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'Bud' Emmons, Liberator
Killed in European Action

Previously Reported Missing in Action
of April 28, Date of Death—Twentieth
from North Eddy County to Give Life

Lt. Alexander St. Clair (Bud) Emmons of Artesia, 27, who
was reported wounded in action in the European theater as
of April 28, was killed in action that day, according to a message
from the War Department to his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. P. Emmons. He was the twentieth man in the armed forces
of North Eddy County known to have given his life in this war.
Prior to the previous message, which listed Lieutenant Emmons
as missing in action, Mr. and Mrs. Emmons had learned their son had
been on a number of missions as co-pilot of a B-24 Liberator bomber.

On April 28 his bomber failed to return and Lieutenant Emmons
was listed as missing in action until further investigation established
that time Lieutenant Emmons had been promoted from
first lieutenant, but the notice had not reached him at the
time of his last mission. He was attached to the Fifteenth Air Force.

It is believed Lieutenant
Emmons was lost, there was considerable
action over Port San
Juan, and his parents believe
where he met his death.

Under St. Clair Emmons was
born Oct. 29, 1916, at Molino, Mo.
He came to Artesia in 1938 and
with his uncle and aunt, Mr.
and Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr., be-
lieve his parents and other mem-
bers of his family moved here. He
was employed in the Eddy County
office by Mr. Yates.

At the time he entered the arm-
ies prior to Pearl Harbor,
Lieutenant Emmons was working
at Detroit, Mich.

He was in the ground forces of
the Army Air Corps becoming a
pilot training. Lieutenant
Emmons received his commis-
sion as a second lieutenant and his
wings at Altus (Okla.)
Air Field July 29, 1943. He
was overseas service last
autumn.

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Juvenile Cases
Bring Rebuke
From Judge

Cites Many Recent
Cases of Minors
—Also Warns Vags

Grand larceny, petty thievery,
an offense which could have been
listed as vagrancy, and other charges
which have been brought to the
attention of Judge J. D. Josey,
juvenile officer, the last few days,
have brought from him a stern re-
buke for the conditions he has
found to exist and an appeal for
more sane conduct among minors.

Among others brought before
him was a 17-year-old wife of a
man in service, who was placed on
probation, but who would have
been charged with vagrancy had
she been of age, Judge Josey said.

He cited also the case of two
juveniles who were charged with
grand larceny, allegedly having
stolen \$45 from a private resi-
dence. Judge Josey has left their
case open, giving the youths a
chance to redeem themselves.

And then there were two boys
who "snatched" money from the
box office of one of the theaters,
one of them taking \$5 and the other
75 cents.

The most widespread case invol-
ves three Artesia boys of ages
bringing them under the jurisdic-
tion of juvenile authorities and a
19-year-old Carlsbad youth, who
has been made wards of District
Judge James B. McGhee's juvenile
jurisdiction. It was alleged they
stole about sixty automobile gaso-
line caps, car mirrors and aerials,
gasoline, and other things from
vehicles.

In his report and request to the
parents and guardians of Artesia
boys and girls this week, Judge
Josey said:

"For some time I have noticed
an increase in night prowling and
running around by quite a large
number of boys and girls of teen
age. I have been expecting trouble
and this last week part of the
trouble has come to a head, and
more is in the making. And, as
usual, the crimes have been com-
mitted after 11 o'clock or after the
picture show.

"If you parents will cooperate
with the officers and see that your
children are off the streets and in
bed where they belong at that hour
of the night, unless there is some
reason or special occasion for them
to be up later, it would, in my
opinion, help our local condition.

"It is embarrassing to me to take
our local boys and girls together
with their parents to Carlsbad be-
fore the district judge.

"These remarks have been made
to me so many times by parents of
Artesia boys and girls that they
ring in my ears: 'Why, I thought
my girl was at the picture show.'
'She said she was spending the
night with her girl friend.' 'No,
my boy would not steal.' 'He
wouldn't take a drink of liquor.'
'Yes, I saw the watch he had; he
said he bought it from a party
downtown.' 'No, he didn't know
his name.'

"This is a local story. You should
be interested, and I'll say you are
interested whether you realize it
or not.

"As for the adult situation, I
will state that street walking vag-
rancy is going to be dealt with a-
gain and I'd much rather for this
warning to be heeded than to pass
out jail sentences later.

"Cooperate with us, will you?
We will do our part."

Mrs. C. H. Johnson and children
of Graford, Ore., are here visiting
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Peterson. Mrs.
Johnson and children went through
the Carlsbad Caverns Wednesday.

O'Malley's Coffee
Shop at Hotel to
Open on Saturday

Flynn O'Malley announced this
week he will open the former Ar-
tesia Hotel Coffee Shop Saturday as
O'Malley's Coffee Shop, with a
special opening dinner from 6 to
10 o'clock. The shop has been closed
for several months, and now is
being readied for O'Malley.

He plans to operate the Coffee
Shop every day of the week, but
to close in mid-afternoon on Sun-
days for the remainder of the day,
and to serve only lunches and sand-
wiches one day a week after the
breakfast hour, the day yet to be
determined.

O'Malley announced that O'Mal-
ley's Coffee Shop will be available
also for clubs and special func-
tions.

Mercury Again
Soars to 105
On Wednesday

After a respite from intense heat
since the latter part of June, when
the temperature went to 105 de-
grees on June 21, Southeast New
Mexico again sweltered the last
week, and the mercury again went
to 105 degrees Wednesday, tying
for top honors for the summer.

It has been at least 100 degrees
every day since last Thursday, and
prospects this morning are that
the century mark will again be
reached or surpassed today.

Readings the last week, accord-
ing to the recording thermometer
of the Southern Union Gas Com-
pany:

Last Thursday 102 degrees, Fri-
day 102, Saturday 100, Sunday 101,
Monday 102, Tuesday 102, Wed-
nesday 105.

During July 3.30 inches of rain-
fall were recorded on the gas com-
pany gauge. Previously only 1.80
inches of precipitation fell here,
of which 1.40 inches was on June
29, making 4.70 of the year's rain-
fall of 5.10 inches within a month.

July rainfall: July 10, .55 inch;
13, .25; 15, .22; 17, 1.05; 20, .63;
23, .60.

MRS. WILCOX RECOVERING
FROM MAJOR SURGERY

Mrs. R. A. (Rude) Wilcox of
Carlsbad, former Eddy County
clerk, who was reported critically
ill after major surgery last week,
is now thought to be recovering
nicely.

Three Oil Wells
And Gasser Are
Now Completed

Three producing oil wells and a
gasser were completed during the
last week in the Eddy County
fields. Operators located four new
locations in the county during the
week.

The gasser is the Martin Yates
et al, Stebbins 1, in SW SW 29-
20-29, and gauged 5,700,000 cubic
feet a day. It was drilled to a
total depth of 972 feet and plugged
back to 928 feet and the hole
was full of sulphur water.

Oil well completions:
Suppes & Suppes, Johnson 3-B,
SE NW 33-16-31; total depth 3,
612 feet; flowed 98 barrels of oil
per day after shot.

Carper Drilling Co., Everts-Grier
2, SW NE 29-16-31; total depth
1,871 feet; pumped 20 barrels of
oil per day after shot.

Flynn, Welch & Yates, Everts
1-F, SE NE 6-18-27; total depth
11,871 feet; pumped 20 barrels of
oil per day after shot.

New locations: Grayburg Oil
Co., Keely 9-B, NW SE 26-17-29;
Repollo Oil Co., McIntyre 6-B, SE
SW 20-17-30; Carper Drilling Co.,
Everts-Grier 3, SE NE 29-16-31;
John N. Fidel, Grier 4, NW NE
29-16-31.

The George P. Livermore, State
1-H, in SE NE 36-12-31, rank
wildcat on the Caprock in Chaves
County, which has attracted con-
siderable attention, was completed
as a good producer, pumping 133
barrels of oil per day, natural,
from a total depth of 3,017 feet.

Drilling Report
Sanders Bros., Hultman 1, SE NE
32-16-26.
Total depth 6,761; plugged back
to 6,572; attempted to treat with
3,000 gallons acid under 2,500
pounds pressure.

Bay Petroleum Corp., Snowden &
McSweeney 1, SW SW 32-17-29.
Total depth 3,104; running cas-
ing.

Skelly Oil Co., Lynch 3-A, NE NW
22-17-31.
Total depth 3,768; plugged back
to 2,992; bailing hole.

Harvey Yates, Leonard-State 1,
SW SW 28-17-29.
Drilling at 2,864; slight show
oil at 2,748.

Teachers Placed
On Eligible List
For New Houses

The National Housing Agency,
Dallas office, has sent out a
notice that the Artesia municipal
schools have been placed on the
list of war establishments in Artesia,
for the purpose of determining who
may occupy the new houses being
built under two projects here to
help overcome the housing shortage.

The notice said the personnel
of the schools will be limited to
full-time employees as recom-
mended by the superintendent.

At the time Artesia was
allotted a quota of sixty-five
new housing units and a number
of conversions, a list of eligible
purchasers or renters was given.

A few weeks ago W. E.
Kerr, superintendent of Artesia
schools, wrote the NHA to
determine whether teachers might
be included in the list.

Sgt. Wilfred Weske,
Former Artesia Boy,
Wounded in Action

Sgt. Wilfred C. Weske of Hobbs,
a native of Artesia, who was reared
here, has been wounded in action
in the Mediterranean area, ac-
cording to a report made public
by the War and Navy Depart-
ments.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs.
Joe Weske, former Artesia resi-
dents, who moved to Hobbs about
fifteen years ago.

Sergeant Weske is a nephew of
Bryan and Fred Savoie and Mrs.
Paul Terry of the Artesia commu-
nity.

PRISONER OF GERMANS
BECOMES FATHER OF SON

Lt. Aubrey Hewatt, a pilot, who
is a prisoner of war of the German
government, and Mrs. Hewatt of
Hagerman are the parents of a son,
Edward McKinstry Hewatt, born
at the Artesia Clinic at 9:34 o'clock
Saturday night. The baby weighed
8 pounds 14 1/2 ounces at birth.

Major surgery was performed
Friday at the clinic on Mrs. Kirk
Yeager and Mrs. Luther Kelly, both
of whom are doing nicely.

Martha Hernandez, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hernandez, under-
went a tonsillectomy Wednesday
and Billy Bratcher, 17-year-old son
of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bratcher, a
tonsillectomy this morning.

COLORED PAIR DRAW
SIXTY DAYS IN JAIL

Major James and Maud Esther
James, colored, were sentenced to
sixty days each in the Eddy County
jail at Carlsbad Wednesday by
Judge J. D. Josey, justice of the
peace, on charges of being drunk
and disorderly and using threaten-
ing language.

The alleged violations were Tues-
day night, when officers brought
them in.

MASONS WILL CONFER
FIRST DEGREE TONIGHT

A special meeting of the Artesia
Masonic Lodge has been called for
8 o'clock this evening, at which
time the first degree will be con-
ferred.

Harvest Grass,
Legume Seed,
Forehand Urges

With a shortage of grass and
legume seeds just around the cor-
ner, members of the State AAA
Committee are calling on New
Mexico farmers to go all out in
seed harvesting.

Unfavorable weather and the in-
creased war demands for forage
and food crops have resulted in de-
creased legume and grass seed
harvests for the last two years,
according to Roy Forehand, chair-
man of the Eddy County ACA
Committee, who said, "We are now
faced with the possibility that the
available supply will fall far short
of requirements this year. Forage
and conservation needs are critical
in America and in liberated areas."

Much of Worry
Is Unnecessary,
Lions Are Told

The needless worry about un-
necessary things was discussed
Wednesday noon at the weekly
Lions Club luncheon by the Rev.
Elmer L. Setterlund, supply pastor
for the First Methodist Church,
while the Rev. C. A. Clark is out of
town.

Also on the program was Miss
Joan Wheatley, who favored with
three vocal solos, accompanied by
Mrs. Wallace Gates. Dave Saikin
gave a short vocational talk.

In his address, "What Are You
Afraid Of?" the Rev. Mr. Set-
terlund said that 92 per cent of the
worry of persons is about unneces-
sary things, or things that need
not be.

He broke the figure down to in-
clude 40 per cent of worrying,
which is about things which will
never happen, 30 per cent about
things which have happened, 12 per
cent about loved ones and friends,
and 10 per cent about health and
nerves.

The speaker said people use vari-
ous remedies to get away from
their fears, such as drowning in
alcohol, traveling, reading cheap
literature, and other means, some
of which are detrimental to one's
character.

The Rev. Mr. Setterlund led up
to the thought there is no get-
ting away from fear, no separa-
tion of "me from I," and that what
is mostly needed in these times is
"a belief in something outside our-
selves—something bigger—and in
the Supreme Being."

Third of Trio Is
Wounded; Buddies
Killed in Action

Pfc. Roy Reyes, the third of a
trio of Artesia marines in the ac-
tion at Saipan, of whom the two
others were killed in action, was
wounded, according to a letter just
received by his sister, Miss Eliza-
beth Reyes.

Pfc. Donald S. Simons, 18, son
of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Simons,
and Pfc. Avery Terry Gray, 18,
son of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Gray,
were killed on Saipan respectively
on June 14 and 18, their parents
have learned the last few days in
subsequent messages to those in-
forming them of the deaths of their
sons.

Notice of the wounding of an-
other Artesia boy, Pvt. Francis
Tice, in France June 28, was re-
ceived here last week by his moth-
er, Mrs. Nina Tice, from whom she
received a letter from England,
where he said he was removed
from France.

After notices of the deaths of
Privates Simons and Gray were
received here, considerable con-
solation was felt about the safety
of their comrade, Private Reyes,
who was in the same company in
the Fourth Marine Division with
Private Simons. Private Gray was
in the Second Marine Division.

The extent of Private Reyes'
wounds was not given in his letter
to his sister. And, strangely, his
mother, Mrs. Andrea D. Reyes, as
yet has received no official notice
of his injuries from the Navy De-
partment.

The letter from Private Reyes
was written from a Navy hospital,
the FPO address of which is San
Francisco. He said he was doing
nicely and for his family not to
worry. He did not mention the
deaths of his comrades, or any-
thing about them, and it is possi-
ble he was wounded early in the
Saipan action and knows nothing
about the others.

All three of the first-class mar-
ine privates were inducted from
Artesia the same day, Oct. 20,
1943, went to "boot" camp at San
Diego, Calif., together and saw ac-
tion on Saipan together, after hav-
ing had a reunion at some other
Pacific island shortly before the
Saipan action.

Before entering the Marine
Corps, Private Reyes was employ-
ed by E. B. Bullock here.

In his letter to his mother, which
she received Friday, Private Tice
said he was able to be up and that
he "is on KP," which indicates the
wound is not bad. He is in the
Corps of Engineers and was ship-
ped to Ireland last fall.

Private Tice is a brother of
Pvt. Alton Tice, a member of the
200th Coast Artillery, Anti-
Aircraft, who was captured in the
west of the Philippines. He was
reported a prisoner of war of the
Japanese in February, 1943. An-
other brother, Tom Tice, machin-
ist's mate second class in the Navy,
is somewhere in the Pacific.

Further Steps
Towards Air
Service Taken

Chamber Is Making
Survey This Week
Of Local Business

Further steps are being taken
this week in Artesia, as the com-
munity looks ahead to post-war
air service, with Arba Green, man-
ager-secretary of the Chamber of
Commerce making a survey of
businesses and organizations as to
the probable use of air travel and
airmail.

Three weeks ago the Chamber
of Commerce mailed petitions to
a number of airlines, indicating
the need for air service for Ar-
tesia.

The current air transportation
survey is being made at the re-
quest of New Mexico Airlines, Ros-
well, which proposes that Artesia
be a stop on a feeder line to trans-
continental service.

The survey compares the use
transportation by members of the
several businesses and organiza-
tions being interviewed and the
means of transportation used in
1943 with probable figures as to
air transportation, were available.
It also makes a breakdown of air-
mail, parcel post, air express, and
railway express figures.

New Mexico Airlines wrote
Green that the survey is being
made of the Pecos Valley in con-
nection with the filing of an ap-
plication with the Civil Aeronautics
Board to grant air service, in-
cluding Artesia on a feeder line.

The airline desires to uphold the
belief that there is a need for as
well as a desire for air transporta-
tion in New Mexico and the cities
to be served.

Green said he first is contacting
the refineries and oil operators and
drilling contractors and others of
the larger businesses, especially
those most likely to have need for
air travel and mail and express
service.

State Guard General
Confers Here Monday
With Local Officers

Adj. Gen. Ray Andrews, com-
manding officer of the New Mex-
ico State Guard, was in Artesia
late Monday afternoon for a brief
conference with Capt. Frank
Smith, commander of Company 8,
2nd Battalion, Artesia, and Capt.
J. Clark Bruce, commander of the
battalion headquarters detachment.

General Andrews recently suc-
ceeded Brig. Gen. Russell C.
Charlton, the adjutant general, who
was called to Washington by the
War Department.

President of Southern
Union Gas Visits
Local Plant Monday

Wofford Cain of Dallas, presi-
dent of the Southern Union Gas
Company, accompanied by J. R.
Cole of Santa Fe, vice president,
visited the local office and plant
Monday.

They were accompanied on their
tour of inspection by H. N. Old-
ham of Carlsbad, district manager,
and Charles Gaskins, local man-
ager.

With Cain and Cole was Tommie
Cockburn of Dallas, a friend and
business associate of Cain.

Railway Express
Has Its Own Agent
For Artesia Area

The Railway Express Agency
business, which has been handled
heretofore by the Santa Fe Rail-
way, now has its own agent, E. C.
Thoma, formerly cashier for the
company at Roswell, who took over
the business Tuesday.

Thoma has been with the Rail-
way Express Agency sixteen years,
the last ten of which were at Ros-
well.

Here to make the transfer was
L. Gray, traveling representative
for the Railway Express Agency.
The men said it is planned to
have an uptown express office, as
soon as a suitable location can be
found. In the meantime, the busi-
ness will be handled at the Santa
Fe Station, as it has been since the
railway came to Artesia and ex-
press was in charge of Wells-
Fargo.

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FORGET ABOUT THOSE ROBOT BOMBS

We will admit that anything can happen in science, and frequently it does, for it was only a relatively few years ago that airplanes, the electric light, and radio, to mention only a few inventions, were unheard of.

Men for years have been talking about robot planes, and some successful ones had been made in model form a few years ago. And now the Germans are releasing dozens of flying bombs from the mainland of Europe and directing them at England. Some imaginative persons visualize super-robots launched by the Germans and flying them to our shores. Others have pictured them released from an armada of surface ships, while some have brought up the possibility of flying them from submarines.

We believe that we can count out the possibility of launching and controlling any robot planes from Europe to America, at least for many months of experimentation and at prohibitive cost.

Surface ships would have a hard time approaching our shores close enough to make such a move half way profitable. And even then, with robots at their present stage of perfection, the damage would be slight. They would have to shoot a few robots and get out, if they even managed to get near enough to shoot. And we doubt if they could approach the American coast, because of the constant patrol of the Atlantic by the Army and Navy.

That leaves the alternative of using a flotilla of submarines, equipped with special launching apparatus. It is true the flotilla might sneak across the ocean and get into position to pour many robots on to American soil and into American cities. But it would have to be hit and run, with the period of attack quite limited.

We believe all the stories about the robots bombing New York are a lot of bunk and that they can be discounted, while we look to more important things by way of winning the war.

ARTESIA AND CARLSBAD IN RETROSPECT

In its "Forty Years Ago" column, The Carlsbad Current-Argus has this item:
"Artesia will erect a \$10,000 school building. Eastern capitalists have already applied for the bonds, according to The Artesia Advocate. It will be a fine improvement for that promising village of the big gushers."

My, my, how we have come along in forty years, both "that promising village" and The Advocate.

In those days forty years ago Artesia was quite promising, for the first Artesian wells had just been drilled. And our sister village, Carlsbad, friendly then as today, realized it.

Artesian wells in this part of Eddy County and irrigation from the Pecos River in the Carlsbad area helped greatly to develop the two cities.

Carlsbad profited in later years through the development of the Carlsbad Caverns, and even still later with the discovery and development of the potash mines.

Artesia thrived and grew at first because of the Artesian water, later through the discovery of oil in Eddy County. And the development of the mountain playground in a way paralleled the big caves as a tourist attraction.

How alike has been the growth of the two cities. One has caverns, the other forested mountains only a few miles away. The one has potash, the other oil. Both have irrigated farmlands.

And today, through the prosperity those things have brought, both cities have school systems that beggar the \$10,000 school planned for Artesia forty years ago.

Who can tell what the next forty years will bring!

WE RECOMMEND AN INFERIOR BRAND

We don't imagine anyone will see, or expects to see, any semblance of a real softball game next Wednesday evening, when the Lions and Rotarians tangle at Morris Field.

But it should be a good show, if for no other reason, because of the lack of good softball.

Those of you who remember the Lions-Rotary game four or five years ago will recall that it was quite an affair, with the older Rotarians puffing and wheezing at the end of the first inning and their younger, but nonetheless chairbound, cousins wheezing a half inning later.

Both clubs have a few newer and younger members, but for the most part the same faces will be seen on the field as at the former game. And the bodies to which those faces are attached are just a little older.

As we said, don't expect to see a fine brand of softball, but by all means go to the alleged game for the fun involved, and there will be plenty.

A LITTLE GIRL AND HER PARASOL

A little girl passed the office the other day, carrying a parasol—the first, by the way, we had seen in some time.

What impressed us was the fact that the shade from the parasol did not fall on her, and she made no attempt to change its position when she changed direction.

It made us think how like most of us that little girl was, even those of us who are much older than she and realize the worth of conveniences.

We have things for our comfort and safety, but do not use them. We have traffic regulations, but still jaywalk. We have fire extinguishers, but fail to keep them fresh and full.

And then we have a system by which we can not only save for the future, but can help stabilize money—the purchase of War Bonds.

But few of us use that system to the utmost of our ability!

Like the little girl, we are likely to become sunburned, even though we have a parasol to prevent it!

Research has shown there is room enough in a woman's handbag for a boiler-maker's kit complete and bus fare. The bus fare will be found at the bottom.—Pittsburgh Post-Gazette.

Memphis housewife reports that current mail has swept so much dirt under the rug one has to walk up a hill to the living room couch.—Memphis Commercial-Appeal.

The Germans found they couldn't cross the channel with row boats, so now they are trying to do it with robots.—Albuquerque Journal.

CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

"Committed to the Ministry of the Word of God"
Corner of Grand and Roselawn
Sunday Services
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:45 a. m.
Spanish Mission, 2:30 p. m.
Morningside Mission, 2:30 p. m.
Training Union, 7 p. m.
Evening worship, 8 p. m.
Young people's fellowship, 9 p. m.

Weekly Services
Monday after the last Sunday in each month: Cradle roll meeting, 2:30 p. m. Lydia Class meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday: Prayer and preaching service at Morningside Mission, 8 p. m. After last Sunday in each month, Dorcas Class meeting, 2:30 p. m.

Wednesday: Teachers' and officers' meeting, 7:15 p. m. Prayer and Bible study, 8 p. m. This is a continued study on the life of Christ. Read from the four gospels and bring your Bibles. First Wednesday in each month: Fellowship Class meeting. Second Wednesday in each month: Women's Bible Class meeting.

Thursday: W.M.S., first and third Thursdays. Circle meetings, second and fourth, 2:30 p. m. Troop 27, Boy Scouts, 7:30 p. m. Third Thursday in each month Brotherhood, 7:30 p. m.

S. M. Morgan, Pastor.

LOCO HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday school, 9:45 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.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Corner of Fifth and Quay
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship service, 11 a. m.
Evening service, 8 p. m.
Mid-week prayer service, 8 p. m.

Sunday school superintendent, Mrs. E. A. Paton, 511 W. Dallas, phone 296.
Pastor, Mrs. Jessie Miller, 901 W. Chisholm, phone 433-R.
All visitors are welcome.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Fred Jacobs, general superintendent.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
Sermon: "God's Candles."
Young People's Society, 6:30 p. m.

Topic: "Lost in the Luggage." Social hour following.
Woman's Society of Christian Service, first Thursday at 2:30 p. m., Mrs. Reed Brainard, president.

Official board, first Tuesday each month, 7:30 p. m.
Wesleyan Service Guild, first Monday each month, 7 p. m.
Choir rehearsal each Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Mrs. Glenn Caskey, director; Mrs. R. L. Setterlund, organist.

Nursery for small children for morning service under the direction of Mrs. Fred Jacobs.
You are invited and will be welcomed to any and all services.

Elmer L. Setterlund, Supply Pastor.

LUTHERAN SERVICES
Every second and fourth Sunday, 8 p. m., Artesia Woman's Club building, 420 Dallas. Public invited.

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH
Ninth and Missouri
Mass Sundays, 8 a. m., English sermon.

Mass week days, at Artesia Memorial Hospital, 6:15 a. m.; in church every second week at 8 a. m.

Confessions every Saturday from 7:30 to 8 p. m. and before the Mass on Sunday morning.
Franciscan Fathers in charge.

Rev. Francis Geary, O.M.C., Pastor.
Rev. Michael Brown, O.M.C., Assistant.

OUR LADY OF GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH
North Hill
Mass Sundays, 9 a. m., Spanish sermon.

Mass week days, every second week at 8 a. m.
Confessions every Saturday from 4 to 5 p. m. and before the Mass on Sunday morning.
Franciscan Fathers in charge.

Rev. Francis Geary, O.M.C., Pastor.
Rev. Michael Brown, O.M.C., Assistant.

PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA MEXICANA
Sunday school services, Tirzo Marquez, superintendent, 10 a. m.
Preaching, sermon by pastor, 11 a. m.

Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Donaciano Bejarano, Pastor.

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.
Chester Rogers, Pastor.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Bible School 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.
Evening worship service 8 p. m.
Mid-week Bible study, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Official board meets first Monday of each month, 8 p. m.
Visitors welcome at all services.
Kenneth Hess, Minister.

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
Tuesday prayer meeting, 8 p. m. p. m.
C. A. Program, Thursday, 8 p. m., special music and songs.
The public is invited to attend each service.

R. L. FRANKS, Pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Fourth and Grand
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
Christian Endeavor: Junior, 5 p. m.; senior, 6:30 p. m.
Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

The association of the Ladies' Missionary Society meets the first and third Thursdays, 3 p. m.
The pastor will be at the old Illinois oil field camp each first and third Sunday, 8 p. m.; at Sherman Memorial Church, Loco Hills, each second and fourth Sunday, 8 p. m.

J. Basil Ramsey, Pastor.

BETHEL PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
710 North Roselawn
Sunday Services
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evening worship, 8 p. m.

Weekly Services
Wednesday and Saturday prayer meetings, 8 p. m.
You are cordially invited to attend our services.
Rev. H. P. Knott, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Seventh and Grand
Sunday
Bible study, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 10:50 a. m.
Evening service, 8 p. m.

Wednesday
Ladies' Bible class, 3 p. m.
Mid-week service, 8 p. m.
Robert A. Waller, Evangelist.

SPANISH-AMERICAN METHODIST CHURCH
North Hill
Every Sunday: Sunday school, at 3 p. m., Henry Juarez, superintendent; preaching service, 4 p. m., by the pastor.

We ask all members and friends to please take notice of the new schedule, and be present at 3 o'clock every Sunday afternoon at the church.

The pastor also will be in Artesia to visit members and friends, on the second Wednesday of each month, and there will be an evening service at 8:15 o'clock that same Wednesday.

The public and all visitors are welcome to our services.
Rev. Evaristo Picazo, Pastor,
212 West Lea St., Carlsbad.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
613 W. Main
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Sunday services, 11 a. m.
Wednesday services, 8 p. m.

"Spirit" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in the Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, August 6.

The Golden Text is: "We have received, not the spirit of the world, but the spirit which is of God; that we might know the things that are freely given to us of God." (I Cor. 2:12)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "This I say then, Walk in the Spirit, and ye shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh." (Gal. 5:16)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "If the disciple is advancing spiritually, he is striving to enter in. He constantly turns away from material sense, and looks towards the imperishable things of Spirit. If honest, he will be in earnest from the start, and gain a little each day in the right direction, till at last he finishes his course with joy." Visitors always welcome.

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WARRANTY DEED

W. A. Jordan et ux to J. W. Bowman, lot 10, block 23, Morningside Addition, \$900.
H. A. Denton et ux to Lon Keys, lot 2, block 1, Chihauhau, Fairview Addition.

Willie Mae Sharp to Agnes Dick-ey, lot 5, block 23, Fairview Addition, Artesia, \$10 etc.

Elsie Gates Johnston to J. E. Roberts, lot 5, block 15, Clayton and Stegman Addition, \$10 etc.

S. S. Ward et ux to Tom Franklin et ux, lot 6, block 34, Artesia Implement Company Addition, \$10 etc.

QUIT CLAIM DEED
George E. Currier to C. A. Munoz, lot 10, block 24, Artesia Implement Company Addition, \$40.

DISTRICT COURT
No. 8571. Oella Watson vs. Lem S. Watson, divorce.
No. 8572. Grace Brown vs. Henry Brown, divorce.
No. 8573. Betty Howard vs. Hershel D. Howard, divorce.

No. 8574. Fay O'Chesky vs. Fred L. O'Chesky, divorce.
No. 8575. Szipriana Ortiz vs. Frank Ortiz, divorce.

No. 8576. Elsie Houston vs. Sylvester Houston, divorce.
No. 8577. Artesia Homes Corp. vs. unknown heirs Sam S. Hall, quiet title.

No. 8578. Clyde A. Parrish vs. Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, subrogation.

No. 8579. In the matter of the application of Roy S. Ogle, to change name.

No. 8580. D. A. Lane vs. Durward Lane, divorce.

No. 8581. Elwin Adams vs. Johnnie Mae Adams, divorce.

No. 8582. First National Bank vs. Coleman, Tex., vs. T. E. Brown, suit on judgment.

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Sands of Time

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO
(From The Advocate Files for Aug. 1, 1929.)

Fred Brainard, manager of the Artesia baseball team, is fast whipping the local material into a real outfit and expects to show his stuff during the remainder of the season against Southland, Tex., Roswell, and Carlsbad.

Two articles, one a relic, were uncovered by the highway oiling crew in the Penasco west of the highway bridge. A stone, used in an early-day grist mill, with which most of the old-timers are familiar, was found under gravel and rock. A human skeleton also was unearthed. It has not been determined whether it is the skeleton of an Indian, Negro, or Mexican. Workers believe it floated down from the ranching section to the west.

The eight-inch gas pipeline from the properties of the Pecos Valley Gas Company to Roswell has been completed and the gas is ready to be turned into the city mains.

The Farmers Gin Company is installing a new and up-to-date bolting machine and is overhauling the gin machinery preparatory for the ginning season.

Miss Leona Allinger of Artesia and James Stagner, a former Artesia boy, now practicing law in Carlsbad, were married here Friday afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Ballard spent a few days last week in Roswell visiting her brother, Emery Carper, and Mrs. Carper.

Bryant Williams of Hope, in Artesia on business, reported growers in his community are harvesting early apples.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Brown returned home Friday after two weeks at Hot Springs.

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HOW YOUR NEIGHBOR

LIBRARY

On May 10, 1943, the Lima Library was almost destroyed by a disastrous fire, not only the whole civilized world but an invaluable heritage, considered one of the most important in the hemisphere, the library had had, as far as the library works of Hispanic origin were concerned, only two copies in Latin America; the library of Rio de Janeiro and of Lima, Peru, which, incidentally, was the first to offer to replace, as far as possible, the treasurers of the ill-fated Peruvian institution.

The nine counties in the Roswell office area are Eddy, Chaves, Curry, De Baca, Guadalupe, Lea, Lincoln, Quay, and Roosevelt.

The wage earners who have worked in covered employment should report to the Social Security Board field office immediately after they attain age 65, officials said. This is of great importance to the wage earner because he needs to know when to file his claim for insurance payments in order to avoid any loss of benefits. This also applies to the widow of a wage earner who has died. She is asked to contact the nearest Social Security Board field office and request information regarding the filing of her claim.

One Sunday morning the pastor of a colored congregation noticed that an old face had reappeared among his flock, and after the sermon he made it a point to welcome the supposedly repentant back-sliding.

"This is the first time I have seen you at church for a long time," he said. "I'm sho'ly glad to see you here again."

"Ah done had to come," explained Rastus. "Ah needs strengthenin'. I see got a job white-washin' a chicken coop an' buildin' a fence roun' a watermelon patch."

A latecomer to the circus performance was fussily pushing his way to a seat.

"Did I tread on your corn, old man?" he remarked, as he saw one of the audience wince.

"It must have been you, I'm afraid," was the reply. "All the elephants are in the ring."

Many Receive Payments Under Old-Age System

A total of 361 individuals in the nine counties in the Roswell area are now receiving monthly old-age and survivors' insurance benefits. Of this total, 106 are workers who have retired from covered employment; 25 are wives of these retired workers; 14 are aged widows of workers who died fully insured; 58 are widows under age 65 who have the deceased worker's child or children in their care, and 158 are minor children of the deceased workers. These checks amount to total monthly payments of \$556,000.

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News Shorts

In Brownsville, Tex., Carmen Reyes, 66, has been trying to get some old age assistance. Finally came a communication from the government — a card from his Selective Service Board putting him in I-A. No board member could be reached for an explanation of Reyes' new draft status.

Dr. A. B. Berkenstadt of Chicago is the G. I. Fisherman's friend. Every Saturday he shows up at the Outdoor Servicemen's Center in Lincoln Park with a couple pails of worms, hooks, lines, and poles. Servicemen who are Isaac Walton devotees are getting in a lot of fishing on week ends with the borrowed equipment.

The Army released Lieutenant Bozo, but couldn't take away his uniform. Bozo, a black and white Dalmatian coach dog, has been given an honorable discharge after a year and a half in the South Pacific. The Army had given him protective coloring of uniform bronze — a paint job — and Bozo returned minus his spots. Bozo's eyes, ringed in white, are the only clue to his true identity.

At 15th Air Force base in Italy, a long line of big four-engined American bombers just back from a raid was circling around the field awaiting instructions to land when a pilot radioed the control tower: "Like permission to land immediately — only one engine working." The tower gave its okay and a lone Mustang fighter darted out of the formation of heavy bombers and breezed in, its pilot laughing like a schoolboy and its single engine working perfectly.

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Early Elberta Freestone Lb. Peaches 12c	Golden Ripe Lb. Bananas 7c	Firm Ripe, Local Lb. Cantaloupes 6c	Solid, Green Heads Lb. Cabbage 6c	Utah Type, Crisp, Tender Lb. Celery 17c	Clean and Fresh Clip Tops Lb. Carrots 6c	Mountain Grown 2 Lbs. Turnips 9c	Firm Ripe, for Slicing Lb. Tomatoes 19c	Dry White 3 Lbs. Onions 16c	White Cobblers, No. 1 Lb. Potatoes 4c

Gloss Starch LINIT, 12 oz. pkg. 10c	Scotch CLEANSER, 14 oz. pkg. 9c	IVORY SOAP, 10 oz. bar, 3 for . 29c	20 Mule Team BORAXO, 10 oz. pkg., 2 for 27c	Soap Powder OXYDOL, 24 oz. pkg. 23c	CAMAY SOAP, reg. bar, 3 for . 20c
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WORLD NEWS - in - BRIEF FORM

From Near and Far, Some Timely, Some of Human Interest

Two fishermen from Philadelphia said they never saw such trout fishing in Pennsylvania. Both took the limit from Letort Spring. Then they learned the spot had been stocked with 150 trout just forty-five minutes earlier.

W. J. Doran, 66, was fined \$15 by County Judge C. Edgar Kettering in Denver on a woman's complaint that he kicked her bulldog out of his turnip garden in violation of a city ordinance against cruelty to animals. Doran protested, in vain, that he didn't dislike dogs. In fact he said, he once owned a dog which had been his best friend, next to his wife.

Thanks to a woodpecker, aided by a swarm of bees, Mrs. Helen Sharpe is in a sweet mess in Los Angeles. The woodpecker drilled a hole in her house. The bees took over and filled the walls with honey. Mrs. Sharpe attempted unsuccessfully to rout them with a vacuum cleaner. Mrs. Sharpe, well stung, says anyone who can remove the bees may have the honey.

Howard W. Pingree, pharmacist's mate third class, of Salt Lake City, doesn't need elaborate tackle to catch fish. Pingree, stationed at the Naval Training Center at Faragut, Idaho, says five companions will vouch for this story: Idly skipping stones on Lake Pend Oreille, he drew just as a large trout surfaced and struck the fish "right between the eyes."

Joe Hellstern, Detroit cab driver, drew up at Highland Park General Hospital a poor second in a race with the stork. The mother, Mrs. Clara Lawrence, and her baby girl were doing fine but Hellstern fainted dead away.

Cattails, ornamental marsh plants previously considered useless, now have a part in the war effort. Officials at the Watervliet, N. Y., arsenal report they found them more buoyant than kapok and 90 per cent warmer than wood, so they are using them to fill cushions on Army ordnance amphibious jeeps, which can be used as life preservers in case of accidents.

The Sinclair, Wyo., community has been invaded by rattlesnakes. Town Marshal D. C. Jones reports. He said he has helped to kill forty-four since June 28. The reptiles have been found on streets, in yards, gardens, and basements, and one was discovered in a theater building.

What's sauce for the goose is sauce for the you-know-what. An Army officer in Newport News, Va., lifted his telephone and dialed "O." Then he asked for a long distance number. The operator said "thank you, just a minute, please." After waiting a few minutes the officer was startled to hear a plaintive, little voice ask, "Won't you please say 'you're welcome'?" All day long I say "thank you" and no one ever says "you're welcome." He did.

Buchanan of Nevada, Mo., has a hen with singleness of purpose. She wants to set. Buchanan tried all known procedures to dissuade her but failed. Finally he put a tray of ice under her. Still she sat. Buchanan gave up, lifted the hen and found the old biddy so cold she couldn't walk. Frozen to her job!

Mrs. Nancy Moran Graber, daughter-in-law of Superior Judge Joseph A. Graber of Chicago, won a \$10 wager, without making a bet. Judge Graber had bet his golfing partner, John Irwin, that Mrs. Graber, who was expecting a birth, would have a boy. Irwin wagered \$10 that she would give birth to a girl. Mrs. Graber gave birth to twins — a boy and a girl — and the judge decided the money should go to his daughter-in-law. Irwin upheld the decision.

In Minneapolis, Reuben Lundquist, a streetcar motorman, sits in the driver's seat, but he says he's always ready to obey orders from his conductor — his wife. Lundquist said the husband-wife trolley team has proved a successful arrangement and he takes credit for arranging it. When the streetcar company began employing women he persuaded his wife to apply for a job.

A. H. Olson brought a rattlesnake to Big Sandy, Mont., and said a mouse killed it. The snake, he explained, swallowed the mouse. Then the mouse scratched a hole in the snake's throat.

A customer who ordered a bouillon cube in a downtown Boston luncheon room was baffled when the waitress served it on a plate

accompanied by a knife and fork.

From Waterbury, Conn., last December, Mrs. Simon Cronin sent a fruit cake to her grandson, Sgt. James Cronin, AAF gunner in Sardinia. Yesterday she received a V-mail letter from North Africa which said in part: "This is to thank you for a very nice fruit cake. You neglected to show Jim's organization on the address. I have the same name and rank as Jim, so today (July 8) I received the cake."

Maury Maverick of Seattle finally caught up with his laundry by back tracking. The War Production Board vice chairman barely had settled in his hotel suite when a maid delivered a package. It was the laundry he had sent out before he checked out of the hotel April 20, 1943. He had forgotten all about it.

The original battle for Normandy beachheads is over, but risk is still there. A veteran captain of port engineers who had been there since D-day plus two stepped on a land mine 100 yards from shore and was killed. "Those things are all over," shrugged a military policeman. "We have areas roped off where we know they are planted but we have been so busy cleaning up for traffic to the front we haven't had time to get them out."

Weather reports from Digger Butte lookout in California were held up temporarily when workers couldn't find the fuel moisture in the ground cover. Badly gnawed, the stick was found after an all-day hunt. It had been carried off by a bold porcupine.

Drilling for water on his farm near Madison, Ind., Willard Cashman struck a pocket of gas at 160 feet which, he figures, will heat his home, refrigerate his food, and cook his meals for years, and now he has started drilling elsewhere for water.

In Utica, N. Y., when George Goodrich discovered his automobile had been stolen, he took to the air to find it. Goodrich told police that he had spotted, from an airplane, the light green top of the vehicle parked near a church in suburban Yorkville. Police investigated and found the automobile.

After 127 years Wilkes County's courthouse clock in Washington, Ga., is tapping out time to the tune of electricity. Clock experts from St. Louis made the necessary changes. The clock was set in motion in 1817, records show.

Near Briggs, Idaho, Les Sischer missed gasoline periodically from a drum in which it was stored. So he drained out most of it, diluting the rest with water. Some time later three cars stalled on the road leading from the ranch, and the youthful occupants were arrested — caught with their carburetors down.

The German Transocean News Agency reported this one from Stockholm. A young girl was struck by lightning during a thunderstorm while walking in the woods with her boy friend. The lightning ran down the bones of her corset, and while it did not injure the girl, it cut off two fingers from the young man. "He probably was holding her around the waist," Transocean said. But what in thunder is a corset?

Instead of pacing corridors as an expectant father might, the Rev. Raymond J. Salchli went to work at Magee Hospital, Pittsburgh, cleaning surgical instruments and cleaning walls, until a daughter was born to his wife. A hospital officer said: "We certainly would welcome more fathers like that."

Startled by the bristly appearance of their mailmen, Salt Lake City residents asked Postmaster I. A. Smoot how come. It's all a promotional stunt for the city's "Days of '49" celebration late this month, he explained. The letter carriers decided to compete in a beard-growing contest.

With five unmanned chairs and with his former barbers in the armed forces, Julius Bossey of Los Angeles has solved the problem by letting his customers shave themselves. For 20 cents he furnishes a razor, towels, soap, lotion and advice — if necessary. To keep the change from becoming too great, Bossey allows shavers to talk to themselves.

Gov. Robert S. Kerr, of Oklahoma, keynote speaker at the Democratic national convention in Chicago, says that while he was writing his keynote address, he halted occasionally to read it aloud. His youngest son, Billy, 6, was where he had to listen to about three pages. Billy asked how much of it there would be, altogether, and was told about twenty pages. He considered a moment and said: "Do I have to go to the convention?"

Louisiana legislators ending their sixty-day session in a hiar-

Prizes of \$1,000 Offered at Fair For Palominos

The New Mexico State Fair Commission is offering \$1,000 in cash prizes for eighteen classes of Palominos at the 1944 State Fair, opening Sept. 24. The annual premium book, now on the press, also lists substantial prize money for nine classes of quarter horses, as well as cash awards for several classes of saddle type thoroughbreds and also for draft horse classes. Leon H. Harms, manager, predicted that the 1944 horse show would be outstanding.

Both the Palomino and quarter horse shows will be under the auspices of the respective national organizations. Harms, who has just returned from Mineral Wells and Stamford, Tex., said that both the Palomino Horse Breeders of America and the American Quarter Horse Association would offer special trophies and ribbons to champions in the several classes. He was accompanied on the Texas visit by Mrs. Harms, who is secretary-treasurer of the New Mexico Palomino Exhibitors Association.

Organization of New Mexico Palomino owners and breeders was effected during the 1943 State Fair. It has been notably successful. Owners have joined from every county in the state and numerous applications for registration of Palominos have been made.

Sacramento Camp

C. A. (Chuck) Aston has bought the Folkner cabin, which was built by Rufus Wallingford and later was owned by Frank Smith. His family expects to spend the month of August at camp.

Robert O. Anderson bought the lower Folkner cabin and is now doing some remodeling. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and the children were at camp last week.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Russell of Artesia and their daughter, Miss Ruth Russell of Clovis, went to camp last week, expecting to spend most of the remainder of the summer there.

Mrs. Raymond Bartlett and her daughter, Mrs. Creighton Gulchrist, and her little daughter, Sue, have as their guests Mrs. Charles Floore and her two children. Mrs. Oscar Pearson and her small twin sons were also guests at the Bartlett cabin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Yates and their two children and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Yates and their small son were all at camp last week end. Mrs. S. P. Yates and children expect to go back to camp the latter part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lease Bonafield of Ada, Okla., and their three daughters are at one of the Bartlett cabins indefinitely. Mr. Bonafield has been in Artesia on business.

Mrs. A. C. Sadler and her small daughter, Barbara, expect to go up soon and will be at the L. P. Evans cabin.

It is estimated that an acre of meadowland contains 15,000,000 insects.

"Waiter, this is a deplorably small steak."

"Yes, sir; but you'll find it will take you a long time to eat it."

ious paper-wad throwing mood, had a moment of discomfort when, at their request their new governor, Jimmie Davis, sang his own composition, "It makes no difference now." The chief executive had a grin on his face when he came to the words "I'll get along without you very well."

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Locals

Mrs. R. C. Horner of San Marcus, Tex., arrived Sunday and expects to spend the month of August here with her sister, Mrs. Mitie Hamill, and her daughters and also with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hilery White, at Hope. Her husband, Lieutenant Horner, has been stationed at San Marcus more than a year.

Mrs. Ethel James of El Paso arrived Sunday and visited until Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Fred Spencer, and Mr. Spencer and with her brother, Edgar Williamson, and Mrs. Williamson and old-time friends. She went from here to visit her daughter, Mrs. O. S. Gilbert, and her family at Pampa, Tex. Mrs. James is a saleswoman at the Popular Dry Goods Company store in El Paso.

Shirley Sue Feather, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather, is spending this week in Carlsbad with her aunts, Mrs. Frank Irby and Mrs. P. D. Wilson, and Mr. Wilson.

Mrs. Glenn Booker, who underwent major surgery in Rochester, Minn., recently, is expected home this week. Her mother, Mrs. Emery Carper, who has been in Rochester with her daughter, is accompanying her home.

Members of the Bill Dunnam family are together again, after having been at different places. Mrs. Dunnam returned Friday evening from Denver, Colo., after a vacation trip of two weeks. Her daughter, Miss Janie Lou, returned the same evening from Fort Stockton, Tex., where she had been at a Methodist camp. Mr. Dunnam, who had been in Albuquerque, came home Wednesday of last week.

Kit Carson, aerial ordnance man third class, arrived home Sunday from Wildwood (N. J.) Naval Training Station on leave, to visit Mrs. Carson about ten days.

Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Warriner of Clovis left Tuesday morning for their home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bayless over the week end.

Homer Borland returned home Friday from Denver, where he had been at the district warehouse of Western Auto Stores, buying for his store here.

Mrs. A. W. Weigand of Burbank, Calif., sister of Mrs. C. G. Sherwood, left for her home Wednesday of last week after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood a month.

Mrs. C. Bert Smith left Sunday night for Waukegan, Ill., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Edson Jones, and family a month.

L. G. Hoover of Monahans, Tex., eldest of the six sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hoover was here over the week end visiting his parents and his brother, Pvt. Boyd Hoover, who was here on furlough.

Mrs. Helen Henson returned Wednesday from El Paso where she has spent part of her vacation visiting relatives and friends.

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Wilting, are you, and want no more of it at table? Catch the crispness you crave in summer dishes made with cereal.

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Cereals take to main-dish combinations, yes. But consider first for sheer, simple satisfaction the favorite American breakfast dish — a bowl of cereal with milk and sugar and perhaps a topper of fruit. Have you tried this for that longed-for light lunch? It's easy, it's always ready, and it's best of all nutrition-right, for a bowl of cereal with milk means lunch gives you all this — protein, the B-vitamins (thiamine, riboflavin, niacin), minerals (calcium, iron), energy. Just as crisp a solution for a light supper or snack as it is for lunch!

Retire the eternal triangle of toast beneath your creamed, gravy-rich or sauced dishes, and serve them on a platform of crispy ready-to-eat cereal. Just that breezy-fresh contrast you want in a summer supper, you'll like the good grain taste of cereals with rich mixtures and the cereal stays crisp 'til the last bit of sauce is sopped up! Try puffed, flaked, shredded cereals for this refreshing twist to summer meals.

Sundae, Monday or Always

More ice cream this summer is the good news for dog-day desserts. But the "scoop" of the season is using ready-to-eat cereal to make ice cream a sundae. Set a scoop of ice cream in a ring of your favorite, crunchy cereal — wheat flakes, puffed rice, wheat and barley kernels, corn flakes are good suggestions. Pour over chocolate or butterscotch sauce — it's a home-made sundae and heavenly!

Crispsness you can "bake in" to top summer hot breads is easily achieved with a delicious mixture called "Cereal Crunch." Or you can cool and crumble this latest in crisp accompaniments and sprinkle it over berries, stewed or fresh fruits.

Melt 3 tbsps. butter in small frying pan. Mix together 1/2 cup light brown sugar, firmly packed, and 1 tsp. flour and add to butter. Cook and stir over low flame

DAISY-FRESH FOOD FACTS FOR SUMMER

2 mins. or until blended. Add any favorite shredded or flaked cereal — about 3/4 to 1 1/4 cups — mixing quickly and thoroughly. Spread thin in shallow pan. Cool and crumble. Use this on top of the batter next time you bake a plain bread or coffee cake. Crisply correct!

To Nip Salad Nostalgia

Old-fashioned as Grandma's quilting and just as much better than the "boughten" kind is homemade "boiled" dressing. Luscious and velvety for your summer salads, you needn't lack for all you like of this treat now that your favorite oil is for sale at zero points. Pure of taste, golden in color, there's no more perfect salad dressing ingredient.

Wake memories of old-fashioned honey salads with this 1944 revival of boiled dressing: 2 tbsps. flour, 2 tbsps. sugar, 1 teasp. salt, 1 teasp. dry mustard, 2 tbsps. oil, 1 cup milk, 1/3 cup hot vinegar, 2 egg yolks, slightly beaten, dash cayenne.

Mix together all dry ingredients, add oil to milk. Add milk and oil mixture very slowly to dry ingredients, blending to form smooth paste, stirring constantly, until thickened. Add hot vinegar. Add some of mixture to slightly beaten yolks. Combine with remaining mixture and cook 3 mins. longer over hot water, stirring constantly. Makes 1 1/2 cups.

'Tis the time of year to pass a tray of tiny cakes at tea and almost as fast as the thought is a batch of small, spicy cupcakes whipped up in wink with the easy prepared gingerbread mix.

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Late Farmers Gain Additional Income by WFA Purchases

New Mexico farmers during May, and June received a total of three hundred thousand dollars additional income from their production because of the War Administration's egg purchase program. It was announced by George H. Wood, acting district representative of WFA's office of production in New Mexico, that the three-month period amounting to approximately 250 cars. When the price of eggs dropped to below the support level, WFA launched a program stabilizing the price at 26 cents for current eggs. Graded eggs were also purchased by WFA at comparable prices. Wood said if WFA had not stabilized the egg market, farmers would have received less than 20 cents a dozen.

During the ninety-day period, WFA purchased seven cars in New Mexico or about 3 per cent of the state production, at a cost of approximately forty thousand dollars. The difference between the 26 cents farmers received and 20 cents or less they would have received accounts for the additional hundred thousand dollar income, he explained.

Commenting on the disposition of eggs purchased by WFA, he said many cars were sold to dealers, breakers, and commercial handlers. These firms WFA current egg market at about 28 to 30 cents a dozen. Eggs were also diverted to the Mexico community school program and other public institutions. Less than 10 cars were sold to the manufacturer for protein animal feed.

WFA's egg program was a success, Wood declared, "It not only paid farmers a fair price and kept their eggs, but saved dozens for future war needs that otherwise would have been a total loss."

Local Shoppers Urged to Conserve Paper

Local shoppers are being urged to conserve paper bags and wrappings to avoid a critical paper shortage that threatens to cause a serious bottleneck in the distribution of food products.

A direct appeal to local householders by Rex Wheatley of Peoples Service Company, member of the Food Distribution Advisory Committee, asked them to bring their own bags and baskets when going to save paper bags for use and to accept merchandise wrapped, such as bread and packaged items, and not de-wrapped another wrapping.

Wheatley explained it is reasonable to expect there is enough paper to meet the most essential needs, but there is none available for non-essential needs. He said present conditions and every effort be made by housewives to conserve paper and avoid its waste.

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Bus, Truck Drivers Must Not Idle Their Motors, Wasting Gas

Bus and truck drivers who waste gasoline by letting their motors idle while in terminals or on service routes were cautioned by Owen O. Wheeler of El Paso, district manager of the Highway Transport Department of the Office of Defense Transportation.

"ODT has requested that bus and truck drivers cooperate in conserving gasoline by turning off their motors when vehicles are not in use," the district manager said. "However, letters of complaint still call attention to cases where fuel is consumed by idling motors, while motorists are restricted in travel by gasoline rationing."

Excessive operation of bus motors at terminals or rest stops is one of the main objects of complaint. In such cases, bus passengers often include motorists who have been compelled to store their cars for lack of gasoline, it was pointed out.

MOUNTAIN SLOPE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Will Keller of the Hope community celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary Monday, July 24, which was also the birthday anniversary of Mr. Keller. A number of neighbors and friends gathered at the Keller home, each with a covered dish, for the bountiful supper which was served.

Pat Riley is reported to have sold his general mercantile store at Weed to A. J. Fisher. The annual singing school is being held at Pinon this week. A revival meeting of the Church of Christ is to begin next week. A revival meeting of the Baptist Church closed last week.

Pete Cassabone, rancher west of Hope, expects to begin the construction of a 40x80-foot barn at his ranch soon.

The recent death of John Shaffer, a former Hope resident and father of Mrs. Hal Harris, has been reported from California, where he made his home.

Floyd Gage, a resident stockman in Mexico for about fifteen years, is reported to be visiting his parents and others in the Pinon community.

Kan, where Mrs. Bruton expects to be at the home of her son, Harold Bruton, and his family, while taking a series of treatments for rheumatism, which has made her terribly uncomfortable for some time.

Oscar Samelson took Mrs. Samelson and their infant son to Ruidoso the first of the week, where they expect to remain for a short vacation.

Mrs. Leslie Martin and son, Marshall, and Mr. Martin's mother, Mrs. Frank Martin of Abilene, Tex., are at Ruidoso this week. The elder Mrs. Martin, who is visiting her son and family, has been taken on several short trips while here.

Lower Cottonwood

(Ora Buck)

Noah Buck took his uncle, Lee Buck, to Carlsbad Saturday to consult a physician. The elder Mr. Buck, who is in his seventies, has not been feeling well since arriving here a week ago. Others who went to Carlsbad with them were Eugene Buck and Miss Pauline Vandagriff. The latter remained in Carlsbad for a visit of a few days with a friend, Miss Betty Lee McDanol. She returned home Monday by bus.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Knoedler and sons enjoyed a delightful visit from Mrs. Knoedler's niece, Ethel Leaf of Moline, Ill., and two of her friends, Katy Bergstrand of East Moline and Lt. Stan Anderson, stationed at Hobbs Army Air Field. The visitors and Mrs. Knoedler and sons made the trips to Ruidoso and the Carlsbad Caverns. The visitors also were accompanied to Clovis, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler and daughter, Frances. From there the visitors left for their homes and post. Mrs. Knoedler's boys returned home Tuesday of last week.

L. R. (Uncle Lee) Buck of San Pedro, Calif., arrived last Thursday from Texas, where he had been visiting relatives the last few months. He plans to remain here visiting his nephews, the Buck brothers, and their families three weeks. "Uncle Lee" Buck lived in this community several years before going to California to make his home.

Cottonwood Boy Scouts joined other Boy Scouts of Southeast New Mexico in Roswell Sunday morning for a trip to Philmont Camp in North New Mexico for a camping outing. They are to return home Sunday. Those who went from here with their scoutmaster, J. S. Burgess, were Charlie Taylor, H. V. Parker, Jr., Clarence Melvin Pearson, and Eugene Buck. Victor Parker took the boys as far as Roswell Sunday morning.

Mrs. Clarence Roberts of Carlsbad arrived Monday afternoon to visit her son, Clarence E. Roberts, and Mrs. Roberts in Artesia a few days.

Mrs. J. A. Clayton, Jr., and children have returned to their home at Norman, Okla., after a visit of several days here with Mrs. Clayton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crook of Lake Arthur have gone to Hot Springs to take the hot baths. Mr. Crook has been suffering from rheumatism several months.

Mrs. Ed Payne of near El Paso, who visited her son, Lee Payne, and Mrs. Payne at Carlsbad two weeks, has arrived here to visit her daughter, Mrs. Charles Buck, and family.

"Professor, your laboratory has exploded into the air."
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Society

Three Weddings of Local Interest During Month of August Have Been Announced in Artesia This Week

Clowe-Fry

Three weddings of local interest have been announced this week.

Cpl. David Clowe, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Clowe of Artesia, and Miss Clara Lou Fry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Fry of the Upper Cottonwood community, were married at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The wedding was at the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Mert Sullivan, and Mr. Sullivan in Carlsbad, with the Rev. Dr. W. S. Dando officiating.

The couple was attended by Miss Margery Clowe and Mert Sullivan, sister and brother-in-law of the bridegroom. Members of the family who witnessed the wedding ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Clowe, parents of the bridegroom; Miss Margaret Clowe, Cpl. and Mrs. Frank Clowe and Kathleen; Mrs. Sullivan and Teddy and Danny; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reddy, George Richard, Barbara Sue and Robbie, members of the Clowe family, and Miss Eulene Fry and Mrs. Marie O'Cheskey, sister and aunt of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Frances Boyce, friends.

The bride chose for her wedding a two-piece ensemble of light blue crepe, with which she wore a smart pink hat with a light blue trim, a corsage of pink roses, and other pink accessories.

Both are graduates of Artesia High School, Corporal Clowe with the class of '41 and Mrs. Clowe with the class of '43.

Corporal Clowe is home on furlough, arriving Saturday from Kingman, Ariz., where he graduated from gunnery school. He is now classified as an aerial engineer and gunner. He expects to leave Aug. 8 for Lincoln, Neb., where he is to be stationed for reclassification. Mrs. Clowe expects to join her husband at the earliest date possible.

After the wedding ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan were hosts at a reception for members of the wedding party. A large, tiered wedding cake was cut by the bride and bridegroom and served with iced punch.

Baker-Boykin

Mr. and Mrs. John Briscoe of the oil field community have announced the marriage of their son, Pfc. William Lee Baker, and Miss Retta Boykin. The wedding was in Corpus Christi, Tex., at the Naval Air Base Chapel, at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, June 25.

Private Baker, who attended Ar-



CPL. BAKER AND BRIDE

tesia High School, completing the junior grade, and joined the Marine Corps three years ago. He was wounded in action at Guadalcanal last year, was returned to the states last October, and is now classified for limited service. He has been in Corpus Christi since last April.

Full details of the wedding were not learned by his parents.

Compary-Ashton

Miss Dorothy Bob Compary, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Compary, and T/Sgt. Franklin Otto Ashton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Ashton, all of Artesia, were married in Ogden, Utah, Tuesday, July 25.

Wedding vows were exchanged at the Hill Army Air Field chapel, with the field chaplain, the Rev. Archie H. Holt, officiating. Mrs. Compary and Mrs. Ashton, mothers of the bride and bridegroom, were present for the wedding ceremony.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY (TODAY)

The 200th-BRO, Service Club, 8 p. m.

Methodist Society of Christian Service, church, 2:30 p. m.

Christian Council, all-day meeting, church.

Presbyterian Woman's Association, Mrs. Basil Ramsey, hostess, 3 p. m.

MONDAY

AWVS Seniors, Service Club, 7 p. m.

New Mexico Oil Scouts' and Land Men's Association, annual barbecue, Artesia Golf Club course, 7:30 p. m.

Executive board meeting, American Legion Auxiliary, Service Club, 4 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Wheatley concert, sponsored by the Choral Club, First Methodist Church, no admission charge, 8:15 p. m.

Miss Kunkel Weds Sergeant Clark Thursday Evening

Miss Elsie M. Kunkel of Carlsbad, Eddy County home demonstration agent for more than a year, became the bride of Technical Sergeant Charles C. Clark, Jr., of Macon, Miss., at 6 o'clock Thursday evening at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Carlsbad.

The Rev. H. E. Gaertner, pastor, read the ring ceremony before an altar decorated with palms and white gladioli, in the presence of relatives and close friends.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father, Oscar Kunkel of Dexter, wore for her wedding, a smart white linen frock with white accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Mrs. Clark, who was reared in Dexter is a graduate of the University of New Mexico, Albuquerque. Sergeant Clark attended East Mississippi Junior College.

Sergeant and Mrs. Clark went to Albuquerque on a brief wedding trip.

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Mrs. Henry Worthington, sister of the bride was matron of honor and T/Sgt. Jack Jarvis was best man.

Miss Compary was an attractive bride. She wore a semi-formal white crepe frock, styled with low-cut back and yoke of delicate colored pink marquisette and matching short sleeves, skirt draped in front, and a shoulder length veil held in place with a halo of white roses. Her bridal bouquet was of white roses, white gladioli buds, and babies-breath, tied with a shower of white satin ribbons.

Both Sergeant and Mrs. Ashton were reared in Artesia and both are graduates of Artesia High School.

After the wedding, Mrs. Compary was hostess at a wedding dinner at an Ogden restaurant, at which time a wedding cake, a white tiered cake, which was decorated with dainty pink rosebuds and topped with a miniature soldier and bride, was cut. Only members of the wedding party were dinner guests.

Mrs. Compary, Mrs. Ashton, and Mrs. Worthington, who went to Ogden for the wedding, returned Saturday. Mrs. F. O. Ashton, Jr., experts to remain in Ogden with her husband as long as he is stationed there. They have an apartment and are at home in the Utah city.

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Mrs. Horace Golden entertained Friday afternoon at her home at Franklin Petroleum Company camp, with a bridal shower and afternoon party, complimenting Mrs. C. E. Phillips, who before her marriage, July 12, to Carl Edward Phillips of Boswell, Okla., was Miss Jo O'Donnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. O'Donnell.

Mrs. Phillips received a lovely assortment of gifts for her new home and was also presented a lovely yellow angelfood cake, frosted in white and decorated in pastel shades of pink, yellow and green.

There were a series of games and refreshments of angelfood and chocolate cake, salads and iced fruit punch.

The invited guest list, who brought and sent gifts were Mrs. N. G. Martin, Mrs. Johnnie Burns, Mrs. J. C. Lambley, Mrs. H. N. Morgan, Mrs. A. L. Jackson, Mrs. S. S. Perry, Mrs. J. E. Goodrich, Mrs. Harvey Jones, Mrs. J. L. Briscoe, Mrs. A. L. Colvin, Mrs. Willis Wilde, Mrs. Bill Ellinger, Mrs. T. E. O'Donnell, Miss Laverne Rogers, Miss Billie Jean Barton, Miss Vera Chase, Miss Dickie O'Donnell, Mrs. Hattie Adams, Mrs. A. Ward and Natalul; Mrs. Jack Whitaker, Mrs. Sara Seger, Mrs. C. A. Aston, Miss Mitzi Mills, Mrs. George Till, Mrs. C. H. Mahres, and Miss Lois Jackson.

Mrs. Phillips, the honoree, was a member of the graduating class of Artesia High School last May.

Hostess Cards Expire; Must Renew to Serve

At a regular meeting of the AWVS Service Club hostesses at the club Monday evening, Mrs. H. R. Paton, chairman, presiding, and thirty-four girls present, each renewed her hostess membership card, which entitles her to serve as a hostess at the Service Club.

Those who were not present who wish to renew their cards are requested to contact Mrs. Paton before Saturday, Aug. 5. All cards expired Aug. 1.

For Wednesday evening, Aug. 9, invitations have been issued to the hostesses to attend a barbecue supper and dance at the Roswell Prisoner of War Camp, which is to celebrate the second anniversary of the founding of the camp. Those wishing to attend should contact Mrs. Paton by noon on the day of Aug. 9 and be sure their membership cards have been renewed.

Miss Ann Archer was appointed chairman of the entertainment committee. Those who are to assist her the first month are Miss Theresa Goehring, Mrs. Charlotte Runyan, Miss Evelyn Hale, Miss Mackie Richards, Mrs. Sophia Evans, Miss Betty Jane Everts, and Miss Dorothy Linell.

Miss Goehring, Miss Maxine Bunting, and Mrs. Runyan were appointed to plan a picnic for the senior hostesses for Aug. 16.

MRS. PATON RECEIVES APPOINTMENT TO THIRD DISTRICT FEDERATION

Mrs. H. R. Paton has received notice of appointment as chairman of the recreation branch of "War Service" in the third district of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs. The appointment was made at a meeting of the executive board of the district federation, which was held in Artesia two weeks ago.

Office Equipment—The Advocate.

Membership Teas Are Highlights Social Calendar

Membership teas, held by the Artesia Woman's Club Friday and by the Artesia Junior Woman's Club Wednesday, were highlights in the social calendar.

A strong membership is being registered in both the senior and junior clubs this year, which is expected to exceed that of last year.

Mrs. Fred Cole, president of the senior club, and Mrs. S. P. Yates, president of the junior club, have announced progress being made by the membership committees in outlining programs of unusual interest the coming year.

The tea held by the Artesia Woman's Club from 3 to 5 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Cole, president, by members of the membership committee, Mrs. E. J. Foster, chairman, and Mrs. Fred Jacobs, Mrs. Dave Bunting, Mrs. Grady Booker, and Mrs. Stanley Blocker, was beautifully appointed. Hostesses and those assisting were in formal attire.

Receiving with Mrs. Cole were Mrs. Mark A. Corbin, first vice president, and Mrs. E. J. Foster, second vice president. Mrs. J. D. Smith, secretary, and Mrs. Hollis Watson, treasurer, presided at the guestbook, where about a hundred guests registered.

Presiding in the dining room at the crystal punch bowl at the lace-covered table, appointed with a bouquet of roses and garden flowers which were reflected in a flat mirror, were Mrs. Dave Bunting, the first period, Mrs. C. R. Blocker, the second, and Mrs. Wallace Gates, the third and last.

Young women who served dainty sandwiches and little cookies and nuts were Miss Hattye Ruth Cole, Miss Janice Mann, Miss Barbara Wheatley, Miss Jane Shugart, Miss Juanita Russell, Miss Betty Barnett, Miss Joan Livingston, and Miss Virginia Lower.

Those assisting members of the membership committee in entertaining were a group of past presidents, Mrs. Grady Booker, Mrs. John Lanning, Mrs. Irvin Martin, Mrs. E. M. Perry, Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Mrs. Martin Yates, Mrs. J. M. Story, Mrs. Nellie Hartell, and Mrs. G. U. McCrary.

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rendered by Mrs. Howard Whitson, violin, and Mrs. Wallace Gates, piano, and Everett Dean O'Bannon, violin, and Mrs. Glenn Caskey, piano. Miss Joan Wheatley of New York City, a dramatic soprano, who is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley, sang at three intervals during the tea hours. She was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Gates.

Officers of the junior club were also tea guests.

Wednesday afternoon a lovely membership tea was held at the home of Mrs. Marshall Rowley by the Artesia Junior Woman's Club. Members of the membership committee were hostesses, Mrs. Stanley Carper, chairman, and Mrs. A. C. Sadler, Mrs. Harvey Jones, Mrs. Clarence Roach, and Mrs. Rowley. Mrs. Rowley, hostess, Mrs. S. P. Yates, president, and Mrs. Wallace Hastings, state president of junior clubs, received.

Mixed garden flowers were used in the setting of the pretty table, at which Mrs. Mark A. Corbin, club sponsor, and Mrs. Fred Cole, president of the senior club, presided.

Dainty little cakes and nuts were served with iced punch. Marsha June Rowley and Norma Gayle Hicks, in formal gowns, as were the hostesses, assisted in serving. About seventy guests called during the hours from 2:30 to 5 o'clock.

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Club Women Are Requested to Pay Their Dues Now

Club women are requested to pay dues now in both the Artesia Woman's Club and the Artesia Junior Woman's Club, before the yearbooks go to press.

Club dues must be paid before one's name may appear in the yearbook as a member. More than a hundred have paid their dues, by renewal or by application for membership in the senior club, and about seventy-five in the junior club.

Members of the membership committee of both clubs are working hard to contact every former member and also everyone interested in membership this year, but the time is now short and gasoline and tire rationing makes it impossible for them to contact all.

If dues are not paid, contact or mail dues to Mrs. Fred Cole in the senior club and to Mrs. Stanley Carper for the junior club.

Sgt. Calvin Bailey, who was sent to the States from the Pacific theater of war for treatment for malaria, left Tuesday after spending twenty-one days here with Mrs. Bailey, the former Maurine Everett. Sergeant Bailey came from Bruns Hospital in Santa Fe here and has reported to Santa Monica, Calif., for reassignment. Mrs. Bailey expects to join him when he is located.

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Choral Club Expects Large Attendance at Wheatley-Gates Concert

The Choral Club is expecting large attendance of music lovers at a concert to be given by Joan Wheatley, dramatic soprano, who is to be assisted by Mrs. Wallace Gates, pianist, at 8:15 o'clock Thursday evening, Aug. 10, at the auditorium of the First Methodist Church. The concert is being sponsored by the Choral Club.

Miss Wheatley of New York City, who is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley, has consented to give this concert which is free to everyone in the community in which she has been reared.

Mrs. Wallace Gates, a known musician who makes her home here, will render a number of piano numbers.

The public is invited.

Mrs. Maxine Arnold returned Sunday from Los Angeles where she visited her brother, Ted Arnold, who was critically injured recently in an automobile accident. She reported her brother now recovering, but will be some time before he can be back at his work. She also visited other members of the family while there.

Mrs. Ethel Vaught and her daughters, Gertrude and her Frances and her uncle, F. M. Vett, are reported to be moving to Pueblo, Colo.

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This is Seaman 1/c Melachi H. Rich, of Quitman, Georgia. He is only 18 but a veteran of action in the Mediterranean. The destroyer escort on which he served was torpedoed and he was hit in the spine. For weeks he could not move his feet but now can move one foot pretty well. Four buddies are in the hospital. They were all rescued by a sister ship.



The going is tough in the jungles of Rendova, Marine Pfc. David Phelps of Bridgeport, Conn., was thrown from a reconnaissance car and received a fracture of both legs. But he's doing all right as you see here. Phelps is twenty-two.



A smile no Nazi torpedo can wipe off. Marion Porter, Steward 3/c, who hails from Spartanburg, S. C., was in the water three hours after his ship was torpedoed in the Mediterranean. A 20 mm shell case was thrown against his leg when the tin fish hit and fractured it badly. Now he is waiting for his injury to heal so that he can get another crack at the Axis.

NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Kermit Hoover, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hoover is expected to report to Ft. Bliss, El Paso, Tex., today for service with the armed forces. Kermit is the fifth son in service. Pvt. Boyd Hoover left Monday for Seattle, Wash., after a furlough at home. Pvt. Lee Hoover is with the invasion forces in France, his letters have been written from foxholes. Jimmie Hoover, seaman first class, who has been aboard a ship in the Pacific for about two years has written his parents that he is a victim of rheumatic fever but is still on duty. Cpl. Paul D. Hoover was last heard from at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., more than a month ago, is thought to have shipped overseas.

also have a recent picture of their second son, Homer, taken on the streets of Rome a few days after allied occupation. George, the youngest son, is now in Arizona, where he is getting advanced training in the Army Air Corps.

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Mrs. Keith McCrary and her two daughters and son of Santa Fe and a sister and son of Austin, Tex., were guests of Judge and Mrs. G. U. McCrary...

Mrs. Gates Hostess... At Lovely Luncheon Thursday Morning... Mrs. Wallace Gates entertained...

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Hospital News... Mrs. John Spelling, who suffered a stroke Monday, is critically ill. Mrs. Spellings, who is 51 years old, came to Artesia with her family from the state of New York about a year ago.

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Thursday, August 3, 1944

Dere Folks:

(From Lt. Harold G. (Bo) Bradshaw, who has a New York APO address, comes this letter to his mother, Mrs. J. W. Bradshaw:)

Dear Mother: I haven't written for several days now, so will drop a few lines. I got a letter from you yesterday. I also heard from Anna Mae. It was the first mail in about two weeks. The weather seems to be holding everything up, including the war. The monsoon has really set in now. It rains most of the time. I never saw such a wet place. My shoes haven't been dry since I have been here.

Laundry is quite a problem. In the first place, we have to do it ourselves. The sun doesn't shine long enough at a time to dry them and everything molds.

I sure wish I had left all my woollens home, or could send them home, because they will soon be ruined. Oh, well, I guess I can save enough money while I am over here to buy a complete new outfit when I do get home. We are saving about \$375 a month now. That will add up in a few months.

I am sending you a little foreign currency. I have a chance to get a lot of Jap souvenirs, but I can't send them home, and I already have too much stuff to carry around, so I don't bother with it.

We are doing a lot of work. Wish I could tell you more about it. I really get a kick out of a lot of it. We have been shelled, bombed, and shot at, but I am getting used to it. It seems pretty bad at first, but it really isn't bad at all. Your chances of getting hit are pretty slim.

Well, so much for now. Will write more later. Don't worry. I am well and everything is OK.

Bo.

(Pfc. Harold Naylor, son of Mrs. J. H. Naylor, who is in Russia, writes his niece, Lynda Naylor:)

Dear Lynda: I am somewhere in Russia, a very large place and a very beautiful place. The Russians have been at war a very long time but they are very nice to us and I think I like it here very well.

Many of the clothes and customs are the same as they have been for many years, but they are not at all behind in their way of thinking and getting results from doing things.

Maybe after the war I will be able to bring you and Nila to see many of the places of this world you would want to see. I hope you have been well and getting along well in your school, or rather I hope you have done well in school this year. Hello and love to all our folks.

Uncle Harold.

(Recently received by A. L. Price were letters from his sons, Sgt. Duward Price and Pfc. Robert Price, both of whom have New York APO addresses. Here they are, the first from Duward, the second from Robert:)

Dear Dad and Al: At last I can write. I know you have been worried about me, but before this it was impossible to mail letters.

I can't tell you where I am yet or anything, except I am alive and safe.

I had mail waiting for me here when we arrived. Cora Lee said Bennie was quite sick. Why didn't you wire or at least write me about him? I've worried a lot about him since I got the letter.

How's everything else going there? It seems like a year since I heard from you. It takes mail more than a month to get here. If sent by regular mail, so if possible send it by air.

I've really been places and seen a lot the last six weeks, but I can't tell you anything yet. I don't think I'll have this address very long, but keep writing to the same one until you get a different one.

Things are pretty rough here, but we didn't come over for a picnic. How are Dymple and R. L., or have you heard from them?

Well, I've said all that I'm permitted to say, so I'll sign off. Write real soon and please let me know about Bennie. I'll write again as soon as possible.

Your loving son, Durward.

Dear Papa and Al: How is everything by you by now? I am fine and doing OK. Papa, I would have written sooner, but haven't had time. Guess you have been wondering where I am and if I am still alive. Well, I am somewhere in France and what a place it is, but everything is going pretty nice now, so don't worry about me.

Do you still live at the same place and what you doing now? I have received letters from Grace and also Dymple. They are all fine. I haven't heard from Durward in some time, but guess he is all right. Papa, I am fat as a pig and in the best of health. So answer soon and tell all.

Your loving son, R. L.

(S/Sgt. Alan Thompson was an Artesia High School coach when he went into the armed forces some months before Pearl Harbor. Now somewhere having a San Francisco APO address, he has written to Mrs. Fannie Terpening.)

Dear Mrs. Terpening: The papers you mailed May 26 arrived Saturday, July 1. You have no idea how much I enjoyed them. I hung the picture of the high school graduates in my tent. They were my first class, you know. Also I dropped Mr. Kerr (W. E. Kerr, school superintendent) a line.

Nothing special has happened here. We did, however, the first of last week have a minor earthquake. On payday the boys got the company cat and a 4-week-old razor-back hog drunk on beer. They really were comical.

Today, when I went to put on a pair of shoes I hadn't worn for a while, the wasps had built two nests in them.

The blotches on the other side (ink smears) are sweat. When I get back, I'll never complain of the heat.

The boys made me manager of the baseball team. We expect to play a game or two soon and continue until the league starts, then get in.

Will close with best wishes. Coach Thompson.

(Fred A. Barham, erstwhile Eddy County farm extension agent, now on military leave trying to become a sailor, veteran doughboy of World War I, a former National Guard and State Guard officer, and all-around good fellow, while soaking his feet at "boot" camp at San Diego, Calif., after a strenuous workout, managed to hold his tired head up long enough to write a letter to Artie McAnally, manager of the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association. In his letter, Barham refers a bit disparagingly to the editor of The Advocate and to this good sheet, but the editor understands the ways of Fred and realizes, from past conversations, that the two are within a couple of months of the same age and therefore knows that the old boy is having a tough time of it keeping up with the young G. I.'s. So if Fred can take that, the editor can take his wise cracks. He writes McAnally:)

Dear Friend Artie: Well, the old man is still keeping up with the young boys, but don't know how long I can keep it up. Outside of my feet being blistered, I am getting along OK.

We drill a lot, take lots of rifle and regular calisthenics, and run a half-mile obstacle course every day. You probably have seen such courses on the screen. I can now go up and down a cargo net like a monkey on a rope.

Had to take a swimming test and strength test last week. Passed the swimming test OK. Made 52 on the strength test, and 75 is a Superman, and 33 is passing. The average for our company was 42. You see, I am a pretty good man after all.

Give my love to Madge and Louise. Kiss them a couple of times and tell them to write me a long letter.

Tell all my farmer friends hello. I don't have much to write, as they keep us on the go from 0500 to 2100 (5 a. m. to 9 a. m.) Then lights are out at 2130.

Let me know all the gossip, or "scuddlebutt," as they say in the Navy.

Tell Pot Burt that I said for him to tell all my friends hello through that yellow sheet of his. Give them my address and ask them to write. Can send me a clipping for proof.

Your friend, Fred A. Barham, GM 2/c, USNR Company 44-373, U. S. Naval Training Center San Diego 33, Calif.

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ADVOCATE WANT ADS GET RESULTS

Commercial Men May Now Use Simplified Forms

Operators of commercial motor vehicles were informed by Owen O. Wheelless of El Paso, district manager of the Highway Transport Department of the Office of Defense Transportation, that they may use simplified forms of their own making in keeping tire inspection records of vehicles covered by "Certificates of War Necessity."

Records of miles traveled, motor fuel consumed, and inspections were said by the district manager to be more necessary today than ever before, but use of ODT forms, heretofore required, will not be necessary.

Operators, who still have Forms 17 and 17-A on hand, may continue to use them until they are exhausted, if they desire. However, no new ones will be supplied.

Records are subject to periodic inspection by ODT officials. Information required includes a record of tire inspection for each vehicle, date of inspection, inspection station number, county and state, serial number or brand of tires requiring service and description of the required services, certification of inspector that no service is necessary or certification that such service as was required has been performed. Tires must be inspected every 5,000 miles or every six months, whichever comes first.

Mrs. Jimmy Cunningham arrived the first of the week from Sioux City, Iowa, where she has been with her husband several weeks. She makes her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams, on the Williams ranch.

Mrs. Joe Hamann has returned from Silver City, where she attended a term of summer school at New Mexico Teachers College.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simons returned by bus Monday from Kansas, where they spent two weeks visiting their home folks.

PUBLIC NOTICE DOCKET NO. 1950

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT R. B. Burnett of 600 N. E. Second St., Amarillo, Texas has applied to the State Corporation Commission of New Mexico for a Contract Motor Carrier Permit to operate a Freight service as follows:

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Said Corporation Commission has set the 14th day of August, 1944 for the public hearing to be held at the offices of the State Corporation Commission, Santa Fe, New Mexico, at 9:30 A. M. for the consideration of said application. The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons interested, an opportunity to show cause why such authority should not be granted.

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

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NOTICE OF SALE UNDER CHATTEL MORTGAGE

Notice is hereby given that Ignacio Martinez and Martina Martinez have broken the conditions of a certain chattel mortgage executed by them to L. E. Folkner, dated March 26, 1942, filed December 7, 1942, in the Office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, No. 63701, by failing to pay the debt secured thereby and evidenced by promissory note, and L. E. Folkner has possession of the property described in said mortgage and will proceed to sell the same according to law.

NOW THEREFORE, THE property described in said mortgage, to-wit:

One frame shingled two room house formerly located on S 1/2 of Lot 14, Block 16 in the original Town (now City) of Artesia, New Mexico, will be sold at Public Sale to the highest bidder for cash on the thirtieth day of August, 1944 at 10 o'clock A. M. at the main entrance of the City Hall at Artesia, New Mexico.

The amounts of the debt and costs are as follows:

Principal in interest ...\$124.96
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L. E. FOLKNER, Mortgagee.

30-4t-33

NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO: AVILA EDGE, against whom substituted service of process is hereby sought to be obtained.

GREETINGS: You, the said Avila Edge are hereby notified that there is pending in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District in and for Eddy County, New Mexico, a certain cause wherein Audrey K. Edge is plaintiff and you are defendant, the same being Cause No. 8562, on the Civil Docket thereof, the nature of which action is to

obtain a divorce in favor of the plaintiff and against you, the defendant.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance or plead herein on or before the 25th day of August, 1944 the plaintiff will make application to the Court for judgment against you as prayed for in the plaintiff's Complaint. You are further notified that G. T. Watts and O. O. Askren, whose post office address is Box 616, Roswell, New Mexico, are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 6th day of July, 1944.

(SEAL)
ETHEL M. HIGSMITH,
Clerk of the District Court.
28-4t-31

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF W. R. ROBERTS, DECEASED. No. 1125

NOTICE TO CREDITORS The undersigned Iris W. Roberts has qualified as executor under the will of W. R. Roberts, deceased, also known as Warren R. Roberts.

All persons having claims against said decedent are hereby notified to present the same as provided by law within six months from July 27, 1944 or the same will be barred.

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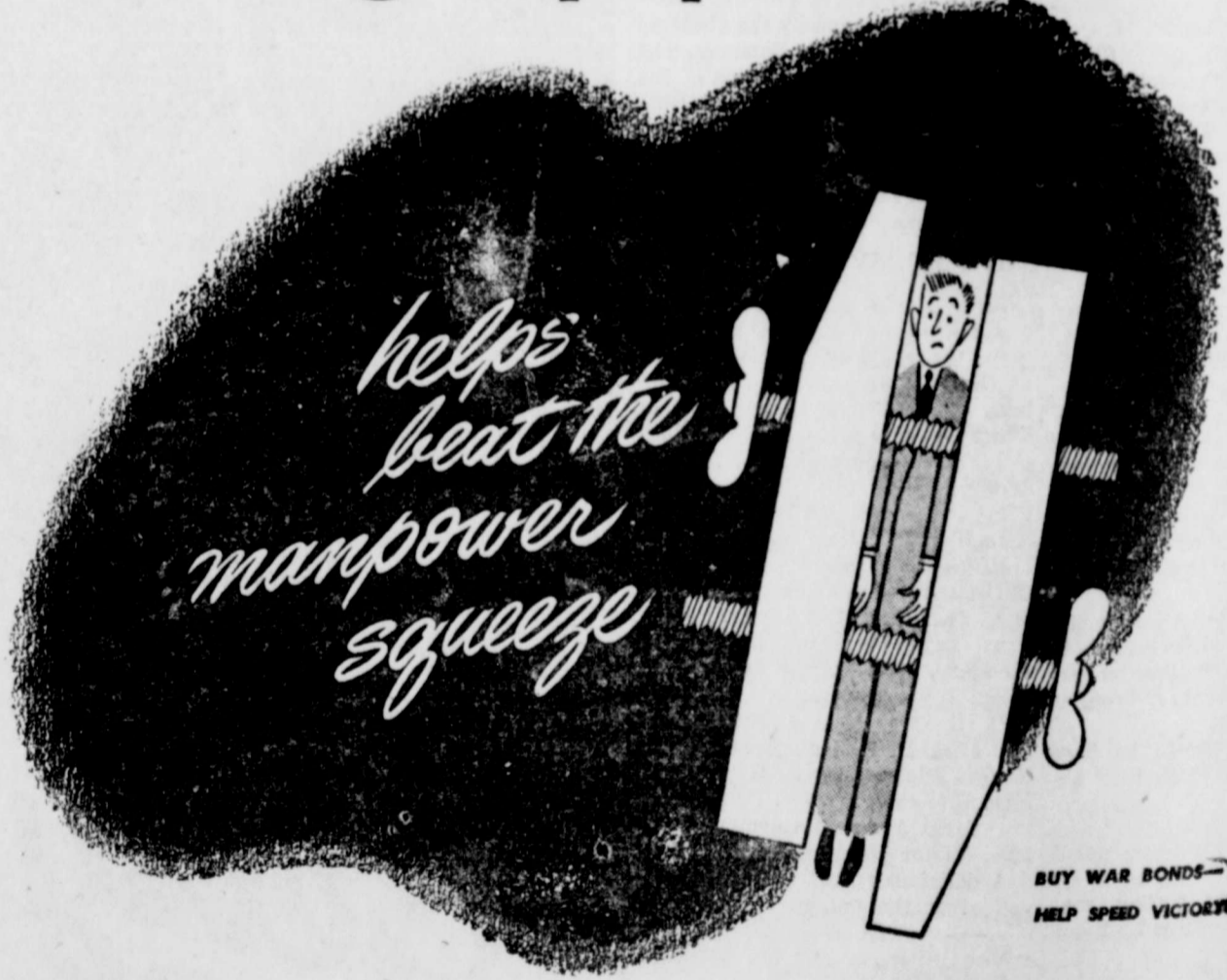
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Leave Artesia	2:10 p. m.
Leave Artesia	6:35 p. m.

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Artesia Alfalfa Growers Assn.

VOTE FOR LOCAL OPTION IN EDDY COUNTY

Election Saturday, August 26

Vote intelligently! Vote conscientiously! Protect our homes! Protect our young people! Vote to rid Artesia and Eddy County of crime and vice brought about by the open saloons.

10 Years of Increased Crime Under the Open Saloon

Here are the figures released by the F. B. I.:

Per cent of total number fingerprinted, arrested for drunkenness:

	Men	Women
1932	3.66	3.38
1933	Not reported separately	
1934	8.1	5.6
1935	10.8	7.3
1936	16.2	11.3
1937	16.7	11.9
1938	15.2	11.4
1939	16.1	11.4
1940	19.4	14.5
1941	23.3	15.8
1942	26.0	16.4

The report states that for the first half of 1943, crimes of women under 21 years of age increased 64.7 per cent; for offenses against common decency, 89.5 per cent; for crimes against property, 30.8 per cent; for miscellaneous offenses, 62.8 per cent; for prostitution, 64.8 per cent; for sex offenses, 104.7 per cent, and for vagrancy, 124.3 per cent.

Note that these records of the F. B. I. cover the generation of girls who were only children when saloons returned. Yet, the saloon keepers have the audacity to make a statement to the effect that prohibition taught the women to drink in bars.

THEY WOULD LIKE TO HAVE US BELIEVE

That liquor has not affected the public morals.
That liquor has cured corruption in office.
That the dry era taught our boys and girls to drink.

That it led to the moral breakdown of our youth.

WE CHALLENGE THEM TO PRESENT
THE FACTS

CRIME INCREASED

Figures released by Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, director of the F. B. I. for 1942, among young people under 25 years of age:

Drunkenness increased	12.3 per cent
Drunken driving increased	14.2 per cent
Disorderly conduct increased	34.1 per cent
Liquor law violations increased	20.5 per cent
Assault increased	29.3 per cent
Rape increased	51.2 per cent
Prostitution increased	35.4 per cent

Situation Not Improving

The police court records in the Cities of Artesia and Carlsbad show that the situation is rapidly becoming worse.

For the last four months of this year the Records stand as follows:

Arrests for Drunkenness	March	April	May	June—1944
Artesia	34	23	30	38
Carlsbad	10	13	26	39
Other Arrests in Artesia	3	6	5	2

Throughout the nation since 1933 crime has increased 155 per cent. Drunken driving has increased 97 per cent. Drunkenness has increased 174 per cent. Juvenile delinquency has increased in an alarming manner.

Alcoholic Drink Wastes Billions

The consumption of alcoholic liquors create an annual public loss of some \$4,000,000,000 more from accidents, crime, disease, and inefficiency due to drinking.

All in all the liquor traffic pays back to the government less than one dollar of every eight dollars it cost

the government, without considering the moral and social waste involved. If you could make a complete check on it you would find about the same to be true in Artesia and Eddy County.

*U. S. Bureau of Internal Revenue.

**Estimated legal and illegal sales.

Here are some facts:

The manufacture of alcoholic liquors destroys or consumes more than 6,380,000,000 pounds of food material per year.*

The American people spend annually some \$4,000,000,000 for drink.** This amount comes of course from its victims.

LET US VOTE SATURDAY, AUGUST 26... TO RID OURSELVES OF THIS MENACE!

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Ocotillo SUN. - MON. TUES. Aug. 6-7-8

Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy "SONG OF THE OPEN ROAD"

VALLEY SUN. - MON. TUES. Aug. 6-7-8

HUMPHREY BOGART "PASSAGE TO MARSEILLES"

WHAT'S WHAT in NEW MEXICO

News Briefs of the "Sunshine State" Gleaned From Many Sources

A decrease of thirty-five in the number of state game law violators in the last year was reported by the New Mexico Game Department.

Attorney General C. C. McCulloh has informed Victor Salazar, chief of state liquor control, that liquor brought into the state by individuals for their own consumption is tax-exempt and that there is no prohibition in state laws against either a resident or non-resident bringing any quantity of liquor into the state for personal use.

McKinley County Clerk Eva Ellen Sabin said last week that she had received approximately 100 applications for service personnel for absentee ballots which were authorized by a recent special session of the legislature.

Cpl. Harry Yazzi, Navajo boy from Gallup serving with the Parachute Infantry, wrote from New Guinea, "How about a pin up girl selected at the Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial?"

It takes more than a postage stamp to make marriage legal in the state of New Mexico. Commenting on the Army's okay on marriage by mail, provided the contract is valid in the state, Attorney General C. C. McCulloh said this state does not recognize such unions.

farm and range improvement funds may be spent to pay freight upon drilling equipment furnished by the grazing service for drilling of water wells.

County clerks may retain a registration if the voter gives a legitimate reason for not voting at the last two preceding general elections, according to an attorney general's opinion.

New Mexico's nineteen state banks scored a gain of 25 per cent in resources during the year ended June 30. State Bank Examiner Woodland P. Saunders said the banks reported resources of \$43,286,959.33 compared with \$34,616,870 for the same period last year.

The late Gerald Cassidy's art book collection will be presented to New Mexico University at a start for a library for art students as a memorial to Cassidy.

Maj. Gen. Richard M. Donovan, commanding general of the Eighth Service Command at Dallas, plans to attend the Gallup inter-tribal Indian ceremonial at Gallup Aug. 11-13.

Forty-six fishermen caught 290 pounds of fish at Conchas Lake in a single day, according to a recent survey for six hours. Game Department officials said.

J. W. Pechum, state deputy game warden, warned that the fish creel limit still stand at Bluewater Lake, despite the fact that water in the lake is being depleted by irrigation and drought.

The State AAA Committee has received word indicating that opportunity will soon be knocking for New Mexico ranchmen who want to lay in a supply of pellets for winter feed emergencies.

leased from the state penitentiary, according to prison officials. Thayer was sentenced on Sept. 21, 1942, to a term of 5 to 15 years for embezzlement of \$41,000 of public funds.

Based on the number of meals served daily in New Mexico restaurants, a survey of the state by the Division of Sanitary Engineering and Sanitation in the State Department of Public Health shows that 206,175 persons eat at least one meal daily in public eating establishments.

The community school lunch program, for which Congress recently appropriated \$50,000,000 for continued operations, was created to safeguard the health of school children by assuring them wholesome foods which provide at least a third of their daily nutritive requirements.

H. W. (Jim) Neely has given up the posts he has held for many years as adjutant and service officer of the New Mexico American Legion to take a job with the U. S. Veterans Administration in Albuquerque.

New Mexico's quota of truck and bus tires of 8:2 1/2 inches and larger has been cut to 230 tires for next August, compared with a July quota of 821 tires.

Slight increases in bituminous coal price ceilings at the mine or preparation plant in Southern Colorado and Northern New Mexico have been approved by the OPA.

School Lunch Program Will Reach Many Communities in New Mexico

New Mexico school children again will have nutritious noonday lunches when schools open this fall, according to Gordon H. Wood, acting district representative, WFA's office of distribution.

Already requests for 177 community school lunchrooms have been received for the next school term, he said, adding that during the last year daily lunches were served in 126 New Mexico schools to 12,253 children.

Throughout the nation 31,000 schools served more than 4,000,000 children under last year's community school lunch program.

Locally operated lunchrooms provide outlets for commodities purchased at WFA support prices and will help move seasonally abundant foods and give farmers and food distributors additional outlets for their products.

The school lunch program is designed to operate under local sponsorship of school boards or other on a district-wide basis.

The August issue of the New Mexico Magazine is devoted to the city of Santa Fe, with the Fiesta featured. The Fiesta article was written by John L. Sinclair.

Two New Mexicans are members of the Society of Goldbrick Pappas organized among members of Brig. Gen. Warren R. Carter's Troop Carrier Command. The New Mexicans, S/Sgt. Seymour D. Hix, Albuquerque and Cpl. Juan V. Pavia, Anthony, are among the membership comprising soldier fathers who are trying to rear their children by V-mail.

Harvest Season Approaches With Labor Shortage

The harvest season is drawing nigh and the scarcity of farm labor in Eddy County is becoming more acute each day, the county extension agent said.

Both the county agent and emergency farm labor assistant are doing everything in their power to try to import free labor and to establish a prisoner of war camp in and for South Eddy County.

Dallas Rierson, county agent, said, "In order to utilize all labor 100 per cent, we suggest that you, the farmer, let your county agent and labor assistant know the kind of labor you need and want.

"Who spilled the mustard on this waffle, dear?" "Oh, John!" How could you? "This is lemon pie!"

school organizations, parent-teacher groups, civic groups, and other non-profit organizations, Wood explained, adding WFA will reimburse local sponsors for their food purchases up to a maximum amount determined by the type of lunches served.

WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

Aug. 28 has been set by the board of regents for start of the fall school term at New Mexico School of Mines at Socorro.

Neglect a personal grievance forty-eight hours and it will be of starvation.

Little Johnny should have been hard at his homework. As it was, his father found him listening to the radio and sucking his pencil.

ply, "until I've heard the news bulletin. You see, I've to draw a map of Europe."

A dog has forty-two permanent teeth.

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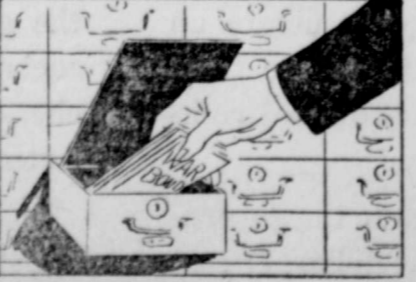
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Every citizen of Artesia, whether Youth or Adult, IS interested in having our city a Better Place to Live In, more Prosperous, more Law-abiding, with better schools, better churches, better hospital facilities, proper help for the poor.

We Know, Based on Our Sad Experience with the "Noble Experiment" that "PROHIBITION" IS NOT THE ANSWER

We are convinced, that the proper licensing, supervising and taxing, under our efficient city police, and county and state authorities, is far better than going backward . . . than bringing back the Bootlegger, the Gangster, and the Racketeer. We know that Legal Control is far better than Illegal Chaos.

As Citizens and Tax-payers, Men and Women who helped to build Artesia, who support its churches and schools, we urge every citizen of Artesia, to go to the polls Saturday, August 26, and vote FOR Supervised Distribution, for Police Control, Regulation, to vote AGAINST the Bootlegger.

Our Purpose Is

TO PROTECT the gains we have made on the road to TRUE TEMPERANCE since "Prohibition" was repealed . . .

TO KEEP OUT THE BOOTLEGGER . . . the Gangster, the Racketeer and to prevent them from seizing control of the Liquor Traffic, from peddling "poison hooch" to our young people and to our soldiers, in the hundreds of bootleg joints that always spring up under "Prohibition," where there is no Supervised Distribution under proper police control.

TO PREVENT the return of the blind tiger, the moonshine still, the racketeer and the gangster.

TO KEEP THE TAX Revenue from Supervised Distribution which is now used to support our schools, our poor, our needy blind, from once again going into the hands of the Bootlegger, who breaks all laws, and pays no taxes.

VOTE for the Legal Sale of . . .

VOTE against the BOOTLEGGER

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For Sale

FOR SALE—Excellent stock farm on Hondo River, alfalfa, some orchard, \$35,000. Will consider part payment producing oil royalty. Will also sell livestock and equipment. Good man running place, who will stay. Write owner, P. O. Box 1171, Roswell, N. Mex. 22-10tc-31

FOR SALE—I have decided to sell my property at 802 S. First, tourist camp and grocery store, at bargain. Reasons for selling, Frank Barton. 23-2tp-24-tfc

FOR SALE—One 1941 two-door Plymouth, priced to sell. Phone 458. 27-tfc

FOR SALE—House, five rooms, nice lawn and trees, two lots. C. E. Nivens, 410 East Chisholm. 28-4tp-31

FOR SALE—AC arc welding machine. C. E. Nivens, 410 East Chisholm. 28-4tp-31

FOR SALE—A Simmons studio couch, a 5-piece dinette set, one pair Simmons twin beds and springs. At Hightower lease in Square Lake on Grier farm. 29-4tp-32

FOR SALE—Twelve-foot grain bed with 3-foot sideboards for truck. Contact B. W. Falls, 509 Main St. 30-2tc-31

FOR SALE—Young Jersey milk cow, a two-wheel stock trailer, also trailer house. J. C. Roach, 1002 Grand. 30-2tp-31

FOR SALE—Washing machine, inquire at 324 West Main. 30-2tp-31

Transparent Holders for Identification Cards, Air Raid Warden, Red Cross, Auxiliary Police, Firemen, etc.—The Advocate.

FOR SALE—Barn with three stalls, feed room, two chicken houses, one floored, and chicken wire. See Allen Wiseman, Maljamar Repressing Plant. 31-2tp-32

FOR SALE—International truck and a concrete mixer with 3-horsepower motor. Inquire at 103 Dallas. 31-1tp

FOR SALE—Hens and pullets. Grade AA, 1 year old, R. O. P. White Leghorn laying hens, 125. Also 150 5 1/2-month-old White Leghorn pullets, just started laying. See them at my place ten miles east of Artesia in shallow oil field, south of Lovington highway. J. E. Bedingfield, box 563, Artesia. 31-3tp-33

FOR NEW HANDMADE SADDLES call at Oscar's Boot & Shoe Shop. 31-1tp

FOR SALE—Two-bedroom house, furnished or unfurnished. Inquire Mayes & Co., 601 S. Second, or phone 102. 31-1tc

FOR SALE—Four-wheel trailer, \$200. Inquire Mayes & Co., 601 S. Second, or phone 102. 31-1tc

FOR SALE—Seven-room house, 7 3/4 acres. T. R. Drennan, Peoples Mercantile Co., grocery department. 31-1tp

FOR SALE—14-foot Dixie mahogany boat, 33-horse motor, with Vactur carburetor, other accessories, and two-wheel trailer, good tires. S. W. Blocker. 31-tfc

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

For Rent

FOR RENT—Small house, modern, bedroom, bath, clothes closet, well ventilated, cool location. Call 701-M. 31-1tp

Lost

LOST—Black leather wallet, probably at Oasis, containing identifying papers and money. Reward. Return to Room 303, Carper building. 31-1tp

LOST—Oldsmobile hub cap, 1941 model. Finder please call 564-W. 31-1tp

LOST—One cutting head for Aircro torch. Probably lost on road northeast of Artesia. Reward. Southern Union Gas Co. 30-2tc-31

Miscellaneous

PERSONAL—LONELY? WRITE BOX 26, VANCOUVER, WASH. 28-4tc-31

MONEY TO LOAN—Ample funds for home loans on Artesia or suburban property. You'll like this simple, low-cost, home furnishing plan. We will be glad to explain it to you. E. A. Hannah, real estate, insurance, and loans. 1-tfc

John gets his tomatoes picked ...

by Howard Chapman



Wanted

WANTED—Ladies' hose to mend. Mrs. H. L. Wilkenson, 906 Chisholm, Box 838. 24-8tp-31-tfc

FURNITURE REPAIRED—Lawn chairs for sale. 607 Grand. 25-tfc

WANTED—To buy 160 to 320 acres cheap grass land in Eddy or Chaves County. Write J. L. Woodie, 311 West Broadway, Hobbs, N. M. 27-4tp-30

WANTED—Construction laborers and carpenters needed at once at Artesia, New Mexico, constructing aviation gasoline plant. Time and one-half after forty hours. Now working fifty hours per week. Apply, New Mexico Asphalt & Refining Company, Artesia, New Mexico. We comply with WMC regulations. 29-2tc-31

WANTED—Three bedroom house, furnished or unfurnished, about Aug. 15 by responsible, permanent family. F. L. Green, Box 113, Artesia. 29-2tp-30

WANTED—To fix anything. It's not too early to dig out those guns for fall. Look ahead. Shorty's Fix-It Shop, 103 S. Third. We fix anything. 29-tfc

WANTED TO RENT—Four or five-room furnished apartment or house. Six months' rent in advance. Phone 132. 30-1tp

WANTED—Used BB gun. Call Joe Lane Cooper at 7 or 99. 30-tfx

WANTED—Electrolux refrigerator. Call Mrs. G. W. Harris, phone 759-M. 30-1tp

CERTIFIED COMBINATION WELDER wants employment. Will stand any test. R. E. Almond, 508 S. First, P. O. Box 855, Artesia. 30-1tp

Wanted

WANTED—Water wells to drill, shallow or deep. H. W. Shepard, Surratt Camp. 31-3tp-33

WANTED TO BUY—Lawn mower. 407 West Richardson, or phone 138-R or 775. 31-1tp

WANTED—Maid. Housework and washing, no cooking. 707 Texas. 31-1tp

WANTED—Porter and bellboy at Artesia Hotel. 31-1tc

WANTED TO RENT—Nicely furnished house or apartment by permanent couple, no children, no pets. Call 771-W. 31-1tp

WANTED—Girls 18-25, high school education, typing ability. No experience required. We send you to our schools and pay while learning. Western Union. 31-2tp-32

WANTED—Fountain boy. Carper Grill. 31-1tc

WANTED—Experienced waitress. Carper Grill. 31-1tc

WANTED—Ride to or towards Indiana, share expenses. Leone Studio, 415 Main. 31-2tp-32

Mrs. Jimmy Cunningham arrived the first of the week from Sioux City, Iowa, where she has been with her husband several weeks. She makes her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams, on the Williams ranch.

Mrs. Joe Hamann has returned from Silver City, where she attended a term of summer school at New Mexico Teachers College.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simons returned by bus Monday from Kansas, where they spent two weeks visiting their home folks.

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Proof of the sewing skill of the younger generation is this trim tailored suit, which recently won first prize in a sewing contest for junior girls. Remodeled from a man's suit, it is of navy blue wool flecked with red. The jacket is given professional finish by the red inserts across the front. Every wardrobe contains old "duds" that can be transformed into attractive new outfits, and at such a small cost that more money can be saved for War Bonds. Back the Attack—Buy More Than Before. U. S. Treasury Department

U.S. MARINES TEACHES GOONEY BIRDS TO FLY



The original battle for Normandy beachheads is over, but risk is still there. A veteran captain of port engineers who had been there since D-day plus two stepped on a land mine 100 yards from shore and was killed. "Those things are all over," shrugged a military policeman. "We have areas roped off where we know they are planted but we have been so busy cleaning up for traffic to the front we haven't had time to get them out."

Weather reports from Digger Butte lookout in California were held up temporarily when workers couldn't find the fuel moisture in the ground cover. Badly gnawed, the stick was found after an all-day hunt. It had been carried off by a bold porcupine.

Near Briggs, Idaho, Les Sischer missed gasoline periodically from a drum in which it was stored. So he drained out most of it, diluting the rest with water. Some time later three cars stalled on the road leading from the ranch, and the youthful occupants were arrested and caught with their carburetors down.

In Utica, N. Y., when George Goodrich discovered his automobile had been stolen, he took to the air to find it. Goodrich told police that he had spotted, from an airplane, the light green top of the

vehicle parked near a church in suburban Yorkville. Police investigated and found the automobile.

Drilling for water on his farm near Madison, Ind., Willard Cashman struck a pocket of gas at 160 feet which, he figures, will heat his home, refrigerate his food, and cook his meals for years, and now he has started drilling elsewhere for water.

ADVOCATE WANT ADS GET RESULTS

Snake in your grass

Oil Activity—

(continued from page 1)

Childress Royalty Co., State 1, NE NW 32-20-26. Drilling at 1,338.

Grayburg Oil Co., Keely 8-B, SE NE 26-17-29. Total depth 3,108; show oil at 2,850-55 and 2,875-85; treated with 9,500 gallons acid; swabbing tubing.

Southern Petroleum Exploration, State 2-C, NE NE, 32-16-31. Total depth 3,235; shut down for repairs.

Aston & Fair, Stevens 8-B, SE SW 25-17-30. Total depth 3,050; flow oil at 3,013-18; shut down for repairs.

R. E. McKee & Metcalf, Spencer 1-A, SE NE 4-19-29. Drilling at 3,754.

R. E. McKee et al, Spencer 3, SE NE 3-19-29. Total depth 2,752; shut down for repairs.

Southern Union Gas Co., Thompson 1, NE SW 20-17-28. Drilling at 1,570; show oil and gas at 1,415-20; one barrel water per hour at 1,175.

Emperor Oil Co., Puckett 10-A, SW NW 24-17-31. Total depth 2,165; shut down for repairs.

Texas Co., Compton 2, NW SE 17-16-31. Drilling at 1,500.

Western Production Co., Keely 18-C, NE SW 25-17-29. Drilling at 1,594.

Martin Yates et al, Kaiser 1, NW NW 29-18-27. Total depth 1,250; shut down for repairs.

Danciger Oil & Refining Co., Turner 14-B, SE SW 20-17-31. Drilling at 1,956.

McKee & Bassett, Brainard 1, SE SW 34-18-29. Drilling at 1,380.

Vickers Petroleum Co., Etz 5, SE SE 19-16-31. Drilling at 1,215.

Southern Union Gas Co., Shepard 1, SW NW 20-16-31. Total depth 535; waiting on cement.

Etz Oil Co., Etz-State 8, SW NW 16-17-30. Drilling at 1,350.

R. R. Woolley, Woolley 1-C, NE NW 28-17-30. Drilling at 890.

Repello Oil Co., Keel 2-B, SW SW 8-17-31. Drilling at 1,517.

Mizel & Randall, Friess 2, NW SE 19-17-31. Drilling at 1,240.

Dixon & Yates, Boulter 1, NE NW 14-18-29. Drilling at 1,895; slight show oil at 1,675.

Danciger Oil & Refining Co., Turner 13-B, SW SW 20-17-30. Total depth 1,932; testing casing.

Harvey Yates, State 3, NE SW 16-19-30. Drilling at 675.

Stanley L. Jones, State 1, NE NE 14-18-27. Drilling at 975.

Burnham Oil Co., State 5, NE SE 2-17-30. Drilling at 2,942; slight show gas at 2,910.

Leonard Oil Co., State 11, SW SE 28-17-29. Drilling at 1,040.

Crabb & Crouch, Cowan 1, NW NE 1-21-28. Total depth 100; shut down for repairs.

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