

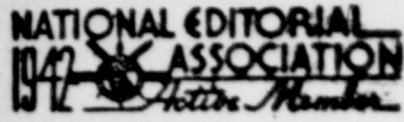


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## THEY SHOULD NEVER BE CONSIDERED TOO BIG

At the time this is written there is considerable controversy in regard to the incident in which Lieutenant General George S. (Old Blood and Guts) Patton, Jr., slapped a soldier—or perhaps two soldiers, as the later news reports have it.

And by the time this appears in print we may know for sure whether disciplinary action has been or will be taken, or General Patton will have been raised from his permanent rate of colonel to a permanent major general—or something.

But we write this on Saturday, while the heated discussion in the press and over the air is still raging. And we wish to get in our two bits' worth.

We realize that in this war there is a program by which enlisted men, whose dishonorable discharges are held up, have a chance to redeem themselves and return to active service without marks against their records, if they make good. And we have read that a large percentage of such men, those who have slapped officers, or have cursed them, or have committed some similar act in a heated moment, make good and are redeemed. But they must sweat for it.

We also know that in World War I many a GI languished in the guardhouse, if not in Leavenworth, for no greater crime than that perpetrated by General Patton in a heated moment.

And we do believe in the redemption of every able-bodied man and officer, for men in the guardhouse cannot be fighting for their country.

But we likewise believe in discipline in the armed forces. We have learned, to our horror, that in the German army it is the proper thing for non-commissioned officers to slap men under them by way of impressing orders and for slight disciplinary action. And the men who are slapped do not resent it, because that is the way they have been taught during the years of regimentation.

On the other hand, there is no greater insult to an American, soldier or civilian, than to be slapped. Ask the average citizen which would be less insulting, a blow from a fist or an open hand. The latter makes one's blood boil.

Undoubtedly the shell-shocked GI, the recipient of the slap which set off the fireworks, felt the same way, in spite of his condition at the time. But he restrained himself. Had he turned on General Patton and slapped the stuffing out of him, he would have had to stand a general court martial and probably would have been cashiered out of the Army and been sentenced to the penitentiary at Leavenworth.

But believe us, we would have applauded him, for his attack would have been provoked by the unmilitary action of his general.

We say that Patton should be punished. Perhaps a court martial would deprive the nation of a valuable man in wartime. But he should be relieved of his command, for he is not fit to continue in his present capacity.

He should be broken back two or three steps and be given a job behind a desk, far from his present command. If he is a victim of war fatigue himself, hospitalize him.

There are plenty of other capable officers to take his place. We are not that short on general material, any more than we are on material for soldiers of the line.

If we don't do that, the Germans and Japs will laugh at us for our laxity in military discipline, even though they themselves might resort to the slapping method. Personally, we don't care a lot what they think, but we do care what we think.

## IS IT COMING TO THIS AGAIN?

It's a sad affair, but the wave of prosperity sweeping the country at this time has an adverse effect on the newspapers, for John Mainstreet, with all the business he can handle, while having trouble getting merchandise, sometimes feels he need not advertise—a false premise, of course, but we'll leave that part for another time.

The lack of merchandise is the subject of today's discourse. When we called on one merchant the other day he pointed to his shelves and then recalled the old story about the Arkansas general store owner.

The merchant, it seems, was playing checkers in the back room with an old crony. The front door opened and someone stepped into the store. Finally the friend leaned across the checkerboard and softly said, "John, there's someone up front."

"Well," the merchant replied, "keep quiet, and maybe he'll leave."

## DO YOU SUPPOSE IT COULD BE HEDY?

At last we have a definite clew as to the identity of the Glamour Gal, who has been conspicuous by her absence the last few weeks. But she may be back in type this week.

In the mail today—Saturday—we received a post card from her. She wrote:

"In case you are interested, the Glamour Gal has been having a wonderful time. Wait until I get back, I will really have things to tell. Don't let me die a forgotten woman!"

Now as to the clue as to her identity: After we had read the Glamour Gal's message, we turned the card over. And there was the picture of a glamour gal, complete with autograph.

Don't tell anyone we said so, but the autograph was that of Hedy LaMarr!

## WELL SAID, WALTER, WELL SAID

Walter Winchell got off a good one Sunday evening, one of the best bars we ever heard on the subject.

The American boys in the Southwest Pacific think more of their Jap enemies than they do of John L. Lewis, he said; the Japs at least are fighting for their country.

The Office of War Information dropped several hundred employees, but it is still able to keep the enemy in a state of confusion regarding what goes on here.—Illinois State Journal.

## CHURCHES

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Fourth and Grand  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor, 5:30 p. m.  
Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 8 p. m.  
Association of Ladies Missionary Society, each first Thursday, 2:30 p. m.  
Circles Nos. 1 and 2, each third Thursday, 2:30 p. m.  
J. Basil Ramsey, Pastor.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
"Committed to the Ministry of the Word of God"  
Corner of Grand and Roselawn  
Sunday  
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.  
Sunday service, 11 a. m.  
Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.  
"God the Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Dec. 5, 1943.  
The Golden Text is: "Every house is builded by some man; but he that built all things is God." (Hebrews 3:4)  
Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "The works of his hands are verity and judgment; all his commandments are sure." (Psalms 111:7)  
The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "God expresses in man the infinite idea forever developing itself, broadening and rising higher and higher from a boundless basis. Mind manifests all that exists in the infinitude of Truth."  
Visitors always welcome.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Seventh and Grand  
Sunday Services  
Bible study, 10 a. m.  
Preaching, 11 a. m.  
Young people's meeting, 7:30 p. m.  
Preaching, 8:30 p. m.  
Mid Week Services  
Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.  
Ladies' class, Thursday, 3 p. m.

**SHERMAN MEMORIAL CHURCH**  
(Oilfield Community)  
Sunday school at 10 o'clock.  
Prayer meeting and choir practice, 8 o'clock Wednesday evening.  
Ernest Thompson, Superintendent.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
Corner Fourth and Chisholm  
Sunday Services  
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
Evening worship, 8 p. m.  
Weekly Services  
Wednesday prayer meeting, 8 p. m.  
C. A. program, Friday, 8 p. m., special music and songs.  
The public is invited to attend each service.  
G. W. Pitts, Pastor.

**SPANISH-AMERICAN METHODIST CHURCH**  
North Hill  
The Artesia church is visited by the pastor every other Sunday from 3 to 5 p. m. Two services conducted by the pastor.  
He is here every other Wednesday during the day to visit the members and friends of the church, and to conduct services at 8:15 p. m.  
On Sundays when the pastor does not come, the Sunday school is held at 10:30 a. m. by the superintendent, Sr. Andres (Henry) Juarez.  
Rev. Evaristo Picazo, Pastor, 212 West Lea St., Carlsbad.

**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.

**OUR LADY OF GRACE CHURCH**  
Mass Sundays, 10 a. m., Spanish sermon.

**LOCO HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
Preaching service, 11 a. m.  
Training Union, 7:30 p. m.  
Preaching service, 8 p. m.  
Mid-week service, Wednesday, 8 p. m.  
Rev. S. S. Perry, Pastor.

**ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
307 South Seventh Street  
Holy Communion, sermon, second Sunday in the month, 7:30 p. m.  
Evening prayer, sermon, third, fourth, fifth Sundays in the month, at 7:30 p. m.  
Public cordially invited to worship with the congregation.  
Rev. Jos. H. Harvey, Vicar.

**LAKE ARTHUR-COTTONWOOD METHODIST CHURCHES**  
Cottonwood  
Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday.  
Worship service, 11 a. m. second and fourth Sundays.  
Ladies' Aid, third Thursday.  
Lake Arthur  
Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday.  
Worship service, 11 a. m. first and third Sundays.  
Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. each Sunday.  
Preaching, 7:30 p. m. each Sunday.  
W. S. C. S., first Wednesday, Charles Rogers, Pastor.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Services that are serviceable for you and all members of your home, and your friends. Come!

Sunday  
Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Classes for all ages, an inspiring hour of helpful information.  
Worship, 10:50 a. m. Rev. Wheeler's sermon subject is "Salt." Special music by the choir.  
Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m., a big peppy service for all youth.  
Church, 8 p. m. Inspiring old hymn sing; sermon subject, "Who Cares?"  
Watch for special church announcement in next week's paper.  
J. T. Wheeler, Minister, Phone 375.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES**  
613 W. Main  
Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
Sunday service, 11 a. m.  
Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.  
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## News Shorts

Women customs inspectors at San Diego, Calif., have been assigned to duty at the international border because of a marked increase in the number of women crossing the line. "The women inspectors," one customs man explained, "can tell whether a bulge on a woman's figure is a sign of over-eating or a bottle of perfume wrapped in a pair of silk things."

General Manager John C. Lee of the War Production Council in Los Angeles said a house-to-house canvass of 1,500 homes was made for aircraft workers and 150 women promised to work. Half of them actually reported at plants and four accepted jobs. Then three quit.

In Seattle, City Purchasing Agent Willard V. Pape asked the city council efficiency committee for an additional clerk to help him keep abreast of new federal regulations. The committee was shown the seven volumes of new rulings—then it gave Pape two clerks.

The Allentown (Pa.) National Bank is in the laundry business. Seems Laundryman Lee Kwong, posted a sign in his window, "Will not be open any more," and left town. The bank, trustee for the building, announced it would take charge until all customers had called for their laundry.

## LADIES!



are you driving with a HARD PEDAL?

There's no need to exert yourself by having to bear down on a hard brake pedal. This condition can be easily remedied by a simple brake adjustment. If your brakes no longer operate with a soft, easy pedal we suggest that you drive in and let us test them on our Bear Hydraulic Brake Tester. This machine tells in a hurry just what is wrong. To you it can bring many miles of comfortable, easy brake operation and safer driving.

Courteous attendants will handle the testing. The test is quickly made and you'll soon be on your way—happier, safer.

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## Vox Populi

To The Editor:

Is there not some law whereby a nuisance which seems to be more or less prevalent here in Artesia can be abated? I speak of parking cars directly in front of the ends of our sidewalks, especially more prevalent at the intersection of Quay and Fourth Streets, sometimes called Battie's and Safeway corner.

Seems to me pedestrians should have some rights to the sidewalks, since the streets are for the use of autos, trucks, etc., however, this does not seem to occur to some auto and truck owners or drivers here in Artesia.

On the reverse side of this sheet you will find a crude drawing of a condition I found at 5 p. m. Friday. Will try to describe same to you.

Walking north of the west side of Fourth Street (of course on the sidewalk) coming to Quay and directly in front of the sidewalk, north side of Quay, called by some the Safeway corner, was parked a Buick sedan, blue-gray body with black top, license number 17-958; at the end of Quay (west side) sidewalk, same corner, was parked a Chevrolet coupe, blue, license number 17-948, and across the street parked on Quay (Battie's corner) was a Chevrolet coupe, black license number 66-248, thus shutting off three of the four ends of the sidewalks.

John Gates and his dog were on their way to his grandmother's, who lives on Quay Street. John was on the west sidewalk of Fourth Street, going south and was blocked by the Buick sedan. His dog had stopped and John was trying to get across the street and feeling the car from east to west. The dog remained still; since the car was parked exactly midway of the sidewalk he seemed somewhat bewildered. I happened along at this time and told him he would have to go to his left and then turn back in order to get to the walk across the street. Now this sightless young man had to step off the sidewalk, then off the curb out into the street and into quite a lot of water and then get straight with the other side of the walk in order to get across and all on account of someone who was so selfish as not to wish to get his or her feet wet, so drove up to the end of the sidewalk and parked.

I then took note of the other cars and took their license numbers and am furnishing them to you. I do not gamble, but will dare say not one of these car owners or drivers will go to Roswell or Carlsbad and park his car in front of any sidewalk in either the residential or business district. If this be the case, why should it be allowed here?

I note in our last census we had a population of to exceed seven thousand. How many inhabitants do we have to have before we can

## Sands of Time

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO  
(From The Advocate Files for Nov. 29, 1928)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hamann returned Sunday evening from a trip to Denver, Colo. They were compelled to leave their car at Las Vegas on the trip north, on account of snow in Raton Pass. The roads were all right on their return.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Reser were visitors in Carlsbad Tuesday.

Col. Frank A. Linell is getting out a little after an illness of a few weeks.

J. D. Josey of Hope was transacting business in Artesia Saturday.

Prof. B. F. Kaiser was in town Saturday from the Kaiser ranch east of Dayton.

Among those entertaining at turkey dinners today are Mr. and Mrs. Dick Attebery and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hightower and daughter, Miss Jackie.

The Santa Fe Railway has made an application to the Interstate Commerce Commission to extend a branch line into Lea County.

Eighty-two children in the schools on Cottonwood have been immunized recently against diphtheria and twenty-eight against typhoid.

**SANTA FE CARLOADINGS**  
The Santa Fe System carloadings for week ending Nov. 27, were 21,761, compared with 20,765 for same week in 1942. Cars received from connections totaled 12,442, compared with 12,398 for same week in 1942. Total cars moved were 34,203, compared with 33,163 for same week in 1942. Santa Fe handled total of 36,873 cars in preceding week this year.

The city of Dubuque, Ia., was named after Julien Dubuque, French-Canadian trader.

Be a Combondo!

support a traffic officer? Stop this nuisance.

Very truly,  
W. E. Ragsdale.

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## Bus Schedule Changes

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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.

Depot Open 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

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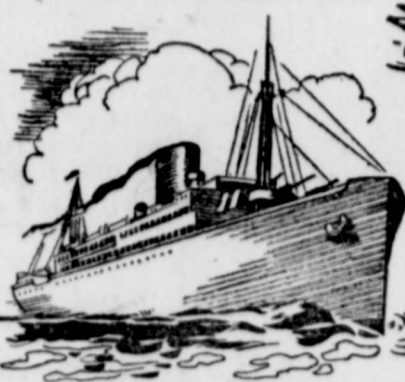
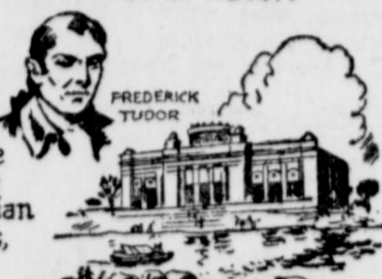
## Our Merchant Marine

### The Ice Trade



Frederick Tudor, 20-year-old merchantile genius, in 1805 sent a cargo of ice from Saugus, Mass., to Havana. By time of arrival his cargo had turned to water!

Undaunted, Tudor blanketed his ice with white pine sawdust, thereafter sold ice regularly to British West Indian planters, and to New Orleans, Charleston and Savannah.



American steamship companies have replaced the old ice trade with fleets of modern refrigerated ships now carrying perishable goods to all our fighting fronts.

By 1833, Tudor was selling New England ice to British merchants in Calcutta. Ice revived dwindling India-American trade.

The ice trade flourished for seventy years. Up to the invention of ice machinery in 1875, New England ice was sold in every sizeable tropical and subtropical city.

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## Troop Movement Equals Twenty-Six World Trips for Everyone in Eddy

Taking all of Eddy County's 24,311 people around the world in sleeping cars more than twenty-six times would be a tremendous undertaking, yet that is actually about the size of the troop movement job reported by The Pullman Company.

Since Pearl Harbor, Pullman has carried about 14,000,000 troops a distance of more than fifteen billion passenger miles in its sleeping cars, the company reports. These figures are said to cover mass military movements alone, and do not include the heavy travel of furloughed men and others.

Many of the boys from Eddy County, like servicemen from all parts of the country, are getting their first Pullman rides, according to George A. Kelly, vice president of the company. Now most of them are making six or seven trips by Pullman, as the intense training program of the armed services necessitates that many moves or more prior to embarkation for points abroad, he said.

In addition, the Army and Navy believe in all the comfort possible for the members of the armed forces, he declared, and about two-thirds of all military movements by rail are by Pullman sleeper.

Pullman is now carrying more than 800,000 troops every month in mass movements, it is revealed by Kelly, who pointed out that in addition to this heavy and steadily increasing military passenger burden, civilian travel itself is also at a record-breaking level. He believes that Pullman's passenger-mile volume for 1943 may exceed the 1942 all-time high of nineteen billion by 30 or more per cent.

"The military and civilian passenger burden of Pullman and the railroads today is so heavy," Kelly said, "that there is unfortunately little margin left for some of the conveniences travelers enjoyed in peacetime. Service today is wartime service, and by their under-

Attorney Joseph Schechter of Los Angeles asked that his case be called ahead of several others. "Your case will last two hours," protested the judge. "Your Honor, we'll be through in twenty minutes," Schechter promised, "or I'll pay \$1 for every minute over that to the War Chest." The hearing required fifty-five minutes—and the War Chest got \$55.

In Salt Lake City, Mrs. Lyle Ward, a newlywed, decided that every bit of metal counts, so she donated her can opener to the current scrap collection.

Rotenone destroys insects without impairing the edibility of green vegetables or fresh fruits.

standing and tolerance of this fact, travelers can help us greatly in the performance of our vital job."

**LIFE'S Little TROUBLES**

**-CAN'T SLEEP-**

No need to lie in bed—toss—worry and fret because CONSTIPATION or GAS PREVENTS SURE won't let you sleep. Be sensible—get up—take a dash of ADLER-I-KA

as directed, to relieve the pressure of large intestines on nerves and organs of the digestive tract. Adlerika assists old food wastes and gas through a comfortable bowel movement so that bowels return to normal size and the discomforts of pressure stop. Before you know it, you are asleep. Morning finds you feeling clean—refreshed and ready for a good day's work or fun. Get Adlerika from your druggist today.

Mann Drug Co.

## AN EMPTY HOUSE IS AN OPEN INVITATION



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S. O. Pottorff, Vice-Pres. Fred Cole, Asst. Cashier  
W. M. Linell, Asst. Cashier

## Lower Cottonwood

(Ora Buck)

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Norris entertained at a dinner Thanksgiving at their home on Cottonwood. The dinner was served buffet style. Those who enjoyed the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vogel and children; Mr. and Mrs. Luke Ray and children; Mr. and Mrs. Will Waldrip and son, Harold, and daughter, Bessie; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Taylor and son; Mr. and Mrs. John Norris of Hagerman; Dorothy and George Rex Norris and Lucille Norris of Santa Rosa; James Norris, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lamon and baby daughter.

Mrs. Noah Buck left the first of last week for Hot Springs, where she spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Ella Avant.

Lt. and Mrs. Joe Bill Funk of Fort Benning, Ga., are the parents of a son, John William, born Nov. 5, weight 7 pounds 4 ounces. John William is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse I. Funk of Cottonwood. Mrs. Funk is visiting her son and his wife and baby.

Friends here received word from Anastacio Navarette, who is in the Army, stationed at Camp Ellis, Ill., that he has been made a corporal. He will be remembered as being employed at Larry Knoedler's store before being inducted into the Army several months ago.

Cottonwood School was dismissed Wednesday evening of last week to Monday in observation of Thanksgiving.

A large number of Cottonwood people attended the show "Salute to the Marines," Monday night in Artesia.

Mrs. Jess Pool of Lake Arthur was honored with a miscellaneous shower at the Lake Arthur School

## Grazers Will Elect Board Members at Roswell Saturday

An Advisory Board election for the selection of a cattle representative from Eddy County and sheep representatives from Lea and Lincoln Counties to serve as members of the board of the Pecos grazing district will be held at the Chaves County courthouse in Roswell from 1:30 to 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Qualified voters are those who are holders of permits or licenses to graze cattle on the federal range within the district.

The earliest known system of written laws was the code of Hammurabi, king of Babylonia, which were promulgated about 2,350 B. C.

home economics room Saturday, Nov. 20. Refreshments of tea, coffee, and cake were served. Mrs. Pool, whose home was destroyed by fire a few weeks ago, received a large assortment of nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sartor and daughter, Neva Jo, and relatives of Carlsbad spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Sartor's sister in Clovis.

The Rev. Charles Rogers filled his regular appointment at the Cottonwood Church Sunday. A group of school children gave special numbers. Mrs. Orval Gray sang special numbers, accompanied by Miss Alma Lane at the piano. There were sixty-six persons in attendance at Sunday school and church.

Mrs. Lucille Norris, a teacher in Santa Rosa High School, spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Norris, and other relatives here.

## News Shorts

Senator Chavez styles the Connelly postwar peace resolution "so simple that anyone can understand it" and says it "contains the objective for the making of the peace." Before the Senate, Chavez challenged colleagues who have called the resolution vague and dubious, asking: "Would you amend that (simple language) with technical language and high-sounding phrases so as to confuse the people?"

New Mexico's state banks possessed resources of \$39,347,567 on Oct. 18, compared with \$34,616,870 on June 30, State Bank Examiner Woodlan P. Saunders reported. He said most of the gain was due to increased deposits.

State headquarters of the National War Fund drive issued a statement by State Chairman James M. Murray, Sr., of Hobbs saying that the drive, which had been scheduled to end Nov. 23, would be continued "until all coun-

ties reach their quotas." Fourteen counties already had reached their quotas, with fourteen more nearing their goals, and the state had subscribed 84 per cent of its \$242,000 quota, Director Frank McCarthy announced.

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Good Luck Margarine 1 Lb. 25c  
Sunny Bank Margarine 1 Lb. 17c  
Bake Right Shortening 3 Lbs. 66c

Pinto Beans 5 Lbs. 41c  
Van Camp Beans 17 1/2 Oz. Glass 14c  
Sunny Dawn Tomato Juice No. 2 Tin 11c  
Country Home Corn No. 2 Tin 14c

**SAFeway MEATS**

Smoked Jowls 19c  
Beef Rib 40c  
Beef Sirloin Steak 38c  
Wilson Ham, Whole 35c

**Miscellaneous Needs**

White Magic Bleach 13c  
Lifebuoy Soap 20c  
Lux Flakes 19c  
Palmolive Soap 3 for 20c  
Searchlite Matches 27c  
Strong Heart Dog Food 7c

Julia says—Plan Your Wartime Marketing

**Breakfast Ideas**

Post Tens 22c  
Morning Glory Oats 10c  
Post Toasties 12c  
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Mrs. Harold Kersey returned on Thanksgiving Day from Kirksville, Mo., where she had been visiting her parents six weeks.  
Miss Edna Carder, student at Eastern New Mexico College, Portales, was home for the Thanksgiving vacation. Miss Carder had her house guest Miss Ruth Wheeler.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Frisch and their daughter, Mrs. Wallace Hastings, and her little daughter, Paula, spent Thanksgiving in Clovis, Tex., with another daughter, Mrs. Perry Johnson. A third daughter, Mrs. Buford Chunn, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harrisburg, met them in Groom for the Thanksgiving holiday.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robertson, Carlsbad, were guests Thanksgiving Day in the R. L. Paris home.  
Mrs. Dave Bunting visited her daughter, Joysale, a sophomore at the University of Arizona, Tucson, last week, and also the other Arizona girls there, Miss Betty Smith, Miss Mamie Sue Roberts, and Miss Jodie Sears. Mrs. Bunting marveled at the climate there at this time of the year, the girls in the campus without coats and sweaters in full blossom in the garden. The four young ladies expect to arrive Dec. 17 for the Christmas vacation.  
Mrs. Ben Jarboe, Jr., and her children, Rosemary and Ben, of Hobbs accompanied Mr. Jarboe to the city Friday. Mrs. M. Feemster, who spent last week in Hobbs with her daughter, Mrs. Jarboe, and family, returned also.  
Mrs. Paul Leonard and her son, Jimmy, of Denver, came for the Thanksgiving vacation with her sister-in-law, Mrs. C. O. Fulton, and Mr. Fulton, who was home also from the Army Air Field.  
Capt. L. C. Reynolds and Mrs. Reynolds of Dayton, Ohio, were in last week transacting business and visiting friends. While they were in town they sold their residence property on Richardson Avenue to Mr. O. Miller. Mr. Reynolds is a former member of the faculty in the Artesia schools. The two children of Captain and Mrs. Reynolds were left with relatives in River, Mo.  
Miss Patsy Gormley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gormley, a student at Highlands University, Las Vegas, was here from Wednesday to Sunday for the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gormley, who is majoring in music, sang at the Methodist church Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. Baldwin, parents of C. R. Baldwin, were here Thanksgiving Day with their daughter and Mrs. Baldwin.  
Billy Buxton, brother-in-law of Mrs. Jack Buxton, was here for Thanksgiving. Young Buxton, who spent the last year in the Army, stationed in both the Aleutian Islands and Guadalcanal has been given a medical discharge. He was en route to his home in Louisiana from a hospital in Temple, Tex.  
Lillian Hightower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hightower, a student at University of Colorado, Boulder, returned home Friday and will not be able to return, as she has been ill in that state since going there in September. Miss Hightower hopes to be able to enter another university immediately.  
Mrs. Ray Lewis, a November bride, who accompanied her husband to Del Rio, Tex., and who has returned home, expects to be able to join her husband sometime after the first of the year.  
City Dog Catcher Dick Rowell reports that counterfeits are plying their talents in a new direction. Rowell said he picked up a dog wearing a counterfeit brass dog tag. "Some mas," said Rowell.  
Army engineers announced award of a contract in the amount of \$50,400 to the Reynolds Electrical and Engineering Company of El Paso for additional installations at Deming.  
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# Society

## Christmas Program At Woman's Club Distinguished Club Women Guests Christmas Tea Honoring Visitors

A delightful Christmas program was presented before the Artesia Woman's Club, Wednesday afternoon, by members of the Artesia Community Story League, at the club house, before a large audience of club women, of both the senior and junior clubs.

"The Story Lady's Christmas Eve," was presented by a cast of five, Mrs. Mark A. Corbin, the story lady, and the four spirits, each with a story of the "Christ Child," Mrs. Fletcher Collins, Mrs. Andy Corbin, Mrs. Sam Stewart and Mrs. William S. Cooley. The setting was an old fashioned living room on Christmas Eve, with flax wheel, antique furniture and Christmas greens from the forest. Each character in the cast added a contribution to the true spirit of Christmas which was felt by everyone in attendance. Mrs. Stanley Carper rendered a beautiful Russian composition on the piano.

The club was honored on this occasion by the presence of Mrs. Fred E. Dennis, Albuquerque, president of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. A. A. Kemnitz, Hobbs, president-elect, third district federation; Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Artesia, state chairman junior clubs; Mrs. Dave Bunting, treasurer-elect, third district and Mrs. C. R. Blocker, state treasurer, Mrs. R. D. Champion, Tularosa, prominent clubwoman in her community.

A beautiful Christmas tea was served from a laced covered table, centered with red carnations in crystal and lighted with burning red tapers in crystal, complimenting Mrs. Dennis, Mrs. Kemnitz and Mrs. Roberson. Mrs. Grady Booker, president, Artesia Woman's Club and Mrs. Wallace Hastings, president, Artesia Junior Women's Club, presided at the lovely double silver service. Mrs. David Saikin was chairman of entertainment.

## Artesians Guests At Dinner Dance At Prison Camp

Forty-six young women of Artesia were guests of Company 437 at a Thanksgiving dinner-dance at the Roswell Prisoner of War Camp Wednesday evening of last week. Mrs. H. R. Paton was official chaperone.

A delicious turkey dinner was served by German prisoners. The young women, who were in formal attire on this occasion, reported a delightful evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Paton, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sivley, Miss Mackie Richards, and Mrs. Maurice Painter were guests of Capt. and Mrs. George Stevens, Lt. Larry Connelly, and Lieutenant Painter at the camp for Thanksgiving dinner Thursday evening. Officers of the camp, their wives, and other guests enjoyed dancing after the dinner.

## MISS BETTY FLINT IS HONORED WITH OFFICE AT STEPHENS COLLEGE

Miss Betty Flint, daughter of Mrs. T. H. Flint, a student at Stephens College, Columbia, Mo., was recently elected secretary-treasurer of the Junior Hall House Council of Aviation Hall, Stephens College. Miss Flint, a student of aviation, made her first solo flight several weeks ago.

## CALENDAR of Coming Events

### THURSDAY (TODAY)

The 200th, Carl Whittaker, Albuquerque, guest speaker, pictures of boys in Philippines to be shown; charter night. Members of The 200th, their families, and friends interested are invited to attend, Legion hut, 7:30 p. m.

Christian Council, all-day meeting, church.

Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service, all-day meeting, church; morning, study period; afternoon, regular monthly program.

Presbyterian Woman's Association, all-day meeting, Mrs. R. L. Paris, hostess. Book review and study.

Baptist Woman's Missionary Society, Lottie Moon program and offering, church, 2 p. m.

### FRIDAY

P. E. O., Mrs. C. E. Mann, hostess, program Russian literature, 2:30 p. m.

### MONDAY

AWVS, city hall, 7:30 p. m. Wesleyan Guild, dinner meeting, church 7 p. m.

### TUESDAY

Atoka Woman's Club, Christmas party, S. O. Higgins home, 7 p. m. Not on last Tuesday as formerly announced.

### WEDNESDAY

All-day study meeting, Methodist women.

Literature Division, Woman's Club, "Our World" reviewed by Mrs. Albert Richards, Grady Booker home, 9:30 a. m.

### THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Christian Woman's Executive Council, breakfast meeting, Mrs. J. W. Jones, hostess, 9 a. m.

Christian Young Woman's Guild, Mrs. Ted Carder, hostess, Conoco Colony, 2:30 p. m.

## Mrs. Terry, Aged County Woman, Is 94 Years Old

Mrs. J. D. Terry, pioneer woman of Eddy County and the Pecos Valley, celebrated her ninety-fourth birthday at the Terry farm home southeast of the city Saturday, Nov. 13. A dinner was served honoring her.

It was a quiet celebration, with only two of her children from out of the state in attendance, Mrs. George Hunter, and Mr. Hunter, La Fayette, Ga., and Mrs. N. R. Stroud, Altus, Okla.

Children and grandchildren of this community in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Terry and Elmira; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry, Judal Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Gray and children, and Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Higgins.

Mrs. Terry is the wife of the late Rev. J. D. Terry, Methodist circuit rider, who brought his family to this valley during territorial days of New Mexico. Their farm home was named Beulah Land, which name it carries to day. Mrs. Terry still enjoys reasonably good health and is pleased when her old-time friends call.

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## Janice Mann Heads New Mexico Club At Baylor University

Miss Janice Mann, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mann, a sophomore at Baylor University, Waco, Tex., has been elected president of the New Mexico Club, a campus organization, which is made up of New Mexico students.

Miss Bernie Marie Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, a freshman at the university, has been elected reporter for the club.

## Miss Harper Weds Ensign J. Spence, Florida Ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Harper have announced the wedding of their daughter, Winnie Jo, and Ensign Jack Raymond Spence of the United States Naval Reserve Wednesday, Nov. 17, at Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

The Rev. John H. Hanger, Methodist minister, read the ceremony at the Methodist Park Temple Church. Wedding vows were exchanged by candlelight before the beautiful church altar. The bride was given in marriage by Lt. Jack Clark.

Mrs. Richard Hayner, bridesmaid, wore a powder-blue street frock, with matching accessories. Mrs. Jack Clark, matron-of-honor, wore navy blue with pink accessories. Lieutenant Richards of the United States Marine Corps Reserve acted as best man.

The bride wore a tailored blue wool suit, with gold accessories, in keeping with the Navy uniform of the bridegroom. Her flowers were a corsage of roses and gardenias, as were flowers of the other women in the wedding party. The bride, who attended Eastern New Mexico College, Portales, was popular on the campus and won many honors during her first year of college there. She was chosen "the most perfect girl of the Southwest" and was elected one of the "beauty queens" for that year.

Ensign Spence, Portales, attended Eastern New Mexico College also. He was popular on the college campus and a football star.

Mrs. Spence expects to remain with her husband at Fort Lauderdale until the first of the year, when he will be sent to another Naval Air Base. She then expects to return to the home of her parents in Artesia.

A reception honoring Ensign Spence and his bride was held in the "Over Sea" lounge at the camp after the wedding.

## Mrs. Linell Hostess Fortnightly Club

Mrs. Oren Roberts, Mrs. Ray King, and Mrs. Lloyd Simon were substituting guests Tuesday, when Mrs. William Linell entertained members of the Fortnightly Bridge Club. Members present were Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, Mrs. Lewis Story, Mrs. Landis Feather, Mrs. Hollis Watson, Mrs. Glenn Booker, Mrs. C. R. Blocker, Mrs. Leslie Martin, and Mrs. Albert Richards.

Mrs. Simon made the high contract score. The hostess served a delicious dessert course after the games.

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## Football Squad Is Honored by Fun Lovers Club

Members of the Artesia High School football squad, C. D. Marshall, principal of Artesia High School, and Mrs. Marshall; Wayne Riddle, coach, and Mrs. Riddle, and Warren Ratcliff, who has been one of the chief advisors of the coach, and Mrs. Ratcliff, were guests of members of the Fun Lovers Club, when they entertained with a Thanksgiving banquet last Thursday evening at the Carper Terrace.

Miss Betty Jane Everett, senior high school student, was crowned "Football Queen" for 1943 on this occasion. After being presented a lovely bouquet of flowers by the boys of the squad, she presided as toastmaster of the evening.

The long banquet table was centered with a unique centerpiece, a white football on a blanket of red and white carnations, lighted on either side by burning red and white tapers in crystal holders. Placecards represented miniature white footballs, and red and white carnations were used as favors.

The menu served consisted of "Kickoff" (cocktail); "Touchdown" (baked ham); "Trimmings" (cranberry sauce); "Left Tackle" (mashed potatoes); "Right Guard" (Brussels sprouts); "Quarterback" (scalloped corn); "Cheerleader Section" (fruit salad); "Referee's Whistle" (dessert); "Tnk Ala Java" (coffee).

A response was given by J. B. Champion to the welcome extended by Miss Everett to guests in attendance. Coach Riddle addressed the group on "Sportsmanship" and C. D. Marshall used for the subject of his remarks "Life's Goals."

## Garlen Stuart Is Five Years Old

Mrs. Garland Stuart honored her small daughter, Garlen, entertaining with a birthday party on her fifth anniversary Saturday afternoon at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. James Due of Loco Hills.

Celebrating with Garlen were Jimmy and Yvonne Dew, J. D. Swinford, Ray and Edith Northam, William and Mary Lou Foster, Duwain Young, Johnnie Chester, Minnie Heffington, Frances Eddie Atwood, and Glen Davis.

The honoree received many lovely gifts. Light refreshments were served after an hour of games.

## Mrs. Coll Hostess First Afternoon Club

Mrs. A. B. Coll entertained members of the First Afternoon Bridge Tuesday afternoon and one substituting guest, Mrs. A. G. Glasser who held high score at the conclusion of the games.

Other enjoying the rounds of contract were Mrs. L. A. DeLouse, M. W. Evans, Jeff Hightower, B. E. Kennedy, Hise Myers, G. U. McCrary, Beecher Rowan, J. M. Story, J. J. Clark and James Nellis.

The hostess served a light dessert course to her guests.

## MISS BARTLETT IS ON HONOR ROLL AT WARD-BELMONT

Miss Shirley Bartlett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, a sophomore at Ward-Belmont, Nashville, Tenn., has been named on the mid-semester honor roll. Miss Bartlett is expected home soon for the Christmas vacation.

## REBEKAH BENEFIT

Coffee and doughnuts will be served at the I.O.O.F. Hall, 510 W. Main Street, Saturday, Dec. 4, 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. Everybody invited. 48-1tc

## Browns Celebrate Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Brown celebrated their thirty-fifth wedding anniversary Monday evening when their son, J. W., and Mrs. Brown were hosts at an anniversary dinner, complimenting their parents.

Carroll Borwn and Miss Ora Bowman were married at the Bowman farm about five miles from Artesia on November 29, 1908.

## The Red Cross Bandage Quota Behind Schedule

Only thirty-seven women reported during the week at the surgical dressing rooms at Red Cross headquarters. Only 1,604 of the 16,000 bandages were folded, taking 133 hours. Mrs. C. G. Ross headed the list with nine hours to her credit.

Red Cross instructors had hoped to finish this quota before the holidays in order that everyone might enjoy the season and have more time to spend with her family, but this will not be possible unless many more women give of their time during the next three weeks. There are hundreds of women in this and surrounding communities who are not either knitting or sewing for the Red Cross, who might report for service at Red Cross headquarters, where instructors will be found at all times to assist or train workers.

Women are asked to check the list below and if their name is not there, check again next week for better results:

Women folding bandages this last week were Mmes. Earl Bigler, D. M. Burns, A. W. Boyce, Abe Conner, A. C. Crozier, Harold Crozier, O. J. Carson, Roger Durand, Ira Dixon, L. P. Evans, M. H. Evans, T. H. Flint, L. B. Feather, W. H. Gilmore, W. C. Gray, G. H. Harris, Fred Jacobs, Elsie Kissinger, George King, I. C. Keller, L. D. Lock, Pete Loving, M. A. McLean, E. A. Metzger, M. Potter, R. L. Paris, C. G. Ross, John Runyan, Floyd Springer, B. E. Spencer, Lloyd Simon, Jack Shaw, B. B. Thorpe, and J. W. Webb and Misses Ruth Bigler, Frances Emmons, and Cora Rogers.

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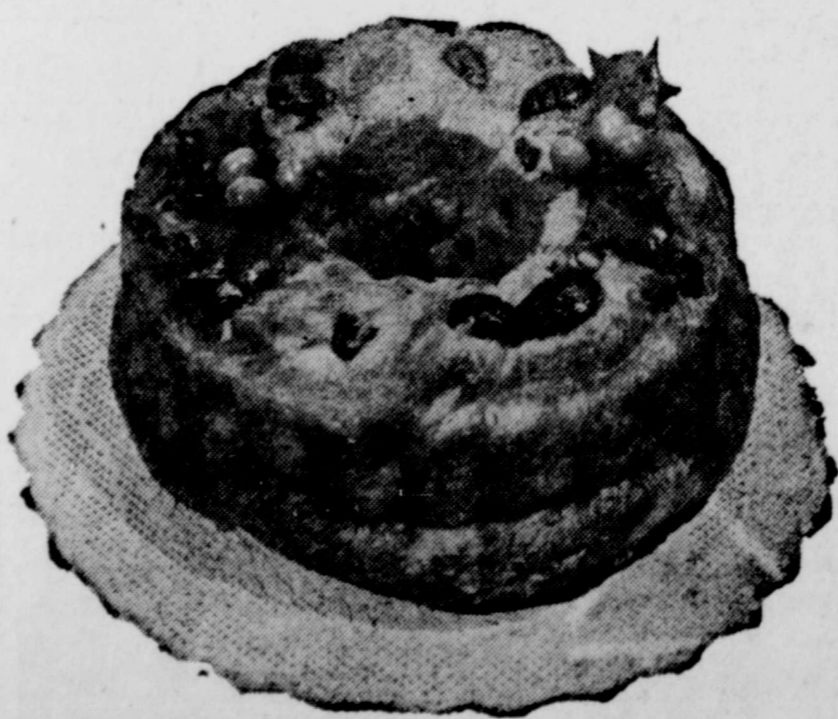
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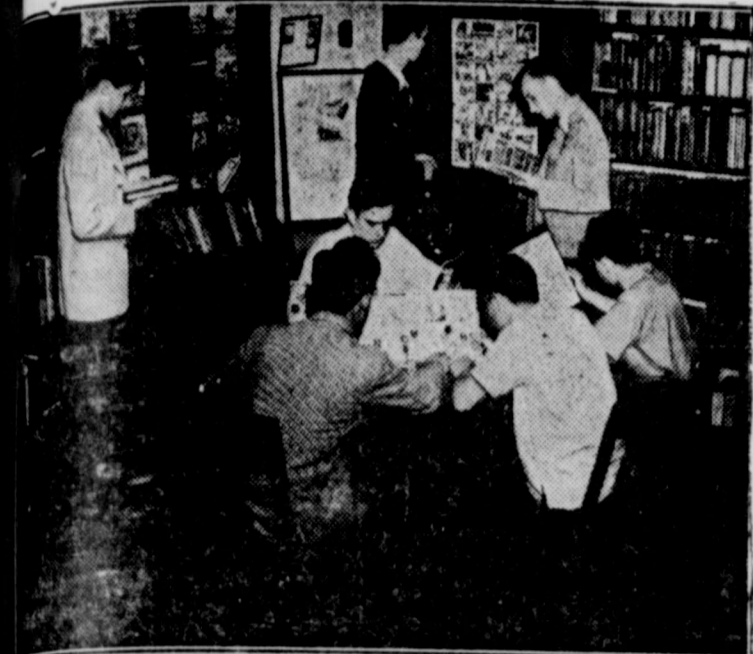
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### Hospital News

Mrs. Everett Holt are parents of a son, John Raymond, born at 8:10 o'clock Wednesday evening of last week, weight 12 ounces.

Mrs. Jessie Lee Carver are the parents of a son, Sherman, born at 6:32 o'clock last evening, weight 6 1/2 pounds 10 ounces.

Mrs. B. R. Chandler, Arthur, are the parents of a daughter, Mamie Caroline, born at 10:04 o'clock Sunday morning, weight 7 pounds 10 ounces.

Bryan Runyan, Penasco Valley Hospital, was a medical patient Saturday to Tuesday. He was dismissed very much improved.

Mae Fuller, daughter of Mrs. John Fuller, Sacramento, underwent an emergency appendectomy Tuesday. This is the second Fuller daughter to undergo an appendectomy within a few weeks.

Julia Savoie, a medical patient at the hospital for several days, but who has been at the home of her son, Bryan Savoie, the last few weeks, was released to the hospital on Thanksgiving Day. Her condition is now very good.

R. L. Parker, a medical patient since Friday, is improving.

Trinidad Gonzales underwent an appendectomy Saturday.

### Wives Celebrate Wedding Anniversary

Mrs. William Foster of the Oilfield community celebrated their thirty-ninth wedding anniversary Friday evening, serving a turkey dinner with all the trimmings and having as their guests their children and grandchildren.

Children present were Mr. and Mrs. Karl Foster, William James and Mary Lou; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Foster and little Lynn McKinridge. The hosts were presented a lovely anniversary gift on this occasion.

### Church Activities

#### Communion Service

A presentation of a communion service was made at the Methodist Church Sunday, one which the late Mr. J. D. Terry and Mrs. Terry personally had presented to the Artesia Methodist Church. This church was closed by the conference this year and recently the building has been moved to Carlsbad and is being remodeled and will be known as the Hillcrest Methodist Church. Mrs. Terry, who celebrated her ninety-fourth birthday last week, transferred her membership to the Artesia church also.

#### Methodist Women

The first of a series of three, a study course, was held Tuesday by the women of the Methodist Society of Christian Service at the church. Mrs. C. A. Clark presided by Mrs. George Frisch and Mrs. R. O. Cowan conducted the study on "We Who Are Americans," which is a study of all the people of the Americas and our part in preserving a democracy for all. The second of the study course is being held this morning and the last to be held Wednesday, Dec. 8, morning study beginning at 9:45 a. m. and afternoon at 1 p. m.

**BEREKAH BENEFIT**  
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## NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

A/C Charles N. (Chuck) Baldwin, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, is a member of an eager class of aviation cadets at Garden City (Kan.) Army Air Field, who have arrived at that basic flying school from various primary schools in the Central Flying Training Command, anxious to begin their basic phase of flight training. These potential pilots, who have completed sixty hours of primary training, will take nine weeks of intensive air and ground schooling at Garden City, after which they will be assigned to advanced schools for the final phase of their instruction. The coveted silver wings of the United States Army Air Forces will be awarded them upon their graduation from the advanced course. Cadet Baldwin attended the University of New Mexico from 1939 through 1942, after graduating from Artesia High School with the class of 1939. He completed primary pilot training at Victory Field, Vernon, Tex.

of town, has bought himself a bicycle, for which he paid 8 pounds, he said in a letter in which he disclosed that he was in England.

Sgt. Elmer P. O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Brien, who received a medical discharge from the Army about two weeks ago, is now at home. He had been at Percy Jones General Hospital, Battle Creek, Mich., from where he came home a few weeks ago on a medical furlough, while recovering from the loss of his left hand in one of the war zones.

Cpl. Arthur Finley was in Sicily, when he recently wrote a letter just received by Dick Ray. In it Corporal Finley said he had seen "one big show" and that although he would not want to go through another, he would not have missed the one for anything.

Mrs. A. L. Brock received a letter Wednesday from her son, Tommie Brock, shipfitter third class, U. S. Navy, saying that he had arrived safely in the British Isles. It was the first letter from him in three weeks.

Cpl. James W. Boggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boggs of north

Pfc. Earl Raymond Kennedy, son of Mrs. J. W. Kennedy, is now attending an armament school at Lowery Field, Denver, Colo. He received his basic training at Sheppard Field, Tex., from last March 17 to Sept. 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spivey of San Jose, Calif., formerly of Artesia, have received a letter from their son, Leonard, who is a prisoner of war of the Germans, in which he said he was all right and sounded rather cheerful, they have written. However, he asked that they send him some onion or garlic seasoning, which Mr. and Mrs. Spivey interpreted to mean the meat is not of the best and needs a bit of camouflage. Mrs. Spivey was decorated for her son at Salinas Air Base, receiving the Air Medal and Oak Leaf Cluster.

Gene Felton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Felton of the Cottonwood, who was training at the Naval Training Station at San Diego, Calif., sailed in November for the South Pacific.

## AMERICAN HEROES



While making his way back to the hospital—he was a walking hospital case—Master Gunnery Sergeant James G. Blalock spotted a group of Japs in the underbrush. Drawing his pistol, he entered the thicket and came out with nine Jap prisoners.

Marine Sergeant Blalock now wears the Silver Star, awarded him for conspicuous gallantry in that Solomon Islands action. He can be proud of such a record. Can you be equally proud of your Bond buying record?

Jeff Hightower, who has been ill for several weeks and confined to his home and bed, is very little improved.

Mrs. Olen Featherstone and her infant son returned last week from a visit at her former home and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sopp, at Brandon, Manitoba, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lanning and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keinath went to El Paso the first of the week for the purpose of buying materials for the Lanning farm home, which is under construction.

Mrs. Edgar Williamson has returned home from Fort Bayard where she has spent the last two years on the nurses staff at the Veterans Hospital located there. Mrs. Williamson expects to take a long needed rest and enjoy her new home here with her husband here.

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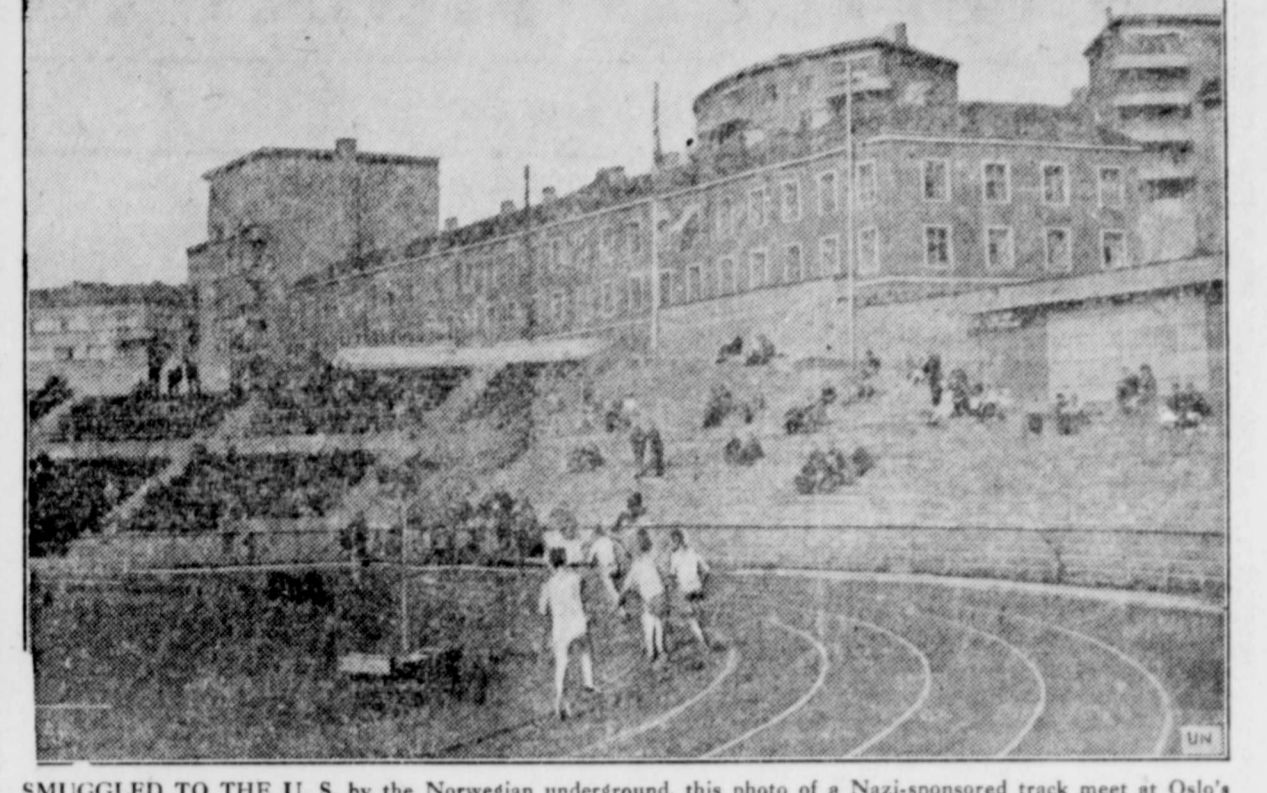
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## Norwegians Boycott Nazi Sports Event



SMUGGLED TO THE U. S. by the Norwegian underground, this photo of a Nazi-sponsored track meet at Oslo's famed Bislet stadium speaks for itself. This August track meet—to Norwegians what the World Series is to Americans—was this year a scene for an effective, silent demonstration of resistance to German occupation—as the handful of spectators in German uniforms testify. The stadium seats 30,000 persons. For three years the 300,000 members of the Norwegian Athletic Union have flatly refused to take part in Nazi-staged events. Many of them, including the world's champion ski-jumper Birger Ruud, are in concentration camps as a result.

### WPB Official Will Make Monthly Call Here Next Tuesday

A representative of the Albuquerque office of the War Production Board will be at the Chamber of Commerce office in Artesia next Tuesday to confer with persons having problems in regard to building or repairs, or other questions having to do with the WPB rulings.

This will be the monthly visit to Artesia by a WPB official, continuing the regular calls established a few months ago.

### Sammy Duncan, 75, Dies Saturday at Artesia Hospital

Sammy Duncan, about 75 years old, formerly of Curry County, where he lived for thirty years, died early Saturday morning at Artesia Memorial Hospital, where he had been a patient since Oct. 15. He evidently had suffered a stroke prior to being taken to the hospital, for he had lost his speech. He was cared for at the Burlison home at Hope since last February, until being taken to the hospital.

Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery here Sunday.

Little is known of the life history of Mr. Duncan, other than that he was born in 1868. He had no known relatives.

Dick Land, a former resident of Artesia, has returned here after an absence of about three years. He came here from Los Angeles.

Mountain apple sauce and jelly, and even stewed apples, not rationed at my place. Why not come and get your apples now? Don't be like the ant and grasshopper. Bean Bailey, 110 Richardson, phone 239. 44-tfc

### Internal Revenue to Scrutinize Farmers' Dec. 15 Returns

A tip to Eddy County farmers, as well as all farmers of the nation, was given in his Tuesday column, "The Washington Merry-Go-Round," by Drew Pearson, when he disclosed that Internal Revenue officials will scrutinize carefully the Dec. 15 income tax returns for farmers, who were exempt from the Sept. 15 returns.

The reason, he said, is that farm accounting generally is a casual business, and many farmers make only a wild guess at their income.

### H. L. MUNCY BUYS CALIFORNIA PROPERTY

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Muncy, who recently returned to California, after being home for only one month, have bought residential property in Los Angeles, a six-room house, well improved and beautifully landscaped, located about two blocks from their daughter, Mrs. John Beckett. Mr. Muncy, who returned to the coast on account of his health, and Mrs. Muncy have moved to their new home. Their daughter, Mrs. George Williams, who accompanied them to California, returned last week and reported her father improving.

L. R. Sperry of Richmond, Calif., an old-timer of the Pecos Valley and father of Wesley Sperry, and his wife came Tuesday and are visiting the son and his family. The elder Mr. and Mrs. Sperry are making a trip on which they are visiting their children. Mr. Sperry is employed in the Kaiser shipyards at Richmond as a welder.

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### News Shorts

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"Firefly glass" is made of synthetic resin.

Brahms made his first concert appearance at the age of 14.

The sandal was the everyday shoe of the ancient Greeks.

Lead crayons were used by the Aztecs at the time of Cortez.

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Foreseeing the vital role such an instrument would play in war, Major Davis (Pat O'Brien) of the Army Air Forces gives a striking demonstration of the Norden bomb sight before Army generals and Congressional leaders in "Bombardier," coming to the Ocotillo Theater Sunday through Tuesday. This brings about the adoption of the device and the establishment of a training school where bombardier students can learn to operate it.

His rival and friend, Captain Oliver (Randolph Scott), snorts at Davis' beliefs, but when Davis is sent to command the training school Oliver goes along to pilot one of the instructing planes—and incidentally to make love to Davis' pretty secretary, Burt Hughes (Anne Shirley).

Among the first students at the school are Burt's brother Tom (Eddie Albert), Jim Carter (Walter Reed), Joe Connors (Robert Ryan), Chito Rafferty (Richard Martin) and Paul Harris (Russell Wade). Hard-boiled Sergeant Dixon (Barton MacLane), Davis' right-hand man, is on duty.

Under Davis' driving guidance, the youngsters learn the secrets of the Norden instrument and how to apply them in practice. Jim Carter cuts out the jealous Oliver in Burt's affections. Oliver's recklessness causes a tragic accident in which Tom Hughes is killed. Burt, grief-stricken, goes away before Oliver can see her and explain.

When the Japs strike at Pearl Harbor, Davis is justifiably happy over his small army of trained bombardiers, who soon begin to score on Axis targets around the world. Promoted to a colonelcy, Davis takes a squadron of Flying Fortresses to a secret base in the South Pacific, and prepares a night bombing raid over Tokio's largest war factories.

Oliver is sent on ahead to drop incendiaries to illuminate the tar-

### New Mexico People Aid War Effort On Home Front's Fight for Freedom

"Food Fights for Freedom" is not an empty slogan in New Mexico; it is a living reality for which thousands of men and women throughout the state have assumed a definite responsibility, says Mrs. Dorothy Hanny of the New Mexico Extension Service.

During 1943, New Mexico families canned 11,719,593 quarts of food. This food was canned by farmers, ranchers, women living in small towns, and women living in larger centers. Some of it was the produce from the thousands of Victory gardens grown all over the state. In addition to the food canned, there has been about 2,364,990 pounds of food conserved by methods other than canning, such as drying, storing, brining, and freezing.

These figures show what a tremendous effort has been made by the people of New Mexico to aid the war effort on the home front. In past years, according to figures received from county extension agents, there has never been more than 1,000,000 containers canned in the state in any one year. There has never been more than 500,000 pounds of food conserved by other methods, during one year.

Besides the actual work involved in this tremendous food conservation effort, the people accomplished it under trying circumstances. There aren't enough pressure cookers to go around and there has been a limit to the number that could be obtained. The number of containers is also limited. This situation gave rise

to adopting methods other than canning by which food could be conserved. Even so, equipment in these fields, such as dehydration and freezing, has been inadequate. Everywhere people are saying "give us more food preservation equipment."

Of the total amount of food canned, about half a million containers were put up in the thirty-six food preservation centers scattered over the state. There were twenty-two of these centers that were available to both rural and urban people.

It seems to be the consensus of opinion among the people of New Mexico that their chief need is for food preservation equipment. If that is supplied, they are willing to do the rest. They have shown that they can produce the food and are willing to conserve it up to the limit of available facilities.

State income tax payers remitted \$205,184 to the Income Tax Division in October, compared with \$83,742 in October, 1942, State Revenue Commissioner J. O. Gallegos reported. Compared with October a year ago, Gallegos also reported, the gasoline tax fell to \$352,283 from \$411,363; the driver's license was up from \$2,701 to \$2,999; and the succession tax decreased from \$6,088 to \$5,246.

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**WARRANTY DEED**  
Dave Bunting et ux to Juanita Denton, lot 6, block 15, Blair Addition, Artesia, \$300.  
Grace Wetig and Florence Doolley to Francisco Vera, lots 7, 8, block 7, Smith Subdivision, Fairview Addition, Artesia, \$95.  
E. M. Fuller et ux to Edward Stone et ux, lot 16, block 12, Artesia Improvement Co. Addition, \$10 etc.  
George E. Currier to Julia Trueblood, lot 5, block 20, Forest Hill Addition, Artesia, \$10 etc.  
Beatrice B. Woelk et vir to Harold Hancox, lots 9, 11, block 34, Artesia Improvement Co. Addition, \$10 etc.  
Clyde J. Tidwell et ux to R. C. Cockburn, lot 3, Barton Subdivision, lot 4, block 5, Roselawn, \$10 etc.  
Owen Haynes et ux to T. W. Thomason et ux, lot 7, block 12, Chisholm Addition, Artesia, \$1.  
**QUIT CLAIM DEED**  
Elzie Swift et ux to Pearl White-side, lots 1, 3, 4, 6, block 22, Artesia Heights, \$10 etc.  
Joe A. Combs et ux to Howard Ham, lots 9, 12, block 9, Morningside Addition, Artesia, \$10 etc.

**DISTRICT COURT**  
No. 8327. George M. Williams vs J. T. Rives et ux, to quiet title.  
No. 8328. Charles E. Logan et al vs. Emro Chemical Corp. et al, suit.  
No. 8329. Anice Garner vs. Barney Garner, divorce.  
No. 8330. In the matter of designation of a district judge to try insanity cases.  
No. 8332. B. E. Spencer et ux vs. Francis R. Welch et al, to quiet title.

At Twin Falls, Idaho, Domino, the Dalmation dog which escaped while being crated for shipment to a training center, is back in the Army. Credit for returning the K-9 recruit to the service of his country goes—of course—to William Dye, city dog catcher.

The American Institute of Laundering came clean and admitted it was organizing its women employees into an alphabetical organization. The name of the new group: Women Active in Safeguarding Health — WASH — for short.

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO**  
**OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER**  
**ORDER OF STATE ENGINEER**  
(Final Inspection of Underground Water Projects by Registered Engineers or Land Surveyors)  
WHEREAS, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, the State Engineer is empowered to formulate rules and regulations for the administration of the underground water statutes of the State of New Mexico and WHEREAS, it appears necessary for a proper and accurate determination for the rights to be acquired, or to be changed, through any underground water permit granted by the State Engineer that it be carefully examined and certified by a registered professional engineer and/or land surveyor of the state, qualified to make such inspection and certificate.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Thomas M. McClure, State Engineer of the State of New Mexico, do hereby order that, before license shall be issued by me under any permit to appropriate or change place or method of use of underground waters, a final field inspection and report shall be made thereon by a qualified registered professional engineer and/or land surveyor approved by the State Engineer, such inspection and report to be made

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at the permittee's expense and to determine fully and accurately the water rights involved, the lands irrigated, etc., all as set forth in the printed instructions issued by the State Engineer in authorizing such inspections and reports.  
WITNESS my hand and seal this 24th day of August, A. D., 1943.  
THOMAS M. McCLURE,  
47-37-49 State Engineer.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF  
EDDY COUNTY  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
IN THE MATTER OF THE  
ESTATE OF GRACE ESTELL  
SHEARMAN, Deceased.  
No. 1113  
**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR**  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed as administrator of the estate of Grace Estell Shearman, deceased by Honorable J. T. Hardin, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico and has qualified as such.  
All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file or present the same as provided by law within six months from November 18, 1943, the date of the first publication of this notice, or the same will be barred.  
JOHN S. SHEARMAN,  
46-41-49 Administrator.

**NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT**  
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
TO: Roy S. Lowe, Defendant impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: Roy S. Lowe, May Goinz Lowe; the following named defendants if living, to-wit: Walter M. Daugherty, Bessie C. Daugherty, Homer Cooper, Flora Cooper and all Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises adverse to the Plaintiffs.  
GREETING:  
You, and each of you are hereby notified that an action has been commenced and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein Joseph Robert Lee and Mildred L. Lee are plaintiffs and you and each of you are defendants, said cause being No. 8331 on the civil docket of said court.

You are further notified that the general object of the action is to quiet title in the plaintiffs against all adverse claims of the defendants in and upon the following real estate situated in the County of Eddy and State of New Mexico, to-wit:  
The east seventy acres of the east half of the northwest quarter of section thirteen, township 17 south, range 25 east, N.M.P.M. Together with one-half interest in and to the water well and pump located on the south 60 acres of the

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**NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP**  
Notice is hereby given that partnership between V. L. Hobbbs and W. P. Reilly, doing business under the firm name "General Supply Company at Artesia, Mexico was dissolved on the day of November, 1943. All due to the said partnership to be paid and those due of the "General Supply Company in Pampa, Texas, the place of business of the said V. L. Hobbbs and/or at the place of business of "General Supply Company, Artesia, New Mexico, whose business will be continued by said V. L. Hobbbs under the "General Supply Company", November 1st, 1943.  
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**COTTON FIGHTS FOR FREEDOM**

**COTTON VICTORY in the DESERT**  
TEN PERCENT OF THE NATION'S COTTON SUPPLY ANNUALLY GOES INTO THE MANUFACTURE OF TIRES. THE FABRIC IN 1942 CONSISTED OF 94% COTTON. IN NORTH AFRICA, ONE OF THE HOTTEST TERRAINS ON EARTH, AMERICAN TIRES STOOD UP ALL THE WAY FROM TUNIS TO CAIRO. EVIDENCE OF THE STRENGTH OF COTTON IN A DRAMATIC WAY.

THE FACT THAT 29 ITEMS OF CLOTHING AND 14 BAR-RACKS ITEMS SUPPLIED EACH AMERICAN SOLDIER ARE MADE OF COTTON, SHOWS THE VITAL IMPORTANCE OF THE NATION'S SECOND MOST IMPORTANT WAR PRODUCT.... APPROXIMATELY 40% OF THE WORLD'S COTTON IS CULTIVATED IN THE UNITED STATES.... ON JULY 1, 1943, OVER 34,000 SQUARE MILES OF COTTON WAS BEING GROWN IN THIS COUNTRY... THIS IS EQUALS A LITTLE LESS THAN HALF THE TOTAL AREA OF GERMANY BEFORE THE WAR... OF THE 1943 CROP EXCLUDING COTTON LINTERS, USED IN EXPLOSIVES, APPROXIMATELY 70% WILL GO DIRECTLY INTO THE WAR EFFORT. THE UNITED STATES ARMY QUARTERMASTER CORPS IS THE BIGGEST USER!!!

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(A. Bradley)

... a red letter day at Sunday school... a few more at the 2... A special song... rendered by the pri... classes. G. W. ... "God Bless Amer... Seals and Jimmie... each led the group... special songs with Miss... at the piano. The... Rev. Charles Rogers... fine message at the 2... There will be a bas... served in the basem... with the second Sunday... and everyone in the... urged to come, bring... dinner, and enjoy the... and church services... dinner with their... neighbors.

Mrs. Fred Chambers... their home Thank... honoring their son... Chambers and his wife... field, Ill., with a din... were laid for the hon... Mrs. John Chambers of... and Mrs. Walter... Mr. and Mrs. Cecil... Mr. and Mrs. Ed... and little daughter... Maljamar, Mr. and... Chambers and son, Or... Mr. Chambers' father...

Mrs. D. A. Bradley... at a Thanksgiving... the home of Mr. and... Hollway in Hagerman... day. This was the thir... Thanksgiving dinner the... enjoyed in the Holli...

Kimball returned to... near Artesia last Thurs... visiting in the home of... Mrs. Douglas O'Ban... Mr. O'Bannon several...

Mrs. H. V. Parker and... Mrs. Harold Green, were... Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Monroe Howard... and little grand... home Sunday night... where they en... Thanksgiving holidays... Howard's parents, who... residents of this com... recently had a stroke... side, is much better... to sit up, but it will... before she can walk.

Mrs. Kersey Funk en... with a Thanksgiving... their home. Turkey and... mmings were served at... covers were laid for the... Ribble, pastor of the... Christ in Dexter, and... Mrs. Southard and... Mrs. Tom Caffell and... and daughter; and Mr... Kermit Southard and... all of Dexter, and Mr... Elva Southard and... Norma Jo, and sons... Bobby, and the hosts and... children.

Mrs. D. A. Bradley had... guests at a dinner Sun... Rev. and Mrs. Chester... of Lake Arthur.

State Oil Conservation... has set New Mexico's... crude oil allowable at... barrels daily, which is un... from November.

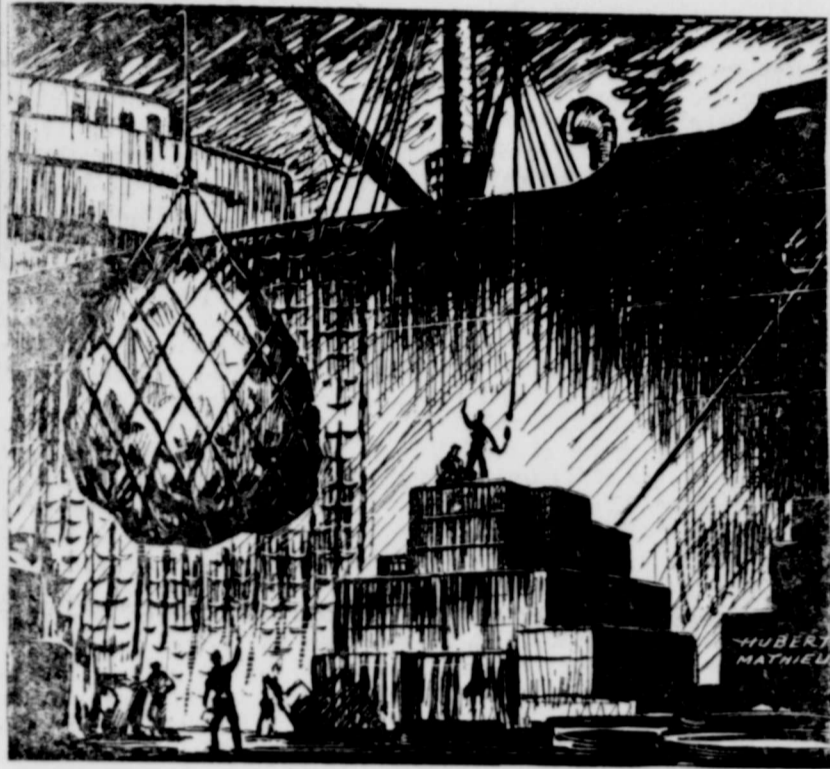
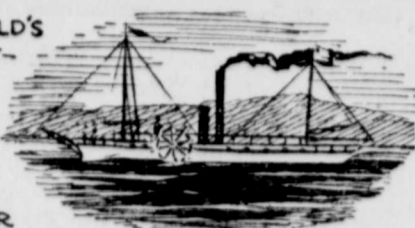
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### Honorable Service Buttons Will Be Worn by Those Honorably Discharged

An honorable service button, to be worn on civilian clothes, has been authorized for men and women discharged under honorable conditions from active duty in the Navy, Coast Guard, and Marine Corps, the design the same as that authorized by the War Department for those honorably discharged from the Army, standardized the emblem for all persons honorably separated from the armed forces.

The buttons will be issued to officers and enlisted personnel without cost, provided such men were honorably discharged since Sept. 9, 1939. Former naval personnel may apply for a button in person at any Naval Training Station, Receiving Station, or hospital, or in writing to the Bureau of Naval Personnel, Navy Department, Washington, D. C.

Those who served in the Marine Corps may apply at any Marine Corps procurement office, or write to the commandant, U. S. Marine Corps, Washington, D. C. Former Coast Guard personnel may call for the emblems at any district Coast Guard office or write to Coast Guard headquarters, Washington, D. C.

Former enlisted personnel must present or forward their discharges as evidence of their eligibility to receive the award. The discharge in all cases will be forwarded together with the buttons. In the case of a discharged officer, the original and one certified copy of the orders placing him on inactive status are required.

Those being honorably discharged from the service in the future will be awarded the service button at the time of their separation from the branch of the armed force with which they served.

Keep 'em firing—with junk!

For the twelfth consecutive year, the Karvas Brothers have bagged an elk. John Karvas made the 1943 kill. He was the first of a party of eleven Taos county hunters to return successfully from a special season in West Ve-mejo Park.



### News Shorts

Four men who left their native France fifty years ago to become Catholic missionaries in far-away New Mexico celebrated their golden jubilee in the priesthood Nov. 23. The Cathedral of St. Francis in Santa Fe was packed as Archbishop Edwin V. Byrne and the jubilarians simultaneously celebrated the mass. Such an event, honoring four jubilee celebrants at the same time, was said to be without parallel in any diocese of the church in this country. The four were the Rt. Rev. Monsignor Joseph Giraud, 73; Father Maxime Mayeux, 74, and Father Henry LeGuillou, 73, all of Santa Fe, and Father Calude Balland, 73, of Pecos.

Death of Walter D. Bradley from injuries he allegedly received while doing cement work for the commissioners of Eddy County, resulted in settlement for \$1,750 under the Workmen's Compensation Act, an order filed in District Court at Albuquerque disclosed. Claim under the act was filed against the Eddy County commissioners and North Amsterdam Casualty Company, by Claude L. Bradley for Walter C. and Marvin D. Bradley, children of the deceased.

The likeness of a private who was born at Taos, first of his rank to be awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor in this war, soon will appear on new War Bond posters to be distributed throughout the nation. The hero was 34-year-old Joe Martinez of Ault, Colo., honored posthumously for his courageous feat of leading an American charge across a plateau on bleak Attu Island before Japanese machine gun fire cut him down.

Leaving his post at New Mexico Selective Service headquarters, where he has been attached since its creation three years ago, Maj. George R. Ferrill has left for Los Angeles, where he has been assigned temporarily to duty with the southern district of California Selective Service headquarters.

In an alley in Clovis a deep ditch is being dug. A youngster, about 5 years old, stood on the edge of the ditch for a few minutes watching operations. The ditch is six feet deep and fifty feet long. "Hi, sonny," said one of the diggers. "Hi, mister," said the youngster, "ain't you found any worms yet?"

Sap the Jap—keep firin' with iron.

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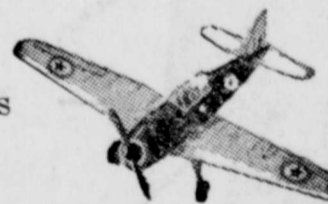
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# KNOW YOUR NEIGHBOR

## CHRISTMAS IN LATIN AMERICA

Christmas observances in the neighboring American Republics, twenty of them, are almost as diverse as the countries themselves, though a measure of uniformity is provided by the common religious background brought over from the Old World. Delightful traditions and customs are present in each country, to give a particular flavor to the day.

Several factors contribute to make the celebration below the Rio Grande quite different from the holiday in the United States. Poor old Santa would have to go to the highest peaks of the Andes, or to the southern tip of South America, to find snow for his sleigh, and there wouldn't be many people in either place. Besides, December is a summer month in several of the countries, and the others are near the equator. And needless to say, Santa Claus would have no chimney to climb down in these warm climes.

North American school children eagerly look forward to the week's holiday at Christmas, but in many countries of Latin America the Yule season marks the beginning of the long summer vacation, an attraction which rivals that of Christmas itself.

The religious significance of Christmas prevails in the southern republics, and the season lasts from Dec. 25 to the Feast of the Three Kings on Jan. 6. In fact, the latter date often overshadows Christmas Day in the exchange of gifts, which are brought by the Three Kings and not by Santa Claus. One of the most beautiful ceremonies is Misa de Gallo, or Midnight Mass, in stately old cathedrals and in the humblest mountain chapel, where the joyous chanting of boys' voices resounds throughout the region. In many homes, reproductions of the scene at Bethlehem occupy entire rooms. Some are traditionally magnificent and are open to the public.

Brazilian children hang their stockings on their beds, as they have no fireplaces, so that Papa Noel may fill them with presents. In some sections, they place their shoes outside the bedroom door with a note inside, but the greater capacity of stockings probably dooms this older custom. Such typical mid summer outdoor festivities as fireworks, boating, and picnics amuse the grown-ups.

Argentines stroll to Misa de Gallo in the warm summer air to celebrate "Navidad," but there is no Santa Claus or Christmas tree to gladden the hearts of children. In Ecuador and Venezuela the Christmas season is "Pascua," and San Nicolas (good old St. Nick) puts presents on Venezuelan children's beds and in their stockings in Ecuador. A typical Yule dish in Venezuela is meat or chicken pie covered with banana leaves.

Christmas in Mexico has an especial charm and follows a tradition handed down through the centuries. Called the "Posadas," from the Spanish word meaning an inn or lodging place, it is based on the hardships experienced by the Holy Family in finding shelter, and extends over a period of days. Various rooms of the house are decorated, the most attractive being the parlor or living room, where an altar is erected with a representation of the Nativity. A procession with lighted candles, led by the children, passes through the different rooms of the house and patio, asking shelter only to meet with rebuff, until finally admitted amid great rejoicing into the main room.

The religious aspect of Christmas represented by the Posada is transformed on Christmas Day into a joyous celebration featured by the "pinata," an earthenware jar, gaily decorated, which is filled with candy, nuts and fruits and suspended in the center of a patio, or courtyard. Blindfolded children, armed with sticks, take turns trying to break the pinata. When one succeeds, all scramble for the liberated "goodies," amidst the laughter characteristic of light-hearted youngsters.

WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

### Fat Salvage ABC

**B** is for BONES used to burn Berlin



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## News Shorts

Tom Mayfield, Lordsburg school superintendent, is the new president of the New Mexico Educational Association, which will hold its annual 1944 convention in Albuquerque. Selection of Mayfield in a mail vote by association members and designation of Albuquerque as the convention city were reported by R. J. Mullins, executive secretary of the association. Mayfield won the office with 1,261 votes against 1,072 for his opponent, Adelino Sanchez, Belen superintendent. The Lordsburg school man will succeed Tom Wiley, now head of the Springer Industrial School for Boys. Mrs. Mary Watson, elementary education supervisor of the State Department of Education, was elected to the association's executive committee. She had 1,397 votes to 921 for Las Vegas School Superintendent W. J. Robertson. Mrs. Ola C. Jones, Lincoln County superintendent, became vice president of the association without opposition. Mullins said the vote on the convention city was 1,523 for Albuquerque and 783 for Santa Fe.

Commenting on the father draft situation in New Mexico, Brig. Gen. Russell C. Charlton, state Selective Service director, said that headquarters had been "scraping the bottom of the barrel for three months" and the induction of more fathers was therefore necessary to fill state quotas. "We'll continue to scrape that barrel every month for unmarried men available, but the only other course we can take to fill the quotas is to induct fathers," Charlton said.

The War Department has announced contracts for construction at three war projects, two of them in New Mexico and the other in Texas, the U. S. Engineers district office reported. S. H. Martin Company, Carlsbad, was awarded a contract for \$23,216 for construction of additional installations at Clovis. Marchant Brothers, Albuquerque, was awarded a contract for additional buildings at Pyote, Tex., in amount of \$65,388.

A plan of the Brewing Industry Foundation to help police the liquor industry by refusing to sell to retailers who violate the law has been declared legal in New Mexico by Assistant Attorney General Harry L. Bigbee. "If this policy as you set out in your letter should be carried out impartially to achieve the purposes of seeing that the retail establishments in this state comply with our liquor laws. It is my opinion that this plan is legal in all aspects," Bigbee wrote in an opinion sought by Assistant District

## MEET MIDDLE AMERICA

Number 3 in a series on the countries of Middle America

# GUATEMALA

GUATEMALA IS LARGEST IN POPULATION AND SECOND IN SIZE OF THE CENTRAL AMERICAN REPUBLICS (3,045,000 POP., 45,452 SQ. MILES.)



"CITY PLANNING" WAS PRACTICED BY MAYAN INDIANS IN GUATEMALA 1000 YEARS AGO. WITHOUT METAL TOOLS OR BEASTS OF BURDEN, THEY BUILT HUGE PLANNED CITIES OF TEMPLES, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, STEAM BATHS.



BEAUTIFUL LAKE ATITLAN, NOW IN THE GUATEMALAN MOUNTAINS IS SURROUNDED BY 12 PICTURESQUE VILLAGES—EACH NAMED FOR ONE OF THE 12 APOSTLES.



"THE CON AIRS OVER THE MOON" IN GUATEMALA BECAUSE OF DIFFICULT TRAVEL ACROSS MOUNTAINS, FISH ANIMALS AND MACHINERY ARE DELIVERED TO MANY PARTS OF THE COUNTRY BY PLANE!



CONTINENTAL DIVIDE! IN THE MOUNTAIN CITY OF CHIMALTENANGO WATER FROM A BEAUTIFUL FOUNTAIN FLOWS FROM ONE SIDE INTO THE ATLANTIC...FROM THE OTHER, INTO THE PACIFIC!

If present experiments in cinchona culture in Guatemala meet with success, that country may in the future become one of the world's leading producers of quinine. As it does today, the United States after the war will need great quantities of quinine to prevent the spread of malaria when the soldiers return from the tropical war fronts. Quinine is only one of the many tropical crops Guatemala and the other Middle American republics supply to aid the war effort of the United States.

GUATEMALA IS THE HOME OF THE "MARIMBA" A MUSICAL INSTRUMENT PLAYED BY 6 TO 9 PLAYERS. THE TONAL QUALITIES ARE DERIVED FROM SOUNDING BOARDS MADE OF BLOCKS OF POLISHED WOOD AND DIFFERENT-SIZED GOURDS.

Attorney Robert W. Reidy of Albuquerque. The foundation, Reidy wrote, proposes to carry out its own investigations of violations, and the shut off deliveries if there is no compliance.

Next-of-kin packages for American prisoners of war in the Philippines should be in the hands of the prisoners now, Governor Dempsey has announced. The governor, making public a report received from Brig. Gen. Russell

C. Charlton, New Mexico adjutant general who returned from Washington recently, noted that the Japanese ship Teia Maru, with a cargo from the exchange ship Gripsholm, had unloaded at Manila Nov. 16. This would include packages sent to the prisoners on the Gripsholm, he said. This information, Dempsey reported, was received by the War Department from Red Cross officials.

Germany adopted an over-all "price stop" in 1936.

## NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

William T. Shannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Shannon, who was inducted into the Army last month, has been sent from Fort Bliss to Camp Hood, Tex.

Norma Jarboe, sister of Ben Jarboe, Hobbs, both formerly of Artesia, who joined the WAVES a few months ago and who was last in training at Lake Hurst, N. J., has been rated an areographer's mate third class and is now stationed at New Orleans, La. Miss Jarboe formerly taught in Atoka and Carlsbad schools.

Pvt. Kelly F. Neville, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Neville of Artesia, who was inducted into the Army at Fort Bliss Oct. 29, has arrived at the Field Artillery Replacement Center, Fort Sill, Okla., where he has started his seventeen weeks of basic training. He played four years of football at Jal and a year at Eastern New Mexico College, Portales. At the time of his induction he was employed as a tool dresser by Harvey Yates. Private Neville is the younger brother of Pfc. Bernard Neville, who was reported Oct. 28 missing in action, but who in a later report on Nov. 19 to his parents was said by the War Department to be alive and safe in Allied territory.

Second Lt. Ray F. Lewis, Jr., 20, is now stationed at Laughlin Army Air Field, Del Rio, Tex., part of the Army Air Forces Training Command, where he will receive a nine-week specialized course in piloting the Martin B-26 Marauder, world's fastest medium bomber. Only the pick of officers graduating from other twin-engine training schools throughout the country are selected to take this course.

A. D. Shaw, manager of the Safeway Stores here for several months reported Friday at Fort Bliss for induction into the Navy and has been sent to San Diego, Calif. Mrs. Shaw and their two children, Harry, 6, and Joy, 2 1/2 years old, expect to remain here for the present or until school closes.

All English sparrows in this country are descendants of eight pairs brought to the United States in 1850.

## News Shorts

A railroad porter is in the state penitentiary as a result of investigation of theft of a \$220 cashier's check and two bonds from a rail passenger while the train was passing through Santa Fe County Nov. 12. Assistant State Police Chief A. B. Martinez said the Negro porter was Nelson White of Albuquerque, who pleaded guilty to grand larceny and was sentenced to one to ten years in prison by District Judge W. J. Barker. The porter was arrested at La Junta, Colo., Martinez said.

Raising his estimate of the number of deer killed during New Mexico's recent big game season to "better than 7000," State Game Warden Elliott Barker termed the season "very successful." He said there were comparatively few game law violations, and he especially expressed himself as gratified that there were no hunting fatalities reported and only three accidental shootings.

The War Department has approved use of photostatic copies of Japanese prisoners' cards as a basis for official listing of United States soldier internees and permission to relatives to mail letters and packages to them. Word of the approval came to Carl F. Whitaker, liaison officer of the War Veterans Information Bureau, who asked that he be notified by relatives of United States

soldiers from New Mexico have written to their prison form cards, not been officially prisoners by the War. The cards will be the License Bureau copies forwarded to department as the basis listing as prisoners. a listing is necessary kin to be allowed to packages to the pris

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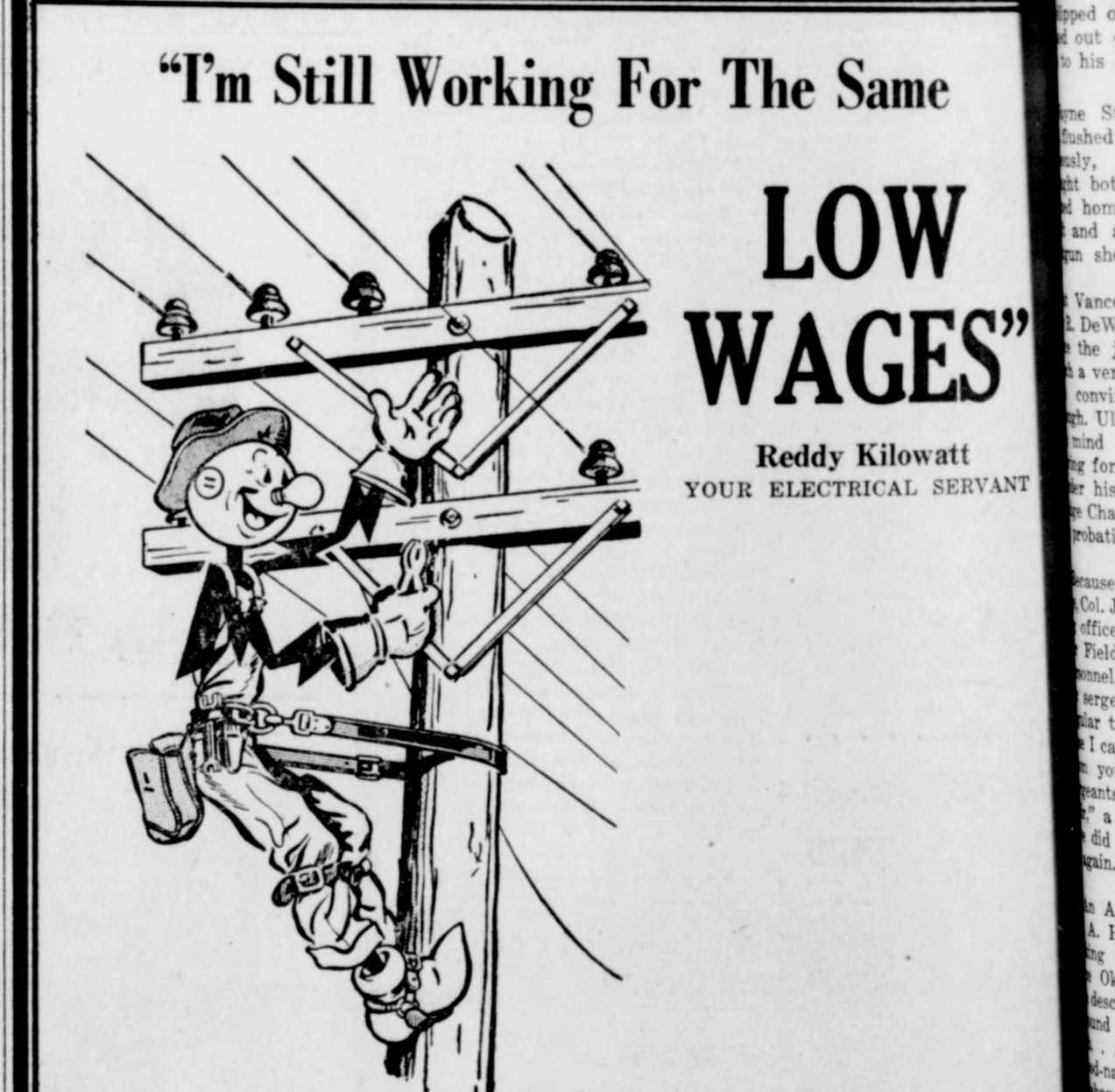
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WORLD NEWS  
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Near and Far, Some Timely, Some of Human Interest

Two faces betraying worried...  
...two housewives hustled into...  
...County Court to ask that...  
...butcher be excused from...  
...duty. "He's a busy and im-...  
...portant man in the neighborhood,"...  
...explained. The judge noted...  
...the jury summons was not...  
...obtainable until the next week...  
...was worse, exclaimed the...  
...next week was to be...  
...giving week. The judge...  
...said the man would have...  
...appear, then added: "We'll have...  
...back in his store in plenty of...  
...to sell Thanksgiving tur-...  
..."

...Marietta (Ga.) Ar-...  
...Air Field isn't the strident...  
...of the past, but the rous-...  
...picking airs of mountain...  
...Maj. Philip J. M...  
...squadron commander, is de-...  
...with the results of Sgt...  
...Wall's daybreak-rousers...  
...the violin, guitar and man-...  
...to rout enlisted men from...  
..."

...Pottstown, Pa., every morn-...  
...Mrs. Lester M. Boughter...  
...her front door she finds a...  
...butt resting on her door-step...  
...approximately the same spot...  
...a month, she asked police...  
...the mystery—so far with-...  
...results.

...Wilkes-Barre, Pa., collie sits...  
...tly outside the bus station...  
...the return of the sailor-...  
...the dog accompanied there...  
...weeks ago. The faithful dog...  
...hopefully toward every sail-...  
...sees, then walks dejectedly...  
...to his post. Although fed by...  
...attendants, the collie be-...  
...thinner as the weeks go by...  
..."

...instead of written exami-...  
...ns will be given in the future...  
...City public schools, says...  
...T. Bonilla, assistant edu-...  
...minister. It's the paper...  
..."

...Newark, N. J., a pajama-...  
...figure walked into the home...  
...and Mrs. Theodore Cash...  
...announced, "Hey, Ma, I'm...  
...It was their 10-year-old...  
...Miller, who had been under...  
...at city hospital for a...  
...injury suffered in a fall from...  
...Recovery seemed long and...  
...Then homesickness struck...  
...ipped out of bed, he related...  
...out of the hospital and a...  
...to his home.

...Stoke of Williamsport...  
...ashed two pheasants simul-...  
...ly, fired one shot and...  
...at both birds down. He re-...  
...home with his daily bag...  
...and a reserve of rationed...  
...gran shells.

...Vancouver, Wash., prosecu-...  
...DeWitt Jones failed to con-...  
...the jury. It was unable to...  
...a verdict and was dismissed...  
...convinced the defendant...  
...Ulysses Tate, 28, changed...  
...mind and pleaded guilty to...  
...forcing H. B. Webb to sur-...  
...his wallet at knife point...  
...Charles W. Hall placed him...  
...probation.

...because of the manpower short-...  
...Col. John H. Bundy, command-...  
...officer at Eagle Pass (Tex.)...  
...Field, announced all enlisted...  
...men, including first and mas-...  
...sergeants, will have to take...  
...turn on KP duty. "I sup-...  
...I can expect a lot of griping...  
...you top kicks and master...  
...sergeants," Colonel Bundy added...  
...a first sergeant piped up...  
...did it before and we can do...  
...again."

...Arizona man wrote Mayor...  
...A. Hefner of Oklahoma City...  
...the mayor to find him a...  
...Oklahoma girl for a bride...  
...described himself as: Good, all-...  
...round man... Nice, dependable...  
...\$200 a month... 42...  
...of-nature... Would make good...  
...steak." What he wants: "Nice...  
...housekeeper, not a barroom fly."

Quick To Treat  
Bronchitis

Chronic bronchitis may develop if...  
...cough, chest cold, or acute bron-...  
...chitis is not treated and you cannot...  
...take a chance with any medi-...  
...cine less potent than Creomulsion...  
...which goes right to the seat of the...  
...infection to help loosen and expel germ...  
...and aid nature to...  
...heal raw, tender, inflamed...  
...mucous membranes...  
...Creomulsion blends beechwood...  
...extracts with other...  
...medicines for coughs...  
...contains no narcotics...  
...No matter how many medicines...  
...you have tried, tell your druggist to...  
...give you a bottle of Creomulsion with...  
...understanding you must like the...  
...way it quickly allays the cough, per-...  
...mits rest and sleep, or you are to...  
...get your money back. (Adv.)

What he offers: "Everything she...  
...needs to keep her happy... gro-...  
...ceries delivered to door... nice new...  
...car... dancing, hunting, boating...  
...fishing. She'll never get lone-...  
...some." The mayor said he's look-...  
...ing everywhere.

Denver Firemen couldn't reach...  
...this fire so they had the fire...  
...brought to them. A caboose on a...  
...ninety-car freight train caught...  
...fire as it was leaving the rail-...  
...yards. The department telephone...  
...operator realized the firemen...  
...could not reach the freight train...  
...promptly, because of intervening...  
...tracks, so he instructed the train...  
...crew to uncouple the caboose and...  
...shove it four blocks down a siding...  
...to a hydrant. Within a matter of...  
...minutes a hose truck was at the...  
...hydrant waiting for the fire to ar-...  
...rive.

Dr. D. M. Davenport of Lyon...  
...Miss., is determined to have good...  
...cotton crops "weather or no." He...  
...has invented a planter which de-...  
...posits seeds in the soil at two...  
...depths simultaneously, so one will...  
...grow whether there be drought...  
...or excessive rainfall.

Her olive drab skirt, allows Pfc...  
...Gertie Pillsbury, WAC, seems to...  
...be following her. She checked it...  
...in before she left Devens, Mass...  
...Later she was issued one Fort...  
...Worth Army Air Field. Sure...  
...enough: Same one.

At Camp Roberts, Calif., one...  
...member of a training battalion...  
...has received a gaily wrapped bun-...  
...dle marked: "Do not open until...  
...Christmas—Perishable."

After moving back into his...  
...house in Salisbury, N. C., Jimmie...  
...Thomas wondered why repeated...  
...stockings of the laundry heater...  
...simply would not produce hot wa-...  
...ter in the bathtub. One of the...  
...Thomas children, however, found...  
...out. "Daddy," the child announced...  
..."the fish are boiling!" It seemed...  
...that a former tenant had tapped...  
...the hot water pipe under the house...  
...to supply the fish pond in the...  
...back yard.

An Oklahoma City woman, who...  
...wholesales sandwiches, asked for...  
...more ration points because, she...  
...said, the man who makes her...  
...chicken salad is charging her seven...  
...points a pound. "But lady," a...  
...rationing official declared, "he...  
...can't do that. Chicken is not...  
...rationed." "Yes, but pork is," she...  
...replied. "And in his chicken salad...  
...he uses half chicken and half pork...  
..."

At Leola, Pa., Mrs. Leah Bush-...  
...ong was trying to decide on a...  
...cut of meat at a traveling butch-...  
...er's wagon in front of her home...  
...A pheasant, its leg broken by a...  
...hunter's shot, dropped at her feet...  
...She captured the bird and told the...  
...butcher, "No sale."

Buck Taylor, window cleaning...  
...agency operator of Whittier, Cal-...  
...if., worked twelve hours daily all...  
...week, as usual, because of the...  
...manpower shortage. Then, on Fri-...  
...day, his janitress was run over by...  
...an automobile. Saturday he was...  
...reclassified I-A, although he has...  
...four children. Sunday his young-...  
...est son was stricken ill. Sunday...  
...night nothing much happened, ex-...  
...cept that Hallowe'en pranksters...  
...soaped his windows.

Three Colorado Springs, Colo.,...  
...youth ambled through a viaduct...  
...and spied some "dirty green stuff"...  
...on the ground. They scooped it up...  
...and found \$700 in bills, wrapped...  
...around \$100 in silver. Ray Spann...  
...and William Simpson, two work-...  
...men who had discovered \$250 in...  
...the same place a year ago, heard...  
...of the boys' discovery, rushed to...  
...the spot—and dug up another...  
...\$240. In all, nearly \$1,300 has been...  
...found beneath the viaduct.

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...hog building if it's properly bal-...  
...anced. And that's where we'd like to...  
...help you. Most any good grain you...  
...have can be turned into a dependable...  
...Hog Fattening Ration for you. We'll...  
...grind and mix it according to a...  
...Purina Approved...  
...Formula that fits...  
...your grain—for...  
...either dry or slop...  
...feeding. Bring the...  
...grain—we'll do...  
...the rest.

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...Paints—Baby Chicks...  
...108 S. First Phone 24

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Abaca, source of hemp, reaches...  
...harvest age about eighteen months...  
...after planting. At least seventy-five...  
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...waters around Hawaii. Make Der Fuehrer...  
...Fear US! Rally Round the Flag!

Would Improve  
Indians' Flocks  
In Two States

The government's range pro-...  
...gram for the Navajo and Hopi...  
...tribes in Northern New Mexico...  
...and Arizona chiefly is to elimi-...  
...nate all sheep in "4-F" classifica-...  
...tion and replace them with mon-...  
...ey-making ewes and lambs, J. M...  
...Cooper, head stockman for the In-...  
...dian Service, said. "Both the In-...  
...dians and the whites have miscon-...  
...strued the government's program...  
...as one of 'stock reduction.' The...  
...idea has arisen that the govern-...  
...ment has ordered the Indians to...  
...cut their flocks arbitrarily with-...  
...out consideration to quality of...  
...animals or to the economic result,"...  
...Cooper said. "This is not the case...  
...The range is limited to the num-...  
...ber of sheep it will maintain. What...  
...the government asks is that the...  
...Indians cull unproductive animals...  
...from their flocks and replace them...  
...with productive ewes and lambs...  
...without the carrying capacity of...  
...the range." Cooper said that the...  
...range at present is about 17 per...  
...cent over-

stocked and that more than half...  
...of the sheep can be greatly im-...  
...proved in productive capacity. The...  
...aim of the range program, he...  
...said, is to build the number of...  
...productive ewes and lambs as...  
...money crops and cut down the...  
...wethers as low as possible and...  
...still fulfill the Indians' need for...  
...meat. "They can't afford to run a...  
...wether for wool alone," Cooper...  
...said. "They must have both crops."

Hollywood film makers spent...  
...hours trying to produce a bark...  
...from an English bulldog. Finally...  
...they pretended to threaten a...  
...couple of her grandpups and the...  
...canine star let loose a ferocious...  
...woof. Everyone was happy ex-...  
...cept the sound man—he was so

started his equipment wasn't...  
...ready. They'll have to do it all...  
...over again.

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OPTOMETRISTS  
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Has Become the  
FULLER BRUSH MAN

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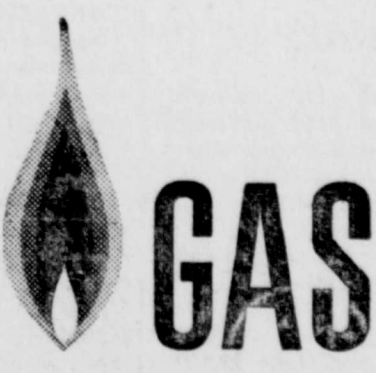
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