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Motorists Are Warned Not to Stop or Park Near Airport

Practice Is Hazardous to Both Public and Pilots, as Well as Contrary to Army Regulations—Lights Confuse

One of the favorite pastimes of people of the Artesia community—driving along State Highway 83 adjacent to the Artesia CAA airport...

Further, stopping along the highway the entire length of the runway is contrary to Army regulations, he said.

Morris warned motorists after Sgt. F. G. Farrell, in charge of the detachment at the field, pointed out to the city manager that the pilots have complained especially because of lights from the automobiles at night.

Already working under tension, the pilots are made nervous in the way they approach the runways for landings, coming over the tops of cars, or approach them as they are about to take off, he said.

The dangers are from traffic on the highway. And besides, a pilot may misjudge his distance, or he may misjudge his difficulty, which may place the ship closer to the highway than it should be.

Morris said the highway and the airport fence outside the airport fence have been posted, giving ample warning to motorists, but that the signs are to be replaced in the vicinity of the port, he said.

State Police are patrolling the highway and have instructions to stop no parking either on it or either side.

Farrell also told Morris that it is contrary to Army regulations for anyone to take photographs of the airplanes. Some have been observed with cameras, standing in positions dangerous to themselves and to the crews, as they snap pictures of the big bombers.

Farrell said it is his belief that motorists do not observe the regulations and requests, and might be taken to route past the airport away from the field.

The annual barbecue and outdoor New Mexico Oil Scouts' Land Men's Association at the Artesia Golf Club Monday evening, about 200 members and guests enjoyed an excellent meal.

At the meeting, the oil men held their regular weekly meeting at the Carper Terrace. The barbecue Mon- day evening was members and guests from throughout New Mexico and West Texas.

Projects Here Are Occupied Now
Wood and family were the first to move into one of the new houses built in two projects under authority of the Housing Agency.

The mercury stood at 101 both Friday and Saturday, making two consecutive days it was at least 100 degrees in Artesia. But on Sunday the maximum was 92 degrees and it has remained below 100 since.

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Milk Bottle, Blind Fund Win Softball Game

Lions Top Score 28-16, Split \$156 With Rotarians

The Rotary Club's milk bottle fund and the Lions Club's blind project fund were the winners in a hilarious softball game at Morris Field last evening to the tune of about -156, which will be split between the clubs.

The scorecard—not exactly official—showed that the Lions confused the scorekeeper more times than the Rotarians, for it recorded a final score of 28 to 16 in favor of the roaring brethren.

In only one half inning was it necessary to invoke a ground rule, which had been set for fear that the game might run far into the night, that when a team had scored ten runs in an inning it was automatically retired.

That rule was invoked against the hitting Lions in the second half of the second inning, when ten of the players allegedly straggled around the diamond and crossed the plate. And the worst part of it was that they had no outs chalked up against them.

On the diamond at one time or another were at least thirty players, practically all who could be mustered of the members of both clubs who ever tossed a baseball, except a few members of the Lions Club, who were barred because they play on teams in the city league.

The scorekeeper could not keep up with the fast-changing batting order, so probably missed the names of some of the mighty play- ers. But among those who are nursing Charley horses and sore arms today are:

Lions—Marvin Sanders, T. L. Archer, Dave Saikin, D. D. Archer, Wesley Sperry, W. B. Young, Shirley Hager, T. C. Williams, H. O. Miller, Fred Cole, Don Jensen, E. J. Foster, and Vancil Lowery.

Rotarians—The Rev. J. Basil Ramsey, Chuck Aston, B. N. Muncy, Jr., J. D. Smith, Frank Smith, Hollis G. Watson, C. D. Hopkins, Boone Barnett, Ross Sears, Neil B. Watson, Leslie Martin, D. I. Clowe, Charles Gaskins, Howard Whitson, and W. W. Byers.

The score:
Rotary 202 109 2-16
Lions 4102 417 x-28

Mrs. Vandagriff, Former Artesian, Dies on Tuesday

Mrs. Elender Jane Vandagriff of Reydon, Okla., a former Artesian resident and mother of C. R. Vandagriff of Artesia, died at Reydon at 12:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon after being ill the last few months. Funeral services and burial are to be at Reydon.

The son here and his wife were called to Reydon in May because of the illness of his mother.

At the time of her death Monday, Mr. Vandagriff and his brother-in-law, H. B. Gelwick, were in North New Mexico on a fishing trip, on which they left Artesia Monday. Mrs. Vandagriff immediately started to try to contact him through forest rangers in the National Forests. She felt certain her husband could be found and that he would be able to go to the funeral.

As Eleanor Jane Reed, Mrs. Vandagriff was born Nov. 1, 1886, at Sligman, Mo. In 1882 she married J. W. Vandagriff and to them were born twelve children, of whom eight survive. Mr. Vandagriff died in December, 1921, and was buried at Cement, Okla.

The living children are John Vandagriff, Elk City, Okla.; Loyd, Ernest, and Percy Vandagriff, Reydon, Okla.; May, Mrs. William Morow; Hazel, Mrs. Leonard Lindorff; C. R. Vandagriff, Artesia, and S/Sgt. Cecil Vandagriff, in England.

Preceding their mother in death were Lee, who died in 1897 at the age of 12 years; Myrtle, Mrs. "Bud" Medley, who died in 1918; Bryan, who died in 1939 and was buried at Artesia, and Alfred Vandagriff, who died in 1936.

Mrs. Vandagriff lived in this vicinity about six years, of which four were on the Vandagriff farm on Seven Rivers. She returned to Oklahoma about two years ago.

She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Decorations Are Awarded Warren Posthumously

Mrs. R. E. Warren of Artesia has been notified by the War Department that by direction of the president the Air Medal and three Oak Leaf Clusters, representing three additional awards of the same decoration, have been posthumously awarded to her son, S/Sgt. Melvin E. Warren, who was killed in action in Europe April 27.

The letter informed Mrs. Warren that the decoration will be forwarded to the commanding general of the Eighth Service Command, Dallas, Tex., and that he will select an officer to make the presentation to her. The officer selected, the message said, will communicate with Mrs. Warren concerning her wishes in the matter.

As yet Mrs. Warren has not been contacted, but it is presumed the officer selected will be stationed at either the Carlsbad or Roswell Army Air Field and that the presentation will be at the officer's base, unless Mrs. Warren elects otherwise.

Mrs. Warren, who is staying with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Brainard at Ruidoso this summer, received the letter when in Artesia Saturday. She said she would return to the valley to receive her son's decoration, should it be so desired.

The citation: "For exceptional meritorious achievement, while participating in twenty separate bomber combat missions over enemy occupied Continental Europe. The courage, coolness, and skill displayed by this enlisted man upon these occasions reflect great credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States."

Scouts Enjoy Week Camping At Philmont

Seventeen Artesia Boy Scouts, members of troops Nos. 27 and 28, returned home Sunday from Philmont Ranch in North New Mexico, 125,000-acre camp given the Boy Scouts of America by Waite Phillips, where they enjoyed a week of camping and scouting activities.

The Artesia boys were joined by Boy Scouts from the Cottonwood and Carlsbad, and then picked up other members in Roswell for the trip by bus.

About a hundred boys were in the camp at which the Artesia boys stayed and from which they made an over-night hike. Throughout the area the same week were about a thousand Boy Scouts in various camps. The local boys and their fellows were honored by being given a special award for having the best and cleanest camp at Philmont for the week.

Artesia boys who attended: Bill Feather, Joe Watson, John Bert Lanning, Bill Bolton, Gene Brown, Bert Shipp, Jr., Donald Norton, Dan Booker, Eugene Batie, Niven Baird, Jr., "Fat" Gray, Raymond Woodside, Elvis Batie, Tommie Brown, Horace Brown, Andy Company, and Barry Wood.

Don Jensen, district commissioner, and Otice Brown, neighborhood commissioner, accompanied the Artesia boys.

One Completion, Two Locations Made in County

A single completion and two new locations were reported in the Eddy County oil fields this week. The completion was the Grayburg Oil Co., Keely 8-B, SE NW 26-17-29, which flowed 149 barrels of oil per day after acid at a total depth of 3,108 feet.

New locations: Danciger Oil & Refining Co., Turner 15-B, SW NW 20-17-31; Ross, Luck & Cunningham, Cowan 1, SW NE 3-21-28.

Drilling Report
Sanders Bros., Hultman 1, SE NE 32-16-26. Total depth 6,761; plugged back to 6,470; treated with 4,000 gallons acid; swabbed dry; no free oil.

Bay Petroleum Corp., Snowden & McSweeney 1, SW SW 32-17-29. Total depth 3,104; preparing to treat.

Carper Drilling Co., Grier 1, SE SE 29-16-31. Drilling at 3,265.

Southern Petroleum Exploration, Drilling at 3,303.

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Oil Operators on Public Lands Will Seek Corrective Action at Hearing Here Monday

Congressional Sub-Committee, Headed by Fernandez of New Mexico, Will Strive to Bring About Coordination and Cooperation With the Department of the Interior

Oil men operating on public lands will make a strong appeal for corrective legislation of present laws and regulations of the United States government, when they meet in Artesia Monday at a hearing of the Public Lands Sub-Committee of Congress, headed by Congressman A. M. Fernandez of New Mexico.

The hearing will be on the Roof Garden of the Artesia Hotel starting Monday morning. Neither local oil operators nor the USGS office had been notified up to this morning at what hour the meeting would be called to order, but such hearings usually start at 9 o'clock, it was pointed out.

A wide attendance is expected of operators on all public lands or their representatives, especially those in the Southwest.

Expected here besides Congressman Fernandez are the other members of the sub-committee, Congressman Hardin Peterson of Florida, chairman of the Public Lands Committee, and Congressman J. Edgar Chenoweth of Colorado.

Local oil operators said one of the topics which will be stressed is a matter of leases, in which they consider it inequitable under a law by which any "B" lease that went to lease before 1935 can be converted to another type of lease with a substantial saving in royalty, whereas those which went to lease after 1935 may not be converted.

The oil men said they propose to determine why the ruling cannot be applied to all "B" acreage, whereby savings in royalty payments might be made.

"B" leases were defined as the three-quarters portions of four-section permits which are subject to a sliding scale of royalty payments upward. Those leased in effect prior to 1935, under the present law, may be converted to other types, effecting the royalty savings, whereas operators holding leases of later dates are penalized because they cannot convert them, operators said.

Another phase of the hearing will have to do with construction and drilling regulations on wells.

That the sub-committee will turn a friendly ear to the operators at the hearing was indicated last month by Congressman Fernandez, at the time the meeting was set for Artesia, when he said it is the intention of the committee to bring about coordination and cooperation between the Department of the Interior and oil operators and the state authorities, or to recommend legislation, if legislation is necessary, to bring about the desired results.

The purpose of this hearing and other similar hearings, Fernandez said, is to review the practices to the operation of oil leases on federally-owned land, of which there is considerable in the South-east New Mexico fields.

He said it is the contention of the oil operators that many of these rules and regulations of the department go far beyond the authority of the acts of Congress and that they are so restrictive as to appreciably retard the development of public lands.

Operators contend also that where states, through their oil conservation commissions, have set up proper conservation and regulatory practices, the federal government can and should leave the matter up to the states without interference, or that there should at least be made a serious effort to coordinate the federal rules and regulations with those of the states.

Castleberry and Conner, Prisoners Of Japs, Write

Cards from Pfc. John A. Conner and Pfc. Roy C. Castleberry, both prisoners of war of the Japanese since the fall of the Philippine Islands, were received this week by their parents, the first such messages reported in a number of weeks.

Neither card was like any received by relatives in the Artesia community from prisoners of war of the Japs.

The one from Private Conner to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abe F. Conner, received Monday, bore a printed portion, similar to a previous familiar type, but there was a space below for a typed message.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Castleberry received their card from their son Wednesday. It was entirely type-written, without any form messages, and was signed in ink by Private Castleberry.

The form part of Private Conner's card disclosed: "I am interned at Philippine Military Prison Camp No. 1. My health is excellent."

And he had written by type-writer: "Hope you are fine. Don't worry about me. I send my love to Linda Pearl (his niece, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Naylor). I received the telegram and was very much relieved." (Turn to last page, please)

Lumbermen of Region Meet in Artesia Friday

The effects and working of a new conservation order, No. 335, were explained to lumbermen of this region at a meeting on the Roof Garden of the Artesia Hotel Friday evening by S. L. Forrest of Lubbock, Tex., a member of the lumber products advisory committees of both the War Production Board and the Office of Price Administration.

About forty lumbermen from this region attended and enjoyed a dinner on the Roof Garden prior to the meeting.

Forrest explained in detail procedure to be followed in carrying out the conservation order.

It was pointed out that the priorities system no longer is being used, but that in its stead has been set up a system whereby ratios have been determined for various businesses, as to which each contributes to the war effort, and that lumber still is obtainable for essential needs.

When the Axis is defeated in Europe, it will be possible to obtain 50 per cent more lumber, it was predicted.

Forrest, besides his connections with the WPB and OPA, is president of the Forrest Lumber Company, Lubbock. He is a past president of both the American Lumbermen's Association and the Texas Lumbermen's Association.

Arthur Gump, Former Teacher Here, Is Killed

First Lt. Arthur L. Gump of Las Vegas, a former Artesia High School teacher, has been killed in action in France, according to word to his wife, The Las Vegas Daily Optic said recently.

Lieutenant Gump entered the Army in March, 1943, and received his initial training with the Medical Corps at Fort Sam Houston, Tex. In September, 1942, he trained as a cadet in a chemical warfare school in Edgewood Arsenal in Maryland and received his commission as a second lieutenant in December of that year. After completing that course he was transferred to Camp Sibert, Ala., and was commissioned a first lieutenant in July, 1943.

After nine months at Camp Sibert, he was transferred to England, where he remained until the invasion of France, at which time he served as an observer in a motorized division.

Lieutenant Gump was born in Las Vegas June 19, 1913. He attended Immaculate Conception High School and was graduated from New Mexico Highlands University. He taught school two years at Artesia and a year at Farley before entering the service. He married in December, 1941.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a 16-month-old daughter, Maryann, his mother, Mrs. A. L. Gump of Denver, and three sisters, Mrs. Betty Branch and Mrs. Virginia Wilson of Denver and Mrs. Jeanette Freer of Portland, Ore.

WICHITA FALLS MAN COMES TO MALJAMAR
Ted Maschek, formerly of Wichita Falls, Tex., came last week to be in the office of the Maljamar Oil & Gas Company. He and Mrs. Maschek will occupy one of the new project houses.

Jim Kackley of Dallas, connected with the Gulf States Drilling Company, is here temporarily in the Maljamar office.

Boys About to Be Inducted May Have Handbooks

Soldiers' handbooks for boys who are about to enter the armed forces are now available free in Artesia, and they are urged to get them, so as to do some studying for their own good prior to induction.

Capt. C. D. Marshall, commander of the headquarters detachment, Second Battalion, New Mexico State Guard, received the handbooks from the Eighth Service Command.

The captain, who also is principal of Artesia High School, said handbooks may be obtained at his office from 8 to 4 o'clock any day next week.

McCollum, Back From Russia, to Speak Tonight

Blythe McCollum of Albuquerque, formerly of Carlsbad, who has a brother who is a prisoner of war of the Japanese, and who recently returned from a mission to Moscow, Russia, in behalf of the Bataan Relief Organization, is to be here for a special meeting of The 200th-BRO at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the Artesia Service Club with a message.

All members of the organization, relatives of boys who are prisoners of war in the Far East, and friends are urged to attend.

Carl Whittaker, president of the Albuquerque BRO chapter, and Paul W. McCann, secretary of the Albuquerque and national organizations, are to be here also.

It is expected McCollum will have an important message for the relatives and friends of the prisoners of war, after his visit in Moscow.

MRS. GLASSER'S SISTER DIES IN PENNSYLVANIA

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Glasser returned last Thursday from Charleroi, Pa., where they were called two weeks previous because of the critical illness of Mrs. Ross Allen, sister of Mrs. Glasser. The sister died while Mr. and Mrs. Glasser were en route, the second day after they left Artesia. Mrs. Allen who was ill about six weeks before her death, visited the Glassers here about six years ago.

Douthit Warns War Prisoners May Be Idle

A number of prisoners of war at the side prison camp north of Artesia will be idle next week, unless farmers of the community contract promptly for their services, Bill Douthit, emergency farm labor assistant, said Wednesday.

He stressed again that if the prisoners of war are not kept busy in the meantime, it is possible they will be moved out and placed elsewhere before time to pick cotton, when labor will be needed badly.

Douthit said it now is possible to expedite certificates for prisoner of war labor within two days. However, no contract can be made for less than a fifteen-man detail for at least six days, he said.

Farmers wishing to use prisoners of war may contact Douthit at the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association office, the county agent, Dallas Rierson, at his office in Carlsbad, or officers at the prisoner of war camp.



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TELEPHONE 7

HERE'S A PLAN TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT

ONE OF THE deeper thinkers among the Artesia businessmen has observed the somewhat aimless wanderings and apparently friendless activities of certain of the returned men from the armed services, some of whom are ill or wounded.

And he has noticed a growing resentment of the boys towards the people who have remained civilians throughout the war, who have grown fat on war conditions, while the veterans have earned their return to civilian life the hard way.

Furthermore, he has noticed a certain trend towards bolshevist thinking on the part of some of the boys. His solution is a simple one: Pay more attention to the boys, befriend them, help them get jobs, and talk things over with them man to man.

Our deep thinker proposes that 100 to 150 of the more substantial businessmen of the Artesia community band themselves together as a sort of "big brother" committee and that someone be designated as a liaison member, to talk to the returning boys.

Then each of the veterans would be asked to select from the list three or more men with whom he would be willing to talk. The busy businessmen then would get together with the veteran for a period of friendly visiting, during which they would advise him, strive to help him find a job which he can handle, and send him away feeling more at home among his fellow citizens.

But that would not be the end of it. The three men should then follow up their initial conference, calling on the veteran as individuals or as a group from time to time, keeping in touch with him, and continuing the morale building they will have started.

The plan would entail the valuable time of every man who is willing to spend it, but our thinking friend and we believe it will be well worth the while of all concerned, by way of making this and any other community a better place for the veterans to live, and to help them find their places among us, as they continue to build a greater nation.

Remember, the returning veterans are the businessmen and workers of the future.

OUR OWN HOUSEHOLD HINTS COLUMN

WE WERE going over a bunch of household hints the other day, getting them ready for use if, when, where, and as needed by way of column fillers.

As we presumed they had originated from authoritative sources, we bethought ourselves we might write an editorial about such things, listing for our good readers a few of our own helpful household hints, which we have picked up along the way, or have produced by means of our fertile mind.

Here they are, and we'll betcha some of them will be of as great use as certain ones over which we pondered as we scissors-and-paste edited the other day:

Diced garlic mixed with chopped onions imparts a more tangy flavor.

Cutting a hole the size of a dollar in one's shoe adjacent to the swollen joint will relieve the pain from a bunion.

The best time to eliminate flies in the summer is in the spring. By eliminating the female ancestors at that time, there will be no descendants later.

A strong lye solution generously poured on the lawn will kill all of the dandelions. It sometimes takes several years to get the grass back, but the yard will not be unsightly with dandelions in the meantime.

Worn-out suspenders from large men make splendid hose supporters for short women.

WILL THINGS NEVER CHANGE DEPARTMENT

FIFTEEN years ago this week, in its issue for Aug. 8, 1929, The Advocate chronicled the news that city ordinance No. 217 had just been passed, a measure designed to stop the mad rush of motorists in the wake of the fire-fighting equipment.

The ordinance makes it unlawful for any car to travel under 500 feet behind the fire truck and to park within 300 feet of the scene of a fire, said The Advocate's news story.

Violation of the ordinance may be punished by a fine of not more than \$25 or imprisonment in the city or county jail of not more than ten days.

Part of the story read: "For an extended time the work of the Artesia Fire Department has been more or less handicapped by a few thoughtless motorists, who insist on rushing out on the streets when an alarm is sounded. Many times members of the department, who are delayed in making a quick response when the siren blows, find their way blocked by cars when they arrive at the fire."

It sounds very much like some of the things we have written from time to time, for the situation is exactly the same today as it was fifteen years ago.

And, for the benefit of those who might not know it, ordinance No. 217 is still in effect and the penalties remain today as they did when it was passed!

SO YOU SEE, IT CAN HAPPEN

WE ALWAYS hate it like the dickens when we misspell someone's name, but it is one of those things which just happens.

We have the most simple four-letter name in the world, but it has been banded around more than any other of equal length we know of.

And it is pretty bad when an editor's name appears in his own columns misspelled. But it so happened last week.

We ran a letter written to Artie McAnally from Fred A. Barham, Eddy County extension agent, who is on military leave in the Navy. And Fred, who never could spell our name—B-e-r-t—correctly, it being too complicated, used his customary "i" for the vowel, in referring to us in his letter.

Of course, we corrected it, changing "i" to "e," but it came out "u" in print.

At that, it wasn't quite as bad as when we became editor more than six years ago and our name was misspelled in that manner in the masthead the first month, until our sister in Oklahoma spotted it and sent us an indignant letter.

THE WONDERFUL WIZARDS OF WASHINGTON

FELLOWS attending the lumbermen's meeting in Artesia Friday had a number of good laughs, as they stood about in small groups, at a paragraph in Bulletin No. 78, Special Service Memo No. 109, U.

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 Candies." 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.

S. Department of Agriculture, War Food Administration, Agricultural Adjustment Agency.

In the eighth paragraph the bulletin got around to saying: "Because of the critical lumber situation, AAA committees when talking with farmers should urge them to produce lumber on their own farms or wood lots of others. Every effort should be made to increase the production of this scarce commodity."

We knew the situation was bad, but we certainly hope the war doesn't last that long.

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. 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.

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.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

613 W. Main Sunday school, 10 a. m. Sunday service, 11 a. m. Wednesday service, 8 a. m. "Soul" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, August 13. The Golden Text is: "My soul,

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, General Land Office, Washington, D. C. Notice is hereby given that the W 1/2 NE 1/4 and SE 1/4 NW 1/4 sec. 13, T. 18 S., R. 27 E., 120 acres, Artesia field, New Mexico, is offered to the qualified bidder of the highest cash amount offered per acre as a bonus for the privilege of leasing the land under section 17 of the mineral leasing act, as amended by the Act of August 21, 1935 (49 Stat. 674, 30 U. S. C. sec. 226). The land will be offered as a single unit. Sealed bids will be received in the office of the Secretary of the Interior, Interior Department Building, Washington, 25, D. C. up to 12 noon, September 6, 1944. Each bidder must submit a certified check or cash for one-fifth of the amount bid payable to the order of the Treasurer of the United States and file the showing of qualifications to receive the lease required by section 8 of Circular 1386. The remainder of the bonus bid and the annual rental at the rate of \$1 per acre must be paid and a \$5,000 corporate surety bond must be furnished by the successful bidder prior to the issuance of the lease. The deposits of the other bidders should be plainly marked, "Bid for lease in Artesia field. Not to be opened before noon, September 6, 1944." No bids received after the time fixed herein for submitting bids will be considered. The successful bidder will be required to agree not to discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, or national origin and to require an identical provision to be included in all sub-contracts. Bidders are warned against violation of section 59, U. S. Criminal Code approved March 4, 1909, prohibiting unlawful combination or intimidation of bidders. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids in the discretion of the Secretary of the Interior. Fred W. Johnson, Commissioner. 32-21-33

A farmer, paying his first visit to the seashore, asked a boatman if he could buy some of the water to take home to show his wife. The boatman assented and charged the farmer a quarter. A few hours later the visitor returned to the shore. By now the tide had gone out, and the man gazed openmouthed at the spectacle. "By cracky, mister," he said, "you've done a good business today."

wait thou only upon God; for my expectation is from him." (Ps. 62: 5) Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Oh that man would praise the Lord for his goodness, and for his wonderful works to the children of men!" (Ps. 107:8)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "Dost thou love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind? This command includes much, even the surrender of all merely material sensation, affection and worship. This is the El Dorado of Christianity. It involves the Science of Life, and recognizes only the divine control of Spirit, in which Soul is our master, and material sense and human will have no place."

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Sands of Time

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO (From The Advocate Files for Aug. 8, 1929.)

The Carlsbad good-will motorcade stopped in Artesia this morning on a trip which will take fifty-five residents of Carlsbad, including a band, to the mountains.

Martin Yates was elected president of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of directors Friday evening.

Prompt work by Artesia firemen averted a serious fire at the rear of The Advocate building last Thursday evening, when a pile of lumber caught fire.

The Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association yesterday completed the installation of two apple grading machines, one at the yard here and one at Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter left Sunday for California to spend a fortnight in combined business and pleasure.

Miss Nelle Carper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emery Carper of Roswell, and Capt. Grady H. Booker of New Mexico Military Institute were married Tuesday morning at the home of the bride's parents. Attending the wedding from Artesia were Mr. and Mrs. Will Ballard and son, Joe Bill.

Mrs. E. N. Bigler and daughter, Miss Ruth, are at their cabin at Artesia-Sacramento Camp.

A full corps of teachers has been employed for Upper and Lower Cottonwood Schools. H. R. Rodgers is principal at Lower Cottonwood.

G. W. O'Bannon, Cottonwood farmer, believes he has located a promising brick clay deposit at a depth of about twenty-five feet. He discovered it when he drilled a surface well.

A tough, two-gun hombre strode into the saloon and yelled, "Every one of you &!!X!!", lazy good-for-nothing skunks — scam!"

Everybody scrambled pronto except a newcomer Englishman, who said, "Oh I say, old chap — there sure were a lot of them, weren't there?"

A lady, checking over her grocery bill, found this item: "One tom cat, 15 cents." Indignant, she called up her grocer and demanded to know what he meant by such a charge. "Oh, that's all right, Mrs. Blank," he replied. "That's just an abbreviation for tomato cat-sup."

Accidental poisonings take nearly 1,200 lives a year in the United States.

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Dr. D. M. Schneberger DENTIST Office 410—Phones—Res. Office South Third, Artesia

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### Purple Heart, 'For Military Merit,' Created by Washington in 1782

The 162nd anniversary of the creation of the Purple Heart, one of the oldest of American military medals, the Purple Heart was marked Aug. 7. The Purple Heart was created by George Washington during this war, in honor of all servicemen or women who were killed in action, or who suffered wounds, or death in the line of duty. There will be thousands of Purple Hearts when the war is concluded. General Washington appreciated the efforts of his Continentals, and during the seventh year of his struggle against the British, and his headquarters in Newburg, N. Y., conceived the idea for a Purple Heart and even designed the medal award personal-ly. The Purple Heart is a cloth badge, edged with narrow lace or braid, and to be worn on the left breast of the uniform coat of the soldier's heart. There are only three known copies of the original award. Sgt. Churchill of the Second Connecticut Gragoons, who led two successful raids against the British on Long Island; Sgt. William Brown of the Fifth Connecticut Regiment, who led a daring charge at Yorktown, and Sgt. Blisell, who pretended to desert, in carrying out an important mission for Washington in the British in New York. It is known how many others have received the award. One of the original Purple Hearts is known to exist. It was found in a barn at Deerfield, New Hampshire.

The Washington award was first given for 150 years after the war. It was only to be received by President Herbert Hoover in the War Department on Feb. 22, 1932, the bicentennial of George Washington's birthday. It was not as a cloth award, but as a center-shaped medal of today. The medal is in color, with a center enamel with the obverse showing a relief bust of Washington in the reverse side is the inscription, "For Military Merit." The owner's name engraved on the back.

The War Department limited the number of Purple Hearts to 22,500 persons who were awarded for Meritorious Services. The Purple Heart was awarded to E. F. or were wounded in action under conditions entitling them to wear a wound chevron. On Sept. 19, 1942, the War Department authorized the Purple Heart for all Army personnel of World War II wounded or killed in action. President Roosevelt awarded the award to the armed services on Dec. 4, 1942.

The wearers of the Purple Heart are awarded during this war, are instantly recognized and women carrying on the fight of fighting Americans 162 years ago by the first Purple Heart in chief, George Washington.

**Over Cottonwood**  
(Mrs. D. A. Bradley)  
(Delayed last week)  
Arba Green of Artesia, dis-puty, gave an instructive evening at a meeting of the Eastern Star chapter at Artesia, attended by a good crowd. Also present were Mrs. Rufus Stinnett of the chapter. Members of the Lake chapter will meet at 8 each Tuesday evening in the building to fold surgical masks for the Red Cross. Mrs. Mrs. Clarence Pearson and her guest several days last week. Nell Finley of El Paso, accompanied her to

Roswell Saturday and from there her guest left for her home by bus. Mrs. Joy Courtney, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Reser, two months, left by train Friday night for her home in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Boss of Roswell moved last week to the Worley farm, where Mr. Boss is employed. They are former residents of this community.

J. R. Spence of Lake Arthur, who suffered a stroke last week, is somewhat improved and able to sit up.

O. J. Downing of Carlsbad, district deputy grand master, visited the Masonic Lodge of Lake Arthur Saturday night.

Mrs. Ralph Pearson and Mrs. Roy Ingram were visiting friends in Roswell last Thursday.

The 13-month-old son of Pfc. and Mrs. Keezee has been seriously ill of summer complaint the last ten days and is no better. Mrs. Keezee lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holt, on the Roy Ingram farm. Private Keezee has been overseas since March and is in France.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hetchfelder of San Antonio, Tex., came in Friday for a visit with Mrs. Hetchfelder's aunt, Mrs. W. F. Martin, and family.

Mrs. C. M. McClelland died suddenly at her home near Marcia last Thursday evening. She had apparently been in good health all day and when getting ready for bed collapsed on the floor. Mrs. McClelland, who formerly lived in this community, leaves her husband and seven children, including three daughters who are married, two sons in service. The family moved from the Glenn O'Bannon farm about sixteen months ago. Funeral services and burial were at Alamogordo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Green spent last week at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Max Tomlinson, and Mr. Tomlinson at Hobbs. They were accompanied home by their grandson, Max, Jr., who is spending this week with his grandparents and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Malone of Hawley, Tex., arrived last Thursday for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. P. I. Holt, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson have sold their farm on Upper Cottonwood to Mr. and Mrs. Dixon of Artesia. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson have moved to Las Cruces.

Miss Bessie Waldrop left last Thursday for Moline, Ill., to visit Miss Ethel Leaf several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bradley were guests Sunday at a dinner at the home in Roswell of their son, Sam Bradley, and family. They were accompanied home by their grandson, Bobby Bradley.

Miss Geneva Wines of Hawley, Tex., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Holt and Mrs. Reba Lee Keezee.

Bobby Vogel of Artesia is spending the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Waldrop of Upper Cottonwood.

Mrs. Helen Green and little daughter, Helen Gale, returned home Friday after spending several days

with her sister, Mrs. Truman Howard, and family of near Artesia. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Holt received a message from the War Department last week that their son, Pfc. R. J. Holt, was ill in a hospital in England.

Members of Boy Scout Troop 100 of Cottonwood, accompanied by Assistant Scoutmaster Burgess, left Sunday morning for Philmont Camp in North New Mexico for an encampment for a week. Monroe Howard and H. V. Parker took the members to Ros-

well, where they joined members of other troops and left for the camp by bus. Scouts going from Cottonwood were H. V. Parker, Floyd Monroe Howard, Charley Taylor, Gene Buck, and Clarence Melvin Pearson.

The Cottonwood Extension Club has received an announcement of the marriage of Miss Elsie Marie Kunkel of Carlsbad, Eddy County home demonstration agent, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kunkel of Dexter, to Sgt. Charles C. Clark, Jr., of the Carlsbad Army Air

### Locals

Mrs. E. J. Foster and her two children and her mother, Mrs. Florence Hastings, have gone to the Foster cabin at Ruidoso, where they expect to spend the rest of the summer.

Mrs. Frank Collins left Friday for Long Beach, Calif., for a visit with her brothers, T. B. Hammond Field at Emanuel Lutheran Church in Carlsbad July 27.

and Jim Hammond, and their families. She came to Artesia from Dallas, Tex., four weeks ago and has been visiting her brother, C. W. Hammond, and family here. Her husband is with the armed forces in Italy.

Mrs. W. B. Grundy, wife of The Advocate's linotype operator, arrived here last week from Altus, Okla., to make her home. Their son, Jack, will arrive in time for the opening of Artesia High School, in which he will be a senior. The

family is living at 116 Osburn. The total American Indian population is estimated at about 360,000.

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Carnation Milk	Small Can	5c
Gardenside Tomatoes	28 Oz. Can	16c
Price's Cottage Cheese	1 Lb. Ctn.	22c
18 Oz. Pkg. Post Toasties		12c
Kelloggs Corn Flakes	11 Oz. Pkg.	8c
Skinnners Raisin Bran	16 Oz. Pkg.	10c
Ralston Shreds	12 Oz. Pkg.	12c
Puritan Deviled Ham	3 Oz. Can	10c
Pent House Pork & Beans	26 Oz. Can	25c
Goblin Pork & Beans	16 1/2 Oz. Can	11c
Leeds Chopped Ham	12 Oz. Can	30c
Spiced Luncheon Meat	12 Oz. Can	30c
Kem Mixed Vegetables	19 Oz. Can	16c
Dinette (No Points)	19 Oz. Can	16c
Cantebury O. P. Tea	16 Bag Pkg.	13c
Lipton Y. L. Tea	4 Oz. Pkg.	26c
For Salads and Cooking	Qt. Size	53c
Wesson Oil		53c
Zee Toilet Tissue	4 Roll Pkg.	21c
Sweetheart Soap, 2 for	Reg. Bar	13c
Real Roast Peanut Butter	1 Lb. Jar	23c
Staley's White Syrup	5 Lb. Jar	36c
Pinto, Mountain Grown Beans	100 Lbs.	7.90
Duchess Salad Dressing	16 Oz. Glass	24c
Prepared Mustard	Quart Size	14c
Wilson's Pure Lard	4 Lbs.	72c
Prince Albert Tobacco	Pkg.	10c

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**We don't polish apples**  
Our job is to move apples—and all other fresh fruits and vegetables—just as directly as possible from farm to you! So we don't stop to polish them. Come to Safeway, for naturally-fresh produce!

### FRESH VEGETABLES

Firm, Clean Heads Cabbage	Lb.	6c	Gravenstein, All Purpose Apple	2 Lbs.	31c
Crisp, Sweet Clip Tops Carrots	Lb.	5c	Valencias, Sweet, Juicy Oranges	2 Lbs.	21c
Utah Type, Tender Celery	Lb.	17c	Top Grade, Local Grown Melons	Lb.	4c
Crisp, Clean Trimmed Heads Lettuce	Lb.	12c	Santa Rosas, Sweet and Juicy Plums	Lb.	18c
Large, Solid, Ripe Tomatoes	Lb.	16c	No. 1 Grade—Reds Potatoes	Lb.	5c
Dry, White or Yellow Onions	3 Lbs.	14c	Fine for Stuffing Bell Peppers	Lb.	17c
Golden Cross, A Delicious Eating Corn. Do Not Confuse This With "Field Corn"	Lb.	11c			

### SAFEWAY FRESH MEATS

Beef—Grade A Sirloin Steak	Lb.	38c	Spiced Luncheon Meat	Lb.	43c
Beef—Grade A Stew Meat	Lb.	17c	Bologna	Lb.	33c
Beef—Grade A Chuck Roast	Lb.	25c	Salt Pork	Lb.	21c
Fresh Lean Meat Ground Beef	Lb.	24c	Slab Bacon	Lb.	32c
Shoulder Pork Roast	Lb.	31c	Assorted Lunch Meat	Lb.	32c
Tasty, Boneless Perch Fillets	Lb.	48c	Beef Liver	Lb.	35c

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**PINT JARS**  
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doz. **21c**

Pectin  
**PEN-JEL**  
3 oz. pkg. **12c**

Paroseal  
**WAX**  
1 lb. pkg. **13c**

Hydrogenated Shortening 3 Lb. Jar  
**Crisco ..... 68c**

Pure Cane Sugar 10 Lbs.  
**Sugar ..... 65c**

Gerbers, Libbys 4 3-4 Oz. Can  
**Baby Food ..... 7c**

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Searchlight Matches	Ctn. 6 Boxes	27c
Gator Roach Hives	Lb. Pkg.	26c
Peets Borax Comp.	44 Oz. Can	15c
22 Oz. Can Sani-Flush		20c
12 Oz. Can Drano		23c
Soap Powder	21 1/2 Oz. Pkg.	23c
Duz		23c

### Help Conserve Paper—Bring a Shopping Bag

The Vitamin Drink Hemo	16 Oz. Glass	59c	Patapso Apple Butter	28 Oz. Jar	22c
Town House Grapefruit Juice	18 Oz. Can	13c	C & E—Point Free Grape Jelly	16 Oz. Jar	20c
Sunny Dawn Tomato Juice	18 Oz. Can	11c	Grapefruit Marmalade	2 Lb. Jar	25c
Manchester Apple Juice	Quart Bottle	24c	Point Free Orange Juice	8 Oz. Bottle	19c
Ambersweet Prune Juice	Quart Bottle	24c	Mavis Cola Syrup	12 Ozs.	28c

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THESE ONLY ONE ANSWER, DOROTHY. WE GOT TO CUT DOWN ON EXPENSES!

BUT BOB—WE HAVE ALREADY, EVEN ON FOOD!

SO BOB SAID WE'D JUST HAVE TO CHIP SOME MORE OFF OF OUR EXPENSES.

JUST WHAT MY OWN HUSBAND SAID, LAST MONTH AND DO YOU KNOW WHAT I DID?

IF I HAD BEEN TOLD OF ONE STORE WHERE I COULD SAVE MONEY IF I BOUGHT ALL MY FOOD THERE WEEK AFTER WEEK—GOOD FOOD, TOO! AND IT WORKS!

RIGHT THERE, DOROTHY! SAFEWAY HAS BEEN A LIFESAVER FOR OUR BUDGET!

LET'S GO IN AND SAVE SOME MONEY!

**SAFEWAY**

**COFFEE EDWARDS**  
lb. glass **29c**

**COFFEE FOLGERS**  
lb. glass **33c**

**COFFEE NOB HILL**  
lb. pkg. **21c**

# SAFEWAY



Thursday, August 10, 1944

THE ARTESIA ADVOCATE, ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION (FOREIGN)

Pursuant to Section 32-268 of New Mexico Statutes Annotated, Codification of 1929. Notice is hereby given of the filing in the office of the State Corporation Commission of New Mexico of a certified copy of Certificate of AMENDMENT of MURCHISON AND CLOSUIT, Inc.

Amending the original Certificate of Incorporation by: CHANGING THE NAME TO, "MURCHISON AND COMPANY."

The principal place of business of the corporation is Artesia, New Mexico, and the name of the statutory agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process against the corporation may be served is Manuel A. Sanchez at Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Filed in the office of the State Corporation Commission on July 11th, 1944. No. 23521 Cor. Rec'd. Vol. 5 Page 177 at 10:30 A. M. STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO By Don R. Casados, Chairman. 32-11

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Amending the original Certificate of Incorporation by: reducing the capital of the corporation by the amount of One Hundred Fifty-Nine Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-One and 41/100, (\$159,521.41) in the following manner: By retiring 500 shares of the authorized and issued Capital Stock, in exchange for an undivided One-Half interest in all of the assets of the company. (And as further specified in the Certificate Amendment.)

The principal place of business of the corporation is Artesia, New Mexico and the name of the statutory agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process against the corporation may be served is Manuel A. Sanchez at Salmon Bldg., Santa Fe, N. M.

Filed in the office of the State Corporation Commission on Aug. 2nd, 1944. No. 23534 Cor. Rec'd. Vol. 5 Page 178 at 3:15 P. M. STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO By Don R. Casados, Chairman. 32-11

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Amending the original Certificate of Incorporation by: CHANGING Articles thereof numbered "Second" and "Fourth" so that, as amended, said Articles shall be and read as follows: SECOND. Its principal office in the State of Delaware is located at No. 100 West Tenth Street, in the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle. The name and address of its resident agent is The Corporation Trust Company, No. 100 West Tenth Street, Wilmington, Delaware.

FOURTH. The total number of shares of stock which the corporation shall have authority to issue is Five Hundred (500); all of such shares shall be without par value." (And as further specified in the certificate of Amendment.)

The principal place of business of the corporation is Artesia, New Mexico and the name of the statutory agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process against the corporation may be served is Manuel A. Sanchez at Salmon Bldg., Santa Fe, N. M.

Filed in the office of the State Corporation Commission on Aug. 2nd, 1944. No. 23533 Cor. Rec'd. Vol. 5 Page 178 at 3:00 P. M. STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO By Don R. Casados, Chairman. 32-11

Mrs. Ray Sylvester, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse I. Funk of the Cottonwood community, arrived last week from Carmel, Calif., where she had been with her husband, who is stationed there. Mrs. Sylvester expects to remain with her parents indefinitely.

Montgomery's WATCH SHOP Over U. S. Postoffice Artesia, N. M. EXPERT WATCH REPAIRING J. L. MONTGOMERY

Lower Cottonwood (Ora Buck)

Lt. and Mrs. Ray Sylvester of California, where he is stationed, were here several days for a visit with Mrs. Sylvester's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse I. Funk, and her sister, Mrs. James Thigpen. Lieutenant Sylvester left last Thursday morning for a replacement center. Mrs. Sylvester remained for a longer visit. She will go from here to Albuquerque to enter school.

L. R. Buck will leave the latter part of the week for his home at San Pedro, Calif., after a two-week visit here with relatives.

Mrs. Ed Payne left Wednesday for Carlsbad to visit a few days before going to her home at El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Coffman of Artesia have moved back to the John Buck farm. Mr. Coffman has been employed on a ranch in Texas, as a cook several months. He was recently pictured in Life with a group of cowboys on the ranch.

Mrs. Joe Bill Funk and little son returned to their home in El Paso Wednesday of last week after a visit of several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse I. Funk.

Mrs. Finis Franklin was taken to Artesia Memorial Hospital Saturday night quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Montgomery and son, Jimmie, have as their guests Mrs. Montgomery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hackett; an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Davis, and friends, Mr. and



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Matt Doorly Versus the Tomato

Matt Doorly's skin broke out in a rash last week. He finally admitted to Doc Hollister he'd eaten twelve tomatoes in a row just the day before.

"Shucks," said Doc. "That's all that's the matter with you. That kind of eating would turn anybody red."

So now Matt has not only cut out all tomatoes for himself. He's forbidden his family to eat tomatoes. And won't even have them in the house. Says tomatoes are anti-social and ought to be prohibited by law.

Mrs. A. J. Davis, all of Weatherford, Tex. The Davis families and Mr. Hackett went to the mountains for several days.

Mrs. Robert Wardlow of La Fayette, Ga., who was here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry, accompanied her sister, Mrs. J. A. Clayton, Jr., to Norman, Okla., to visit another sister, Miss Tommie Terry.

Mrs. Jesse I. Funk expects to leave in a few days for Corpus Christi, Tex., to visit her parents. Her father has been in ill health for some time and recently underwent two operations.

The regular meeting of the Cottonwood Woman's Club was at the home of Mrs. Jesse I. Funk last Thursday afternoon. After a short business meeting, the remainder of the afternoon was spent copying receipts and visiting. Those who failed to have their receipts will give them at the September meeting. Plans were made for the annual all-day meeting, which will be at the home of Mrs. Biss Ross in Artesia Sept. 7 with a covered dish luncheon at noon. At the close of the meeting last Thursday, refreshments were served by Mrs. Ray Sylvester and Mrs. James Thigpen to three visitors, Mrs. J. T. Hackett of Weatherford, Tex., Mrs. Robert McCaw, and Mrs. Sylvester, who is here visiting, and to members, Mrs. Charlie Buck, Mrs. Orval Gray, Mrs. Funk, Mrs. I. P. Johnson, Mrs. Bill Ross, Mrs. Tippen, Mrs. Larry Knoedler, Mrs. E. B. Green, Mrs. Ed Parn-

ell, Mrs. Helen Green, Mrs. W. B. Briscoe, Mrs. Arch Horton, and Mrs. O. B. Montgomery.

Locals

Mrs. S. Bradley returned last week from Glenrose, Tex., where she was in a sanitarium two weeks for treatment. She also visited her sisters and their families in Winters and Lubbock, Tex.

Lt. Paul (Bill) English, Jr., was here last week for a three-day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul English. Lieutenant English, who recently completed two missions in India, is with the Fifth Ferry Group, stationed at Love Field, Dallas, Tex. A second son, LeRoy English, hospital apprentice first class, who was in Idaho for boot training, has been assigned to the United States Naval Hospital at Corona, Calif.

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Leave me out of it.

I'd rather skip any new car rush—worse than a nylon stocking sale after War. More cars have already gone out of the running than ever were built any year! How'll everybody get his new one overnight? But I've come this far with my engine OIL-PLATED, so I figure I'll be all right. I'll just keep it safely OIL-PLATED by staying with my good old friend Conoco N<sup>th</sup> motor oil. If you think you can beat it, okay. But remember, any engine is bound to have acids inside from every explosion. Therefore you'd risk too much grief from corrosion, as I understand, except that OIL-PLATING is made to check it.

The cans of N<sup>th</sup> oil tell you about a modern synthetic that does the OIL-PLATING. You'd imagine it's kind of magnetized to working parts, making a protective surface to shed off acids, before the worst happens. Good thing you needn't wait for an OIL-PLATED engine; you can have that whole improvement now, using Conoco N<sup>th</sup> oil.



The TRUTH About The Lumber Situation

The broad statement that lumber is "frozen" and will no longer be available is not only misleading but false. Due to the unprecedented demands of our world-wide war fronts and the record breaking industrial consumption incident to manufacturing and shipping war materials, the use of lumber for MANY CIVILIAN NEEDS must be curtailed. For certain purposes not considered ab-

solutely essential NOW, lumber will be unavailable or at least "hard to get" for the time being.

The new lumber control plan (War Production Board Reg. L-335, effective August 1, 1944) regulates the distribution of lumber from mill to consumer. Retailers may sell only to the consumers and for the purposes specified in the order. Every dealer is allowed to sell a VERY SMALL quantity of lumber on

what are called "uncertified and unrated" orders. This quantity is so small that many dealers will be permitted to sell LESS THAN FIVE PER CENT of the normal needs of their customers in the "uncertified and unrated" bracket.

This "uncertified and unrated" class of consumers covers a MULTITUDE OF USES including practically all home owners, small businesses and industries, service trades, etc.

PEOPLE WHO CAN BUY

All consumers who have priority ratings (except AA-5 MRO and repairmen) will be able to purchase AS IN THE PAST, by giving their dealers the proper certification. For maintenance, repair and operating needs this includes certain businesses, all governmental subdivisions (federal, state, county, town and school), hospitals and educational institutions. It also includes utilities, mines, petroleum operations and every job or project authorized by the WPB or FHA and industries and business having specific ratings.

FARMER

Special provision has been made for essential farm needs through County Agricultural Conservation Committees. This does not include residential but it does include farm labor buildings for seasonal housing. Farmers are also included in the "uncertified and unrated" group but little if any lumber will be available in this bracket.

A MEANS OF APPEAL

Anyone unable to purchase ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL lumber because of lack of a priority rating (or one high enough) may apply to the WPB for the necessary rating. Your dealer will tell you what application form to use for this purpose.

This program is new. It is an attempt to allocate lumber, based on actual production, to the various needs IN THE ORDER OF THEIR ESSENTIALITY. It is a flexible program. Just as soon as more lumber CAN be made available for civilian uses it WILL be made available. No one knows how soon that will be. It may be a matter of only 60 to 90 days or it may be longer.

THE ORDER DOES NOT COVER

This new plan does not control shingles, posts, hardwood flooring, cement, brick, windows, doors, insulation, asphalt roofing, paint or the HUNDREDS OF ITEMS OF BUILDING MATERIALS OTHER THAN LUMBER. Building material dealers can still sell lumber for MANY uses and can sell other materials and supplies for all uses.

Retail Lumber Dealers of Artesia

Big Jo Lumber Co.

Mayes & Co.

Kemp Lumber Co.

Artesia Lumber Co.

Bowman Lumber Co.



**Vox Populi**

(A news story in last week's issue of The Advocate regarding a statement by Judge J. Josey, juvenile officer, as to a number of cases before him recently involving juveniles, has stirred up some of the young people of the community, who have submitted letters to the editor. The authors are known to the editor and have complied with the customary requirement of newspapers in that respect, but have requested that their names not be revealed. The statements made are those of the authors and are published in a spirit of democracy, in that all have a right to be heard in this land of free speech and free press.)

**OPEN LETTER TO THE YOUNG PEOPLE OF ARTESIA**

The preceding issue of The Advocate there was an article of extreme importance and interest in regard to juvenile delinquency. It seems that the juvenile force is a slight bit disturbed by the "goings on" of the young generation. They are very conceited and kind when they say it is for the mutual benefit of parents and children that a law be enacted to eliminate street walking, vagrancy, petty thieving, and petty thieving that is so terrorizing our calm peaceful little community. I remember the juvenile judge said that it caused him great embarrassment to have to cart the heads of juvenile delinquents off to the station to stand before the judge. Would it not be more sensible to handle this situation in a mature and intelligent manner?

Speaking from the standpoint of a juvenile, I find it hard to understand why the crowd seems to think that if one child will do something that the entire bunch will do a sad shame that the city dads (or won't) do something sensible to alleviate the existing problem. A helping hand and a few dollars to back the unafraid up do untold wonders toward driving a drive for clean and decent amusement for the young people of Artesia. If they have any consideration whatsoever for their own, it is high time they did something about it. It has been proved by world renowned psychologist in recent research, that home is the basic constituent of the breeding of delinquency.

Artesia is progressing rapidly in a town of its size. All civic organizations are looking toward advancement and welfare of the city in regard to an airline, oil production, more agriculture, and entertainment of our youth in the armed forces. It's too bad that they overlook the paramount detail that the children of Artesia will be the leaders of tomorrow in these investments. What could come from the help and attention that the parents of today give to their youngsters if they would only do it? When you read an article on juvenile delinquency, they shake their heads in disbelief because they can't understand why the town is so neglected in the interest of their own

Can't the citizens of Artesia see that there is no recreation for its young people? We don't even have an interesting show but two or three times a month. There is no swimming pool, no bowling alley, not even a recreation hall where we can dance or meet our friends. Speaking of a recreation hall, why don't some of our civic organizations such as the Lion's Club or the Rotary Club, or even Woman's Club, do something toward seeing the proper authorities about opening up the Artesia Service Club during the week so that the kids around town won't have to walk the streets. I'm sure that there are grown-ups here in town that would gladly give a moderate sum to see their child go to a place of clean entertainment and stay off the streets.

Now that the prospect of a dry county are in the making, the people of Artesia should tear that blinding mask from their face and realize what that ten and twenty dollars a month would do towards making a better atmosphere for **THEIR OWN CHILDREN** to grow up in. Take a look at some of the homes in Artesia. Do the parents in these homes realize that by their own degenerating actions that they are instilling in their children's minds immoral principles.

**MEN AND WOMEN OF ARTESIA!** This is an urgent and honest appeal from the young people of your city for a helping hand. Won't **SOMEBODY** have the intestinal fortitude to at least try to keep Artesia's children from becoming juvenile delinquents?

The Children of Artesia.  
P. S.—If given the chance, only ONE chance, we can and will substantiate our point.

To His Honor Judge Josey and Our Town Police:

This small sketch is written for Judge Josey and the town cops.

Your Majesty: Of course, I am talking to our dear judge. You are wondering why you have so many kids in your office at 9 o'clock every morning. Well, here are the reasons:

No. 1 and most important—All you and your cops think about is stopping kids from having any fun. People of this town have noticed that most all the time your cops are looking for kids and have one in their car taking him to see you.

Well, what is wrong with this town is that it is old-fashioned and does not care for fun. If they did, they would open up the school swimming pool and also try to

**G. I. JOE TO RECEIVE GASOLINE FOR FURLOUGHS**

A member of the armed services on leave or furlough for a period of three days or more will be entitled to a gallon of gasoline for each day of his leave or furlough, up to a maximum of thirty gallons. The new rule replaces one granting a flat five gallons to every member of the armed services on leave, furlough or pass, regardless of the length of the leave.

Furlough rations will now range between a minimum of three gallons for a three-day leave or furlough to a maximum of thirty gallons for thirty days. No ration will be granted for passes or furloughs of less than three days.

Rep. A. M. Fernandez, member of the House Indian Affairs Subcommittee, said the group probably would not schedule hearings for four Southwestern states until "later in the summer or fall." The states are New Mexico, Oklahoma, Arizona, and California. Fernandez said the subcommittee had not yet outlined its itinerary and would not do so until it has finished hearings in Northern states. He has just returned from hearings in North and South Dakota and Montana, and said the committee goes next to Wisconsin and Minnesota.

get a teen-age club of the juveniles, as you call them.

Well, Judge, all I can say is if you don't try to help us a little, I am sure you will have a jug full of kids next time The Artesia Advocate shows its bright pages in stores next week. Just in case you would like to know who wrote this, it was written by two boys who have been to see you in your cozy little office before.

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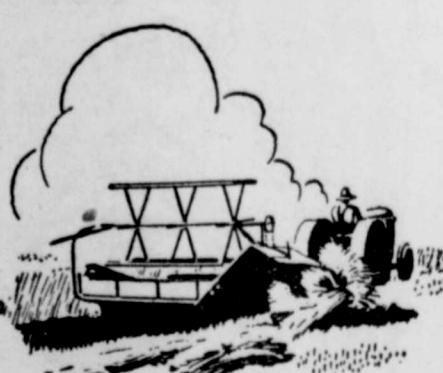
**SOUTH BOUND**

Leave Artesia ..... 1:00 a. m.  
Leave Artesia ..... 11:44 a. m.  
Leave Artesia ..... 7:30 p. m.

**NORTH BOUND**

Leave Artesia ..... 8:02 a. m.  
Leave Artesia ..... 2:10 p. m.  
Leave Artesia ..... 6:35 p. m.

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Look to the West, America, and fill your eyes with the boundless expanse of American fields—symbol of Freedom's Food.

Today, on our western prairies, our golden fields of war are working hand in hand with our black smokestacks of war industries.

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<b>COFFEE</b>	<b>MILK</b>	<b>Susie-Q No. 2 Can</b> <b>10c</b>
Folgers, Hills, Schilling, Lb. <b>33c</b>	White Swan, 3 Large <b>19c</b>	<b>SYRUP</b>
<b>BUTTER</b>	<b>SOLIDS POUND</b>	<b>47c</b>
<b>PEAS</b>	<b>CORN</b>	<b>BEANS</b>
No. 2 Can <b>10c</b>	No. 2 Can <b>13c</b>	No. 2 Can <b>10c</b>
<b>PARKAY</b>	<b>OLEO POUND</b>	<b>25c</b>
<b>CRISCO</b>	<b>TOMATOES</b>	<b>LARD</b>
3 Lbs. <b>73c</b>	No. 2 Can <b>10c</b>	8 Lbs. <b>1.49</b>
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Lifebuoy, Lux Camay, 3 for <b>20c</b>	Gallon Can <b>69c</b>	Gallon Can <b>59c</b>
<b>GRAPE JAM</b>	<b>2 LB. JAR</b>	<b>39c</b>
<b>HYPRO</b>	<b>BABO</b>	<b>KOTEX</b>
Quart <b>13c</b>	Box <b>10c</b>	Reg. Pkg. <b>22c</b>
<b>SUGAR</b>	<b>10 LBS. CANE</b>	<b>65c</b>
<b>SALT</b>	<b>NAPKINS</b>	<b>SOUP</b>
Morton Box <b>9c</b>	125 Count Pkg. <b>10c</b>	Hienz Tomato Can <b>11c</b>
<b>APRICOTS</b>	<b>GAL. CAN</b>	<b>99c</b>

<b>LONGHORN Cheese</b> ..... <b>35c</b>	<b>Melons</b> ..... <b>3c</b>
<b>PURE GROUND Beef</b> ..... <b>28c</b>	<b>Cukes</b> ..... <b>7c</b>
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<b>BROOKFIELD Sausage</b> ..... <b>45c</b>	<b>Celery</b> ..... <b>14c</b>



# Society

## Joan Withington Wheatley, Dramatic Soprano, Will Sing This Evening

Miss Joan Withington, New York City, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley of Artesia, dramatic soprano, is being presented in concert this evening at the First Methodist Church by the Choral Club. The public is invited without admission charge. Miss

Wheatley is being assisted by Vergine Gates, pianist. Invitations have been issued for an informal reception after the performance at the Artesia Woman's Club, Mr. and Mrs. Wheatley, hosts.



Joan Withington Wheatley

PROGRAM	
O Sleep, Why Dost Thou Leave Me? ("Semele")	Handel
Deh vieni non tardar ("Le Nozze di Figaro")	Mozart
Rondo in G	Beethoven
Etude Opus 10, No. 12 "Revolutionary"	Chopin
Vergine Gates	
Beau Soir	Debussy
Maman, dites-moi	Weckerlin
L'Heure exquise	Hahn
Chere Nuit	Bachelet
INTERMISSION	
Pace, pace, mio Dio ("La Forza del destino")	Verdi
Were My Song With Wings Provided	Gretchaninoff
By a Lonely Forest Pathway	Griffes
The Kerry Dances	Molloy
The Bird of The Wilderness	Horsman
USHERS	
Barbara Wheatley	Hattye Ruth Cole
Janice Mann	Bernie Marie Baldwin
Jane Shugart	Charlene Martin
Peggy Hamill	Helen Watson

### SGT. HASTINGS BRINGS BRIDE FOR VISIT

Sgt. Wesley Hastings, who was married to an Oklahoma girl about two months ago, arrived Wednesday in Roswell with his bride from North Carolina, where he is now stationed. They went to Ruidoso for a visit with sergeant's mother, Mrs. Florence Hastings, and his sister, Mrs. E. J. Foster, and her family. He and his bride are expected here for a brief visit next week.

### SON BORN IN ROSWELL TO MR. AND MRS. B. N. MUNCY, JR.

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Muncy, Jr., are the parents of a son, born at 1:15 o'clock Monday morning, weight 8 pounds 5 ounces, at St. Mary's Hospital in Roswell. This is the first grandchild in both Mrs. Muncy's and Mr. Muncy's families. He has been named Alan after his grandfather, Allen P. Mahone, and Nelson from his other grandfather, B. Nelson Muncy.

Alan Nelson was born on the birthday anniversary of his great grandfather, J. L. Chatten of Elkins.

Mrs. John A. Mathis, Jr., and two sons, John A. Mathis III and Joe Earl Mathis, have come here to live with their father-in-law and grandfather, John A. Mathis, Sr., while their husband and father, Lieutenant Mathis is overseas.

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### Waldrop-Angell Wedding Rites In Silver City

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Mrs. Joe Hamann of Artesia was among the wedding guests.

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Mrs. J. H. Walker, state president of the Council of Church Women, expects to meet Miss Armstrong in Carlsbad Monday afternoon and to accompany her to Hobbs, where they will meet with church women Tuesday, back to Carlsbad, where they meet with Carlsbad women Wednesday, in Artesia Thursday, at Hagerman Friday, and to Roswell, where they will meet with the women of that city Sunday.

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## People of Hope Community Point Pride to New Parsonage, Completed Recently Without Debt

Little city of Hope now with pride to the new parsonage, which has been completed and which was occupied by the Rev. E. A. White of a few weeks. The white stucco frame building has four rooms, with hardwood floors and modern even to elec-

The very next day she started out to build a parsonage home and found the people of the Hope community united in this one project; no matter of what church affiliation, all contributed and all alike call it a home for "our pastor." The building was not erected without much time and effort by many, with priorities and labor



Estimated cost is \$4,000 and amount has been paid in full. Idea of a new parsonage for their pastor, who is ministering to the entire population of the rural communities, a few months ago when called at the old parsonage found the floors warped and the doors could not be opened upon further investigation it an undesirable abode.

both difficult to obtain, but there were those who never gave up until the job was finished. Mrs. Robert Parks was chairman of the building committee and those working with her were George Teel, Andy Teel, Mrs. Nora Johnson, and J. P. Menefee. The church owns now three lots, the one on which the parsonage was built, the one between the parsonage and the church building, and the lot directly west of the parsonage, recently bought.

## Artesia Thrive Not Weather; Dion Pays

Makers who pat themselves back because they pre-empt their picnics early in putting their children's a few hours after the out-

Jerry Matthews, 7, of north of Artesia. He was injured when he fell off a trailer behind a hay bailer. Russell Hinshaw was treated Wednesday for a fractured left wrist, sustained when a wrench fell on him while working on a windmill for the Diamond A Cattle Company. Tonsillectomies performed the last week: Saturday, Yvonne Dew, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Dew; Monday, Mrs. O. M. Vandagriff; Tuesday, Jean Stafford, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Stafford, and Delbert Robinson, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Robinson of Cottonwood; Wednesday, Shirlene Hooten, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hooten; this morning, Mrs. John Donahue.

## Hospital News

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hartgraves are the parents of a son, John Beaver, born at 6:30 o'clock Saturday morning, weight 8 pounds 9 1/2 ounces. Jackie McCabe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McCabe of Hope, underwent a tonsillectomy Saturday morning. Mrs. Frank Miller of Artesia underwent an appendectomy Wednesday morning and Pamfilia Alaniz, an appendectomy Wednesday evening. Both are recovering nicely. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Henry and J. C. Sartin of Seagraves, Tex., were treated Saturday and dismissed Sunday for minor injuries which they sustained in an automobile accident as they were en route to Cloudcroft. Medical patients are Walter Hogan, Sr., Bryan Runyan of the Penasco Valley, and Miss Nadine Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Ross. All are improved. Mrs. F. A. Franklin, a medical patient, has been dismissed, improved. Mrs. Susan Salazar, well-known aged Mexican woman, underwent major surgery this morning. Her condition is thought to be satisfactory.

## Church Activities

Service in Song  
A service in song will be rendered by the choir at the Methodist Church Sunday evening. An organization of the church has been responsible for the evening services at the church during the vacation of the pastor the last month. A fine program under the direction of Mrs. Glenn Cahkey, choir director, with Mrs. Robert Setterlund, pianist, has been arranged for Sunday evening. There will be numbers by the choir, special un-announced numbers, and a violin number by Everett Dean O'Bannon. The song service will be at 7:15 o'clock, at the time of the regular evening services.

## Presbyterian Women

Seventeen members were present at a regular meeting of the Presbyterian Woman's Association at the home of Mrs. Basil Ramsey last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Virgil Hopp, who led the devotions, was co-hostess. Mrs. Earl Ployhar was in charge of a program on

## NEWS OF OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN UNIFORM

George Harold Settemire, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Settemire, received his silver wings Friday, when he graduated as a flight officer from Marfa (Tex.) Army Air Field, an advanced two-engine pilot school of the AAF Training Command, it was announced by Col. A. J. Kerwin Malone, commanding officer. Flight Officer Settemire completed a course in training in two-engine aircraft. He was assigned to Marfa Army Air Field from Minter Field, Bakersfield, Calif.

S/Sgt. J. H. Ansley, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ansley of Artesia, is one soldier who really gets around. During his three years and seven months in the Army, he's been stationed at no less than ten different installations, including Newfoundland, where he served nine months.

Now at the Army Service Forces Training Center, Camp Claiborne, La., Sergeant Ansley earned his stripes the hard way as a platoon sergeant—and also has served as an acting first sergeant and a shipping clerk. His service outside the United States was at Fort Pepperell, St. Johns, Newfoundland, an important base utilized in the ferrying of planes across the Atlantic. "It was pretty quiet up there," he said, "but we were busy—very busy. Our job was to keep equipment and supplies moving to five other installations on the island and at the same time keep a wary eye on the waters around us for enemy submarine and air attacks. And we had plenty of ac-

"World Missions and Peace to Come." Mrs. Ralph Shugart, president, presided. Miss Jane Shugart, who represented the young people of the Presbyterian Churches of New Mexico at a youth convention in Ohio last month, spoke of some of the highlights of the convention. Delicious refreshments were served.

## Christian Council

There were ten members present at a work-day meeting of the Christian Council, held at the church Thursday with covered dish luncheon at noon. After a short business meeting, at which Mrs. Stanley Blocker, president, presided, the rest of the afternoon was spent quilting.

tion in that line," he added, referring to the enemy U-boats that plied the ocean lanes near Newfoundland. Sgt. Ansley, now with Co. B, 2nd Regiment, Headquarters Battalion, at the Army Service Forces Training Center, served successfully at Camp Lee, Va., Fort Slocum, N. Y., Fort Pepperell, Newfoundland, Camp Edwards, Mass., Fort Dix, N. J., Fort Bragg, N. C., Camp Blanding, Fla., Finney General Hospital, Tex., Camp Van Dorn, Miss., and finally Camp Claiborne.

Lt. Max Schulze, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Schulze of Artesia, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross "for extraordinary achievement while serving as a navigator on a Flying Fortress on many heavy bombing missions over enemy-occupied Continental Europe. Lieutenant Schulze, expertly navigating his aircraft, has contributed materially to the successful destruction of targets highly important to the enemy's war effort. The skill, energy, and resourcefulness displayed by Lieutenant Schulze on all these occasions reflect credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Corps." Lieutenant Schulze's parents have previously learned that their son has received the Air Medal and four Oak Clusters. He has completed his missions, having flown on thirty-two. Lieutenant Schulze wrote that he hopes to be able to come home by the latter part of the month.

Cpl. Bonifacio Hernandez, returning from thirty months overseas with the Ordnance Corps in the Southwest Pacific theater of operations, has arrived at Fort Bliss, prior to visiting his mother, Mrs. Martina Hernandez, at Artesia.

Mrs. Bill Paris arrived Wednesday from San Diego, Calif., to visit her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Paris. Her husband, Ensign Paris, has been shipped overseas. From here Mrs. Paris expects to go to Oklahoma to visit her parents and then to teach school.

Ray S. Carter has been quite ill at his home the last week.

L. R. Buck, one of the pioneers of the valley, who came here fifty-six years ago, is here visiting his nephews, the Buck brothers, Noah, Charley, John, and Jim, and their families in the Cottonwood community. Mr. Buck has been visiting relatives in Texas and Oklahoma and stopped here en route to his home in San Pedro, Calif.

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THE ARTESIA ADVOCATE, ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

**AUGUST 7, 1944**

**BE IT REMEMBERED** That the Board of County Commissioners of Eddy County, N. M. met in Regular Session this 7th day of August, 1944, pursuant to adjournment had. Present and Presiding were:

Joe Lusk, Chairman  
J. J. Terry, Commissioner Dist. No. 2 (Absent)  
J. L. James, Commissioner Dist. No. 3  
R. A. Wilcox, County Clerk  
Ray Cowan, Asst. Dist. Attorney

The meeting was called for the purpose of giving notice of the Local Option Election to be held August 26, 1944.

**WHEREUPON**, in accordance with section 501 of Chapter 236, Laws of 1939, of the State of New Mexico, and the petition heretofore filed in accordance with said statutes, the Board of County Commissioners within and for the County of Eddy, State of New Mexico does hereby proclaim and give public notice this 7th day of August, 1944, of a Local Option Election, to be held in the several precincts and voting districts of said County on Saturday, August 26th, 1944, the object and purpose of which is to vote upon the question of the sale of alcoholic liquors in Eddy County, New Mexico.

We do further proclaim that at said election on August 26, 1944, the qualified electors of Eddy County shall vote for or against the sale of alcoholic liquors in Eddy County, New Mexico.

We do further proclaim the places where said election shall be held in the respective precincts or election districts of said County are as are listed below, and we do further proclaim that the qualified electors hereinafter enumerated shall constitute the Election Judges, Counting Judges, Poll Clerks and Counting Clerks of the Local Option Election in the several election precincts and election districts of Eddy County and the first enumerated person is hereby designated by the Board of County Commissioners to receive all election supplies from the County Clerk and are hereinafter listed as follows:

**CARVER SCHOOL — PRECINCT NO. 1, CARLSBAD ELECTION DISTRICT "A"**

Election Judges:  
Mrs. A. A. Gorrell, Mrs. Geo. Benz, H. E. Cair

Alt. Election Judges:  
C. B. Morrison, Mrs. Sam Horne, H. E. Fisher

Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. Albert Calvani, Mrs. Albert Fisher

Alt. Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. Troy McCall, Mrs. J. E. Nabors

Counting Judges:  
A. C. Bindel, E. L. Dunigan, Mrs. Geo. Pixler

Alt. Counting Judges:  
Troy McCall, Mrs. Geo. C. Watson, Lewis Cargill

Counting Clerks:  
J. L. Vandagriff, Mrs. Frank W. Burt

Alt. Counting Clerks:  
Albert Calvani, Mrs. Carl A. Reed

**SOUTH SCHOOL, LEA ST. — PRECINCT NO. 1, CARLSBAD ELECTION DISTRICT "B"**

Election Judges:  
Mrs. Fulton Baker, Mrs. R. R. Hubbard, Justice Beach

Alt. Election Judges:  
Florence Breeding, Margaret Breeding, Mrs. Samuel Buce

Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. John Martinez, Mrs. Frank Bianco

Alt. Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. Frank Fesler, W. H. Merchant, Jr., Dale W. Dunham

Alt. Counting Judges:  
Ray Hubbard, Mrs. Fred Owensby, Mrs. Emanuel Hauzer

Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. Hershel Harty, Miss Mattie B. Tidwell

Alt. Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. Ray Williams, Mrs. Joe W. Baker

**CITY FIRE STATION — PRECINCT NO. 1, CARLSBAD ELECTION DISTRICT "C"**

Election Judges:  
A. H. Thompson, Mrs. A. H. Thompson, Ted Pate

Alt. Election Judges:  
Joe Herzog, Joe Sides, P. R. Lucas

Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. Susie K. Kneale, Mrs. Joe Nahm

Alt. Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. S. S. Bridwell, Mrs. O. J. Groves

Counting Judges:  
Mrs. Barney Hopkins, Mrs. H. N. Oldham, Mrs. A. C. Duenkel

Alt. Counting Judges:  
H. C. Beydler, Mrs. Joe Herzog, Ernest Millman

Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. Doss Morrow, W. C. Moody

Alt. Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. Buford Briggs, Mrs. L. W. Gentry

**COURT HOUSE — PRECINCT NO. 1, CARLSBAD ELECTION DISTRICT "D"**

Election Judges:  
Mrs. Walter Craft, Mrs. Fannie Butcher, Geo. G. Ison

Alt. Election Judges:  
Judson Boyd, H. D. Fleming, Raymond C. Ison

Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. J. T. Beach, Mrs. John

**Ward**

Alt. Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. J. S. Windham, Mrs. Jess Day

Counting Judges:  
A. M. Hoose, Mrs. Wesley M. Drury, Mrs. John W. Thomas

Alt. Counting Judges:  
Mrs. F. W. Thacker, E. Barker, Mrs. Raymond Ison

Counting Clerks:  
L. S. Meyers, Juanita Smith

Alt. Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. Tom Pope, Jr., Mrs. Max Busch

**ROOSEVELT SCHOOL — PRECINCT NO. 1, CARLSBAD ELECTION DISTRICT "E"**

Election Judges:  
Mrs. Joe Lusk, Mrs. C. E. Denhof, E. H. Weaver

Alt. Election Judges:  
R. E. Platt, Bert Bethel, W. F. McIlvain

Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. Roy Davis, Mrs. J. B. Davis

Alt. Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. Craddock Rule, Mrs. Jack Morris

Counting Judges:  
Mrs. Leslie Burns, Mrs. T. Marquess, Joseph Wertheim

Alt. Counting Judges:  
Mrs. Howard Everett, Mrs. Tommie Williams, Mrs. Marie McLenathen

Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. Lee Downey, Mrs. Robert Hemenway

Alt. Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. A. G. Boyce, Helen Dailey

**EDISON SCHOOL — PRECINCT NO. 1, CARLSBAD ELECTION DISTRICT "F"**

Election Judges:  
Mrs. J. R. Holt, M. F. Sadler, A. W. Dallman

Alt. Election Judges:  
Earl Bowers, Lewis Burk, Ralph R. Littrell

Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. Chas. Smotherman, Mrs. R. C. Brummett

Alt. Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. John Sears, Neal H. Juhola

Counting Judges:  
C. W. Bynum, John Sears, Oscar Dowling

Alt. Counting Judges:  
Mrs. Sherwood Matney, E. V. Albritton, Mrs. R. L. Standifer

Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. Hester Woods, Mrs. Arthur Green

Alt. Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. H. B. Bingham, Mrs. Sam Thomas

**WEST SCHOOL, LAKE ST. — PRECINCT NO. 1, CARLSBAD ELECTION DISTRICT "G"**

Election Judges:  
Mrs. Alonzo Smart, Mrs. Chester Nichols, Albert Ramuez

Alt. Election Judges:  
J. A. Jordan, Walter Cole, Mrs. Albert Ramuez

Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. M. C. Clifton, Mrs. A. J. Porter

Alt. Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. Chas. Currier, Miss Ethelyn Ellsworth

Counting Judges:  
J. B. Choate, Mrs. Henry Brockman, Chas. M. Watkins

Alt. Counting Judges:  
Paul Nichols, Mrs. Russell Mills

Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. Paul Nichols, Edna Millman

Alt. Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. James M. Fields, Mrs. E. M. Coalson

**JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL — PRECINCT NO. 1, CARLSBAD ELECTION DISTRICT "H"**

Election Judges:  
Clyde Carr, Mrs. John Connell, C. C. Bacon

Alt. Election Judges:  
Henry Felts, M. S. Brown, Jr., Mrs. G. F. Coope

Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. Ralph Sellmeyer, Mrs. Tresa T. Everts

Alt. Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. Kenneth Reed, Mrs. Neil Wills

Counting Judges:  
J. G. Blanchard, Mrs. E. L. Fulton, Mrs. Hugh Hall

Alt. Counting Judges:  
Tom Callaway, Joe Gant, Mrs. Frank B. Van Horn

Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. Leonard Seay, Mrs. C. E. Rothwell

Alt. Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. Lester Stroup, Dan Harroun

**CHURCH OF CHRIST, FOX AND LAKE — PRECINCT NO. 1, CARLSBAD ELECTION DISTRICT "I"**

Election Judges:  
Mrs. Collins Jerrels, Mrs. John Boeglin, Mrs. Phillip J. Allison

Alt. Election Judges:  
Mrs. A. J. Wester, Mrs. P. R. Childress, Mrs. L. E. Foster

Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. K. R. Jones, Mrs. Fred Fisher

Alt. Poll Clerks:  
Mrs. C. C. Holderness, Leslie H. Karr

Counting Judges:  
Mrs. Geo. McGonagill, Mrs. Clint Taylor, Mrs. W. W. Anderson

Alt. Counting Judges:  
Mrs. B. Bartlett, Grady Burkholder, Mrs. Claude J. DeMoss

Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. J. Frederick, Fred V. Bergamo

Alt. Counting Clerks:  
Mrs. Ferrell McLean, Josephine F. Neislar

**SCHOOL HOUSE — PRECINCT NO. 2-A, MALAGA ELECTION DISTRICT "A"**

**Election Judges:**  
John Queen, Bob James, Alvin Harroun

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
Frank Beeman, Mrs. Earl Donaldson, J. L. Williams

**Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Roy Forehand, J. F. Forehand

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Chris Skinner, Mrs. Winifred Kirkpatrick

**WHITE CITY — PRECINCT NO. 2, ELECTION DISTRICT "B"**

**Election Judges:**  
Cyril Pipkin, A. J. Mayes, R. H. Judkins

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
Mrs. Cyril Pipkin, Mrs. A. J. Mayes, Mrs. R. H. Judkins

**Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. H. F. Ballard, C. L. White

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
Sue Ussery, Mrs. C. L. White

**SCHOOL HOUSE — PRECINCT NO. 3, HOPE**

**Election Judges:**  
Mrs. John Teel, C. A. Cole, Lawrence Blakeney

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
Bryant Williams, Bert Weddige, Lee J. Madron

**Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Ethel Altman, Mrs. Lawrence Blakeney

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Virgil Craig, Mrs. Felix Cauhape

**Counting Judges:**  
Anderson Young, Mrs. Alline Scoggins, John Hardin

**Alt. Counting Judges:**  
Mrs. Maurice O. Teel, Mrs. John Ward, Henry Coffin

**Counting Clerks:**  
Mrs. Dick Carson, Irving Cox

**Alt. Counting Clerks:**  
Charley Barley, Robert L. Cole

**SCHOOL HOUSE — PRECINCT NO. 4, LAKEWOOD**

**Election Judges:**  
Mrs. R. L. House, Mrs. Jim Howell, Mrs. A. D. Scarbrough

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
Mrs. E. B. Hughes, Mrs. Jim Moutry, R. A. Madron

**Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. R. T. Schneck, Mrs. John Angell

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Ernest McGonagill, Mrs. Albert Lee

**BOY SCOUT HUT — PRECINCT NO. 5, LOVING**

**Election Judges:**  
J. N. Harvey, Mrs. J. B. Stamp, J. R. Ogden

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
Mrs. E. L. Traylor, Troy Caviness, T. M. Wyman

**Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. J. H. Hinton, Mrs. Ora Nymeyer

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Tom Ball, Mary McDonald

**Counting Judges:**  
J. H. Hinton, Mrs. G. E. Cotton, Mrs. J. R. Ogden

**Alt. Counting Judges:**  
E. W. Parchman, Richard Donaldson, B. A. Nymeyer

**Counting Clerks:**  
Mrs. A. C. Lawrence, Mrs. B. A. Nymeyer

**Alt. Counting Clerks:**  
Robert Tarbutton Mrs. W. E. Ball

**NAZARENE CHURCH — PRECINCT NO. 6, ARTESIA ELECTION DISTRICT "A"**

**Election Judges:**  
D. H. Lankford, H. L. Green, Albert G. Bailey

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Roger Durand, Mrs. Albert G. Bailey

**Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff, Mrs. E. N. Bigler

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. J. T. Caudle, L. E. Neely

**Counting Judges:**  
C. R. Vandagriff, R. L. Paris, Virgil O. Hopp

**Alt. Counting Judges:**  
Harry Carder, Jeff Hightower, Wm. Linell

**Counting Clerks:**  
Mrs. Fred Cole, Miss Florence Dooley

**Alt. Counting Clerks:**  
L. B. Feather, Mrs. John Easley

**CITY HALL — PRECINCT NO. 6, ARTESIA ELECTION DISTRICT "B"**

**Election Judges:**  
J. H. Jones, Bennie Juarez, Mrs. Frank E. Smith

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
J. B. Muncy, Mrs. Nora Clayton, Harold E. Crozier

**Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. J. L. Truett, Mrs. A. B. Coll, Sr.

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Nola Phillips, Mrs. A. B. Coll, Jr.

**Counting Judges:**  
Mrs. Walter Nugent, J. T. Fulton, Mrs. Harold E. Crozier

**Alt. Counting Judges:**  
Sy Edgerton, L. A. Rideout, Mrs. Ralph Pitt

**Counting Clerks:**  
Mrs. Donald B. Shira, Mrs. A. G. Glasser

**Alt. Counting Clerks:**  
Mrs. J. B. Muncy, Mrs. Owen D. Hensley

**CENTRAL SCHOOL—PRECINCT NO. 6, ARTESIA ELECTION DISTRICT "C"**

**Election Judges:**  
George W. Johnson, Mrs. John Runyan, Mrs. E. M. Wingfield

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
O. R. Gable, A. K. Ripley, Mrs. James Montgomery

**Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Howard Gissler, Mrs. P. V. Morris

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Leland Price, James Mont-

**gomery**

**Counting Judges:**  
Mrs. Frank Thomas, Artie McAnally, Mrs. E. A. Hannah

**Alt. Counting Judges:**  
Mrs. A. M. Archer, Mrs. A. P. Mahone, John E. Hastie

**Counting Clerks:**  
Mrs. Dan Watson, Mrs. Elsie Kissinger

**Alt. Counting Clerks:**  
Wm. Bullock, Harold L. Hannah

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH — PRECINCT NO. 6, ARTESIA ELECTION DISTRICT "D"**

**Quay Street**

**Election Judges:**  
J. H. Alvarado, J. S. Sharp, Arba Green

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
E. B. McCaw, C. M. Cole, Mrs. Tom Hefflin

**Poll Clerks:**  
Margaret Ellis, Mrs. Baxter Polard

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. H. D. Dunn, Mrs. James A. Hayhurst

**Counting Judges:**  
Bryan Savoie, Mrs. Pat Gormley, Mrs. Albert Richards

**Alt. Counting Judges:**  
John Vandagriff, Mrs. C. O. Fulton, Mrs. L. J. Chester

**Counting Clerks:**  
Mrs. I. C. Keller, Mr. Donovan O. Jensen

**Alt. Counting Clerks:**  
Beth King, J. Ward Cave

**SCHOOL HOUSE, ATOKA — PRECINCT NO. 7, DAYTON**

**Election Judges:**  
Mrs. Reed Brainard, Mrs. John Rowland, Edward Kissinger

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
Russell Schneider, Charles R. Martin

**Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Irvin Martin, Mrs. Edward Kissinger

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Charlie Martin, H. R. Stroup

**EL PASO GAP SCHOOL HOUSE — PRECINCT NO. 8, QUEEN**

**Election Judges:**  
Sam A. Hughes, Mrs. Sam A. Hughes, Lee Magby

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
Fred Cox, Mrs. Fred Cox

**Poll Clerks:**  
Sam O. Hughes, Mrs. Sam O. Hughes

**SCHOOL HOUSE — PRECINCT NO. 9, OTIS**

**Election Judges:**  
Warren Weems, W. W. Galton, Joe Crabb

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
John Martin, Mrs. C. F. Porter

**Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Hubert Grandi, Mrs. W. A. Forehand

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
W. J. Bindel, O. C. Nichols, C. C. Lewis

**Counting Judges:**  
Hubert Grandi, Robert Calvani, Mrs. C. C. Lewis

**Counting Clerks:**  
Walter Rose, J. S. Kirkes

**Alt. Counting Clerks:**  
Mrs. Robert Calvani, M. C. Porter

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. H. D. Dunn, Mrs. James A. Hayhurst

**Counting Judges:**  
Bryan Savoie, Mrs. Pat Gormley, Mrs. Albert Richards

**Alt. Counting Judges:**  
John Vandagriff, Mrs. C. O. Fulton, Mrs. L. J. Chester

**Counting Clerks:**  
Mrs. I. C. Keller, Mr. Donovan O. Jensen

**Alt. Counting Clerks:**  
Beth King, J. Ward Cave

**SCHOOL HOUSE, ATOKA — PRECINCT NO. 7, DAYTON**

**Election Judges:**  
Mrs. Reed Brainard, Mrs. John Rowland, Edward Kissinger

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
Russell Schneider, Charles R. Martin

**Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Irvin Martin, Mrs. Edward Kissinger

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Charlie Martin, H. R. Stroup

**EL PASO GAP SCHOOL HOUSE — PRECINCT NO. 8, QUEEN**

**Election Judges:**  
Sam A. Hughes, Mrs. Sam A. Hughes, Lee Magby

**Alt. Election Judges:**  
Fred Cox, Mrs. Fred Cox

**ARTESIA BUSINESS DIRECTORY**

A Thumbnail Classification of  
**EMERGENCY and IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS and ADDRESSES**

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Doc Loucks, Rewinding All Kinds, 107 Quay

**FEEDS**

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Mrs. J. L. Briscoe, Mrs. J. E. Goodrick, Henry Etz  
Alt. Election Judges:  
Mrs. Roland Dendy, Mrs. R. R. Corbin, Mrs. Elmer C. Abston

**Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Leroy D. Cranford, Mrs. Henry Etz

**Alt. Poll Clerks:**  
Mrs. Carl C. Rothrock, Mrs. John S. Donahue

Polls to be opened at 9 o'clock A. M. and close at 6 o'clock P. M. There being no further business, the Board adjourned subject to call.

JOE LUSK, Chairman.

ATTEST:  
R. A. Wilcox, County Clerk.

32-2t-33

The first recorded almanac was written in 1380 in England.

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All Expenses \$21.00  
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# Prohibition Folly

AN EDITORIAL

## From The Fort Worth Star-Telegram

### Preceding the Recent Local Option in Fort Worth

DESPITE tragic experiences with national prohibition, during which the era of gangsterism was born in America and corruption, disrespect for law and poisoning from bootleg liquor were other grave problems, dry zealots seek to supplant legal control with local option in Tarrant County at next Saturday's election. It is conceded by dries that local option is objectionable and is only an ineffectual means to the end of national prohibition, and hence the people of our county are being asked to traverse a bad road to an undesirable objective.

The fundamental fallacy of the dries is that they seek to compel people to be total abstainers and are blind to the demonstrated failure of prohibition. Great progress has been made since repeal in the cause of temperance, notably in the education of young people by the dries, but now they would admit that efforts to instill into youth morality and sound principles have failed. Surely, legislation and compulsion are not the answers to the problem of making a better people and country. The cure lies in the individual, not through mass reform. The individual must chart his way through all hazards and pitfalls of life. Free men are to be guided, not driven by government.

If, of course, it is contended that prohibition will prohibit next time, one finds it difficult to argue with extreme dries. The record of failure of national prohibition is the best evidence, however, against which it can not be rationally claimed that next time prohibition will do the job. Utopian speculation is being weighted so as to prevail over actual experience itself, and emotionalism would rule over reason and logic

if we should return to an experiment that has failed.

The strategy of the dries in this campaign is significant. Billboards, pamphlets and newspaper ads are being used at considerable cost, and continuous appeals are carried by radio. In this instance, the dries have turned to the power of propaganda for swaying the people at Saturday's election. Thus they confess their cause is weak.

The campaign is untimely and strikes a discordant note in the midst of a critical war year. It is a curious spectacle at the backs of our fighting men who are at grips with the enemy. The date of local option election was moved up so as to bar many of these fighting men from voting. The whole business does not ring true, notably since our armed forces represent American manhood in full stature. They do not require wet nursing by civilian reformers, and certainly are entitled to a voice as to whether Tarrant County shall be under legal control or without control under local option.

The sole issue in Saturday's election is whether legal control will be retained, subject to improvement, or our county shall revert to bootlegging and license. The contention of the dries that legal control causes bootlegging and black marketing is too ridiculous to call for answer. By the same illogic, the sale of gas would be prohibited to eliminate the same wartime evils. The people Saturday should vote decisively in favor of legal control and against a return to outlawry and license. Reason and sound judgment rather than a whipped up emotionalism of war strained people should prevail.

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# 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

#### 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

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.

### Facts Concerning the Nation's Consumption and Expenditure for Beer . . . 10 Years of Legalized Sales

#### CONSUMPTION OF BEER

	Can and Bottle Beer (Barrels)	Draught Beer (Barrels)
1934	10,000,000	30,000,000
1935	13,300,000	31,800,000
1936	20,200,000	32,800,000
1937	24,400,000	31,800,000
1938	23,700,000	27,700,000
1939	26,000,000	26,700,000
1940	26,800,000	25,000,000
1941	32,200,000	26,000,000
1942	37,800,000	26,600,000
1943	43,900,000	28,300,000

#### EXPENDITURE FOR BEER

	Can and Bottle Beer	Draught Beer
	\$ 274,000,000	\$ 985,000,000
	374,000,000	1,071,000,000
	582,000,000	1,133,000,000
	715,000,000	1,098,000,000
	700,000,000	980,000,000
	775,000,000	995,000,000
	816,000,000	917,000,000
	1,004,000,000	972,000,000
	1,201,000,000	1,005,000,000
	1,478,000,000	1,065,000,000

NOTE: There are approximately 250 ten-ounce drinks of beer in a barrel.

#### SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

In the July 8, 1940 issue of Life Magazine, Ralph Payne, Jr., head of the European Staff of Life and Time Magazines, declared . . .

"France was not conquered in 43 days; France collapsed in 43 days. The French defeated themselves and they know it." NEWSWEEK of Sept. 2, 1940 reported this statement . . .

"The Vichy Government last week called alcohol the chief cause of the French Army's

moral collapse and the worst of France's four present great problems."

For the years of 1941, 1942, and 1943, that is, since our nation went to war crime among certain age groups, drunkenness, and the consumption of Alcoholic Liquors has increased from fifty to more than one hundred per cent. Our nation's drink bill is more than \$4,000,000,000 annually, at a time when our government needs every dollar that we can spare in our war effort. Is this winning the war?

#### LOCAL OPTION ON THE AIR KAVE, CARLSBAD

Sunday, August 13—11 a. m., Dr. C. E. Jameson  
Sunday, Aug. 13—12:30 p. m., Caswell Neal  
Each Day Through the Week—12:30 to 12:45 p. m.  
Sunday, Aug. 20—12:30 to 1 p. m., Fred Cole  
From Monday, Aug. 21, Through Thursday, Aug. 24—12:30 to 12:45 p. m.  
Friday and Saturday, Aug. 25 and 26—An announcement every 15 minutes, urging the people to go to the Polls and . . .

Vote for Local Option in Eddy County

#### 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!

(Paid Political Advertising)



# OCOTILLO THEATRE

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In This Jam-Packed Fun And Music Show!

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Directed by GEORGE WOODRILL  
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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  
Attorney fee 10% ..... 12.50  
Plus costs of advertising and selling such property.  
DATED at Artesia, New Mexico, this 26th day of July, 1944.  
L. E. FOLKNER, Mortgagee.

30-4t-33

### 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.  
IRIS W. ROBERTS, Executor.  
30-4t-33

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF EARL N. BIGLER, DECEASED.  
No. 1154

**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATRIX**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Lillian S. Bigler, has been duly appointed and has qualified as Administratrix of the Estate of Earl N. Bigler, deceased. All persons having claims against the Estate of said decedent must present the same within six months of the 3rd day of August, 1944, or the same will be barred.  
LILLIAN S. BIGLER.  
31-4t-34

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### Pix Rhapsody

By Mary Jane

If any proof is needed that musical Westerns, produced with a lavish hand, are tops with audiences everywhere, it can be found at the Valley Theater Sunday night, where Republic's "Cowboy and the Senorita," latest of the Roy Rogers starrers opens for a three-day showing.

The enthusiasm with which the audience greets the King of the Cowboys leaves no doubt that top Westerns are tops with the movie-going public.

Rogers, in the current picture, is surrounded by a cast of such famous players as the diminutive singing star, Mary Lee, lovely Dale Evans, Guinn (Big Boy) Williams, John Hubbard, Fuzzy Knight, Lucien Littlefield, the Sons of the Pioneers, and a dozen stellar performers.

As always, the music of the picture is an important contribution to entertainment. No audience needs an introduction to the Sons of the Pioneers, who are first in the field of Western tunes. Dale Evans and Mary Lee, as well as Rogers, add to the ear-appeal of the photoplay.

The story is concerned with the efforts of a crew of villains, with John Hubbard as the gambler overlord of a Western town, to seize a gold mine the secret of which is to be presented a young girl on her sixteenth birthday, according to the instructions left in her father's will. Rogers and Williams, as prospectors who are searching for ore, come to the aid of the young girl (Mary Lee) and her beautiful cousin, (Dale Evans). In attempting to save the mine and the secret, Rogers and his side-kick become involved in an attempted kidnapping and robbery.

**MRS. EVANS BUYS BUNTING RESIDENCE**  
Mrs. M. W. Evans has bought the Dave Bunting residence property in Roselawn, formerly known as the Yates residence. Mrs. Evans and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Glenn Evans, expect to get possession about Sept. 1. The Bunting family, pioneers of the Pecos Valley, are reported to be moving to Arizona.

Mrs. J. S. Mills returned Monday from Tucson, Ariz., where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Jerry Baggett. Mrs. Mills and other members of the family were with their mother on her seventy-third birthday anniversary. She reported the weather to be unbearably hot in Tucson.

Mrs. P. L. McMurtry is moving to Roswell this week to join her husband, Pfc. P. L. McMurtry, who is stationed at New Mexico Military Institute. Mrs. McMurtry has been an employee at the Artesia Laundry and Cleaners more than eight years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Northcutt and their two children, Opal Bell and Junella, were here for a week-end visit with the parents of Mrs. Northcutt, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Burrows.

Lt. Chuck Baldwin left Tuesday to return to Wilmington, N. C., after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, on leave.



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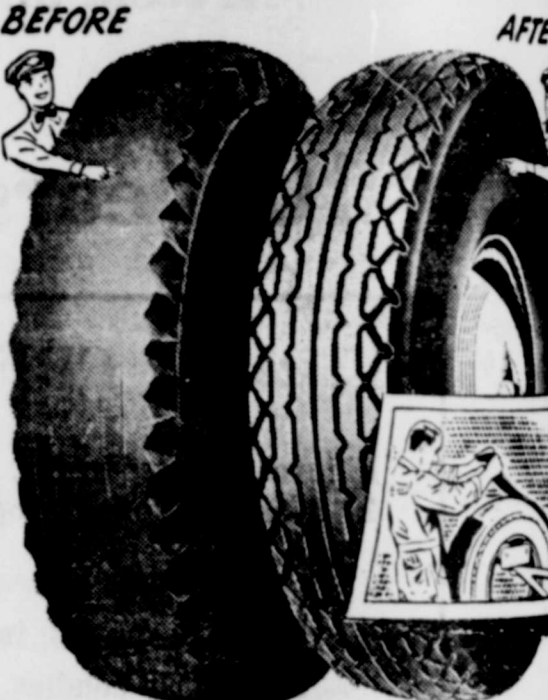
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- THAT OUR HOSPITALS WOULD BE NEARLY EMPTY?
- THAT OUR TAXES WOULD NEARLY VANISH?
- THAT OUR POLICE FORCES COULD BE DISBANDED?

The American voters followed these well-meaning people—and-for **SIXTEEN** years endured all the evils of the "Prohibition" era—the Speakeasy—the Moonshiner—the Blind Tiger—the Bootlegger—the Racketeer—the Gangster—the High-Jacker—Gang Murders—Gang Warfare—AMERICA'S "AL CAPONE AGE!!!"

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**VOTE**

For the LEGAL Sale of Alcoholic Beverages in Eddy County

**VOTE for Law, Order and Decency**

**VOTE for The Cause of True Temperance**

**VOTE against The Bootlegger**

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Thursday, August 10, 1944

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## For Sale

**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** — 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**—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**—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 SALE**—Ration Book Holders, 5c to 35c. The Artesia Advocate. 31-2tp-32

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

**FOR SALE**—International truck and a concrete mixer with 3-horsepower motor. Inquire at 103 Texas. 31-1tp-32-tfx

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

**FOR SALE**—Bird dog puppies. Roy Gill, 410 S. Ninth. 32-1tp

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

**FOR SALE**—Good dwelling, one lot, close in. Large dwelling, two lots. Seven-acre suburban 9-room house and two 2-room houses. Small farm near city, electric pump and all house appliances electric. E. A. Hannah Agency, 511 West Main, or 903 West Quay. 32-2tc-33

**FOR SALE**—Kitchen cabinet. Mrs. W. T. Amstutz, 1201 Grand Ave. 32-1tc

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

**FOR SALE**—Chevrolet pickup, 1940, or will trade for good Chevrolet or Ford car. First house north Victory Courts, Carlsbad Highway, after 6 p. m. 32-1tp

**FOR SALE**—Pen-fed fryers, also fryer rabbits. L. G. Syferd, phone 701-R. 32-4tp-35

**FOR SALE**—Household goods, including beds, springs, inner-spring mattress, vacuum cleaner, chairs, tables, daybed, kitchen range, pillows, etc. Shown 9 to 12 mornings, 5 to 7 evenings at 405 Quay. 32-1tp

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

## For Rent

**FOR RENT** — Cool bedroom at farm home, 2 1/2 miles from city, modern. Ray H. Carpenter, phone 68. 32-1tp

**FOR RENT**—Nice bedroom, hot and cold water. See Bill Angley at Artesia Furniture Co. 32-1tc

## Lost

**LOST**—Sunday morning, brown billfold, containing considerable cash, no cards, but can identify. Reward. J. A. Hoover, 305 S. Tenth. 32-1tp

**LOST**—Boy's new brown shoe, size 13, either in front of Mann Drug Co. or somewhere in town. Mrs. Ray Hill, phone 421-J. 32-1tp

## Found

**FOUND**—Roll of exposed film on streets, last week. Pay for ad and claim at Advocate office. 32-1tx

## Miscellaneous

**LOW COST HOME LOANS**—If you need money to buy, repair your home, or if your present loan is burdensome, see us. We have a simple, low-cost home loan plan that will appeal to you. Low interest rates charged on monthly balances only. We will be glad to explain. E. A. Hannah, Real Estate, Insurance, and Loans. 32-tfc

## Beene Tells of Work Done in SCS District

At the weekly Lions Club luncheon Wednesday noon, G. L. Beene of the Soil Conservation Service gave an interesting talk on the activities of the SCS in the Artesia district.

The Soil Conservation Service offers technical advice and engineering services to the farmers and ranchers in the district, Beene said, adding that at present the local office is short-handed and has many applications ahead for such services.

Beene gave illustrations of cases in which farmers had trouble with their irrigation system because of faulty engineering, and that the SVS was able to suggest changes which corrected the trouble.

The SVS also has machinery, which is rented to farmers for a nominal fee, Beene said.

He spoke very highly of the farming possibilities in this district.

Don Jensen gave a short talk on his trip last week with Boy Scouts to Philmont Ranch in North New Mexico, a ranch donated to the Boy Scouts of America by Waite Phillips. It is stocked with cattle and horses, he said, and also has herds of Buffalo and antelope.

## Castleberry and—

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The telegram to which he referred was a cable sent him by his parents. A check-up disclosed that it had left the United States exactly a month prior to the receipt by Mr. and Mrs. Conner of their son's card, which makes them believe messages are now going through much more rapidly than heretofore.

Private Castleberry wrote his parents: "Dearest Folks: I received the package and surely am enjoying the nice things that were in it. I sure was glad to see the old shaving brush that Dad and I used at home. I am a pretty busy fellow right now. Everything is running as smoothly as the cotton crop is east of the Pecos River, so I guess that's smooth enough for me. God bless you all. Your son, Roy."

Private Castleberry's reference to the shaving brush indicates he has received a package his parents sent him nearly a year ago, and his reference to the "cotton crop east of the Pecos River" indicates how he is doing.

Mrs. Kenneth Hess of Spivey, Kan., was here from Wednesday to Monday visiting her husband, the Rev. Mr. Hess and their daughter, Elaine. Mrs. Hess, postmaster at Spivey, is still frozen on the job.

## Wanted

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

**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-tfx

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

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

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

**WANTED**—Person to return baby chair taken from storage in vacant house. Belongs to soldier. No questions asked if returned. Mrs. Alex McGonagill. 32-1tp

**WANTED**—Reliable business man wants permanent, comfortable, furnished bedroom or apartment. Call 595 days or 585 evenings after 8:30 p. m. 32-2tc-33

**WANTED**—Woman to care for two children while mother works, your home or mine. Phone 392-R3. 32-4tp-35

**WANTED**—Canning vegetables, Kentucky wonder beans, cucumbers and tomatoes. Phone 1707 Oilfield, collect, or write Mrs. Bob Corbin, Box 221, Loco Hills. 32-1tp

**WANTED TO BUY**—Two-wheel trailer, good tires. Cabin 5, Garden Courts. 32-1tp

**WANTED**—Transportation to Los Angeles or vicinity about Aug. 20, by two ladies, paying guests. Phone 349. 32-2tp-33

**WANTED** — Experienced bundle lady at Parkmore Laundry. 32-1tc

**SITUATION OPEN** in field, \$140 per month with house and utilities, permanent. See Mr. Green at Southern Union Gas Co. 32-tfc

## Upper Cottonwood Locals

(Mrs. D. A. Bradley) Monday proved to be everything but blue for Mrs. Ed Taylor, Jr., for early in the morning her three daughters, Mrs. Ernest Mahan, Mrs. Pete Prentice, and Mrs. Clarence Crenshaw, surprised her by coming to the home with wrapped packages and greeted her with the song, "Happy Birthday, Dear Mother." After the gifts had been unwrapped, the daughters returned to the car and brought in a fried chicken dinner, which they served at the noon hour from a lace-covered table centered with a beautiful birthday cake. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Taylor and daughter, Miss Jo Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Crenshaw, Mrs. Prentice, and Mr. and Mrs. Mahan and two sons. In the evening Mrs. Taylor's oldest son, J. L. Taylor, and his wife and son, Kenneth, surprised his mother with a lovely gift and a delicious supper.

Mrs. Ray Sylvesta of Carmel, Calif., came in last week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse I. Funk, a few weeks. Her husband, Lieutenant Sylvesta, has been transferred.

Mr. and Mrs. Irison Burgess have as their guest their only daughter, Mrs. Joe Quisenberry of Alamogordo. She left for there Wednesday to join Lieutenant Quisenberry, who has been stationed at Alamogordo several months.

The Cottonwood Boy Scouts, who were at Philmont Camp, returned home Sunday night, after a delightful outing for a week.

Glenn O'Bannon returned home Saturday from his ranch in the mountains.

Sgt. and Mrs. Gene Chambers arrived last Thursday on a fifteen-day furlough from Chanute Field, Ill., to visit the sergeant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chambers.

Pfc. Willard Chandler is at home on furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chandler of this community, and his sisters in Roswell.

Dr. Rupert Pate is visiting his parents and other relatives a few days on his way to California, from where he expects to be shipped in the near future.

Pfc. Harvey Murphy, who is stationed in Texas, is on a furlough visiting his parents and friends at Lake Arthur.

Mrs. O. A. Pearson was hostess Friday morning at her lovely home on Cottonwood, honoring Misses Margaret and Alma Lane with an early-morning coffee. The Pearson home was attractive with lovely flowers gathered from the lawn. At a beautiful linen-covered table, centered with a bowl of yellow and white flowers, Miss Margaret Lane poured, while Mrs. Harold Green assisted Mrs. Pearson in serving. Those who enjoyed the coffee, besides the honorees, were Mrs. H. V. Parker, Mrs. O. B. Montgomery, Mrs. Tom Hackett of Weatherford, Tex., Mrs. E. P. Malone, Mrs. James Thigpen, Mrs. Orval Gray, and Mrs. Harold Green.

Miss Dorothy Cummins returned to her home at Lake Arthur Friday after visiting friends in Roswell ten days.

Mrs. Susie Edgerton of Artesia spent Friday night and Saturday with her brother, Basil Bobo, and family on Upper Cottonwood.

Mrs. Trooper Montgomery was in Carlsbad on business Monday. She also attended the funeral in Alamogordo Tuesday of last week of Mrs. C. M. McClellan, who formerly lived on the O'Bannon ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Riggs sold their farm on Upper Cottonwood last week to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ingram. Mr. and Mrs. Riggs plan to move to Arizona.

Mrs. Joe Bill Funk and little son, Johnnie, who were visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse I. Funk, six weeks, left Wednesday of last week for their home at El Paso.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet next Thursday at the home of Mrs. Orval Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lane and sons were visiting in Roswell Friday. Mr. Lane is postmaster at Lake Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Montgomery and son, Jimmie, had as their guests last week Mrs. Montgomery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hackett; her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Davis, and friends, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Davis, of Weatherford, Tex. Tom Hackett and the Davis families spent several days in the mountains, while Mrs. Hackett visited her daughter and family and many friends on Cottonwood. The visitors left Saturday morning for their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradley and Mrs. Bradley's father, J. P. Morgan, of Roswell and Bruce Mor-

Among the service men and women who are here or have been here visiting home folks the last week are Lt. Charles Baldwin, who left Tuesday to return to his station of training at Wilmington, N. C.; Ensign Peggy Brainard, stationed at Corpus Christi, Tex., who flew home for a brief visit; Bob Morris, seaman second class, who has just finished his boot camp training in San Diego, Calif.; Lum Richards, boatsman's mate first class; Clyde Roberts, petty officer third class, and Welby Medders, seaman first class, all from the West Coast, and Pvt. Edwin McGonagill, stationed in Mississippi.

Garland Stuart, who reported to Fort Bliss recently after having volunteered for service in the Navy several weeks ago, was assigned instead to the Army and is stationed at Fort Sill, Okla.

Mrs. Harold Crozier returned last Thursday from Indiana, where she visited her parents and others two weeks. She made the trip there and returned with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Glasser, who were called to Pennsylvania because of the illness and death of a sister.

W. F. (Perley) George, an employee at the L. P. Evans Store, is vacationing in the mountains this week at the home of a brother-in-law, Ross Anderson, and his family and friends near Weed. Mrs. George, who was left here to keep the home fires burning, went to Carlsbad Tuesday for a visit of a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Handsford Shockley, and Mr. Shockley and children. Mrs. George said she put out the fire, as she thought it hot enough at home without, unless she wished to start a little inferno on earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barr and their small daughter, Sandra, are at Longmont, Colo., spending a two-week vacation visiting Mr. Barr's father.

Mrs. G. C. Hill and sons, Glenn, Jr., and Bobby Gene, of Huntsville, Tex., and Mrs. Roy Hill and daughter, Jerry, of O'Donnell, Tex., are here visiting the children's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hill.

Lt. Harry Gilmore arrived at home Monday night from Camp Maxey, Tex., to be here until the first of next week, when Lieutenant Gilmore will report for reassignment from Anti-Aircraft to some other branch.

Pvt. Drotha Stuart who is stationed with the Marines in North Carolina left this morning after a furlough visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Stuart.

Capt. D. L. Johnson, commander of the prisoner of war camp at Artesia, returned last Thursday from Mississippi, where he spent a ten-day leave with his family.

Lt. Morris Carper and Mrs. Carper of Kansas City, Mo., are here visiting the parents of Lieutenant Carper, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carper of Loco Hills. The Carper families are planning a family picnic Sunday at the Artesia Golf Club. Lieutenant Carper is a nephew of Emery Carper, Mrs. W. H. Ballard, and Mrs. Clark Storm.

Sgt. Betty Brainard White, was here from Tuesday to Saturday of last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reed Brainard. Sergeant White is being transferred from Phoenix, Ariz., to Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga. She is visiting her husband, Lt. William White at Camp Howze, Gainesville, Tex., this week en route to Georgia.

gan of Decatur, Ky., were guests at a dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bradley. Bobby Bradley, who had been visiting his grandparents a week, returned home with his parents Sunday night.

The Rev. and Mrs. Chester Rogers of Lake Arthur returned home last Thursday from Albuquerque, where they visited their daughter and family. They were accompanied home by their son, Kenneth, who had been visiting his sister two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lamb, who visited relatives in Arkansas two weeks, returned home Wednesday of last week.

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## Rotarians Hear Setterlund Talk About Fears

The Rev. Elmer L. Setterlund, supply pastor for the First Methodist Church of Artesia, repeated before the Artesia Rotary Club members at their luncheon Tuesday the address he gave Wednesday of last week at the Lions Club meeting, in which he asked, "What Are You Afraid Of?"

He pointed out the queer mental quirks people sometimes develop early in life, by way of fear complexes, which the speaker pointed out can be overcome by faith in something greater than oneself.

Some run from their fears by moving to other localities, while others may resort to alcohol or exciting escape amusements, the speaker said, "but you can't run away from your fears."

The vast majority of fears are about things which cannot be helped, the Rev. Mr. Setterlund said, basing some statistical figures on a survey which has been made. In other words, he said, such worrying, about 92 per cent, accomplishes nothing.

Boone Barnett was the club's weekly five-minute speaker, and he spoke briefly on the new lumber conservation order.

## Firemen and Guests Enjoy Fish Fry at Station on Monday

Members of the Artesia Fire Department and their families and guests enjoyed a fish fry Monday evening on the lawn in back of the fire station and city hall Monday evening.

The fish were furnished by John Robinson, a member of the department, who claimed to have caught them—and possibly did, some of his contemporaries admitted.

## Oil Activity—

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Skelly Oil Co., Lynch 3-A, NE NW 22-17-31.

Total depth 3,768; plugged back to 2,992; shut off 7-inch casing and pulled.

Malco Refineries, Inc., Evarts 1, NW SW 20-16-31.

Total depth 2,977; running casing.

Saikin et al, Vandagriff 2, NW NW 8-18-27.

Total depth 1,188; shut down for orders.

Nash, Windfroh & Brown, Jackson 12-B, NE SE 24-17-30.

Total depth 1,997; waiting on shot.

Aston & Fair, Stevens 8-B, SE SW 25-17-30.

Drilling at 3,300.

Southern Union Gas Co., Thompson 1, NE SW 20-17-28.

Total depth 1,801; waiting on cement.

Emperor Oil Co., Puckett 10-A, SW NW 24-17-31.

Drilling at 2,715.

Texas Co., Compton 2, NW SE 17-16-31.

Drilling at 1,710.

Western Production Co., Keely 18-C, NE SW 25-17-29.

Drilling at 2,350.

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

Drilling at 2,065; slight show oil and gas at 2,040-50.

Vickers Petroleum Co., Etz 5, SE SE 19-16-31.

Drilling at 1,885.

Southern Union Gas Co., Shepard 1, SW NW 20-16-31.

Drilling at 700.

Etz Oil Co., Etz-State 8, SW NW 16-17-30.

Drilling at 1,800.

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

Drilling at 1,150.

Repolo Oil Co., Keel 2-B, SW SW 8-17-31.

Drilling at 2,000; slight show oil and gas 1,957.

Mizel & Randal, Friess 2, NW SE 19-17-31.

Drilling at 1,760.

Danciger Oil & Refining Co., Turner 13-B, SW SW 20-17-30.

Drilling at 2,027.

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

Drilling at 980.

## COL. LINELL SUFFERS BRUISES AND SHOCK

Col. F. A. Linell, who is suffering from shock and bruises as a result of a fall from a ladder while cleaning out a roof gutter at his home last week, is reported to be improved. Colonel and Mrs. Linell, who celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary last year, are both frail and much concern was held for Colonel Linell until he began to show improvement this week.

Woolen blankets so fine that one eighteen feet long can be rolled inside a bamboo pole are made in Mysore, India.


## Margaret Clowe, twin

of Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Clowe Monday by train for New Mexico City where she will enter the College for training in WAVES.

Mrs. Earl Darst and her daughter, Leon, are visiting relatives in Oklahoma. They returned to the state with Mrs. Richards, who took her mother to Kansas last week.

Clyde Dunn, pharmacist, returned to the state with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dunn, in Carlsbad and Artesia to leave today for San Diego, Calif., on transfer from the state.

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