

Guard Unit Is Given Federal Recognition

Battery C, 697th Anti-aircraft Artillery, Automatic Weapons Battalion, the newly-formed Artesia National Guard unit, was given official federal recognition Sunday evening at the Veterans Memorial Building by a party of Regular Army officers, accompanied by Brig. Gen. C. G. Sage, the assistant general of New Mexico.

Present for the inspection and recognition were the battery's officers so far appointed and 16 of the enlisted men who had been named since the announcement of formation of the unit was made about two weeks prior. The ultimate strength of the battery will be six officers and 126 enlisted men.

National Guard officers of the Artesia at Hobbs, Roswell and Lordsburg were examined by a party consisting of General Sage, Col. Claude M. Thiele, Regular Army senior ground instructor at Lordsburg, and Col. Clarence C. Rothgeb, 111th Brigade Engineer.

Officers from Artesia who were examined were Major W. C. Thompson, Jr., battalion officer;

Capt. Tom J. Pickett, commanding officer of the Artesia unit, and First Lieut. Leo F. Austin and H. D. Burch of the Artesia unit.

Inspection of the unit was conducted by Lieutenant Colonel Willette of the inspector general's department of the Fourth Army, Fort Sam Houston, Tex.

Enlisted men of Battery C present were Don Bartlett, Jimmie Blue, Don DeMars, Jerry Everett, J. R. (Bill) Hanes, Thomas B. Harwell, Jim Heald, W. A. (Dub) Hogan, Ralph Knowles, Charles Lewis, Donald Dean Pitts, Virgil Lee Standard, Garland Stuart, Raymond Frank Waters, and Ramon Douglas Woodside of Artesia, and Claude Taylor, Jr., of Lake Arthur. The 17th enlisted man who was unable to be present was Lloyd Eugene Worley.

Also here for the recognition was First Sergeant Barker of Carlsbad, who is to serve as sergeant instructor for the battalion.

The unit had its first drill period Wednesday evening at the Veterans Memorial Building, at which time Captain Pickett announced it is hoped to have uniforms shortly.

At the inspection and recognition exercises Sunday evening General Sage thanked the city and community for the interest shown in the new National Guard unit and said he hoped to see the proposed armory and warehouse construction pushed.

Captain Pickett at that time thanked the men who have enlisted and prevailed upon them to help the unit gain its full strength by talking to other young men of the community and telling them of the advantages of membership.

He announced the unit will drill every Wednesday evening.

Battery C is one of the 55 planned postwar National Guard units in New Mexico, for the enlistment in which a 60-day enlistment program is now under way, with hopes of signing up 1000 men.

The period will end Nov. 16, and Captain Pickett is anxious for the Artesia unit to enlist a number more men before that date, with hopes the ultimate strength may be attained in the near future.

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Skill Of Artesia Artists Is Shown In Business Windows

The Art Division of the Women's Club is observing "National Art Week" this year by displaying their works in various business houses in Artesia this week. Several of the artists who exhibited work last year are missing from the exhibit this year but the contributions on display are very interesting, showing the skill of many Artesia artists.

In the window of the Palace Drug Store Cecil B. Wilderson has on display three canvases. One is a bird dog with game in his mouth, another of birds in snow, and the third, a full view of a moose. Also in the window is a fish carved by hand from wood by Wilkerson. Charlotte Blass has on exhibit in the same window a large picture of Christ, kneeling, with the light from Heaven shining on Him.

Patricia Ann Robinson is displaying five art works done by her, a floral, a woodland scene, a nice picture of a cat, a well scene, and a scene of a small lake with church in background. These pictures are being shown in the J. C. Penney company window.

Charlotte Blass also has a nice desert scene there.

In the Brainard-Corbin Hardware Company window Charlotte Blass is showing her painting of a mare and colt, and also one of a dog.

A large portrayal of Oak Creek, Arizona, entitled "Summer Showers," by Mrs. Stella Glasscock, is being exhibited in the Peoples Mercantile Company window, as is a painting by Charlotte Blass of an Indian chief in full regalia. A small scenic picture of wild flowers by Mrs. J. B. Atkeson and also a wooded scene by her; a prospector and his burro in one scene and a black horse in a wooded area in another by Mrs. H. A. White are also on display there. In the window, also by Mrs. White, is a hand-carved buckboard with a man and woman seated in it and the vehicle being drawn by a horse, and another carving of a covered wagon with driver and two horses, both works being carved by hand from wood.

In Marie's, Miss Violet Robertson has two works on display, one of sun flowers, and another of a large scene of a stream. A snow scene is also being shown by Mrs. J. B. Atkeson.

Mrs. W. R. Petty has three canvases in the window of the Artesia Pharmacy, one depicting an old-fashioned well complete with chain and bucket and another of a vase of flowers. The third is (continued last page this section)

Trio Fined For Failure To Vaccinate Children

In what may develop into a test case of the New Mexico law requiring that children must be vaccinated before being permitted to go to school, three Artesia parents were fined \$50 and costs of \$5 each Saturday afternoon by Justice of the Peace J. D. Josey.

Fined were F. H. Woernel, Oscar Nichols, and Mrs. Thelma Moore, whom the state alleged had failed to cause the vaccination of their children or to produce certificates from qualified physicians to the effect that such vaccination would be detrimental to the health of the children.

The complaints were signed by Tom Mayfield, superintendent of Artesia schools.

G. T. Watts, district attorney gave the defendants five days in which to comply with the law, with the assertion that if they do not he will file similar charges on a new case.

Vernon R. Mills, principal of Central School, in which the children are registered, said this morning he has received no certificates of vaccination or of the inadvisability for vaccination from a physician in regard to any of the three children.

At the conclusion of the trial, the defendants filed intention to appeal the case and posted bonds of \$250 each.

The only witness heard was Principal Mills, who said the school system had made known to the parents the requirements under the New Mexico law, but that all had refused to comply.

He said he had been furnished certificates from Dr. Myrtle D. Harkey of Carlsbad, a chiropractor, advising against the vaccination of the children, but that the certificates did not state that such vaccination would be detrimental to their health.

District Attorney Watts pointed out that a chiropractor is not competent under the law to issue certificates exempting children from being vaccinated. He said he had sent out notices to the effect that the law must be complied with or action would be taken against the parents.

The district attorney placed in evidence the letters from Dr. Harkey.

The three defendants declined to seek legal counsel, but told their own attorneys. And none wished to take the stand. They did, however, cross-examine Principal Mills.

Woernel asked to be allowed to tell the court why he and the other defendants believe their children should not be vaccinated. However, Judge Josey informed them that it was not a matter of opinion, but rather a matter of law, in which the parents are required to do one of two things, either to produce a certificate of vaccination or a certificate from a qualified physician declaring that vaccination would be detrimental to the health of each child.

All three defendants told the court they would attempt to procure vaccination exemption certificates from qualified physicians within five days, but each declared he would not submit to the vaccination of his child.

Friday will be the fifth week-day since the trial, and it is expected that District Attorney Watts will be here on that day to determine whether the law has been complied with. If it has not, it is probable he will file similar charges again.

The district attorney indicated subsequent cases can be filed and tried so long as the law is not obeyed. He likewise said action might be taken whereby the children would be declared neglected, whereby they could be (continued last page this section)

City Notifies Property Owners Of Paving To Cost Quarter Million

Notice is being given to Artesia property owners in a legal publication in this issue of The Advocate by the City Council of a paving project on a number of streets, avenues, and alleys, the estimated cost of which is \$230,000.

According to the publication, the cost of the improvements to be assessed upon property abutting the streets, avenues, and alleys, with equitable adjustments made in the case of lots of irregular shape or of less than the usual length.

The cost of paving intersections to be assessed against the property abutting and within a half block.

Payment of the assessments is to be in 10 annual installments, the first to be within a year of the date of the ordinance levying the assessments.

The notice says the improvements are to include grading, paving and curbing the streets and alleys defined.

For the most part the improvements will be extensions of existing paving improvements.

The legal publication lists 30 streets, avenues, and alleys or portions of them upon which the improvements are to be made. These are defined in (continued last page this section)

Communitywide Religious Survey Is To Be Made

At the regular meeting of the Artesia Ministerial Alliance Monday it was decided that a communitywide religious census or survey should be made as early as feasible.

The several churches desiring to co-operate in the census will select teams of workers. The teams will meet at the First Christian Church Sunday afternoon, Nov. 30, for the first of two meetings for instruction and inspiration in the task of the canvass.

A change has been made this year in the arrangements for the annual union Thanksgiving service. The service will be on Wednesday night before Thanksgiving Day. The people of Artesia and surrounding community are asked to convene at the First Baptist Church for the service at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night, Nov. 26.

Rev. Harry M. Wilson, pastor of the First Christian Church, will deliver the sermon. The choir of the entertaining church will supply the special music for the occasion.

M'Casland Warns Drivers Using Out-State Plates

State Police Officer C. S. McCasland, who was assigned to Artesia last week, has been checking up on cars carrying licenses from out of state the operators of which are working here.

He warned that the state law requires those working in New Mexico must have New Mexico license plates and suggested that all such operators make application for plates at once.

There is a penalty for those failing to comply with the law, Officer McCasland said.

He pointed out that some of the operators who have not complied need purchase plates for only the last quarter of the year.

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The Ruidoso varsity romped on Artesia "B" squad here on Monday night in Field Friday afternoon 40-0. The NMMI Pones, complete to a "B" squad, blanketed Artesia "B" here Monday afternoon 6-0.

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The second quarter for the Bulldogs went 10 yards off tackle in the second quarter for the third touchdown.

The third quarter John Suder, Artesia back, went over the NMMI five-yard line through the line for the first half. And in the final quarter, the Bulldogs again went over the line then plunged over for the point.

Between the two Artesia touchdowns Curtis scored for the Bulldogs five.

Four of the Artesia touchdowns were set up by passing combinations of Ralph Knowles to Walter, Dan Booker, and Don (continued last page this section)

Jester Suggests Wainwright Head Good-Will Trip

As plans for the International Good-Will Band trip to Mexico early next year by high school boys and girls from all of the United States develop, Gov. Beauford H. Jester of Texas has suggested that Gen. Jonathan Wainwright go along and head a good-will parade in Mexico City.

And Governor Jester has not only made the suggestion, but he has contacted General Wainwright with the idea, according to a letter received last week from him by E. L. Harp of Artesia, originator of the idea and general chairman of the International Good-Will Band.

As the project develops, applications are coming in more frequently from all sections of the nation, including four from one school in Wyoming, one of which is being financed by the local Rotary Club.

Governor Jester wrote to Harp, in part:

"I am sure it would be a great thrill to the people of Mexico City if General Wainwright could be (continued last page this section)

'World Community Day' Observation To Be Held Friday

"World Community Day," observed throughout the nation under the sponsorship of the National Council of Federated Church Women, will have its expression in Artesia Friday with a program at the First Christian Church, preceded by a covered luncheon for members of the Artesia Council of Church Women at 1 o'clock.

Women of the First Methodist Church will be in charge of devotions and a special program after the luncheon, during which it is planned to have discussions of the United Nations and the necessity of meeting the needs of the world through contributions.

Mrs. J. H. Walker of Artesia, president of the New Mexico Council of Church Women, who recently returned from the East, where she represented New Mexico at a conference of the National Council of Federated Church (continued last page this section)

George N. Smith Dies On Monday At Age Of 74

George Newton Smith, 74, died at 4:15 o'clock Monday afternoon at Artesia Memorial Hospital after an illness of two weeks.

Funeral services are to be from Paulin Chapel at 2 o'clock this afternoon by Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Burial will be in Woodbine Cemetery.

Mr. Smith is survived by his widow and seven children, Charlie Newton, Isham Custer, and Henry Pryde Smith and Mrs. John A. Nace, Artesia; John Lucian Smith, Merced, Calif.; Mrs. E. W. Walker, Houston, Tex., and Mrs. C. W. Gilbert, Hilmart, Calif.

There also survive Mr. Smith a brother, K. C. Smith, Cove, Ark., and two sisters, Mrs. Jim Sanders, Swink, Okla., and Mrs. D. L. Leybow, Wicks, Ark.

George Newton Smith, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, was born at Horatio, Ark., Sept. 9, 1873. In 1902 he married Fannie Sammons, and to them were born eight children, of whom the seven mentioned survive.

The family came to Artesia from De Queen, Ark., about 15 years ago.

Odum Cleared In Deaths Of Three May 27

James Odum, 31-year-old Negro, was freed on a directed verdict of not guilty in Eddy County District Court Friday afternoon from a charge of manslaughter in the death of three young people of Hope in a traffic accident 11 miles west of Artesia the night of May 27.

It had been charged that Odum, driver of a truck for the New Mexico Eastern Lumber Company, had left a heavily-loaded trailer of lumber on the highway after nightfall without the protection of flares, while he drove the truck-tractor to Artesia, after which the car carrying the three young people crashed into the trailer's rear end, causing their deaths.

They were Miss Anna Ruth Ward, 18, Miss Marynette Seeley, 17, who were killed instantly, and Le Ray Stem Teel, 21, who died during the night at Artesia Memorial Hospital from injuries.

The directed verdict of not guilty was ordered Friday by District Judge C. Roy Anderson because, he said, the state failed to prove the approximate cause of (continued last page this section)

Mrs. Howard, 79, Former Artesian, Dies Last Week

Mrs. Marion Howard, 79, of Albuquerque, for many years a resident of this community, died last Thursday in Albuquerque after a long illness.

Funeral services were from Palm Chapel in Albuquerque at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon by Rev. Ira J. Bailes. Burial was in Fairview Park Cemetery at Albuquerque. The pallbearers were six grandsons of Mrs. Howard.

She is survived by her husband and five daughters and four sons, Mrs. Glenn Sharp and Monroe Howard, Artesia; Mrs. N. B. Tolman, Mrs. D. E. Rosier, and Otis Howard, Albuquerque; Mrs. Grover James, Norman, Tex.; Mrs. A. J. Conn, Clayton, Calif.; Jim Howard, Corpus Christi, Tex., and Robert Howard, Paocima, Calif.

Also surviving Mrs. Howard are 39 grandchildren and 35 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Howard was born in Texas Aug. 17, 1868, and came here from Oklahoma about 40 years ago.

She and Mr. Howard lived in this community until about five years ago when they moved to Albuquerque.

Attending the funeral services from Artesia were Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard and son, Floyd. They were accompanied by a granddaughter of Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Donald Vaughn, and Mr. Vaughn and their son of Carlsbad.

Marion Howard accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard home from Albuquerque, to be here for an extended visit.

New Production Is At Standstill; Three Wells Dry

New production in the Eddy County oil fields was at a standstill this week, as all three well completions were reported as being plugged and abandoned.

However, during the week three new locations were made: Stanley L. Jones, Page-State 1, SE SE 14-18-27; E. J. McCurdy et al, Heard 2, SW SW 35-16-29; J. E. Beddingfield, State 1-B, SW SW 36-17-27.

The wells which were plugged and abandoned:

Malco Refineries, Inc., Wills 1, NE SW 4-21-24; total depth 3940 feet.

Sam Sanders, G. Riggs 1, SE NW 3-21-24; total depth 945 feet.

Sam Sanders, E. Riggs 1, SW NE 3-21-24; total depth 983 feet.

Drilling Report

Leonard Oil Co., State 8, SE SE 21-17-29.

Total depth 4211; plugged back to 3307; testing.

Byrd-Frost & English, Daugherty 4, SE SW 3-17-27.

Total depth 2061; testing on pump.

Southern Union Gas Co., Elliott 1, SW SW 24-18-23.

Drilling at 2920.

Paton Bros., Brainard 1, SE NW 6-18-27.

Total depth 1875; testing.

Richfield et al, Trigg 1-A, SE SW 35-14-27, granite test northeast (continued last page this section)

Municipal Band Gives Concert Here On Sunday

The Artesia municipal band presented a concert Sunday afternoon in the auditorium of Artesia High School under the direction of Franklyn L. Witlse to a small but appreciative audience.

The concert was a follow-up on the series of concerts given during the summer months. The next planned concert will be during the Christmas season.

Everett Shortt, who succeeded Conductor Witlse as high school instrumental music instructor and band director, took the baton for one of the numbers as an introduction (continued last page this section)

Legal Publication Causes Cutting Down News Type

A number of news stories and items of current interest, which were intended for this issue, have been purposely held back or killed in order to give the lino-type operator a bit of a deserving break and a chance to get a little sleep.

The legal publication in regard to paving, which covers more than a page of this issue, kept the operator up until midnight the last two nights and, by necessity, some of the other employes last night.

The amount of copy in the publication would require five to six hours of an operator's time to set, were it straight news matter. But because of the extreme accuracy required, the many names involved, and the special spacing, the time consumed was more than twice that amount, causing the type setting to be more than a day behind, in spite of late hours.

Some of the stories held back will appear next week.

Ward And Roden Named Directors Of County Club

J. S. Ward and J. R. Roden were elected directors of the Artesia Country Club for terms of three years at the first annual banquet of the club since its founding, held Saturday evening at the Masonic Temple.

A turkey dinner was served to about 100 members of the club and their families, after which a short social hour was enjoyed.

Fred Cole told of the founding of the Artesia Country Club, which is not the old Artesia Golf Club under a new name, but rather is its successor. He reviewed the history of the old club over the years and then told of the idea of a group to form a country club, in the organization of which members of the former group became members of the latter.

Stanley Carper, president of the Artesia Country Club, presided as toastmaster.

He expressed thanks to the members of the club who have made it possible during the year to develop one of the finest grass-green golf courses in the Southwest and who otherwise have assisted in the project.

Artesia Stores Will Close Next Tuesday For Armistice Day

Artesia stores will be closed next Tuesday in observance of Armistice Day, in keeping with the action taken some months ago by the retail merchants' committee of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce.

A number of persons—more of them employes than employers—had hoped the community would observe the holiday both Monday and Tuesday.

But it has been pointed out that perhaps the opening of the deer season Monday has something to do with it. However, the stores will be open that day, even if some of the bosses and employes are missing.

Nimrods Are Taking To Hills This Week For Deer Season Nov. 10-21

The annual trek to the mountains has started, while dozens of other hunters seeking deer and turkey are getting their guns and duffel ready for the regular season, which will open at sunrise Monday and close at sunset Friday, Nov. 21.

A few red hats and shirts have been seen on the streets of Artesia this week, as anxious hunters have been hurrying their departure. The numbers are expected to increase greatly by Friday afternoon, with carload after carload of nimrods taking off for the hills, some of them to camp out and rough it, others to seek the greater comfort of cabins.

With Armistice Day coming next Tuesday, many plan to take advantage of the three-day weekend, who otherwise might not have gone hunting.

As the opening date of the big game season approaches, some of the more woods-wise hunters again have been stressing that everything which moves is not a deer, and that every deer which moves is not a buck. In some areas, it will be permitted to take doe deer, provided the hunters have special permits. All other hunters will be expected to stay out of those areas.

One such area, the closest to Artesia, is the West Sacramento management area, for which 400 permits were issued, for either doe or buck deer. A number of local hunters were fortunate in coming out of the permit drawing (continued last page this section)

Mrs. Whitney Is President New Loco Hills PTA

An organization meeting for the Loco Hills Parent-Teacher Association, at which officers were elected, was held at Loco Hills School last Thursday evening, with members of the Central School Parent-Teacher Association of Artesia assisting.

Mrs. John A. Mathis, Jr., president of the Artesia group conducted the meeting and conducted the election, at which Mrs. K. C. Whitney was named president of the Loco Hills PTA.

Others elected to serve with her: First vice president, Mrs. John Stulting; second vice president, Mrs. J. Roy Haynes; secretary, Mrs. Earl Smith; treasurer, Mrs. W. R. McClendon.

The new officers were installed by Mrs. Mathis in a simple but impressive ceremony.

Mrs. Mathis brought best wishes to the new PTA organization from the district convention held in Roswell Tuesday last week.

Mrs. C. L. Miller of Artesia gave an interesting talk, and Rev. J. R. Haynes read the proposed by-laws, which, after some changes, were adopted.

At the conclusion of the business session a social hour was enjoyed.

It was announced the next meeting will be held Friday, Nov. 21, at the school.

Prince Zogi, Noted Magician, To Play Here Wednesday, Sponsored by Lions

Prince Zogi, noted magician, is to appear in the Artesia High School auditorium for matinee and night performances next Wednesday under the auspices of the Artesia Lions Club.

The matinee is scheduled to start at 3:45 o'clock and the evening performance at 8 o'clock.

Prince Zogi, disciple of the master, Houdini, after 22 years of experience and travel in which he has met and associated with the most renowned mystics and magicians, is proclaimed by many to excel even the immortal Houdini himself.

Zogi brings with him \$25,000 worth of equipment—gorgeous gowns, settings and other properties necessary in producing the amazing acts which will astound everyone attending his showings, among them the sensational Houdini trunk mystery.

The prince began his meteoric career as a magician as a helper to Houdini in New York City 22 years ago. He showed such aptitude and studied so conscientiously (continued last page this section)

Many Baptists Attend Confab

More than 1000 persons, including many from Artesia, were present at the New Mexico Baptist convention held in Roswell Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of last week, at which Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Artesia, was chairman of the nominating committee, and Fred Cole, vice president of the State Brotherhood organization, was toastmaster at the annual banquet held in Ingalls Memorial Hall Tuesday evening.

Artesia visitors adding to the record attendance at the convention were Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Morgan, Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mann, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Beene, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Boyce, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley (continued last page this section)

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Unselfish Service

AS A PEOPLE it now begins to appear that we have become more liberal and more generous but we can't help but wonder as individuals whether we haven't and aren't becoming more selfish.

We used to be more neighborly, more friendly, and had more time for our friends. Today we have little time for anyone including ourselves. And today we are more inclined to measure things and to check things on the basis of what they mean to us personally rather than on the basis of whether they mean anything to our communities.

We used to be willing to consider things on the basis of their merit and on the basis of whether they would aid and help our community and some definite movement in our community. We don't do that today.

If you will observe and watch various groups, you will know what we mean. For instance check the resolutions or the recommendations made by some profession at its state convention. A careful check will show these groups are seeking something for themselves rather than for their state. It will show they are desirous of grabbing all funds to promote only their profession or their particular program—they are unconcerned about the rest of the groups in the state.

We don't consider things any more on the basis of the whole good of our community—no, we check them on the basis of how much good they can do us.

The same greed and selfishness, which we find among individuals and among groups, also prevails in our legislative bodies, state and national.

On the whole the individuals supposedly representing the people aren't concerned about the citizens and the taxpayers but they are very much concerned about their own interests and the interests of their political party; their political friends; or their personal friends.

They judge things on this basis rather than on the basis of value or merit.

We believe this is more and more apparent in the American Congress. We are firmly convinced that far too many members of Congress, representatives and senators, are so busy with their own personal interests; the interests of their personal and political friends; and seeking either to promote themselves or some of their political friends, they actually haven't time to devote to the problems of the nation.

They are permitting personal credit; personal glory; their own political welfare and their own personal greeds, desires and ambitions to determine what they will and won't do. And so when a question, which concerns and involves the more than one hundred and forty million people in the nation they have never the time or the interest to act on the matter.

The result is that our Congress instead of devoting time to things, which matter, we find them devoting time only to the affairs of their political party or their personal friends.

And when our governing body reaches that point; when it is willing to sacrifice the welfare of the nation for the benefit of party or individual—we are treading on dangerous ground.

All of us need to take a new view of the situation. All of us need to realize these are some things, which come first, and that this is not the welfare of our party.

We need to remove greed and selfishness from our hearts, become concerned about our country and do a little work for it rather than devoting so much of our time, efforts, and energy to our own personal affairs.

Yes, a lot of us need to place America first and when we do we personally will benefit far greater than we do when we judge and determine all things on the basis of what they can mean to us personally.—O.E.P.

Just Another Soviet

IT IS MIGHTY FINE to want to help other nations from a humanitarian standpoint and to protect them from a Communist threat as a buffer between Soviet Russia and the United States.

But it is poor politics and poor economy to give away or loan generously to nations that do not appreciate the gifts or loans and which are in no appreciable way made buffers through such actions.

A bunch of obsolete Spitfires loaned to Greece and Turkey out of British surplus equipment with the consent of the American State Department, which is headed by a former great soldier and general, George Marshall, doesn't make much sense, especially when we allow our own

Air Forces to dwindle to little more than a token branch of the service.

When he was a general, Marshall was known to have good military sense and to be a tough hombre. He surely knew that in order to battle successfully against a well-equipped enemy force that it is necessary to be well equipped yourself.

During the war General Marshall undoubtedly was one of the leaders who demanded the newest and latest in equipment and an ever-increasing list of new developments, pitting them against the best the enemy could produce.

It was always more and better equipment which was needed.

So today Turkey and Greece are equipped to defend themselves against Communism with Spitfires, grand weapons when they were first introduced, but far behind the latest developments—surely far behind what Russia has developed behind her iron curtain.

And if Turkey and Greece are not better equipped, they are of little use as buffer states, throwing it right back on us, sitting here talking, loafing, giving—but not building or developing.

It is true there are a number of hush-hush projects going on, among them those at the White Sands, in the Sandias, and at Los Alamos.

But no matter what all comes out of those projects, we must have a U.S. Air Force second to none in strength and modernness.

We certainly need to pour millions into those research projects, but we need likewise to pour millions into the building of the latest things they have developed, so as to have them ready, and into the latest in military airplanes of all types. And then when newer and better developments are made, we need to pour still more millions into their production.

It is far better to spend money wisely, even though it hurts to do so, than to spend not enough and become a second-rate power, a nation which will not have time to prepare the next time, a nation which stands a chance of becoming just one of the Soviets of a worldwide government.—A.L.B.

More Screening

THE DEMANDS for contributions, gifts, and donations for all causes is rapidly growing to such a point that business and professional men and citizens are no longer able to cope with the situation.

It is true, of course, that we have taken a greater interest in many things. We are seeking to do more things and to aid and help on more causes. Yet the fact also remains that the drives and campaigns for funds is reaching the point where all of these are going to suffer, the good with the bad, if we do not halt some of them.

It begins to appear that we are going to have to do a screening job—that is eliminate the necessary from the unnecessary and call a halt on some of them.

There is no doubt in our mind that many of these are needed and they are necessary. They are all fine but sooner or later we must work out other ways and means rather than by direct donations. We must find ways and means to finance these programs or these undertakings without going out to ask the public to donate and to contribute to the causes.

It has reached the point now where there is some sort of drive or campaign each week. We do not question the merit of the cause but we do question the ability of business and professional people as well as citizens to continue to give and give and give.

Sooner or later those causes, which depend directly on the outright gifts and donations of the public, are going to suffer because of these many campaigns. The public is going to reach the point where they limit their gifts and make them so small or refuse to give altogether.

It begins to appear it is going to be necessary for each and every community to set up its own committee to check, investigate, and screen these causes. It will then be the committee's responsibility to approve or disapprove of the campaigns and to make their recommendations to the public.

Those, who make these drives, don't like to beg money. Those, contacted, as a rule don't like to refuse. But there always comes a time when there is a limit and seemingly we have about reached that limit on outright donations and gifts to many, many causes, which are now being imposed on the people.—O.E.P.

Prizes For Lights

WE ARE DELIGHTED that the business section of Artesia will be gay with Christmas lights during the Yule season for the first time since 1941.

There was a trend last year towards outdoor decorations by individuals at homes, and we hope that the idea will grow more this year, approaching or surpassing the Christmas decorations of years past.

In order to add a little competition and to recognize in some small way the efforts of those who do the best jobs, we would suggest that some organization offer small prizes, not by way of compensation for time and money spent, but by way of making everyone try just a little harder in order to win a pat on the back.—A.L.B.

We're Growing Up

THE NATIONAL GUARD unit here is started and it is hoped it will be built up to its top strength within the near future.

It is something of which we should be proud, for the mere fact that Artesia has been given a unit shows that we have grown up to the place where we are big enough and deserving enough.

As time goes on and we get a warehouse and armory for the National Guard, we will be on a par with any other city in the state in that respect.

It is just another manifestation that Artesia is growing and is being recognized.—A.L.B.

A 13-year-old Tennessee girl posed as 19. Probably just what she'll be doing when she is thirty-five.—Amarillo Daily News.

The fellow who used to put in his two cents worth now has to dig up a nickel.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

As Artesia Grows

TWENTY YEARS AGO
 (From The Advocate files for Nov. 3, 1927)

Pior's Service Station was offering specials for the opening of the first, the oldest, and the newest, service station in Artesia.

About 54 pairs of Chinese pheasants were planted in the Pecos Valley to insure better hunting.

The Rebekahs, dressed in ghoulish raiments, made a surprise visit to the Odd Fellows meeting. A hilarious party followed.

A Roswell girl, Vonecil Viking, started on a coast-to-coast trot, on her horse, "Broadway," to prove to the world the girl of that day was harder than the girls were 40 years ago.

TEN YEARS AGO

(From The Advocate files for Nov. 4, 1927)

The Fun Lovers Club gave a Halloween dance at the high school gymnasium.

Hope was harvesting a big apple crop.

Dempsey was preparing for a swing around New Mexico. Hope and Artesia were on his route.

Hunters home from the hills with their bucks were Dr. H. A. Stroup, Ray Bartlett, and L. E. Folkner.

Artesia was known as the "Gateway to the Sacramento Mountains."

Checks To Vets Attending School Are Rushed Out

Veterans attending school in New Mexico under the GI Bill will receive their federal subsistence checks "on time," Gene A. Robens, manager of the state VA regional office in Albuquerque, announced.

By "on time" VA explained that checks for approximately 6500 veterans attending New Mexico institutions were to be in the mails by Nov. 1 or within two or three days except in unusual cases involving incomplete records. Students who have transferred from other states will be subjected to some delay until their records are transferred, it was said.

Payments to more than 5500 students have already been certified and checks were mailed Oct. 31. Another 1000 claims were being processed and checks are being mailed at the rate of 150 a day.

Students are cautioned against premature inquiries in the event their checks are delayed. In an attempt to expedite payment a Veterans Administration representative will visit New Mexico campuses the second week in November to assist veterans whose checks have been delayed.

New Books Available At Public Auction Now, Mrs. Hartell Announces

New books now available at the Artesia Public Library, as announced by Mrs. Nellie Hartell, librarian:

This Pounding Wheel, Garth Hale; Whirlwind in Petticoats, Beril Becker; Yankee Trader, Stanley Morton; The Disinherited, Margaret Nicholas; The Years of the Locust, Loula Erdman; Gus the Great, Thomas Duncan.

The Lardners and the Laurels, Sheila Kay-Smith; Hour of Nightfall, Myron Brinig; Wicked Uncle, Patricia Wentworth; Proud Destiny, Lion Feuchtwanger; Nothing So Strange, James Hilton; Julie, Ruth Babcock; Way of Life, A. Hamilton Gibbs.

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TOY CIRCUS BENEFIT—Children of Harvey, Ill., inspect a miniature street carnival, after paying admissions into a fund for Dale Richey, whose burned legs were amputated.

Rierson Gives Hunting Season Safety Reminders

"Whether you're hunting strictly for sport or trying to balance the grocery budget, it pays to be careful," says County Agent Dallas Rierson. "Each year the hunting season brings a multitude of deaths and injuries. Remember the extra precaution you take may save a life—and that life may be your own."

A recent survey of 1946 hunting accidents reveals that three causes—humans in the line of fire, mistaking humans for game, and hunting with the safety catch off—lead to almost two-thirds of the accidents, Rierson says.

Rierson also gives the following precautions for a happy hunting season: Keep gun unloaded in the home, car, or camp. Keep safety on at all times. Hold the gun with muzzle pointed away from your body and other people.

Don't rest muzzle on foot or in croch of arm. Make sure that humans are clearly out of line of fire. Don't mistake humans for game—in other words, don't be "trigger happy."

Exercise care in loading and unloading. Place gun securely so there is no danger of falling. Walk carefully to avoid tripping, slipping, or falling.

When passing through fences, hedges or obstructions, place the gun through first with muzzle pointed down and away from your body and others.

Drivers Bet Big Odds To Save One Minute, Statistics Reveal

The reckless driver who takes a chance to save one minute of time gambles his life at seventeen-million-to-one-odds—a bet which no sane gambler would take.

The odds, worked out by insurance actuaries and passed on by the National Conservation Bureau, accident prevention division of the Association of Casualty and Surety Companies, are based on life expectancy tables which show that the average man of 35 has 17,000,000 minutes to live. The minute saved by carelessness and reckless driving just isn't worth the gamble, the Bureau added.

Esterbrook, the universal, inexpensive students' fountain pen. Variety of points.—Advocate Office Supply.

'Common Cold' Gets Blame For Biggest Loss Of Work Time

Winter months again bring the reminder that the "common cold" is actually a serious disease that is responsible for the loss of more time on the job and more hours in the classroom than any other single cause, adults and children are warned by the National Conservation Bureau, accident prevention division of the Association of Casualty and Surety Companies.

Competent medical authorities say the danger of colds may be greatly reduced by avoiding excessive room temperatures and having adequate ventilation in wintertime, the bureau said. Drafts should be avoided, however.

Steer clear of persons already infected, and protect others by covering snuffles, coughs, and sneezes with a handkerchief.

Plenty of sleep is one of the best defenses against colds, the bureau said. But if a cold is caught, fight it by resting indoors, keeping warm and drinking plenty of liquids. If the condition is serious, see a physician at once.

Bond Purchases In New Mexico Falling Behind

New Mexicans have reached only 67.2 per cent of their annual goal of \$15,000,000 invested in U.S. Savings Bonds for the calendar year.

On Oct. 1, \$10,485,510 had been invested in Series E, F, and G Bonds, the bonds office has announced. For the remaining quarter of the year, citizens of this state must invest an average of \$1,524,000 a month in order to reach the annual goal assigned. This is \$100,000 more than in January, the month with the highest total of the year.

There are prospects of the highest annual income in history for residents of New Mexico. This is indicated by large bank deposits, receipts from farm marketings of \$150,000,000 up from \$120,000,000 in 1946, and a high rate of employment at high wages.

"It is important to the financial stability of the state that a part of this high income be invested in U.S. Savings Bonds now," said

L. B. Feather, cochairman for Eddy County.

"A backlog of savings invested in Savings Bonds, with a guaranteed redemption value at more than the purchase price, will provide a cushion against a possible decline in income. New Mexicans can, by holding War and Savings Bonds, receive their share of the interest on the public debt, and at the same time hold reserves against unforeseen future emergencies."

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 Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.
 "Adam and Fallen Man" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Nov. 9.

The Golden Text is: "Ye were sometimes darkness, but now are ye light in the Lord; walk as children of light."—(Ephesians 6:8.)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "And when he was demanded of the Pharisees, when the kingdom of God should come, he answered them and said, The kingdom of God cometh not with observation: Neither shall they say, Lo here! or, lo there! for, behold, the kingdom of God is within you."—(Luke 17:20,21.)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "When speaking of God's children, not the children of men, Jesus said, 'The kingdom of God is within you'; that is, Truth and Love reign in the real man, showing that man in God's image is unfallen and eternal."—(Page 476.)

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DECLARATION OF THE CARLSBAD UNDERGROUND WATER BASIN, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

WHEREAS, Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931 declares that the waters of the underground streams, channels, artesian basins, reservoirs or lakes, having reasonably ascertainable boundaries, are public waters subject to appropriation for beneficial use in accordance with the statutes and with rules and regulations formulated by the State Engineer of New Mexico, and

WHEREAS, there has been found to exist an underground basin in Eddy County, New Mexico, the boundaries of which have been reasonably ascertained and described, and

WHEREAS, rules, regulations, fees and forms have been adopted by the State Engineer by means of which appropriations of underground water may be made and declarations of old rights may be filed,

THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the lands included within the following described boundaries comprise and include an underground water basin sub-

ject to the provisions of the underground water law:

Beginning at the northwest corner of Section 30, Township 20 South, Range 26 East; thence southerly along township line to the southwest corner of said township; thence westerly along the Fourth Standard Parallel South to the northwest corner of Township 21 South, Range 25 East; thence southerly along section line to the southwest corner of Section 13, of said township; thence southerly along township lines to the southwest corner of Township 24 South, Range 26 East; thence easterly along township lines to the southeast corner of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 29 East; thence northerly along section lines to the northeast corner of Section 3, Township 23 South, Range 29 East; thence westerly along township line to the northwest corner of said township; thence northerly along township line to the northeast corner of Township 22 South, Range 23 East; thence westerly along township line to the northwest corner of said township; thence northerly along the township line to the northeast corner of Township 21 South, Range 27 East; thence westerly along the Fourth Standard Parallel South to the southeast corner of Township 20 South, Range 27 East; thence northerly along the township line to the northeast corner of Section 25 thereof; thence westerly along section lines to the point of beginning, all in Eddy County, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand and the official seal of my office this 16th day of October, A. D., 1947.
John H. Bliss,
State Engineer

(SEAL) 44-31-46

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF D. E. BUCKLES, Deceased.

No. 10242
NOTICE OF HEARING OF PROOF OF AN INSTRUMENT PURPORTING TO BE THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF D. E. BUCKLES, Deceased.

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO:

Chester R. Buckles, Mahomet, Illinois, R. C. Buckles, Troy, Ohio, and the unknown heirs of D. E. Buckles, Deceased:

Notice is hereby given that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of D. E. Buckles, deceased has been filed for probate in the Office of the District Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico; that by order of this Court the 17th day of November, 1947, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. at the Court room of the District Court in the City of Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, is the day, time and place set and fixed for the hearing of proof of said Will and Testament.

WHEREFORE any person or persons wishing to object to the probating of said Last Will and Testament are hereby notified to file any objections in the office of the District Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the aforesaid time of hearing.

G. U. McCrary, whose post office address is Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, is attorney for said estate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico.

Marguerite E. Waller,
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No. 10239
NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT
STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Andrew Nicolson, deceased, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to wit: Andrew Nicolson, deceased; Unknown heirs of Andrew Nicolson, deceased; the following named persons by name, if living, if deceased their unknown heirs, Curtis S. Ivey, Jesse J. Williamson; James S. Venable, also known as J. S. Venable; William Crandall; Margaret Crandall; Earl Crandall; Wm. Meeks, also known as William Meeks; C. C. Nicolson; Sue Hatcher; and W. H. Nicolson, Administrator of the Estate of Andrew Nicolson, if living, if deceased,

The Unknown Successors of W. H. Nicolson, deceased; and all Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to the Estate of the Plaintiff, GREETING: You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you, and each of you, by Atilano Reyes, also known as Alinano Reyes, as plaintiff, in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Eddy, that being the Court in which said cause is pending, and being Cause No. 10239, the general object of said suit being to quiet and set at rest plaintiff's title in fee simple in and to the following described property situated in Eddy County, State of New Mexico, to wit: Lots 14 and 16, Block 17, Artesia Heights Addition to the City of Artesia, New Mexico. The plaintiff's attorney is Donald S. Bush, whose office is in the Booker Building, Artesia, New Mexico. You, and each of you, are

hereby further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 30th day of November, 1947, judgment will be rendered against you in said cause by default.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court this 15th day of October, 1947.
Marguerite E. Waller,

Clerk of the District Court.
By Harriet R. Ramsey, Deputy.
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He'll need to develop that spiritual fiber which will do for his character what the first pair of shoes did for the king's feet. A man can't carpet the whole world—but he can acquire the faith and courage which will enable him to climb life's most rugged trails.

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SOCIETY

Miss Muriel Roach Becomes Bride Of Barney Green, Jr., Last Thursday

Miss Muriel Roach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roach, and Barney E. Green, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Green, were married in Carlsbad last Thursday evening in the Methodist parsonage. Rev. L. B. Thom officiated.

The bride wore a lovely beige afternoon suit with black accessories. She had a shoulder corsage of pink carnations. In keeping with the old tradition, she wore old shoes, a new ensemble, borrowed earrings, a blue garter, and a penny in her shoe for luck.

The best man and maid of honor were Dallas McCasland and Irene Roach, a sister of the bride. Miss Roach wore a blue fall suit with red accessories and a corsage of red carnations. Assisting them were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brock.

Mrs. Green is a graduate of the 1947 class of Artesia High School. She has lived in this community a number of years.

Mr. Green has lived here a number of years also. He served in the Navy during World War II and then returned to Artesia to go into business with his father in the Green & Son Grocery.

The couple left Monday for points of interest at Las Cruces and Albuquerque. They will make their home in Artesia.

Women's Golf Club Is Host To Visitors From Carlsbad Group

The Women's Golf Club was host to 12 visitors from Carlsbad at a luncheon Wednesday afternoon of last week.

The women met in the morning and played off some matches, then continued with their games after the luncheon.

On a return invitation, members of the Artesia club left early this morning to spend the day with the Carlsbad club.

Mrs. Tony King Is Honored At Shower Monday

Mrs. Tony King, a recent bride, was honored at a miscellaneous shower Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Sam Stewart.

The many gifts were arranged on a lace-laid table which was centered by a miniature honeymoon cottage with blue shutters and roof. The little winding walk led the way through miniature shrubs. The garden was made from shaded chrysanthemums set in a crystal ring which surrounded the house. A scroll, which read, "Tony and Dulcie, No. 10, Honeymoon Lane," was mounted on a satin covered bowl flanked by white tapers behind the cottage. The chrysanthemums were placed in strategic places around the house to complete the scheme.

As a special treat to the honoree each guest embroidered her name on a towel.

The guests were Meses. Bert Shipp, Boone Barnett, Homer Borland, Leland Borland, Bert Bidwell, Johnny Conner, and W. J. McCasland, and Miss Pat Robinson.

Those who sent gifts were Mrs. J. U. McCrory, Miss Pat Watson, Miss June E. McDorman, and Mrs. Bill Phillips, Jr.

Mrs. Stewart served delightful refreshments after the honoree had opened the lovely and useful gifts.

The Primary Department of the First Presbyterian Church held a Halloween party Wednesday afternoon of last week in the church yard.

The 25 little guests were entertained by ghost stories, dunking for apples, and other games that were more energetic.

Mrs. Aubrey Fahey, Miss Carole Hensley, Miss Pat Robinson, Mrs. Max Schultz, Jr., and Mrs. Andy Anderson served light refreshments.

Subscription for the Advocate

Second Concert Number To Be Texas Quartet

The Artesia Concert Association is bringing the Grand Opera Quartette of North Texas State College to the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, Nov. 11. This is the second in the series of concerts scheduled for Artesia.

The quartet is featuring the third act from the opera, "Faust." The remaining portion of the program presents a sparkling variety of arias, duets, and quartets from opera literature.

The numbers are: Aria, "The Shadow Song," from "Dinorah," Beverly Elaine Hess; duet, "Wanting You," from "The New Moon," Minerva Davis and Ralph Appleman; aria, "Che Gelido Manina," from "La Boheme," Robert McDonald; aria, "Mon Coeur S'ouvre a ta Voix," from "Samson et Delilah," Minerva Davis. Duet, "Will You Remember?" from "Maytime," Beverly Elaine Hess and Robert McDonald; aria, "Eri tu Che Maschiavi," from "The Masked Ball," Ralph Appleman; quartet from "Rigoletto," and the "Spinning Wheel Quartet," from "Martha."

Admission will be by season membership only.

Reception Held At Church For Rev., Mrs. Wilson

Members of the Women's Council of the First Christian Church gave a reception for Rev. Harry Wilson, new pastor, and Mrs. Wilson Sunday afternoon in the church parlor. This reception also presented the opportunity to meet the pastors of other churches and their wives.

Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. Albert Richards, and Mrs. Nevil Muncy attended in the receiving line with Rev. and Mrs. Wilson.

The lace-covered table was centered by red and yellow button chrysanthemums. These were flanked by tall yellow tapers in crystal candleabra. Mrs. W. T. Haldeman presided at the silver tea service.

About 50 guests called during the afternoon.

Series Tickets, Including 'Alice,' To Go On Sale

Sale of season tickets for the series which will enable purchasers to attend Lewis Carroll's immortal masterpiece, "Alice in Wonderland," Nov. 15, and other productions at the high school auditorium, is now open to the public.

These tickets can be bought from Mrs. Chuck Miller or Mrs. Hugh Parry or any member of the Girl Scouts, the Story League, or Parent-Teacher Association, the sponsors of this production.

"The hold that the mad, gay tale exercises on the imagination of young and old alike was never more startlingly demonstrated than it was last season when 'Alice' was presented on Broadway," according to Clare Tree Major, owner of the production.

"For once the citizens of the theatrical capital, New York, were forced to check their sophistry at the door with their hats and coats and enter a theater for no other purpose than to be entertained.

"That they were entertained, and most joyously, and that they liked the experience, may be gathered from the fact that 'Alice' was the hit show of the season."

Mrs. Major's inspired dramatization of Carroll's famous book has delighted audiences in every state. Each time she sends it on the road, more and more adults insist on accompanying their children to the performances, proving that the appeal of this well-spring of mirth respects no barriers of age.

"Alice in Wonderland" is the first of a series of productions to be sponsored here this season by the Girl Scouts, PTA, and Story League.

Miss Martin Honored Tuesday Evening At Dinner On Birthday

Miss Catherine Martin was honored at a birthday dinner given by her mother, Mrs. Irvin Martin, Tuesday evening.

The attractively arranged table was centered by pink and yellow chrysanthemums and plastic bubbles.

Guests for the evening were Johnny B. Lanning, Shirley Sue Feather, Jerry Perry, Doris Williams, David Runyan, Elaine Frost, Dan Booker, and Irvin Martin.

After-dinner games were enjoyed by all.

J. W. Brown Of Artesia Marries Lovington Girl

Mrs. Marie Jones of Lovington and J. W. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brown, prominent residents of Artesia, were married Saturday morning in Portales. Rev. C. S. Walker of Eastern New Mexico College, Portales, officiated.

The ceremony was held at the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. J. D. Jackson.

The bride was lovely in an orchid colored wool jersey dress with a corsage of white carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Brown, brother and sister-in-law of the bridegroom, attended the couple. Mrs. Brown wore a gold suit with a corsage of white carnations.

After the ceremony an informal reception was held.

The newly-married couple left for points of interest near Roswell soon after the reception.

They will be at home in Portales at 505 South Ninth.

LA VERNE MAULDIN AND CARLTON BRATCHER TO WED

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Mauldin have announced the engagement of their daughter, La Verne, to Carlton Bratcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bratcher.

The wedding will be held in the First Baptist Church Nov. 30.

Ledger outfits, large and small, from two to 30 columns, and special bookkeeping set-ups.—Advocate Office Supply.

Mrs. Haldeman Named President Of Atoka Club

New officers for the Atoka Woman's Club were elected at an all day meeting in the home of Mrs. Paul Terry Tuesday. Mrs. S. O. Higgins was cohostess.

Mrs. W. T. Haldeman was elected president. Those elected to serve with her were Mrs. Russell Schneider, vice president; Mrs. Ralph Rogers, secretary, and Mrs. W. M. Van Horn, reporter.

Heading the menu for a covered-dish luncheon held during the noon hour was fried chicken. After the luncheon Mrs. Ralph Rogers, serving as president for the last time, called the business meeting to order and asked for reports on the progress of the plans for the annual Christmas party to be given Dec. 10 at Atoka School.

According to an old custom the hostesses were showered with many lovely and practical gifts. Members present were Meses. Ralph Rogers, Howard Gissler, Elsie Kissing, Alvin Payne, Russell Schneider, Jim Berry, Nevil Muncy, Olva Wheeler, John Rowland, W. M. Van Horn, and W. T. Haldeman.

Mrs. Donald Wolf was a guest of the club for the day.

The next regular meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Sid Wheeler in January.

Seniors Hosts At Halloween Party To School

The senior class of Artesia High School was host at an all-school Halloween party Friday evening at the little gymnasium.

The gymnasium was transformed into a barn "to give the ghosts and goblins more roaming room," said Bob Stuart, president of the seniors.

The evening was spent playing ping-pong and dancing.

Donald Carson, vice president of the senior class, told of plans that were made to have a "Truth or Consequences" game, in which the consequences would have been a chocolate pie thrown into the face of the loser, but the plans fell through because someone decided the pies were too good to throw. So they ate them!

Sponsors for the evening were Howard Miller, Miss Alyce Erickson, and Miss Alma Sue Felix.

Mrs. W. C. Thompson, Jr. Has Halloween Party For Daughter, Barbara

Mrs. W. C. Thompson, Jr., gave a Halloween party for her daughter, Barbara, last Thursday evening. She was assisted by Mrs. O. R. Gable, Jr., and Mrs. Dave Moore.

The little guests received Halloween hats and favors as they arrived at the party.

Nelson Muncy won a prize for topping the others in the games.

Guests were Betty Bullock, Linda Gates, Gwen Gable, Bobbie Sadler, Mary Yates, Maranee Moore, Nelson Muncy, Hershel Scott, and Jerry Butts.

Clement Hendricks Of Flying H Ranch Surprised On Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Hendricks were surprised at their ranch home on the Flying H Ranch last Thursday evening, when the employes of the ranch and their families came in a body and presented Mr. Hendricks a beautiful imported hat as a birthday gift.

After singing, "Happy Birthday to You," the gift was presented by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morris, Mrs. Jessie Pool, Mr. and Mrs. Chalk Norton and girls; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Finley, Mrs. S. B. Finley, Travis Maples, E. K. Traweck, Mr. and Mrs. James Oxford, Mart Prudencio, L. T. Jackson, V. L. Prudencio, James Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Teel, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Williams and girls; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Teel and Crista, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Purcella.

An enjoyable evening was spent in visiting, square dancing, and listening to music played by Harry Morris on the piano. Delicious refreshments of coffee, ice cream, and birthday cake were served by Mrs. Hendricks. Mrs. A. C. Hendricks and grandson, Waverly Duggar, were also present.

Halloween Party Is Held Friday In Oil Community

The oil field community had a costume Halloween party Friday evening, which was marked with stunts and games for young and old.

The "best costume" prizes were awarded to Mrs. Frank Marshall and Mary Ann Marshall. Nancy Risley and Austin Pennington received honorable mention.

The rhythm band made its first appearance. Alternating leaders for the occasion were Edna Pennington, Andrea Jo Melton, and Marcia Pennington.

Nancy Risley gave, "When the Folks Are All Gone," and was followed by Evelyn Marshall, who sang the, "Pumpkin Song."

The first, second, third, and fourth-grade children told about the Indians in New Mexico and the story of "Hiawatha."

Pies were auctioned off, with Doyle Pennington as auctioneer. James Francis and Ward Risley were cashiers.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Raymond Netherlands, Mrs. Foy Davis, and Mrs. Doyle Pennington.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Griffin of Albuquerque are visiting their son, Wayne Griffin, and his wife, Bishop and Mrs. W. Angie Smith of Oklahoma were guests last Thursday in the Methodist parsonage and in the Martin Yates, Jr., home.

The Methodist Church will use the organ for the first time in the Sunday morning services.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Workman and daughter, Helen, of Longton, Kan., and Grant Fiscus of Severy,

Kan., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pennell and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Workman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. "Static" Collier of Colorado City, Colo., visited Mrs. Collier's brother, Tony King, and his wife over the week end.

Mrs. Tom Bryan is in Hot Springs for medical treatments.

Wayne Bryan is home from the mountains, where he was employed by the Prince Brothers Company.

Mrs. Eddie Tanner of Detroit, Mich., was a visitor at the residence of her cousin, Rev. Harry M. Wilson, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glick M. Haigler of Monte Vista, Colo., were visitors recently at the parsonage of the First Christian Church.

Mrs. J. E. Turner returned Tuesday from Amarillo, Tex., where she has been visiting her daughter and her new granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Conner have as visitors this week Mr. Conner's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bales of Anson, Tex.

Mrs. Clarence Smith and son, Clarence, Jr., have returned home from Topeka, Kan., where they at-

tended a family reunion for the first time in eight years. They also attended the golden wedding anniversary celebration of a cousin of Mrs. Smith while there.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Clarke have returned home after a vacation trip of a week to the Grand Canyon and other places of interest in Arizona.

Frankie Wilase, son of Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn L. Wiltse, who is attending St. Michael's School in Santa Fe, was home from last Thursday to Monday, when his father took him to the capital.

THREE ARE HONORED AT REBEKAH DINNER

The Rebekahs gave a birthday dinner Monday evening at the I.O.O.F. Hall to honor Mrs. D. F. Brandell, Mrs. Beulah Jones, and Mrs. Harold Hannah.

The large crowd who attended gave the honorees seats of honor and served them in style.

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Hospital News

Miss Dorothy Brown, daughter of Mrs. J. N. Merrifield, underwent major surgery Wednesday last week.

Mrs. T. W. Howard entered the hospital last Thursday for medical attention.

Mrs. T. E. Matthews received medical attention at the hospital when she entered last Thursday.

Lloyd Downey is a medical patient at the hospital. He entered last Thursday.

Mrs. Jodie Hilliard, who entered the hospital Friday, is a medical patient.

Miss Nell Hogan underwent a major operation Saturday.

Mrs. Paul M. Ward entered the hospital Saturday.

Benny Ray Peel underwent major surgery Saturday.

Mrs. A. C. Tipps entered the hospital Sunday for medical attention.

Mrs. R. S. McCaw underwent major surgery Sunday.

Miss Jo Ann Stuart was in for major surgery Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Pool underwent minor surgery Sunday.

Mrs. Johnny Posey was a medical patient Monday.

Mrs. Bryan Savoie was a medical patient Monday.

A major operation was performed on John B. Bowman Tuesday.

Mrs. Clyde Newsom entered the hospital Tuesday.

Linda Sue is a newcomer to the M. Gacaway family. She arrived last Thursday and weighed six pounds four ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moye have six-pound girl. They named her Anna Suzann. She arrived last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jones' boy named Riley Howard. He arrived Friday and weighed eight pounds.

Velta Gay is the name given to the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Branch. She arrived Sunday and weighed seven pounds eight ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Collins have not named their boy. He arrived Tuesday, weighing seven pounds two ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Bean's baby girl also arrived Tuesday and has a name so far. She weighed six pounds eight ounces.

Jo Wayne arrived Wednesday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Miller. His weight tipped the scales at seven pounds nine ounces.

Another Wednesday baby was that of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Buckner, a daughter weighing seven pounds eight ounces. She has been named as yet.

Mayhill News

(Mrs. Alice Clayton)

The stock farmers of this section have been busy gathering livestock for sale, many of which were delivered the first few days of this month. Good prices were received for all grades of livestock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dove and daughters, Mary Edith and Edna, and John Posey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Posey, went to Hobbs last Thursday because of the illness of Mrs. Dove's brother. While their way back, a blowout caused the car to turn over twice. The only serious damage was to the car.

Mrs. Vernon Hudman visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Pitt, over the week end.

The Mayhill Girl Scouts met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Wylie Formwalt.

Mrs. Adna Scott and son, Oral, and Jackie Gilliland and Onie Clayton visited in Alamogordo Sunday.

William Gilliland, who is employed by the Forest Service, visited his sister, Mrs. Adna Scott, and family and his son, Jackie, at the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McNatt and Mrs. Minnie McNatt of Alamogordo and Frank Clayton of Duncan, Okla., visited Allen H. Clayton Sunday last week.

The school gave an interesting program last Thursday. An admission fee of 25 and 10 cents was charged, the proceeds to go to the school.

The PTA gave a Halloween party Friday evening. The guests traveled through a "Hall of Mirrors" to enter the main room, where a bingo game prevailed. A ping pong was provided for the children. The proceeds went to the PTA.

The school children went to the Baptist Church to see a film of "American Railroads" and Mickey Mouse comedy.

Leonard Ureke and Alvin Sorenson visited in Alamogordo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith visited Las Cruces Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Mr. Smith received medical treatment while there.

Pens and pencil clips available at the Advocate.

Cottonwood Items

(Mrs. Ora Buck)

Mrs. Charlie Formwalt was a substitute teacher in Cottonwood School in the absence of Mrs. Jane Pitts, who was visiting in Carlsbad.

Chester Powell of the Sacramento Mountains visited on the Cottonwood one day last week.

I. P. Johnson and Noah Buck, both of Cottonwood, were transacting business in Moriarty last week. Johnson bought a plot of land while there.

James Buck was in El Paso last week.

Norma Jo Thigpen was honored on her birthday by a Halloween party in her home on Cottonwood Saturday afternoon. Her mother, Mrs. James Thigpen, planned many "rip-roaring" games for the young guests. The honoree received many nice gifts. Light refreshments were served.

The primary room at Cottonwood School had a Halloween party Friday afternoon. The party was sponsored by the teacher, Miss Alice Morris, who served candy at the close of the party.

R. H. Trivitt and A. E. Stephens, teachers in Cottonwood School, were sponsors at a Halloween party given at the gymnasium Friday evening. Refreshments were served to a large crowd of pupils and parents.

A large crowd attended the Shrine dance at the Cottonwood gymnasium last Thursday evening. Prizes were awarded for the most original costumes. Walter Knowles and his orchestra provided the music. Light refreshments were served.

PIC Secretary Proposes Road Users Committee

Fred Linn, executive secretary of the New Mexico Petroleum Industries Committee, has proposed the creation of an advisory committee of highway users to confer with public officials and the State Highway Commission to devise a program for meeting the state's current problems in highway planning and highway finance.

"For many years the New Mexico Petroleum Industries Committee has been calling attention to the flagrant errors in our state's highway policy and to the unsound practices which are pursued in highway finance," Linn declared. "So little attention has been paid to our warnings that we have sometimes felt like the proverbial voice in the wilderness. But now at last we see a general and very pronounced awareness of these evils and of the disasters to which they can lead if they are not corrected soon."

Linn commended State Engineer Burton Dwyer "for bringing the issues of highway finance before the public, where they belong."

He said, "There is reason to believe, however, that additional tax revenue may simply be a case of pouring good money after bad. What we need in this state is to eliminate the unsound practices and policies which may be consuming highway user revenue without producing any roads. For example, the diversion of special taxes on the state's highway users to finance governmental functions unrelated to highway development certainly is neither a sound nor just practice. The only constructive way to meet this whole highway issue is to appoint a body of representative highway users to collaborate with the state highway authorities in a joint study of the entire situation.

"After all," Linn continued, "the highway users of this state are not to blame for the present situation in highway finance. They are not to blame for the enormous accumulation of road debt which now burdens our highway fund. They are not to blame for the diversion of highway user revenue to non-highway purposes, a practice in which New Mexico has long been one of the leading offenders in the nation. Nor are

the highway users to blame for the fact that our road system has been designed and built without any trace of a plan or a definite purpose."

About 10 Years Conservation In Two Days Planned

Ten years of conservation in two days is being planned for a Pennsylvania GI by the Production and Marketing Administration and other cooperating agencies.

Plans are to reconstruct the farm recently purchased by the veteran and his young wife. Soil Conservation technicians will run levels and establish contour strips and diversion ditches, stake out a farm pond, establish fence lines for hillside permanent pastures and to segregate a section of steep hillside for reforestation.

Twenty-five tractors and other pieces of earth-moving equipment will move in to construct the pond, build terraces and dikes, and clear fence rows and hedges. Lime and phosphate will be spread. Trees will be planted.

Assistance under the Agricultural Conservation Program will be made from a special allocation of funds by the county conservation committee. The conservation practices will be carried out according to program specifications.

Veterans from surrounding counties have been invited to attend the demonstration in connection with the Veteran Farm Training Program. County agricultural conservation committees from 21 counties will be given a demonstration in the use of modern earth-moving equipment.

The farm was selected because of the need for rehabilitation, as little work has been done on it for several years. It had been virtually abandoned. Crowding 10 years of conservation into two days is expected to put this farm back into production and to help the GI and his wife get a good start in conservation farming.

At the time of her death on Aug. 22, Ionia Ormsy Queen, world-famous purebred Holstein Friesian cow, had produced more milk than any cow in history. Her final official lifetime record, just released by the Holstein-Friesian Association of America, totaled 267,304 pounds of milk, the greatest production ever recorded for a single cow. Translated into quarts, that's roughly 124,327 quarts, enough to supply a family two quarts of milk a day for 170 years, 3 months, and 23 days. That's a record for any New Mexico dairyman to shoot at.

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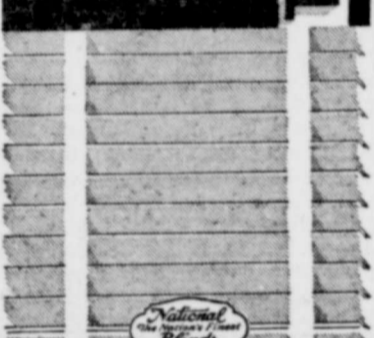
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No. 1373 NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT. THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Meryl W. Story, Wanda Story Biegel, Lewis W. Story, all unknown heirs of Lewis Story, deceased, and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon, or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent, GREETING: Notice is hereby given that Meryl W. Story, administratrix herein, has filed her Final Account and Report in this cause

and, by order of the Probate Judge of Eddy County, State of New Mexico, the 28th day of November, 1947, at the hour of 10:00 A. M., in the Court room of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, in Carlsbad, New Mexico, is the day, time and place for hearing said Final Account and Report and any objections thereto. At the same time and place, said Court will determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of his estate, the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.

Neil B. Watson, Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney for the administratrix. WITNESS MY HAND and seal of said Court on this 13th day of October, 1947. Mrs. R. A. Wilcox, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court. (SEAL)

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO. IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST

WILL AND TESTAMENT OF ALEXANDER ST. CLAIR EMMONS, DECEASED. No. 1421

NOTICE TO CREDITORS The undersigned, Mary Carter Emmons, has qualified as executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Alexander St. Clair Emmons, deceased.

All persons having claims against said decedent are hereby notified to present the same as provided by law, within six (6) months from the first publication of this Notice on the 30 day of October, 1947, or the same will be barred.

Mary Carter Emmons, Executrix 44-41-47

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO. IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THOMAS HAROLD HANCOX. No. 1424

NOTICE TO CREDITORS The undersigned, Lucille Hancox, has qualified as executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Thomas Harold Hancox, deceased.

All persons having claims against said decedent are hereby notified to present the same as provided by law, within six (6) months from the first publication of this Notice on the 30 day of October, 1947, or the same will be barred.

Lucille Hancox, Executrix 44-41-47

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA 1423-S. Santa Fe, N. M., October 17, 1947.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of October, 1947, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, T. J. Terry of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow underground waters of the Roswell Artesian Basin by drilling a well 12½ inches in diameter and approximately 300 feet in depth at a point in the NW¼NW¼NE¼ of Section 13, Township 16 South, Range 25 East, N.M.P.M., for the purpose of supplementing water from well No. RA-1423, located at a point in the NW¼NW¼NE¼ of said Section 13, for the irrigation of 200 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision: N½NE¼ Section 13, Township 16 S., Range 25 E., 80 acres; subdivision: N½NW¼ Section 13, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 55 acres; subdivision: S½NW¼ Section 18, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 65 acres. No additional rights over and above those set forth in License No. RA-1343 are contemplated under this application. Appropriation of water to be limited at all times to a maximum of 3 acrefeet per acre per annum delivered upon the land from all sources described.

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's

granting of approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the

State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be given final consideration for approval by the State Engineer on the 27 day of November, 1947. John H. Bliss, State Engineer 44-31-46

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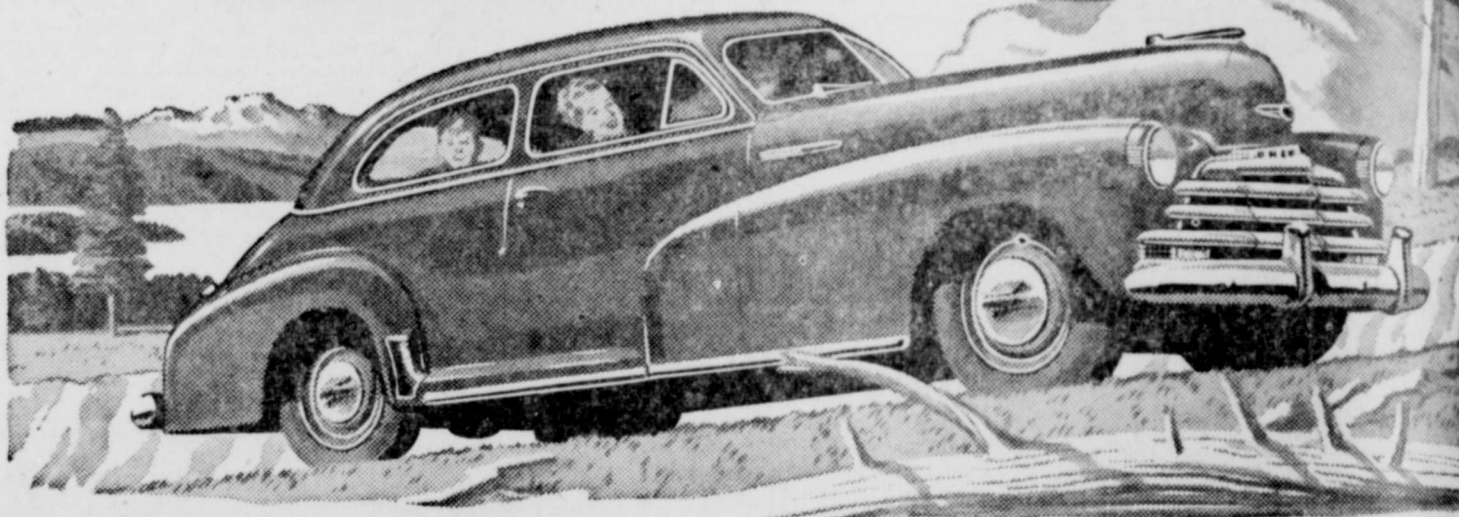
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Tuesday, Bible study, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday, Women's Missionary Council, 2 p. m.
 Thursday, evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.
 We welcome you to attend all the services.
 A. E. Kelly, Pastor

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 Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
 Worship service, 11 a. m.
 Christian Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.
 Official board meets first Tuesday of each month.

Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
 Training Unions, 6:30 p. m.
 Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.
 S. M. Morgan, pastor

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 Fifth and Quay
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 N.Y.P.S., 7:15 p. m.
 Evangelistic service, 8 p. m.
 Midweek prayer service, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.
 Young people's prayer service, Friday, 7:45 p. m.
 John W. Eppler, Pastor

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 Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Fred Jacobs, general superintendent; Mrs. I. C. Keller, secretary; Frank Smith, treasurer.
 Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.; evening worship 8 p. m.
 Epworth Youth Fellowship, 7 p. m., Dr. and Mrs. C. P. Bunch and F. L. Green, sponsors.
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 Rev. Stephen Bono, O. M. C., Assistant.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.
 Matilda N. Bogart, Plaintiff, vs. Wilburn O. Bogart, Jr., Defendant.
 No. 10246
SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT
 THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO: Wilburn O. Bogart Jr., Defendant, GREETING:
 You are hereby notified that the above styled and numbered cause is now pending against you in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein Matilda N. Bogart is plaintiff and you, the said Wilburn O. Bogart, Jr., are defendant.
 You are further notified that the general objects of the action are to obtain a divorce from you and to obtain an Order of the Court awarding the custody of John Shelton Bogart and Virginia Anne Bogart, the minor children of you and Matilda N. Bogart, to the plaintiff, Matilda N. Bogart.
 You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in this cause on or before the 8 day of December, 1947, judgment

by default will be entered against you.
 Donald S. Bush, of Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney for plaintiff.
 WITNESS my hand and the seal of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, this 16 day of Oct., 1947.
 Marguerite E. Waller,
 Clerk of the District Court.
 By Harriet R. Ramsey,
 Deputy.
 (SEAL) 43-41-46

and G. W. Hill, and said George Conner will not be responsible for any obligations of said partnership created prior to said date.
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 Anderson F. Willis, Pastor

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 Sunday school, 10 a. m.
 Preaching service, 11 a. m.
 Training Union, 6 p. m.
 Evening preaching, 7 p. m.
 Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p. m.
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 L. M. Blankenship, Supt.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Seventh and Grand
 Sunday
 Bible study, 10 a. m.
 Preaching, 10:50 a. m.
 Evening service, 7 p. m.
 Wednesday
 Ladies' Bible class, 3 p. m.
 Mid-week service, 7 p. m.
 Robert A. Waller, Evangelist

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 Fourth and Grand
 Church school, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Senior Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.
 Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
 Women's Association, first and third Thursday, 2:30 p. m.
 Reverend Paul L. Brown, Minister

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 Corner Grand and Roselawn
 Bible school, 9:45 a. m.

CHURCH OF GOD
 Seventh and Chisum
 Sunday school, 10 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Evening services, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
 Young People's Endeavor, Friday, 7:30 p. m.
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 Cottonwood
 Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday.
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 Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday.
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 Worship service, 11 a. m. first and third Sundays.
 Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. each Sunday.
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 Sunday school services. Hirzo Marquez, superintendent, 10 a. m.
 Preaching, sermon by pastor, 11 a. m.
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 Mid-week service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

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 Church school, 9:45 a. m.
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 Rev. Jos. H. Harvey, Vicar

SPANISH-AMERICAN METHODIST CHURCH
 North Mexican Hill
 Sunday school, every Sunday at 10 a. m. Mrs. Lucinda H. Martinez, superintendent.
 Preaching service, every other Sunday at 11 a. m. by the pastor.
 The pastor also will be in Artesia the second Wednesday in

each month to visit members and friends, and there will be a service on the same night at 7:30 o'clock in the church.
 We ask all members and friends to please take notice of the new schedule of services. The public and all visitors are welcome to our services, which are all in Spanish.
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New Production-

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of Lake Arthur. Drilling at 6394.

Stanley L. Jones, North-State 1, SW NE 23-18-27. Total depth 2035; waiting on cement on squeeze job.

Forrest E. Levers, Levers 7-B, SE NE 34-16-29. Drilling at 2570.

E. J. McCurdy, Heard 1, NW SW 35-16-29. Total depth 2655; swabbing.

Malco Refining Co., Inc., Harbold 11, NE NW 35-17-27. Total depth 1635; testing.

Nash, Windfohr & Brown, Gissler 9-B, SE NW 11-17-30. Total depth 3003; testing.

Flynn, Welch & Yates, State 82, SE NW 27-18-28. Drilling at 2815.

R. W. Fair, Bowers 1-B, NW NE 29-19-27. Drilling at 1570.

Martin Yates, Jr., et al, Kaiser 1, NE NE 18-18-27. Drilling at 1370.

Western Production Co., Green 4-A, NE SE 29-17-29. Total depth 3384; bridged back to 2666; testing after acid.

Sanders & Nunn, Hightower 1, SE NE 20-17-27. Total depth 2056; plugged back to 2023; preparing to treat.

Premier Petroleum Corp., Beeson 12, SW SW 31-17-30. Drilling at 2917.

John Dublin, State 3-B, NW NE 3-17-29. Drilling at 1420.

Flynn, Welch & Yates, Dunn 7-B, NE SW 10-18-28. Drilling at 840.

Suppes & Suppes, Johnson 1 Unit 56, SE NE 33-16-31. Drilling at 2201.

American Republics Corp., Robinson 12-A, NE NE 34-17-29. Drilling at 2324.

Danciger Oil & Refining Co., Turner 26-B, NW SW 20-17-31. Drilling at 1305.

Skelly Oil Co., Lea 6-A, SW NW 23-17-31. Drilling at 2190.

George Turner, State 1, SW NE 21-20-28. Drilling at 815.

Harris Eastham, Jr., Hargraves 5, NE NW 15-20-30. Drilling at 870.

Neil Willis, Keyes 7-C, SE NW 15-20-30. Drilling at 1575.

Earney Cockburn, State 2, SW NE 36-17-27. Drilling at 550.

Western Production Co., Keely 27-C, NW NW 26-17-29. Drilling at 1255.

Danciger Oil & Refining Co., Turner 27-B, SW SW 20-17-31. Drilling at 715.

A. N. Eltz, Shildneck 1, NW SW 24-16-20, wildcat northwest of Hope. Drilling at 1403.

J. M. Kelly, State 1, NE NE 30-18-28. Total depth 2069; plugged back to 2066; shut in.

Standard of Texas, Blaize 1, granite test west slope Guadalupe, NE SE 18-21-18. Spudding.

Delhi Oil Corp., State 11, NW SW 36-17-27. Drilling at 880.

Bob Johnson, Swearingen 4, SW NE 14-18-31. Drilling at 100.

J. E. Beddingfield, State 1-B, SW SW 36-17-27. Drilling at 220.

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Women, is to give a report of the meetings she attended.

She also is to report on a day spent by state presidents and some other members of the council at a meeting of the United Nations, which they attended through special arrangements.

Mrs. Katherine Alt Smith, social worker among itinerants, is to give a report of the work in her department in the Pecos Valley this season.

Mrs. A. T. Woods, acting president of the Artesia Council of Church Women, has requested that all women planning to attend the luncheon and meeting bring bundles and materials which are to be sent to school children, as part of an annual project of the Council of Church Women.

Mrs. Woods urged the women of the Artesia community to join in the observation of "World Community Day."

City Notices-

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tail in the publication, which will be found on another page in this issue, as well as in the next two issues of The Advocate.

The publication likewise lists the properties against which assessments are to be made.

According to the legal notice streets and avenues are to be paved with a six-inch base and a two-inch asphaltic wearing surface. Alleys are to be paved with concrete, the material specified for curbs and gutters.

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Independent Oil Men To Meet In Roswell Tonight



H. B. FELL



C. E. BUCHNER

A clear-cut national oil and gas policy compiled by the Independent Petroleum Association of America will be discussed at a meeting of independent oil operators of New Mexico and adjacent areas at the Nickson Hotel in Roswell at 7 o'clock this evening, it has been announced by Stanley Carpenter of Artesia, IPAA vice president for the state of New Mexico.

Such meetings in the past have been held in Artesia.

H. B. Fell of Ardmore, Okla., executive vice president of the IPAA, will be the principal speaker. His discussion will concern chiefly the national oil and gas policy adopted by the organization at its recent annual meeting in Oklahoma City. This policy, Carper said, is designed so as to insure a strong, healthy, competitive industry capable of meeting the needs of the nation at all times.

C. E. Buchner, executive manager of IPAA, from the Tulsa office, will outline the present work being done by the association, its activities, and the methods by which the national oil and gas policy may be put into practical operation.

Many of the independent oil operators of the Artesia area are planning to attend the meeting.

Municipal Band-

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duction to the public.

Special numbers on the program included an instrumental baritone solo by Glenn Caskey, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Caskey; vocal solos by Miss Helen Beaty, accompanied by Augusta Spratt, and a twirling demonstration by Mrs. Mike Stefanko, assisted by Patty Klack and Betty Burch, little majorettes.

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of a house, with flowers and shrubbery making a beautiful scene.

An ocean scene with the waves beating against a cliff is one of the paintings displayed by Mrs. S. W. Gilbert in the Artesia Furniture Company window. She has also on display a floral scene and Mrs. J. B. Atkeson displays a canvas depicting a sunset on a calm ocean.

In the L. P. Evans Store, Mrs. W. T. Haldeman is showing a floral painting and two companion pictures, one of a scenic view of stream and canoe and the other a scenic with a stream and house.

Elsie M. Spencer's painting of a covered wagon ready to ford Snake River, Teton National Park, painted from a photograph, is shown in the Baldwin's windows. Mrs. Spencer's "A Pause for Refreshments" depicting a cowboy on a horse which is drinking from a stream; Mrs. Gilbert's scene of a basket of fruit, and Mrs. Glasscock's "Peace in October," showing two horses grazing in a beautiful valley, make up the other exhibits in Baldwin's windows.

The Modern Shop has Mrs. Glasscock's portrait of Betty Scott, age 4 years. She is Mrs. Glasscock's granddaughter. Another canvas, entitled "Ranching," by Mrs. Glasscock, is also on display, showing two cowboys roping horses in a corral, and Mrs. Gilbert has a floral there.

Wayne Hornbaker's painting of a mesquite and Mrs. Spencer's scene from the Upper Pecos River are in the Mann Drug Company window.

In McClay's Furniture Store window, Mrs. J. T. Mitchell has three works on display, one entitled "Winter Dusk," a snow scene; a painting showing cattle in a green meadow, and a third, entitled "My Mother," a portrait. Mrs. Charlotte Blass also has a painting there of a mixed bouquet.

James L. Elliott has three paintings in the John Office Supply window, a nice study of the head of a horse and one of white flowers on a black background, as well as a character study.

A meadow scene featuring the blue bonnet and another beautiful scene by Mrs. J. B. Atkeson appear in the window of the Artesia Advocate.

Mrs. Atkeson, chairman for the Art Division of the Woman's Club, was in charge of arrangements for the displays.

Artesia Grid-

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the game would be a pushover. However, they tightened up in the second half and outplayed their opponents.

In the game against the Ruidoso varsity here Friday afternoon the only score by the Artesia "B" squad was in the first quarter, when a pass from Ronald Dublin to Bobbie Morgan was good for the touchdown. Junior Cauble put over a placement, with Ken Malone holding, for the extra point.

The heavier and older Ruidoso boys scored in all four quarters.

The NMMI Ponies made their only score in the game here Monday in the second quarter by a rushing attack.

Both teams were greatly handicapped in that game because of a high wind, which interfered with kicks. The Artesia team, which has developed a good passing game, could not click in that manner, likewise because of the wind.

The Artesia Bulldogs will meet the Roswell High School Coyotes at Roswell at 8 o'clock Friday evening, in what many fans believe may be the hardest game for the Bulldogs this season.

A block of reserved-seat tickets for that game has been received here for Artesia fans and may be purchased at Keys Men's Wear store at \$1 each.

The Artesia "B" squad will meet the Roswell "B" squad on Morris Field at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the final clash for the Artesia team. Earlier in the season when the two teams met at Roswell the Roswell team defeated Artesia 13-0.

Prince Zogi-



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ly, spent so much money on equipment, and brought his acts to such a degree of perfection that for many years he has ranked with the aristocrats of the profession.

In his performance here Zogi will perform his most difficult feats—the stupendous and fantastic sensations which have marked his showings in the great cities of America and foreign countries. He will also produce many of the spooky apparitions, skeleton dances, table raisings and rappings.

Zogi, although a great artist in his profession, reaches the hearts of the most humble individuals in his audiences by not only staging his most sublime mystifications but also performing simple tricks, causing the trained hand to deceive the eye without props or paraphernalia.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Bess is Still Bouncing!

Scotter Wilson has the oldest taxi service in our town. In fact, Scotter's cab, "Bouncing Bess," is of 1927 vintage... and Scotter himself remembers when Main Street had cobble stones. But Scotter hasn't missed meeting trains in thirty years, come rain or shine.

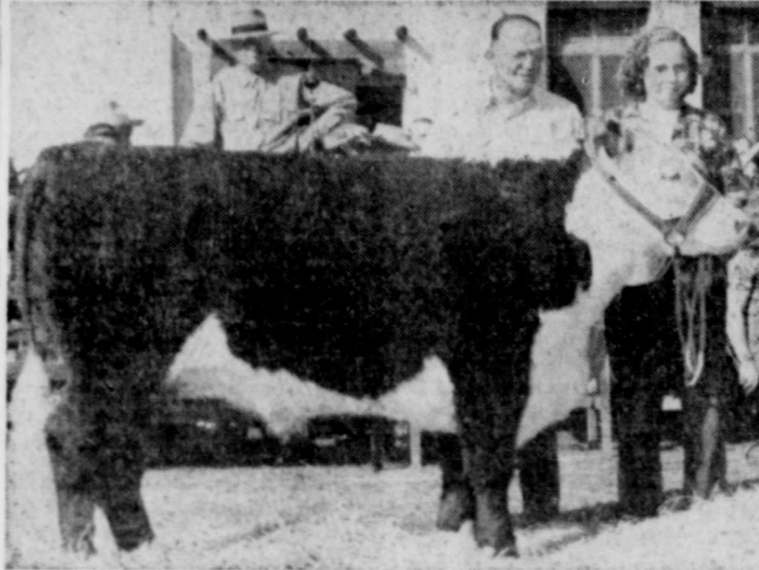
Scotter's mighty proud of that record, and he looks upon his taxi license as an obligation—to serve the community well, charge fair rates, and abide by traffic laws and rules of courtesy.

From where I sit, Scotter has his own "Self Regulation" program.

Joe Marsh

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Carolyn Jones Has Champ Calf



Here are pictured Carolyn Boyd, who bought the calf for the Jones and her grand champion, Carlbad Elks Club at \$1 a pound, 1140-pound calf in the annual 4-H Club and Future Farmers of America show and sale at Carlbad Tuesday of last week, and R. U.

Artesia Grid-

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some red—the more the better—in order that careless hunters will be prompted to distinguish them from deer.

Warnings of the dangers of fire have been issued by the Game Department, especially from campfires and cigarettes.

And something else with which all hunters must be prepared to cope is snow, and possible mud. The old-timers warn that every car should carry a shovel and, if they are possessed, tire chains.

The Game Department also recently stressed that the use of the 30-calibre M-1 carbine is prohibited. No rifle may be used in the taking of big game using smaller than a 46-grain expanding bullet.

Trio Fined-

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turned over to the Welfare Department. As wards of that department they could be vaccinated, he said.

It was indicated by the district attorney and court that if appeal is made by the defendants the case may become a test case of the New Mexico statute requiring school children to be vaccinated.

Many Baptists-

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Hager, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vandeventer, Mr. and Mrs. John Simmons, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Exum, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wood, Mrs. F. P. Turner, Mrs. C. E. Mitchell, Mrs. J. T. Mitchell, Mrs. Fred Poole, Mrs. B. J. Perkins, Mrs. J. T. Haile, and Mrs. Houston Teel.

Misses Wanda Lunsford, Doris Exum, Marion Vandeventer, Bobbie Clem, Billie Norrid, VeAnn Mitchell, Sandra Mitchell, and Lavern Mauldin, and Louis Cole, Wesley Sperry, and Walter Short.

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with permits.

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Jester Suggests-

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there to head the parade.

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"I shall also tell him that I think it will be a splendid thing for him to do if it is possible for him to accept your invitation."

Odum Cleared-

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the deaths was failure to put out flares, as required by law, or unlawful parking of the vehicle in the highway.

A coroner's jury sitting in Artesia on May 29, with Justice of the Peace J. D. Josey sitting as coroner, found the three came to their deaths in an "avoidable accident."

An information was filed against Odum June 5 by Sheriff Dwight Lee, and the Negro was given a hearing before Judge Josey and was bound over to the action of the District Court here June 17.

The case opened before a jury in District Court at Carlbad Friday morning and several witnesses had been heard when Judge Anderson ordered the directed verdict.

Mr. and Mrs. Schnoor Buy Home in Tucson After National Tour

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Schnoor, who have sent in a renewal for their Advocate subscription, wrote that "after two years of wandering through 40 states we have bought a home at Tucson, Ariz., and gave their address there as 149 West Tennessee.

After Mr. Schnoor sold the Artesia Recreation Hall, which he had operated a number of years, to R. S. Carter, he and Mrs. Schnoor started out to see the United States by automobile.

They disclosed in their letter that their daughter, Miss Lois Laverne Schnoor, a former music teacher in the Artesia schools, after a year of rest and trailer travel with her parents is teaching music at State Teachers College, Minot, N. Dak. She recently made an address before the North Dakota state teachers' convention at

Bismarck and is an author of some note in the music profession in that state. Miss Schnoor is now writing a book on "Trailer Travel" and making oil paintings of the beautiful scenery she saw throughout the United States.

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'Ranch And Farm Days' At State College Reveal Research Results

"Ranch Day" and "Farm Day" at New Mexico A. & M. College recently gave the 950 attending farmers a first-hand opportunity to observe the results of some of the livestock and crops problems now under research in the state, as members of the staff of the agricultural experiment station at A. & M. reported their findings.

On the "Ranch Day" program, J. H. Knox, animal husbandman of the experiment station, reported that for the last 10 years on the college ranch, yearling steers have outproduced range cows on the same amount of feed. Although three steers eat about the same amount of feed as two cows, Knox's records show that three steers averaged a production of 961 pounds of beef a year, compared to 756 pounds for two cows.

"If our records mean what we believe they do," Knox said, "many ranchmen could increase their beef production and financial returns by replacing part of their cows with yearling steers. Such a plan, besides making better use of the feed, would also make it easier to adjust numbers to a varying feed supply." Mesquite has more than doubled in both the grassland and the mesquite-type range land in the experimental areas, J. J. Norris, assistant animal husbandman, reported. However, he pointed out that different climates, soils,

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rates of growth, and pasture management could produce different results.

In listing the best control methods found so far, Norris mentioned the use of kerosene and other oils properly applied to the base of tree-type mesquite. Sodium arsenite has given best results of various chemicals tested, but because it is poisonous it must be carefully used. Power grubbing has proved practicable on heavy stands of larger mesquite plants but this may damage other vegetation and open the way for serious erosion. Hand grubbing, experiments have shown, has paid in removing small plants in early stages of mesquite invasion.

In reporting on the work done to determine grazing capacity, K. A. Valentine, assistant animal husbandman, pointed out that in the experimental pasture, as dis-

ance from the watering became greater, forage utilization decreased. "We try to hold our sacrifice areas around the waterings to a small size," Valentine said, "and we do not count on getting the fullest possible use of outlying forage."

Other subjects on which research reports were given included selecting range cattle according to type, minor mineral content of New Mexico grasses, range land reseeding trials, and supplements for cows on spring ranges. During "Farm Day" farmers saw some of the experimental plots and heard the reports of the investigators who are working on problems of cotton, alfalfa, sorghums and wheat, corn, irrigated pastures, and soils.

In reporting on the cotton breeding program, G. N. Stroman, agronomist of the agricultural experiment station, outlined the steps of developing improved strains of Acala cotton for the Mesilla and Pecos Valleys. He reported that a promising strain, Acala 5901, is in the last stage of testing for the Pecos Valley.

A preliminary report on the effect of fallow treatment for verticillium wilt, by P. J. Leyendecker, assistant biologist, indicated that fallow treatment may be practicable in reducing the amount of wilt. "During the growing season," he said, "wilt symptoms appeared in the continuous cotton plots long before they were detectable in the fallow plots."

Sorghum and wheat varieties best adapted to New Mexico growing conditions were explained by John Carter, Jr., associate agronomist from Clayton. In discussing the varieties, Carter pointed out that different varieties are best adapted to different areas and that pure seed of both greatly determine the quality and yield of the crops.

The program of alfalfa breeding subjects alfalfa strains to rigid tests, Glen Staten, associate agronomist, reported. The most promising strains in the nursery are first exposed to severe attacks of aphids. From last year's tests, about 25 strains seemed to withstand these attacks and were then inoculated with wilt organisms. Of these 25 strains, one progeny came through the season disease-free. This progeny will be tested further before it can definitely be shown superior to other varieties and strains.

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Soft Corn Requires Special Attention

Several Methods Given For Profitable Feeding

Saving soft corn will be a problem facing many farmers this year. Much of the crop went in so late that frost became a factor in maturity, as well as in winter handling of the corn. Next to chopping and feeding green, one of the best ways to get full value from soft corn is to put immature crops in the silo or pasture them off with cattle, hogs or sheep, Capper's Farmer points out.

Another method used by many growers in the last big soft corn year, 1945, was to build emergency cribs five to six feet wide. The farmers set two rows of poles in the ground, wired the tops together to keep the cribs from spreading, and fastened woven wire or slat cribbing on the inside of the posts. These cribs, built in east and west directions, took best advantage of prevailing winds.

Farmers in many northern areas, where corn is likely to be caught by frost before it is mature, regularly cut up large quantities and cure it as fodder. Ears later are husked by hand or with a shredder. Most hybrid corns are stiff stalked and have a good root system. They will stand with few fallen ears well into the winter. Since ears will dry with less spoilage on a standing stalk, many farmers prefer to let hogs, cattle or sheep harvest the crop.

Herds and Flocks

Fall pigs should be kept gaining from the start. If they stop gaining it is harder to get them started again, and it takes more feed. Don't let them lose their milk fat. Keep weeds cut under your electric fence, to prevent grounding. Set the posts at an angle and you can keep the weeds cut with the mowing machine.

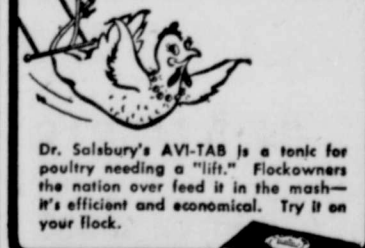
Flush ewes before the breeding season—that is, feed them generously so they will be gaining at breeding time. Changing from scant to good pasture, or feeding some grain, will put the ewes in better condition. Flushing results in more certain breeding. Cows due to freshen in late fall should be dried off and given eight weeks of vacation to get ready for the blessed event. During this rest period, feed a fitting ration to keep the cow in good flesh and help develop the calf.

Some New Weed Killers Give Excellent Results

New weed killers to supplement 2,4-D are appearing with good reports. Quack grass and crab grass are two weed pests which 2,4-D does not control. IPC was developed in England during the war and now is giving good results in the control of quack grass, stolons and seedlings, in tests conducted by the U. S. department of agriculture. It is harmless to persons and to some broadleaf plants.

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Conservation Program Aids Small Farmers

The nation's small farmers are getting a major share of assistance in carrying out soil and water conservation practices under the Agricultural Conservation Program.

Allen W. Manchester, who heads up PMA's Agricultural Conservation Programs Branch, gives the following analysis of program operations. The study was based on 1944 records but the figures serve as a reliable index of operations since then.

A check shows that 3,847,000 farmers carried out soil and water conservation practices. This is something more than 65 per cent of all farmers enumerated in the census, which lists thousands of farmers who operate small residential tracts or small poultry or other intensive type farms. In the South, farms under 20 acres received assistance averaging \$1.67 per acre in carrying out conservation practices. The average per acre for farms of more than 720 acres was 40 cents.

In Louisiana, assistance varied from an average of \$2.18 per acre on farms less than 20 acres to 81 cents per acre on farms of more than 720 acres.

A part of this increase for small farmers is the result of the program provision for increases in small payments.

It is quite clear that county conservation committees are giving more assistance — acre for acre—to the small farms. This is due in part to the fact that, in general, conservation needs are greater on the small farms and the ability of the operator to carry out conservation practices is

usually less. The small farmer needs more help.

State College Cattle Are Inspected And Classified For Type

New Mexico A. & M. College has recently had an additional number of animals in its cattle herd inspected and classified for type, the Holstein-Friesian Association of America announced. The inspection was conducted by Clair I. Miller of Medina, Ohio, one of the 11 officials appointed by the association to do this work in the United States.

Among the animals classified in this herd, one was designated "very good"—the second highest score an animal can receive—and 10 were designated "good plus." This is the fifth time this herd has been classified for type.

The type classification, combined with a production testing program, is used as a means of proving sires and locating outstanding brood cow families in an owner's herd.

Hot And Dry Weather Has Cut Prospects Of Big Cotton Crop

Hot, dry weather has reduced prospects for the cotton crop to 11,508,000 bales. This compares with 8,640,000 bales produced in 1946, and the 1936-45 average of 12,390,000 bales.

The 21,143,000 acres estimated on Sept. 1 to be harvested this

year are expected to yield an average of 261.3 pounds lint per acre. This will be 26 pounds above that harvested last year and 10-7 pounds above the 10-year average. The record U. S. yield per acre of 298.9 pounds was produced in 1944.

Almost four million bales had been ginned from the 1947 crop prior to Oct. 1, compared with 2,334,443 bales for 1946.

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Loco Hills Items

(Mrs. Earl Smith)

Mrs. Allen Williams is visiting her brother-in-law, Burt Williams, and family in Hayti, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd North and daughter, Ida Louise, of Artesia have moved to the Loco Hills Re-pressing Plant Camp. Mr. North is an employe there.

Loren Bowen has returned from Sundown, Tex., where he had been tending to Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Company business.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Matthews and children of Loco Hills and Mrs. J. W. Kennedy, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kennedy of Artesia were guests Sunday of Mrs. Matthews' sister, Mrs. Preston Campbell, and family of Lovington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McClendon were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Youre of Roswell and Mr. and Mrs. Dub Andrus of Haggaman.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Rice and sons of the Texas-New Mexico Camp have moved to Eunice.

George Chase, who has been employed at Eunice, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Chase. He spent the week end in Alabama visiting friends.

Mrs. George Beal's sister, Mrs. Mrs. Woods, who was visiting here, has gone to Wichita Falls, Tex., to visit her daughter and other. Mr. Woods accompanied her to Texas but returned to his business immediately.

"Son" Carton of Colorado spent few days last week with his sister, Mrs. George Beal, and family.

Mrs. Jack Choate and daughter, Mrs. Glen Arthur, of the Hightow lease, were guests last Thursday of Mrs. James McMurray of Loco Hills.

Clayton Mahres and grandson, Tommy Till, were recent visitors in Tatum.

Mrs. Wilburn Davis and daughter, Jackie, have returned from Lubbock, Tex., where Jackie underwent a tonsillectomy.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Herricks and daughters have returned from Breckenridge, Calif., where they were visiting Mrs. Herricks' parents.

Dewey Lloyd of the old Illinois field is in Newberry, S. C., visiting Miss Miriam Taylor. He was accompanied as far as Birmingham, Ala., by Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Killingsworth of Artesia, who are visiting friends and relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Randolph have as houseguests Mrs. J. A. Randolph of Gladewater, Tex., and Mrs. Mary E. Curington of Vernon, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shouse of the Oilfield Service Camp have named their son William Samuel. He weighed eight pounds 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Wells and family have moved to Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bland and children have returned from a two-week vacation in Beebe, Ark., where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elrey Weir and daughter, Jeanie, have moved to the Franklin Camp.

Harold Morgan of Artesia visited in Loco Hills Friday.

Frank Newton of Eunice was a week-end guest of his brother, B. Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Miller and family of Sundown, Tex., were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith and son, Cordell.

Mrs. Fred Dougherty and son, Phillip, and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McCrory and daughter, Vickie Sharon, were guests Sunday of

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U. S. Treasury Department

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Barton.

Mrs. Margaret Mahres of Espanola is visiting her son, Clayton Mahres, and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herring and daughters of Denver City, Tex., and Mrs. John Sergeant of Monahans, Tex., were guests recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Plemons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker have returned from Portales, where they attended homecoming at Eastern New Mexico College. Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker are former students of that college.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lloyd and sons of the old Illinois field were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Richardson and daughter, Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Manzell and children spent three days last week in O'Donnell, Tex., visiting Mr. Manzell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Manzell.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Booker have returned from Rochester, Minn. Mrs. Booker received medical attention while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Howell of Tucson, Ariz., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Howell of the Dangler lease.

Mrs. I. R. Blanton of Loco Hills and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Berry and

children of Artesia left Friday for Merkel, Tex., to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callaway of the Texas-New Mexico Camp were hosts Hallowe'en at a "42" card party. About 10 guests were present.

Grayburg employes and their guests held a Hallowe'en party. Prizes were given for the best costumes. Anyone attending the party without a mask was fined a dollar. Many guests from Artesia were present.

Mrs. George Till, former owner of the Loco Hills Cafe, has bought the Wagon Wheel Cafe on South First Street in Artesia.

Mrs. Virgie Copeland and Mrs. Nora Coppinger, teachers, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Phelps.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Dougherty were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dougherty and son, who live at the mines.

The Boy Scouts had a wiener roast at the "tank" recently. Scoutmaster and Mrs. Jack Whitaker and Jim Starkey assisted in the funmaking.

Hallowe'en parties given for the Loco Hills school children were in the third and fourth grades, and first and second grades Mrs. Copeland was the

sponsor. Prizes were presented to Frances Harland and Kenneth Savoie for the best costumes. Betty Jo Frizell and Darwin Bishop won prizes in the games. Mrs. W. R. McClendon conducted the entertainment, and Mrs. Jack Phillips, Mrs. Asa Ward, Mrs. Jack Plemons, and Mrs. Earl Smith were in charge of refreshments. Mrs. Glen Arthur and Mrs. Jack Choate were guests. In the party for the first and second grades Mrs. Coppinger was sponsor. Marvin Ray Burrows and Richard Vandever won the best-costume prizes. Jimmy Chase, Carolyn Merchant, Johnny Johnson, and Kennedy Whitley won prizes in the games. Guests were Mmes. John Stulting, K. C. Whiteley, Jim Starkey, B. Newton, Ora McCann, and E. L. Pendleton.

Mrs. Mershel Moye of the Oilfield Service Camp was honored with a pink and blue shower in the home of her mother, Mrs. R. T. Dewitt, in Artesia Tuesday afternoon of last week. Many lovely and useful gifts were presented by Mmes. Bob Jackson, A. W. Pierson, G. L. Foust, J. D. Jackson, Myrtle Bishop, O. E. Hall, and J. W. Phillips, of Artesia, and Mmes. O. B. Henderson, Fred Cawyer, J. V. Ethington, Levi

Bowling, Edgar Chase, E. Flores, Jr., and Harold Miller of Loco Hills. Those unable to attend, who sent gifts, were Mmes. C. C. Carter, Bill Briscoe, Earl Smith, and C. G. Manzell.

Farm Briefs

By Dallas Rierson
Eddy County Agent

Higher crop yields and more income with less drudgery are goals that many farmers are trying to reach. Good farm machinery, properly used, will help them reach these goals. Heavy demands for farm products, both at home and abroad, indicate that there will be good markets for what farmers produce for many years. High labor costs and the failure of many boys to return to the farm have created a demand for labor-saving equipment.

Rats and mice, mankind's greatest animal enemies, cause enormous losses to agricultural crops, root crops, tubers, bulbs, cereals, and trees. Rats also transmit such diseases as typhus and bubonic plague. Maybe you don't know that it costs about 2 cents a day or \$7.30 a year to keep a rat on your place. One rat will eat and destroy from 80 to 100

pounds of feed a year, or as much as is consumed by a laying hen. A recent survey showed that 225 rats will eat or destroy as much dry feed in a year as one mature

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 - Libby Peaches . . . 30c
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 - Cranberry Sauce 23c
 - Strained variety
 - Gardenside No. 2 can
 - Cut Green Beans 11c
 - Libby's No. 2 1/2 can
 - Sauerkraut . . . 15c
 - Libby's No. 2 1/2 can
 - Fancy Pumpkin 20c
 - Del Maiz Niblets 19c
 - Green Giant Peas 20c
 - Gardenside No. 2 can
 - Tomatoes . . . 14c
 - Van Camp's No. 2 can
 - Hominy . . . 11c
 - Coastal Fancy 4-oz. can
 - Green Chili . . . 15c
 - Dorman No. 2 can
 - Blackeye Peas . . . 16c
 - Town House 46-oz. can
 - Grapefruit Juice 17c

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 - Sandwich Spread 9c
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NOTICE OF PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS OF CERTAIN STREETS, AVENUES AND ALLEYS WITHIN THE CITY OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO AND OF THE TIME AND PLACE OF A HEARING AS TO THE PROPRIETY AND ADVISABILITY OF MAKING SUCH IMPROVEMENTS, AS TO THE COST THEREOF, AND AS TO THE MANNER OF PAYMENT THEREOF, AND AS TO THE AMOUNT THEREOF TO BE ASSESSED AGAINST THE PROPERTY SO IMPROVED.

TO THE PROPERTY OWNERS AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: You are hereby notified as follows:

That, on the 13th day of August, 1947, the City Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, determined that the interests of the City required that the following streets, avenues, alleys and intersections within the said City should be graded, paved, curved and otherwise improved, to wit:

- 1. Washington Avenue from the west line of Fourth Street to the City limits on the west.
2. Dallas Avenue from the west line of Ninth Street to the City limits on the west.
3. Missouri Avenue from the west line of Tenth Street to the City limits on the west.
4. Grand Avenue from the west line of Eleventh Street to the City limits on the west.
5. Fifth Street from the north line of Washington Avenue to the south line of Dallas Avenue.
6. Sixth Street from the south line of Park Avenue to the south line of Washington Avenue; from the north line of Washington Avenue to the alley between Washington Avenue and Dallas Avenue.
7. Seventh Street from the north line of the Alta Vista Addition to the south line of Washington Street; from the north line of Washington Street to the south line of Dallas Avenue.
8. Eighth Street from the north line of Washington Avenue to the south line of Dallas Avenue.
9. Ninth Street from the north line of Alta Vista Addition to the south line of Washington Avenue; from the north line of Washington Avenue to the south line of Dallas Avenue.
10. Tenth Street from the north line of Washington Avenue to the south line of Dallas Avenue; from the north line of Dallas Avenue to the south line of Missouri Avenue.
11. Eleventh Street from the north line of Washington Avenue to the south line of Dallas Avenue; from the north line of Dallas Avenue to the south line of Missouri Avenue; from the north line of Missouri Avenue to the alley between Missouri Avenue and Grand Avenue.
12. Twelfth Street from the north line of Washington Avenue to the south line of Dallas Avenue; from the north line of Dallas Avenue to the south line of Missouri Avenue; from the north line of Missouri Avenue to the south line of Grand Avenue; from the north line of Grand Avenue to the south line of Richardson Avenue.
13. Park Avenue from the east line of Roselawn Avenue to the west line of Second Street; from the east line of Second Street to the west line of First Street.
14. Quay Street from the west line of 11th Street to the south line of Main Street.
15. Chisum Street from the west line of Fourth Street to the east line of Tenth Street.
16. Fourth Street from the north line of Chisum Street to the south line of Adams Avenue.
17. Fifth Street from the north line of Texas Avenue to the south line of Chisum Street.
18. Sixth Street from the north line of Texas Avenue to the south line of Chisum Street.
19. Ninth Street from the north line of Texas Avenue to the south line of Chisum Avenue.
20. Texas Avenue from the west line of Ninth Street to the east line of Tenth Street.
21. Tenth Street from the alley between Main Street and Texas Avenue to the south line of Chisum Avenue.
22. Osborne Street from the north line of Lot 5 of Keller and Ragsdale Addition to the south line of Chisum Avenue.
23. Eleventh Street from the north line of Main Street to the south line of Chisum Avenue.
24. Twelfth Street from the north line of Main Street to the south line of Chisum Avenue.
25. Merchant Avenue from the west line of Eleventh Street to the east line of Twelfth Street; from the west line of Twelfth Street to the City limits on the west.
26. The alley between Quay Street and Main Street from the west line of First Street to the east line of Sixth Street.
27. The alley between Main Street and Texas Street from the west line of First Street to the east line of Sixth Street.
28. Shearman Street from the east line of Roselawn Avenue to the west line of Second Street; from the east line of Second Street to the west line of First Street.
29. Roselawn Avenue from the north line of Moseley Avenue to the south line of Logan Avenue.
30. First Street from the north line of Center Street to the south line of the bridge over Eagle Draw.

Pavement to be six inch gravel base with a two inch asphaltic wearing surface for all streets, avenues, and intersections. Curbs and gutters to be concrete.

That Classes and Rowland, engineers for the City, have fully complied with all of the requirements and have prepared and presented estimates, plans and specifications for said improvements to the City Council of the said City, all of which were accepted, approved and ordered filed in the office of the City Clerk, reference to which is specifically made and the same made a part hereof as if set forth at length herein.

That the total estimated cost of improving said streets, avenues and alleys is \$243,305.00, and that it is proposed to assess the cost of improving said streets, avenues and alleys above specified (not including intersections) upon all of the property fronting or abutting upon said specified streets, avenues and alleys; provided that in the case of lots or parcels of land of irregular shape or of less than the regular length, the City Council shall determine what property should be assessed for the cost of improving such streets, avenues and alleys; and that equitable assessments against such property shall be determined to have been benefited by such improvements.

That the cost of paving intersections shall be assessed upon the property abutting thereon within one-half block from such intersection.

That it is proposed to permit the assessments for said improvements to be payable in ten (10) installments, the first of which shall be due and payable on or before one year after the publication of an Ordinance levying such assessments, and one installment shall be due and payable each year thereafter until all of said installments are paid in full. Unpaid assessments and deferred installments will bear interest from the date the assessing Ordinance becomes effective, at the rate of six percent (6%) per annum, payable semi-annually.

That the property proposed to be assessed for such improvements is described as follows:

Table with columns: Name of Street, Addition, Block No., Lot No., Owner. Lists property owners and addresses for streets like Washington, Dallas, Missouri, Grand, Park, and Texas.

Table with columns: City, Street, Block No., Lot No., Owner. Lists property owners and addresses for streets like Washington, Dallas, Missouri, Grand, Park, and Texas.

Table with columns: City, Street, Block No., Lot No., Owner. Lists property owners and addresses for streets like Missouri, Forest Hill, and Chisum.

Table with columns: City, Street, Block No., Lot No., Owner. Lists property owners and addresses for streets like Chisum, Fairview, and various subdivisions.

Table listing property owners and addresses, including Shearman Tyler Subdiv., Roselawn-Lincoln Fairview, and various street names like Tamarack and Fairview.

Table listing property owners and addresses, including Original City, Roselawn-Lincoln, and various street names like Main, South, and North.

Table listing property owners and addresses, including Alley North Main, Clayton & Stegman Addition, and various street names like First, Second, and Third.

the manner of payment therefor, and as to the amount thereof to be assessed against the property abutting thereon or benefited thereby.

Any property owner or other person interested in said improvements who has any objections or protests against the construction of said improvements is hereby requested to reduce such objections or protests to writing, specifically stating the grounds for his objections or protests in order that the same may receive proper consideration by the City Council, although oral protests will be heard and duly considered.

Notice is further given that any property owner or other person interested therein desiring to be informed in advance of the probable cost of improvements to be assessed against his property, may obtain general information as to the proposed improvements and approximate estimate of the probable cost by calling in person, or by agent, at the office of the City Clerk in the City Hall building in the City of Artesia, New Mexico, during business hours on any week day.

This notice is given by authority of the City Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, this 8th day of October, A.D., 1947.

T. H. Ragsdale, City Clerk.

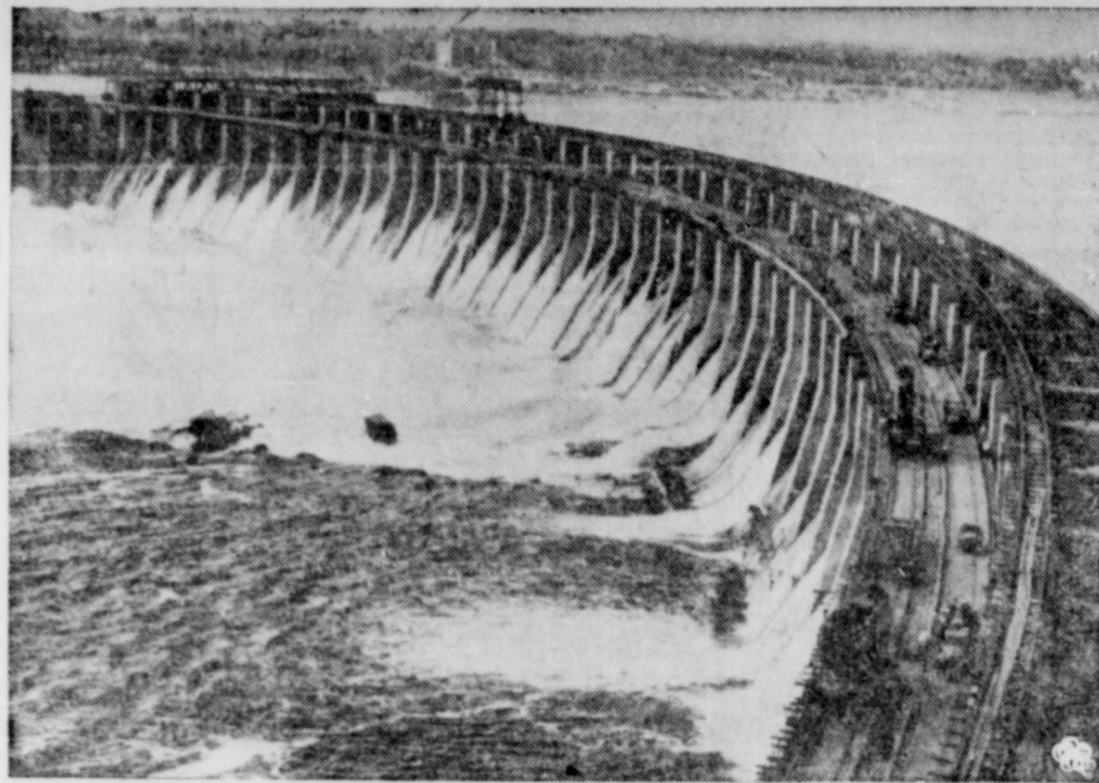
Advertisement for Office Supplies at The Advocate, featuring a section for Automobile Service Department with services like radiator repair and winterizing.

Large advertisement for Christmas Greeting Cards, featuring an illustration of Santa Claus and a reindeer, and text promoting personalized cards available at The Artesia Advocate.

Range Produces More Beef With Fewer Cattle

Cattle ranchers often say that they are most interested in the number of pounds of beef they can sell off their range, according to C. V. Hemphill, state chairman of the Production and Marketing Administration Committee. He says further that, if anyone has a plan of handling the range which will produce more beef, then these ranchers are for it.

As an example of how one ranch increased the number of pounds of beef by balancing the number of cattle they ran on their range, he points out the experience of the Victoria Land & Cattle Company. In the years from 1926 to 1933 they had an average of nearly 19,000 breeding cows on their range. Their average annual beef production was 2,158,180 pounds. In the drought years, they cut down the number of breeding cows more than a half, but that reduced the beef production less than 10 per cent. In the period from 1937 to 1941, they reduced the herd of breed-



PRODUCING POWER AGAIN—The Dnieper River dam in Russia, a large section of which was wrecked during the war, has been almost rebuilt and is producing power again.

ing cows still further to 6190 head. But during that period the amount of beef produced increased almost 350,000 pounds a year, to an annual average of 2,506,685 pounds.

Hemphill pointed out that 350,000 pounds of beef a year was a good payment for balancing their cattle with their range feed. If the number of animals on the range is kept in balance with the feed produced, the range will continue to produce more pounds of beef than when it is overstocked. And the additional grass will hold the soil from blowing or washing away.

One of the most important parts of the range-improvement program, is the grazing land management practice, under which the number of animals on the range is balanced with the amount of feed produced. Any rancher who is interested in the improvement of his range through the ACP program should get in touch with his county ACP committee for further information.

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this solution is enough to cover a mature animal thoroughly. One application of DDT will ordinarily do the work.

Rierson cautions that the animals should neither be sprayed nor run through a dipping vat on a day when the temperature is near zero or is likely to drop to zero before their coats have had time to dry. In cold weather the animals may catch colds or suffer other ill effects from the treatment.

Either a cattle spray gun or an ordinary orchard spray gun will apply the DDT effectively when the pressure is 350 to 400 pounds per square inch, Rierson says. A spray rig is handier, in some ways, than a dipping vat, because it can be moved easily from one farm to another and can be used for treating a number of small herds.

The residual effect of DDT can be expected to last long enough to kill any lice that hatch several days after the animals have been treated, the county agent adds. Other insecticides that Rierson recommends for cattle lice are benzene hexachloride or rotenone. Any persons who use benzene hexachloride should be careful to apply the material only according to the manufacturer's directions, Rierson cautions. Two applications of rotenone are re-

quired to catch the eggs that hatch after the first application.

Farm Briefs

By Dallas Rierson
Eddy County Agent

If you're planning to build or remodel any farm building, be sure to include a storage place for those poisonous chemicals which you use to control diseases, weeds,

and insects. You know, of course, that such chemicals are dangerous to children and to farm animals. A storage place for sprays, dusters, and chemicals will cost very little if you include it in your building or remodeling plans. And even if you're not building or remodeling right now, it's a good investment to add partitions or cupboards for storing poisonous chemicals in your barn or sheds.

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Anderson Urges Centralizing Of Farm Programs

Centralizing farm programs at "grass roots" levels was proposed by Secretary of Agriculture Anderson as the final point in the administration's long-range agricultural program, recently recommended to Congressional farm committees.

In urging coordination and consolidation in states and counties, the secretary submitted these recommendations of his policy and program committee:

Establishment of a USDA state committee in each state.

Consolidation of the Soil Conservation Service program activities and the Agricultural Conservation Program into one conservation program and agency.

Provision for an assistant secretary of agriculture to whom the secretary could assign national responsibility with respect to the state and county USDA committees. To that assistant secretary could also be assigned responsibility for integrating the work of departmental agencies carried out



HOUSEWIVES PROTEST — Led by Dagenham girl pipers, members of the British Housewives' League march in London in a protest against government handling of food and fuel.

in the counties.

Regarding the suggestions, Secretary Anderson said: "It is only good sense to centralize within the county responsibility for the development of a county conservation plan, approval of the requests of soil conservation districts for assistance, determination of farm acreage allotments and farm marketing quotas when those programs are in effect, certification of eligible applicants for Farmers Home Administration Loans, and so on.

"The county committees should be democratically elected by the farmers of the county. These committees should be not merely

advisory or coordinating groups but would have specific responsibilities which make them effective in attaining coordination.

"The county committees would provide assistance in developing local agricultural programs and in relating Department of Agriculture activities to local needs. They would correlate local programs with national food and agricultural objectives. They would assist the secretary of agriculture in the co-ordination and integration of the facilities of the department at the county level. With the concurrence and participation of the land-grant colleges, the county committee could co-

ordinate work of the federal agencies in the county and the related activities of the Cooperative Extension Service in the county.

"We suggest a state committee made up of five farmers, the state secretary of agriculture or commissioner of agriculture, and a representative of the land-grant college. The farmer members might be either appointed by the secretary of agriculture or elected by county committees, or perhaps a combination of the two methods of choice might be used.

"Much is said about the wealth which came to agriculture during the war. It is true that in agriculture, as in many other busi-

nesses, many people have made a great deal of money during the period of big demand and high prices. But many other people have shared only to a small extent in the prosperity. No matter how you figure it, most of the people in agriculture are in the low-income bracket of the country.

"That is my answer to the people who would have us believe that farm people are so well off that Congress should forget them."

News Shorts

In Chicago, 14 kids of assorted ancestries got together, put up a flimsy shack in a concrete courtyard, cracked a bottle of pop over the roof, and hung out a sign lettered, "All-American Club." "We haven't had a fight since we start-

ed the club," reported Harold Zuckerman, 10, the sergeant-at-arms. "Maybe if more grown-ups joined clubs with all the nationalities mixed up, they'd get along better."

The 1947 season proved to be the best travel year since records have been kept at the White Sands National Monument, according to figures released by Custodian Johnwill Faris.

State Land Commissioner John E. Miles reported that receipts of his office in September totaled \$701,719.18, an increase of \$236,759 over collections during September, 1946. Major gain was from royalties on oil and gas lease-

es, which increased \$124,584.16 over September a year ago. Other major gains were oil and gas lease rentals, \$74,627.81, and note payments on grazing leases, \$55,988.29.

Workers, lured to New Mexico by reports of jobs on atomic projects in the state may pose a problem for Albuquerque and Santa Fe, according to Joe A. Montoya, assistant business agent for the Common Laborers Union. "There has been an average of a hundred people coming in here every day from throughout the United States, saying they seek work on different atomic projects," said Montoya. He added that most of them are without funds.

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Fall And Winter Are Times Fowl Cholera Strikes

Fowl cholera, one of the most deadly of poultry diseases, occurs in all domestic fowls and many free-flying birds. It is most prevalent during the fall and winter among flocks of laying age. It rarely is seen in brooder chicks. One may suspect cholera when birds suddenly die in their nests or on the roosts without previously displaying symptoms of any kind. Sometimes the disease kills so quickly that the first indication that cholera has broken out comes when the poultry raiser

finds up to 2 per cent of his flock dead when he enters the laying house in the morning. Birds which linger for a few days after becoming infected with cholera organisms will display these symptoms: Sudden listlessness, ruffled feathers, loss of appetite, green or yellow diarrhea, and a dark purple or blue color in the comb, wattles, face, and throat. Cholera also appears as a chronic infection which may localize to form abscesses in various body parts, inflammation and swelling of the joints, infection of the middle ear, edema of the wattles, or infection of the nasal cavities. In the chronic form, affected birds lose flesh gradually and become thin and poor before dying. These symptoms all are suggestive of fowl cholera, but to get a positive diagnosis, the poultry raiser should consult a poultry specialist who is qualified to identify the disease by microscopic examination. As cholera is highly infectious, good sanitation is important both as a preventive and as a control

measure. Keep the laying house interior and equipment clean. Disinfect frequently. The yard and runs should be kept as clean as possible also, and should the soil become contaminated with droppings containing cholera organisms, it may be necessary to remove the birds until the soil has been purified by the sun, wind, and rain. When an outbreak occurs, dead and sick birds should be destroyed by burning; or should be buried deep enough to remove the possibility of their being retrieved by dogs or other animals. The amount of corn or protein in the flock's ration should be reduced for a few days and replaced with bran and oats. Some poultry raisers find that vaccinating with bacterins (killed cholera organisms) is helpful.

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THOMAS C. BOGLE, Plaintiff, vs. BEECHER ROWAN, et al., Defendants.
No. 10279
SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING
STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: BEECHER ROWAN; IM- PLEADED WITH THE FOLLOWING NAMED DEFENDANTS AGAINST WHOM SUBSTITUTED SERVICE IS HEREBY SOUGHT TO BE OBTAINED, TO-WIT: BEECHER ROWAN, L.A. FERSON (ALSO KNOWN AS LOTTA FERSON MINOR), JOHN F. NAFTEL, THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF GAINESVILLE, THE ARDMORE NATIONAL BANK AND EL PASO NATIONAL BANK, A CORPORATION; THE FOLLOWING NAMED DEFENDANTS BY NAME, IF LIVING, IF DECEASED, THEIR UNKNOWN HEIRS: CHRISTIAN H. ANDERSON, V. J. BURKS, LENA M. BURNS, ABNER J. DICKSON, MISSOURI A. DICKSON, W. H. DOUGHERTY, R. M. DAVIS, JAMES C. DOYLE, E. BEVERIDGE DILL, ALICE M. DOYLE, JOHN B. ENFIELD, MRS. C. P. FLENDER, E. P. GREENWOOD, JOHN L. HOWELL (ALSO KNOWN AS JOHN L. HOWELL, JR.), (ALSO KNOWN AS J. R. HOWELL, JR.), CLINTON R. HAMILTON, DORA E. HAMILTON, C. E. HANON, ERNEST B. HUGHES, CARL J. HUGHES, ALICE HUGHES, HUBER C. HUGHES, JENNIE M. JOHNSON, D. F. JOHNSON, RAYMOND P. KING, TRUSTEE, P. L. LAWRENCE, D. T. LACY (ALSO KNOWN AS D. T. LACEY), TRUSTEE, A. E. MARTIN, MAMIE E. MORRIS, STELLA A. MAJORS, CLARA NARRAMORE, T. G. NARRAMORE, MATT O'CONNELL, MAUD O'CONNELL, G. P. PUTNAM AND BELLE H. PUTNAM TRUSTEES FOR LAWRENCE RANCH COMPANY, A DISSOLVED CORPORATION, G. P. PUTNAM, BELLE H. PUTNAM, L. PACH-

GEN. DEVERS
General Jacob L. Devers, commanding general of AGF, re-emphasized for all troops in his command the importance of the Army's Food Service Program. He said: "The Army Ground Forces, being constantly aware of the world-wide critical food situation, is continually intensifying its program of instruction in preparation and serving of food with special emphasis on food conservation. In order to further this program, dining halls are under the direct supervision of food supervisors who constantly check for proper preparation and serving of food, resulting in practically no edible food being wasted."

OKLAHOMA FIRST: During the first three weeks of the National Guard nationwide recruiting campaign Oklahoma enlisted 1,812 men to become the first state to exceed its quota. Home of the 45th "Thunderbird" Division, Oklahoma recruited 1,056 men on September 16, National Guard Day of the campaign. Other states which recruited more than 1,000 men during the first three weeks of the campaign

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YOUR ARMY TODAY
In cooperation with President Truman's food conservation campaign, Secretary of Defense James Forrestal has ordered the Army, Navy and Air Force to adjust menus to eliminate waste and make maximum use of foods which are plentiful. By balancing menus with non-critical foods whenever possible, the Armed Forces food conservation campaign is expected to save large quantities of wheat, meat, poultry, eggs and butter.

VERSUS VON RUNSTEDT: Maj. Gen. Robert W. Hasbrouck, who commanded the 7th Armored Division when it was credited with overwhelming Marshal von Runstedt's forces, has retired after more than 30 years in military service. He assumed the duties of deputy chief of staff, Army Ground Forces, after the fighting ended in World War II.

BIGGEST YET: The 12th Army Group, which was commanded by General Omar N. Bradley, constituted the largest field command in the history of the American Army. More than a million and a quarter soldiers were led by General Bradley in the drive across France and Germany. At one time, four field armies—the First, the Third, the Ninth and the Fifteenth—were in the 12th Army Group. Its armies broke the German defenses in Normandy, liberated Paris, eastern France and Luxembourg, cracked the Siegfried Line, stopped the Ardennes counter-offensive, crossed the Rhine, captured the Ruhr and joined the Russians in Central Europe.

SIXTH ARMORED: All veterans who served honorably in the Sixth Armored Division between its activation on Feb. 5, 1942, and the end of the fighting in Europe on May 8, 1945, are eligible for membership in the Sixth Armored Division Association. The organization's secretary-treasurer can be reached by letter at Fort Knox, Ky.

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ECHO OF BITTER '44: The French government recalled the bitterness of the campaign of Alsace in 1944 when it recently awarded the Croix de Guerre with palm to the 93rd Field Artillery Battalion. "This unit," said the citation, "distinguished itself especially in the campaign of Alsace... During a very hard winter campaign made still more difficult by bad weather, it supported with all its means the advance of the French troops. In spite of violent fire of heavy enemy artillery, it accomplished all the delicate missions assigned to it."

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that there has been filed in the District Court of Eddy County, State of New Mexico, a certain cause of action wherein Thomas C. Bogle is the plaintiff and you, and each of you, are defendants, the same being Cause No. 10279 on the Civil Docket. The general objects of said action are to quiet and set at rest the plaintiff's title, in fee simple, to the following described property situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

Tract 1: W 1/2 SW 1/4 of Section 2, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M.
Tract 2: Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, and S 1/2 of Section 3, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M.
Tract 3: That portion of Lot 8 lying East of the A.T. & S.F. Railway Company Right of Way, and SE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 4, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M.
Tract 4: E 1/2, E 1/2 NW 1/4 and NE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 10, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M.
Tract 5: That portion of the E 1/2 SW 1/4 and SE 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 11 lying west of the Pecos River; and W 1/2 W 1/2 of Section 11, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M.
Tract 6: W 1/2, W 1/2 SW 1/4 and SW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 14, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M.
Tract 7: E 1/2 of Section 15, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., except 15 acres West of Drainage Canal in the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 15.
Tract 8: W 1/2, NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 23, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M.
Tract 9: All that part of the SE 1/4 of Section 22, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., lying East of the Drainage Canal, save and except all oil, gas and other minerals, in, under, and that may be produced from said land, heretofore reserved.

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that unless you enter your appearance or plead herein on or before the 19th day of December, 1947, the plaintiff will make application to the Court for a judgment by default and judgment by default will be rendered against you, and each of you, as prayed for in said Complaint.

The name of the plaintiff's attorney is John E. Cochran, Jr. whose Post Office Address is Box 128, Artesia New Mexico. Witness my hand and the seal of the District Court of Eddy County, on this the 4th day of November, 1947.
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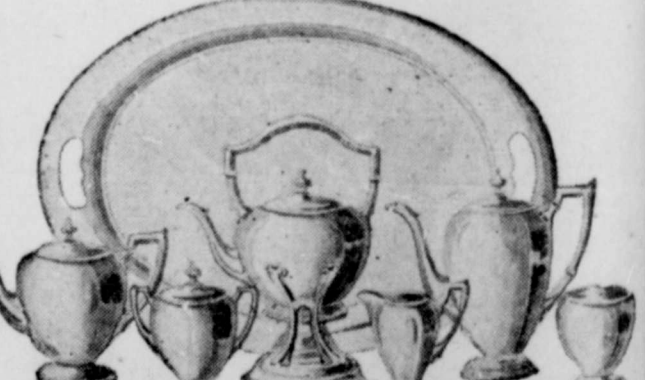
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