hanging back in the cylinders after stopping—contain acids that nibble at metals!

Engine acids are nothing new, only they couldn't do their worst when interrupted by frequent use of your car and fast driving, instead of staying in your inactive engine for days. Short, slow, infrequent runs don't help much to clean acids out. So now when you're not even sure of getting any needed replacement parts, make sure you muzzle acids as well as you can, by keeping your engine's insides OIL-PLATED.

You know of plating being used to resist such corrosion as rust, for instance. And



-AND THE SPRING TUNE-UP OF YOUR CAR SHOULD BE DIFFERENT, TOO!

NO MORE TOP SPEEDS!  
 You'll be driving at "35-and-under" this spring—and your car's timing, circuit breaker, carburetor, spark plugs, choke and heat controls should be adjusted for smoother low-speed performance.

LESS DRIVING  
 Your generator and voltage regulator should be put in top condition now to guard against the possibility of a rundown battery later on. Your battery itself should be checked at regular intervals.

NO MORE HIGH-OCTANE GAS  
 We use lower-octane gas today, so our flyers may have high-octane fuel. To prevent wasteful "pinging," your engine should be readjusted to its new diet. Whatever service work may be needed, we do the job right.

CARS ARE BEING DRIVEN LONGER  
 As your car's mileage goes higher—as your brakes, lights, tires and steering system grow older—a thorough check-up of these features becomes vital to the safety of you and your family.

LESS GASOLINE  
 In addition to giving your car a gas-saving, springtime engine tune-up, you should also have it thoroughly checked for other causes of fuel waste, such as dragging brakes, leaky gas lines or the use of too heavy lubricants for today's low-speed driving.

SLOWER DRIVING—SHORTER TRIPS  
 When you don't drive very much or very fast or very far, it's extremely important to keep fresh, clean oil in your engine at all times—because at slow speeds your crankcase ventilation system doesn't have much chance to prevent oil dilution.

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# Press of United States Contributes Lively to All Phases of Victory Program

Over 133 million people over 2,977,000 square miles are reading newspapers and magazines into their homes than any other country. A truly phenomenal industry, publishing is to be reckoned with singleness of purpose, to hasten victory. While music by the publishers is the service from cover to cover, the slightest deviation of the scope and magnitude of the publishing industry's aims.

In the first place, no other country can even approximate the vitality of the United States. With a combined circulation of more than fifty-eight million, which serve every city, town, village in the United States. The countries have their magazines but the national magazine know it is a typically American invention, going into virtually every American home with the latest information. National magazines today have a combined circulation of one hundred nine million.

**War Bonds**  
The nation's press received official commendation for its contribution to the success of the December Victory Loan campaign and the record-breaking sales of Series E War Bonds. It was estimated by Treasury Department officials that the amazing total of twenty-six million dollars worth of newspaper space was donated by publishers or paid for by home-town business interests in War Bond advertisements.

Newspapers had much to do with the success of the concerted drive to build up the roll of persons authorizing 10 per cent payroll deductions for bond purchases. Surveys show that from 800 to 1,200 full pages of newspaper space are given over each week to War Bond and Stamp advertising, and of this approximately 44 per cent is donated by the newspapers.

A month before Pearl Harbor, the Treasury Department accepted the offer of daily newspapers and their newsboys to sell Defense Savings Stamps. Boys enrolled voluntarily as official United States defense agents. A year later in November, 1942—newspaper carrier boys were selling 4.73 per cent of the total War Savings Stamps, their total for that month alone being \$2,209,000.

This year the Treasury Department has officially adopted a program of recognition of the patriotic services rendered by the participating newspapers. Circulation managers whose organizations maintain the average of a stamp per week per subscriber—the goal for the year—will be entitled to wear an award button, and the newspapers to carry an award on their mastheads similar to the Army and Navy "E."

**Assist All War Drives**  
Assurances have been given by thirty leading national magazines, with aggregate circulation of forty million, that War Bond and War Stamp copy will run regularly. In addition, War Bonds have been promoted through business publications, with more than 550 running a full page each month and reaching an estimated 3,400,000 business men. Each month, thirty-six farm papers run similar copy which, it is estimated, is read by from 10 to 14 million of the farm population.

Aid to the war effort in connection with Selective Service and with the employment of manpower in war industries is another outstanding service rendered by the newspapers of the country.

Smashing newspaper campaigns have characterized Red Cross, USO, Navy Relief, United China Relief, and other drives for funds vital to the war effort, with the newspapers themselves contributing ideas and news and advertising space which have done much to put such drives over the top.

Newspapers voluntarily gave, and are giving, much space to the recruiting of men and women in civilian defense work, even to the extent of printing and distributing booklets and tabloids on air raid defense, to mention only one familiar example.

National magazines have launched an OCD campaign in support of the government's war information program in which they donate a minimum of one advertising page per month during 1943. Such donated ads were run in February, March, and April issues of 340 magazines having more than seventy million circulation.

The indispensable and irreplaceable work of newspapers in connection with rationing is evidenced on almost every page of any newspaper. The government has widely used the newspaper machinery as the dispensing agency for rationing forms. The millions who recently got their point ration books used forms clipped from newspapers. There is probably no household kitchen in the land that hasn't the OPA's point chart, clipped from a newspaper, hanging on its wall.

According to a recent ruling, OPA press releases on rationing constitute due notice to the public—striking evidence of government reliance on the press to implement programs vital to the conduct of "all-out" war.

also demonstrated that American free enterprise can never be "licked."

**Best-Informed Nation**  
OPA Administrator Prentiss M. Brown, expressing his gratitude for the "invaluable assistance freely given by a free press of a free country," in the splendid handling by the press of the OPA processed foods rationing program, was equally emphatic.

"No finer single service in the interest of the American public has been performed during this war," he wrote. "It is not an overstatement to say that without this cooperation the present high degree of public understanding of this huge rationing program never could have been achieved in the short space of a few weeks. Such splendid public service looms even larger when it is remembered that, like many other enterprises, newspapers are feeling the effects of manpower shortages, the transportation difficulties, and curtailment of supplies."

The publishing industry is today working diligently to overcome these handicaps to the end of performing even more important war services and in order that Americans may continue to be the best informed people in the world.—Industrial Press Service.

The Alamogordo town board has called for bids on a defense public works project to cost \$22,000. The program calls for reconstruction of the Alamogordo pavilion to be used as a recreational hall by the military personnel from the air base.

The first general conference of governors of the United States was held at the White House in 1908 when Theodore Roosevelt was president.

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IN THE MATTER OF )  
THE ESTATE OF ) No. 1,036  
OF THOMAS S. COX, )  
Deceased. )

**NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT OF CALVIN P. DUNN, ADMINISTRATOR.**

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to Mrs. Mattie Whitley, and All Unknown Heirs of Thomas Sid Cox, and all Unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title, or interest in or to the estate of said decedent, Greeting:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Calvin P. Dunn has filed his final account and report as administrator of the Estate of Thomas Sid Cox, deceased; that the Hon. J. T. Hardin has set the 1st day of June, 1943, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. at the Probate court room in Carlsbad, New Mexico, as the time, day and place for hearing objections, if any, to said final account.

At the same time and place the Probate Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of his estate, and the interest of each respective claimant thereto, and therein, and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof. Any objections to said Final Account and Report should be filed on or before the time set for hearing.

Neil B. Watson, whose address is Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney for the administrator.

WITNESS My hand and the seal of said court on this 17th day of April, 1943.

(SEAL)  
R. A. WILCOX,  
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court. 16-4t-19

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"Thanks, Mom ..."



**GAS** is vital to war production... use it wisely!

"THANKS for all the things you do every day that will help bring me and the rest of the boys home sooner... When I see men out here giving their all for Victory, it's easy for me to understand why it's so important for the folks back home to sacrifice and do without. But you, Mom, are doing a swell job even though you're far away from this mess... and that makes me specially proud. Thanks for saving fats and greases... I hear them go off with an almighty bang every day. Thanks for saving food... I'm eating some of it now. Thanks for saving Gas at home... God knows we need the tanks and guns and planes that are produced with Gas. Honest, Mom, I think they should give medals to women like you who are fighting the good fight for freedom back on the home front!"

WE'RE READY TO HELP YOU. Feel free at all times to ask us for the latest cooking and nutrition information. We know you want to do your part in saving precious vitamins, food, and fuel. But we realize the tremendous problems you face today... with shortages, restrictions and substitutes. We'd like to help you make the best of the situation in every way possible and will welcome any opportunity to be of service.

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5. We want to be helpful in your transportation problems.

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### For Sale

**FOR SALE**—20-acre irrigated farm, Artesian well, new turbine pump, 6-room house, outbuildings fair. One mile from Artesia, Fred Beckwith, owner, 411 W. Main. 4-14tp-17

**FOR SALE**—Baby chicks. Hatchings every Tuesday and Friday. Six popular breeds. Book your order now for immediate or future delivery. McCaw Hatchery, 13th and Grand. 4-tfc

**FOR SALE**—Trees, shrubs, roses and plants. Roselawn Nursery, corner of Richardson and Roselawn. 8-tfc

**FOR SALE**—Ration Book Holders, 5c to 35c. The Artesia Advocate. 16-tfx

### MEMORIALS

Any size and finish, made from the world's finest granite and marble. Monthly payments. Maddux Monument Co., Roswell, N. Mex.; Silver City, N. M. B. A. Brouse, district representative, 110 North Main St., telephone 645-J, Carlsbad. 10-tfc

**FOR SALE** — One three-quarter bed, Windsor style, perfect condition. Can furnish springs and mattress. Phone 7 or 99. 11-tfc

**ATTENTION LIVESTOCK MEN** USDA War Board record sheets for sale by The Artesia Advocate. 16-tfx

**FOR SALE**—14-foot boat, and two wheel trailer. Will sell separately. Inquire at Advocate office. 15-tfx

**FOR SALE**—Five-burner new Perfection oil range. Phone 341-J. 15-1tc-1tx-16

**FOR SALE**—2,000 feet 2 1/2-inch tubing. Grant Keyes, Roswell, N. Mex. 15-2tp-16

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**FOR SALE**—Live Easter bunnies, with pink eyes, 1 pair love birds, 1 pair Finch birds. Mrs. Ernest Scoggin, Sunset Heights Addition, Artesia. 15-2tp-16

**FOR SALE**—John Deere Model B Tractor, excellent condition. If interested address box 427. 16-1tc

**FOR SALE**—1935 V-8 coach in No. 1 condition and a good buy. Inquire at 1205 Grand after 4 p. m. 16-1tp

**FOR SALE**—6-foot Electrolux ice box. At McClay Furniture, owner Ollie Ackerman. 16-1tp

**FOR SALE**—Library table, dresser, bedstead, desk, porch seat, radio, floor lamp, cook table, Congoleum. Phone 546-J. 16-1tp

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**FOR SALE**—Nice strong tomato plants. O. E. Nickey, west end Main Street. 16-1tc

**FOR SALE**—Saddle horse. 1001 Main, Tenth and Main, phone 252. 16-1tc

**FOR SALE**—Milk cows on Ackerman farm one mile north of town on old Roswell highway. Carl Daniel. 16-1tp

**FOR SALE**—Ladies' bicycle, excellent condition, heavy duty tubes. Inquire at Advocate office. 16-tfx

**FOR SALE**—Circulating gas heater, excellent condition, with vent and pipe. 702 West Main St. 16-1tp

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### Lost

**LOST**—One 8.25x20 Dayton McClary truck tire in the oil field, mounted on international rim. Finder please call, collect, A. C. (Dru) Taylor, Maljamar. 16-1tp

**LOST**—\$5 reward for return of "Snooks" to Miss Frankie Wallis, Dayton, N. M. Medium size male dog, black back, tan face, brown eyes, brown ears, white spot under lower lip, black and tan tall, under part of body white and tan, all toes white, friendly. Missing since April 5. 16-tfc

### SCHOOL BUDGET HEARINGS TO BE SATURDAY

Budget hearings for the municipal and county schools in Eddy County will be held in Carlsbad Saturday, as R. H. Grissom, educational budget auditor, makes his annual budget trip over the state. Individual taxpayers and representatives of taxpayers' groups are at liberty to attend.

### For Rent

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apartment. Bills paid. Adults only. Mrs. R. L. Paris, 512 Roselawn, phone 260. 14-1tp-2tc-16

**FOR RENT**—Six-room unfurnished house. J. S. Ward, phone 173. 16-tfc

**FOR RENT**—Small Apartment, suitable for couple. 308 Dallas Street. 16-tfx

**FOR RENT**—Apartment, close in. Phone 158. 16-tfc

**FOR RENT**—Furnished bedroom, connecting bath, private entrance. 201 Richardson. F. L. Howard, Phone 339. 16-1tp

**FOR RENT**—Five-foot Frigidaire, at least three months in advance. Telephone 7. 16-tfx

**FOR RENT**—Four rooms and bath, modern, unfurnished. One mile south of, Artesia on main highway. Call W. R. Hornbaker, 383-J. 16-1tc

### Wanted

**WANTED**—Victory Gardener. Town lots been ploughed and dragged. Water furnished. Call 99 or 7. 13-tfx

**WANTED**—White girl or woman to live in nice home and help with housework and care of children. Room and board, \$40 month. Write or contact Mrs. E. C. Slesse, 303 N. Mesquite St., Carlsbad, N. M. 15-2tp-16

**WANTED**—To buy or rent, about May 20, a five or six-room, modern, furnished or unfurnished house. Clark E. Storm, 1318 N. Richardson, Roswell, N. M. 15-2tc-16

**WANTED**—Frame for double deck bunk beds. Needed soon. Write Leroy Cranford, Box 444, Loco Hills. 16-1tp

**WANTED**—To buy a small furnished or unfurnished house. Must be well located. Direct from the owner without fees or commissions. Address P. O. Box 427, Artesia. 16-3tp-18

**WANTED**—Experienced farm laborer. Call W. R. Hornbaker, Artesia, N. Mex. 16-1tc

### Miscellaneous

**PERMANENT WAVE**, 59 cents! Do your own permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands, including June Lang, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied. — Palace Drug Store. 16-10tp-25

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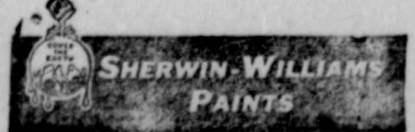
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### State Wants—

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storage and salt cedar growth. The salt cedar problem is a big one, he said, and the growth became so vast it uses up a great amount of water. To cut it out regularly, so as to stop the deposits of silt and use of water to no good, would be a great problem. But, he suggested, after it has once been cut away, it might be controlled by the use of goats grazing along the river banks.

Harlowe Stafford, engineer in charge of compiling reports for the government and the several agencies cooperating, expressed the willingness of the consulting board for the Pecos River of the National Resources Planning Board, of which consulting board he is a member, to cooperate and confer with the commission, offering any assistance towards a solution of the problems of the two states. On the consulting board with him are Dr. Baldwin Woods and R. J. Tipton.

Stafford gave a summary of the conclusions of the reports of the participating agencies as set forth in the report released in February. Others appearing before the commission included Jim Stagner, attorney representing the Carlsbad irrigation project, who said the project only wishes to protect its rights to the water appropriated to its acres; J. B. Marcellus, representing the Federal Land Bank of Wichita; O. B. Berry, Dexter farmer; Tom Hall, mayor of Roswell; Lee Rowland, Roswell city engineer; Milton Smith, mayor of Carlsbad; Harold B. Elmendorf, state head of the Bureau of Economics, Department of Agriculture; N. Y. Monical, president of the Roswell Artesian Conservancy Board; George Perrine, a member of that board, and N. B. West of Hagerman.

The meeting, which was held at the Carper Terrace, was attended by about seventy-five interested men of the two states. Miss Oederda Pentuff left Friday evening for Tampa, Fla., after a visit of three weeks with Misses Emma and Eleanor Clark.

### Children Are Not Taught the Value of Things

Boone Barnett gave convincing proof Tuesday noon that most children are trained improperly, through the fault of indulgent parents, and that they are not taught the value of things.

Speaking at the weekly Rotary luncheon on the subject, "How Well Are We Succeeding in Training Young People in the Thought That Freedom Is Never Free?" Barnett said, "We don't teach them the value of things and that nothing is free, that they must work for what they get."

He cited the fact that 900,000 of the first military men rejected as unfit for military service were found to be mentally or physically disqualified. This would indicate, Barnett said, that 20 to 40 per cent of all young people entering adult life are unfit. And they, he pointed out, grew up in peace times. "How about those growing up in war times?" he asked.

The speaker suggested the co-ordination of all youth movements, stressing that such a movement would be a golden opportunity for Rotary. "We work day and night to give the children something better than we had," Barnett said. "We practice that until the kids must have everything, so we skip and manage to get it, even if the seats of our trousers are thin. They soon learn to take advantage of the situation. But we must teach them to work for what they get."

Fred Wilson, Albuquerque attorney, who was here for the meeting of the Pecos River Compact, spoke briefly. He is a member of the Albuquerque club.

### Three Jeeps—

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Landis Ed Feather, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather, who was inducted into the United States Army at Santa Fe last Thursday, has been stationed at Bocaraton, Fla. Landis Ed, a senior at State College at Las Cruces, majoring in engineering at the time of his induction, made an outstanding record at the college.

Mrs. Al Woelk returned home Sunday from Albuquerque, where she went last week to go through Lovelace Clinic and to visit Mr. Woelk's sister, Miss Aletha Woelk.

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### Oil Activity—

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S. P. Yates et al, Evans 3, NW NE 5-17-30. Total depth 4,879 feet; waiting on casing. McDannald & Williams, Grier 4, SE SW 31-16-31. Drilling at 2,725 feet. McKee & Jones, State 2, SE SE 3-19-29. Drilling at 2,197 feet. George Turner, Wills 4, SE NW 13-20-28. Total depth 815 feet; shot with 30 quarts at 790 to 815 feet; flowed 80 barrels oil in 12 hours; cleaning out.

Repollo Oil Co., J. L. Keel 1-B, NW NW 6-17-31. Drilling at 1,420 feet. Superior Oil Co., Foster 3, SE NW 17-17-31. Drilling at 1,625 feet. Martin Yates & Nix, Matthews 1, NE SE 21-21-28. Total depth 3,525 feet; plugged back to 2,820 feet; shut down for orders. Aston & Fair, Stevens 2-B, NE SE 26-17-30. Drilling at 3,195 feet. Jones & McKee, State 1, NW NW 32-17-30. Drilling at 2,005 feet.

S. P. Yates-Herbert Aid, Leonard-State 1, NE NE 16-17-29. Drilling at 2,490 feet; show of gas 2,330-34 feet. Grayburg Oil Co., Keely 2-B, SE SW 24-17-29. Drilling at 1,706 feet; slight show of oil at 1,217 feet; show of gas at 1,417 and 1,520-50 feet. Nash, Windfohr & Brown, Jackson 7-B, NE NW 25-17-30. Drilling at 3,164 feet; show of oil at 2,780-90 feet. Fred Brainard, Brainard 1-B, NE SW 6-18-27. Drilling at 955 feet. Grayburg Oil Co., Keely 1-B, NW NE 26-17-29. Drilling at 2,657 feet.

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### Lee Frazier—

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Mrs. R. M. Morgan, Nashville, Ark., and Mrs. Luther Smith, Lake Arthur. All of the brothers and sisters, except Frank, Walter and Luther Frazier and Mrs. Morgan were at the services yesterday. Lee Frazier was born Aug. 1, 1896. For many years he lived in the Pecos Valley, at Lake Arthur, Hagerman and Roswell, as well as at Artesia. He was well known as a musician and Gospel singer and most of the time was engaged in conducting the music for revival meetings and putting on special programs for churches and schools. He moved to Texas about a year ago.

**JUNIOR AWVS INVESTS IN \$50 WAR BOND**  
The Junior AWVS voted last Thursday afternoon to invest in a \$50 War Savings Bond out of the treasury towards the purchase of a jeep. The organization has had charge of the sale of War Savings Stamps at Artesia High School.

Cpl. and Mrs. Dennis W. Mitchell, who arrived Monday of last week from San Rafael, Calif., on a furlough and to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Mitchell, left Saturday night for Throckmorton and Seymour, Tex., to visit relatives of Mrs. Mitchell. They are to report back at San Rafael Monday.

Mrs. R. W. Goddard of Mesilla Park visited her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Mary Louise Goddard of Artesia, and her two grandchildren, Marilyn and Gordon of Hope, from Saturday to Monday. Mrs. Goddard, a past president of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs, stopped here en route home, after attending a state convention of the federation in Clovis last week.

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