

First Full-Time Anatomologist Is Named At A. & M.

The first full-time specialist in anatomy to be employed by the Mexico Extension Service taken up his duties at State

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... Loosens Em in a Hurry or Money Back

College. He is Edwin J. O'Neal, who graduated from New Mexico A. & M. in 1947 and received his master of science degree from the University of Wisconsin recently.

In World War II O'Neal saw action as an infantry captain in the Solomon Islands. His service decorations include the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart with cluster.

At the University of Wisconsin, O'Neal held a research fellowship in fruit insect investigations with the State Experiment Station in Madison.

TRUMAN GREETED IN PUERTO RICO



ACCORDED A HEARTY WELCOME as he arrived in San Juan, Puerto Rico, President Truman again declared that the people would have the right to determine their own form of government.

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

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Lola M. Wood, executrix herein, has filed her Final Account and Report in this cause and, by order of the Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, the 2nd day of April, 1948, 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.

of said Court on the 16th day of February, 1948.

Mrs. R. A. Wilcox, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court. By Vera Brockman, Deputy

(SEAL) 8-41-11

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

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned DESSIE F. BURNHAM has been duly appointed ancillary administratrix of the estate of W. T. Burnham, deceased, by the Honorable Xury White, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, and has qualified as such.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims against said estate must present the same within six (6) months from the 4th day of March, 1948, the date of first publication of this Notice, or the same will be barred.

The address of the ancillary administratrix is—
Dessie F. Burnham, Marathon, Texas.
Dessie F. Burnham, Ancillary Administratrix. 10-41-13

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: William Crandall, defendant, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to wit: The following named defendants

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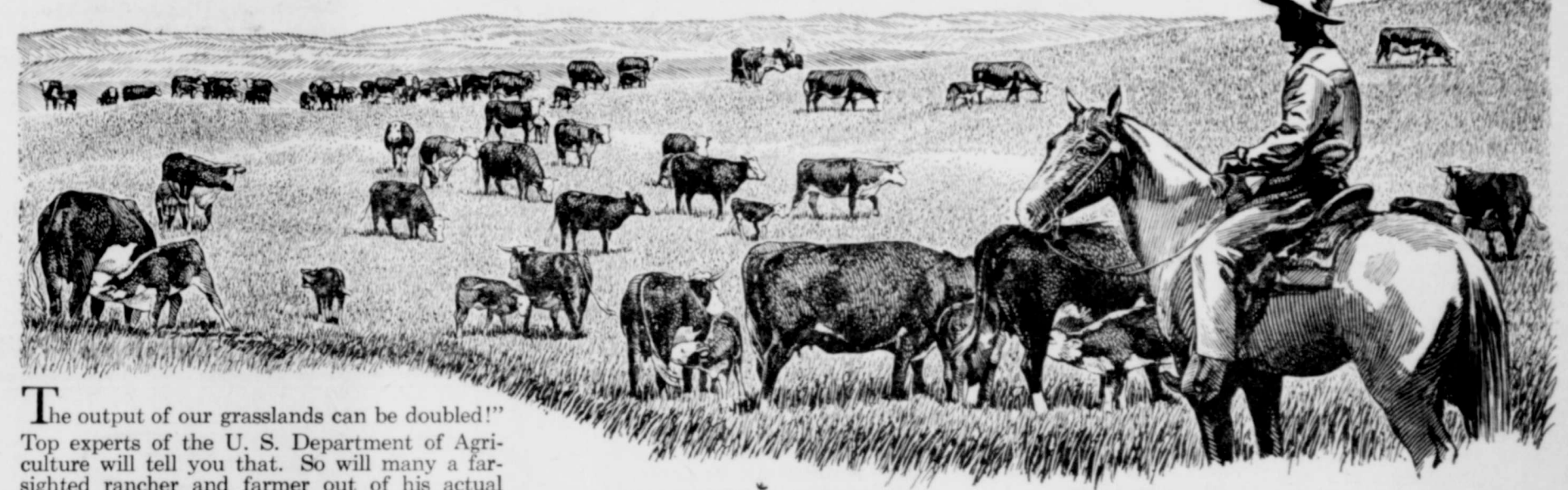
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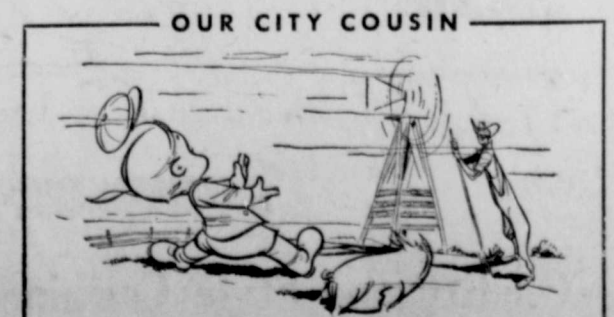
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The output of our grasslands can be doubled! Top experts of the U. S. Department of Agriculture will tell you that. So will many a far-sighted rancher and farmer out of his actual experience. So will students and teachers of land management everywhere. . . . In that bright possibility of range and pasture improvement lies one principal-hope for more food for a hungry world. Not only more food, but better food. For proper grassland management will improve the fertility of the land, and the nutritive value of the foods coming off it. It will save the land, too, protecting the precious layer of topsoil from blowing away or washing off to sea. And it will increase the amount and value of hay for cash-crop or winter feeding.

The program of good management for your grassland which you work out together will probably consist of some—or perhaps all—of the following practices. If you're in the range country: (1) Livestock numbers balanced to the amount of grass you can produce. (2) A rotation schedule of seasonal grazing. (3) Water located conveniently. (4) Elimination of excessive brush. (5) Wider distribution of salt to prevent over-grazing near salt source. (6) Re-seeding of over-used or abandoned range. (7) Introduction of improved native grasses and adapted new grasses. (8) Irrigation. (9) Protection against wind and water erosion. If yours is farm pasture land: (1) Liming. (2) Fertilization. (3) Seeding with pasture mixtures which stretch the grazing season at both ends. (4) Weed control by mowing or chemicals. (5) Rotation grazing. (6) Avoidance of over-grazing. (7) Irrigation.

We of Swift & Company have the same deep, basic interest that you have in range and pasture improvement. More and better grass is to our interest as it is to yours—and to the nation's. That's why we urge you to act, if you have not already done so, to increase the productivity of your grasslands.



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Martha Logan's Recipe for SPRINGTIME PORK AND VEAL

(Yield: 5 to 6 servings).
1/2 pound pork shoulder 2 tablespoons flour
1/2 pound veal shoulder 1 tablespoon sugar
1/2 cup diced rhubarb 1/4 cup water
1 1/2 teaspoons salt

Cut pork and veal into 1-inch cubes. Brown in heavy skillet. Add rhubarb. Cover and simmer 1 hour. Remove cover. Combine salt, flour, sugar, and water. Stir lightly into meat. Simmer 5 minutes to blend. Serve hot with or without toast.

Profit Comes from SAVING!

The story at the head of this page is about farmers and ranchers making the most of their grasslands. By good planning, managing well, and operating efficiently, they can grow more grass, produce more food for the world, and make more money. While writing that story, I was struck by a similarity in the Swift business. For it is careful planning and efficient operation that keep us in business, too. Like you with your grassland, we've got to make the most of what we have. We've got to practice efficiency. We, also, must cut costs, operate with economy. Not only the important economy of finding uses and markets for every possible by-product, but economy and efficiency all along the line.

Maybe you saw Swift's recent financial report for 1947. It showed that we earned \$22,334,977 after provision of \$12,000,000 for high cost additions to fixed assets. This earning represented one cent out of our average dollar of sales. That one cent was earned in large part by the savings we made. The operating figures of our business prove that statement. They show where the savings came from. New methods of doing things which save time and cost. Modern equipment replacing old, worn equipment. Better ways discovered by Swift research to produce, use and handle Swift products. A small saving here . . . another there . . . little economies pyramiding into big economies. Until, added together, the savings which we made last year in the actual day-by-day operation of the Swift business amounted to a considerable part of our earnings. Careful planning, good management and efficient operation are "musts" in our business as in yours. "Little things" can often add up to the difference between a profit and a loss.

F.M. Simpson, Agricultural Research Department

"Pitted" Pastures Produce More Grass

As reported by A. L. Nelson, Robert Lang and Oscar Barnes of Wyoming Archer Field Experiment Station
"Pitting" pastures has stepped up grazing capacity of range land by as much as one-third, according to the Archer Field Station in southwestern Wyoming. "Pitting" is a simple mechanical treatment. It can be done with a one-way Wheatland plow with alternate eccentric disks. These eccentric disks leave a waffle-like surface with pits about 16 inches apart. The pits trap water, help produce more grass.

The eccentric disks are 2 inches larger than the others, with the gang bolt hole 2 inches off center. In mounting the eccentrics, you start from the rear and replace every other disk with an eccentric. Mount the first eccentric with the long side up, the second with the long side to the rear, the third with the long side down, and the fourth with the long side to the front. Continue in the same rotation until all disks are mounted.

Best time to pit is early spring, before much plant growth has started. The cost runs from 50 cents to a dollar an acre.

"Weigh 'em to Swift!"

The pen gate opens and cattle crowd into the alley, headed for the scales. A cry rings out, "Weigh 'em to Swift!" Another lot of livestock has been sold to Swift & Company. That deal is a miniature of the business relationship between livestock producers and meat packers. When this lot of steers was "finished," the producer sent them to the yards, consigned to a commission firm. In the "yards" livestock buyers came to look and make their competitive bids. Competition is always keen because 26,000 meat packers and other commercial slaughterers in the United States are active in livestock buying. Each buyer knows that unless he bids "the going price" for the animals he wants, some competitor will get them. Also, he knows that if he bids too high his company will take a loss.

Thus competition and the law of supply and demand set the prices all along the line. This load of steers went to Swift & Company because the Swift buyer offered more than other buyers. And the price he paid was based on his estimate of what the meat, hides, glands and other by-products would be worth to Swift & Company.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. Paton Pays Official Visit To Home Unit

Mrs. H. R. Paton of Artesia, fifth district president of the American Legion Auxiliary, made her official visit to her home unit Monday afternoon at the Veterans Memorial Building.

In a short speech, Mrs. Paton congratulated Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, unit president, on the fine work she and the unit are doing. She announced the fifth district meeting will be May 22, at which time she plans to hold a memorial service.

Mrs. Paton has been in the unit a number of years and unit members said they felt honored to have the district president as a member of the Artesia unit.

Mrs. Fred Jacobs, community service chairman, presented a program stressing safety in the city and community. She explained the program being carried out by the Artesia City Safety Council and the Kiwanis Club.

Coch Kenneth Lance, guest speaker, chose home safety to discuss. He outlined some of the many hazards around the home which caused 31,500 accidents every year. He suggested that each member check her own home for those hazards.

Rufus Stinnett, principal of North Side School, explained the essay contest the Kiwanis Club is sponsoring among the schools on "Traffic on the Street."

Mrs. Jacobs presented her plan for an auxiliary project in the community service for the year in the form of the "Bicycle Problem in Artesia." Her plan was to adopt the "Scotch lighting system" which is an illuminated tape to be placed on the front and back fenders of the bicycle instead of using lights. The members voted in favor of this suggestion and will enlarge on their plans.

Delicious refreshments were served from a beautifully decorated table on which the St. Patrick motif was stressed. Hostesses were Mmes. Fred Jacobs, Francis Painter, Wade Cunningham, Howard Whitson, Alex McGonagill, and Edgar Williamson.

Mrs. Bayer Entertains For Mrs. Vandiver

Mrs. Oscar Bayer entertained with a small informal coffee in honor of Mrs. T. E. Vandiver, who is visiting here a few days, Wednesday morning. Mrs. Curtis Bolton, Mrs. Edwin Ward, and Mrs. Bill Keys were present for the small occasion.

Mrs. Vandiver is the former Miss Jody Sears, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Sears. She is here from Crane, Tex.

Fortnightly Bridge Is Entertained Tuesday By Mrs. Leslie Martin

Mrs. W. Leslie Martin entertained the Fortnightly Bridge Club with a 1 o'clock luncheon in her home Tuesday afternoon.

After the luncheon, three tables of bridge were set up. Mrs. Landis Feather won high score for the afternoon.

Mrs. Leona Gotton and Mrs. Walter Ferriman were guests of the club and served as substitutes. Members present were Mmes. C. R. Blocker, Grady Booker, L. B. Feather, Glenn Booker, John Lanning, William Linell, Charles Martin, Albert Richards, R. M. McDonald, and Hollis Watson.

Artesia Teachers Are Married By Carlsbad Pastor

Miss Mary Eunice Bishop of Artesia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bishop of Marfa, Tex., and Hubert Burke of Artesia, son of Judge and Mrs. Flake T. Burke of Portales, were united in marriage Feb. 27 by Rev. J. T. Barbee at the First Baptist Church in Carlsbad.

The bride wore a lovely brown crepe suit with a blue, pearl beaded collar, accented with brown accessories. She wore a beautiful corsage of gardenias. The bridegroom wore a gardenia from her corsage as a boutonniere.

After the double-ring ceremony, the couple spent the week end in Carlsbad.

Mrs. Burke is an English instructor in Artesia High School. She has been here about six weeks. She received her bachelor and master degrees at Sul Ross College in Alpine, Tex. She taught language arts for seven years in Alpine and four years of social studies in her home town, Marfa, before coming here.

Mr. Burke is an instructor in mathematics in Artesia High School. He received his bachelor degree from Eastern New Mexico College in Portales and is working for his master's at Arizona State College in Flagstaff. He served as an officer in the Navy four years during World War II before coming here to teach. He has been at Artesia two years.

Industrial Survey

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It was brought out at the meeting that the financial committee's efforts to raise funds for the planned \$20,000 budget for this year's activities are producing good results.

Although the goal had not been reached Monday night, President Gaskins predicted that the amount will be raised by the time the committee members have completed their calls on businesses and individuals. A number had not been seen at that time, he said.

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ALLAN PERRY HAS PARTY ON FIRST BIRTHDAY

Allan Perry celebrated his first birthday in the home of his mother, Mrs. Gilbert Perry.

Mrs. Perry served ice cream and cake to the young guests. She used paper hats and Easter rabbits for favors.

Those present for the occasion were Mrs. George Lynch and son, Rocklyn; Mrs. Bill Hinds, Sharon Kay Nellis, and Patsy Perry.

Mrs. Thompson Named Prexy Of Beta Sigma Phi

Mrs. William C. Thompson, Jr. was elected president of Beta Sigma Phi sorority Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Bob Rodke. She succeeds Mrs. Raymond Lamb.

Elected to serve with her were Vice president, Mrs. C. M. Murphy; recording secretary, Mrs. W. B. Macey; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Charles Samford; treasurer, Mrs. Bob Rodke, and reporter, Mrs. Lawrence Coll.

They are to take their offices the first of May.

Mrs. C. M. Murphy made a report on the progress of the "First Lady of the Year" contest, being conducted by the sorority.

A program on home decorations was presented by Mrs. Harry Gilmore and Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Gable, Jr.

Light refreshments were served to Mmes. Charles Bullock, C. M. Murphy, Meredith Jones, Lawrence Coll, Raymond Lamb, O. R. Gable, Jr., Harry Gilmore, and William C. Thompson, Jr., and Miss Nancy Haynes.

The next meeting will be March 22 in the home of Mrs. Meredith Jones.

Beta Sigma Phi To Name 'First Lady Of Year'

Nominations for the "First Lady of the Year" in Artesia will be made this week under the sponsorship of the local Beta Sigma Phi chapter, as part of a movement throughout the nation by the various chapters.

The nominations are to be made by a secret committee, which eventually will select one outstanding woman in Artesia to receive a certificate of recognition being awarded by the international organization through the local Beta Sigma Phi.

While no names of individual nominees are yet known, it is certain that the committee has canvassed the possibilities for "First Lady of the Year" from all fields of endeavor, including service, cultural and civic work, homemaking, business, and other community activities, it was announced.

Women in every sort of community activity have become so increasingly important in affairs that the international organization of Beta Sigma Phi believed these awards should be made on a basis of local merit, determined by an unbiased committee of outstanding citizens, members of the sorority said. Members of Beta Sigma Phi are not eligible.

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Social Calendar

Thursday, March 11
St. Anthony's Altar Society meets at rectory, 7:30 p. m.
Past Noble Grand Club meets with Mrs. Beth Thorpe, 105 North Sixth, 7:30 p. m.
Friday, March 12
Garden Club meets with Mrs. W. S. Hogsett, 2:30 p. m.
Monday, March 15
American Association of University Women meets in Central School music room, 7:30 p. m.
Past Presidents' Parley at Veterans Memorial Building for luncheon, 1 p. m.
Tuesday, March 16
Cottonwood Community Extension Club meets with Mrs. James Buck, 2:30 p. m.
Thursday, March 18
The Julia Sharp Circle meets with Mrs. E. J. Foster, 2:30 p. m.

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A pink and blue shower was given in honor of Mrs. G. O. Gallegos Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Ralph Juarez. Mrs. Manuel Aguilar was cohostess.

Delicious refreshments of cake and hot chocolate were served to Mmes. Rayamundo Aguilar, Ben Garcia, Dooley Juarez, Andrea Reyes, Tom Juarez, Henry Juarez, Ben Orocco, Cecil Orocco, Fidela Dominguez, Luis Flores, and Daniel Juarez, and Misses Mary and Linda Juarez, and Domie Gallegos.

Those who sent gifts were Mmes. Frank Baldonado, Joe Reyes, Roy Reyes, Ethel Juarez, Alfina Corona, Victoria Trujillo, Joe Porras, Luis Aguilar, and Antonia Guerrero, and Miss Victoria Aguilar.

Monday evening in the music room of Central School.

After her interesting review, the group decided to read "Life With Father," which was a popular Broadway production a few years ago.

Russell Floore will review "Angel Street" and Mrs. Burney Jones will review "Voice of the Turtle" at a meeting March 22.

Members and visitors present for this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sperry, Mmes. Alber Richards, E. A. Metzger, A. R. Haralson, Edwin Ward, Lillian

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Bigler, Ruth Bigler, and Burney Jones, and Miss Helen Gormley.

DANCE
In Hope gym Saturday, March 20. Bates-Fisher music. Admission 75 cents a person. 10-3tc-12

Boots Hanson, experienced beauty operator, is now with the Artesia Beauty Shop. 11-3tc-13

New Woodstock typewriters for sale at the Advocate office.

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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Haldeman and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Terry were in El Paso on business from Friday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Paton returned home Friday from a trip into Nevada.

R. D. Wright, Dr. H. A. Stroup, and W. E. Ragsdale were in El Paso Friday and Saturday on business.

Martin Yates, Jr., returned home Monday from Hot Springs, Ark., where he had been taking the hot baths. He plans to go back to Hot Springs in the near future for a further course of treatments, after completing some business matters at home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bert left Friday morning for El Paso on business and returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Linda Parrish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Parrish, has been elected rush chairman of her sorority, Kappa Kappa Gamma, at the University of New Mexico campus at Albuquerque.

Mrs. Nell Finchbaugh returned from a business trip to El Paso last week end. She has also been to Roswell, visiting friends.

Bob Ferriman of La Grange, Ill., formerly of Artesia, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Ferriman.

Mrs. Mary Thompson and Mrs. J. G. Pashea, mother and sister of Mrs. G. V. Price, left Sunday for St. Louis. They were taken by car by Mr. and Mrs. Price as far as Amarillo, where they boarded a train for the remainder of the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ferguson and Miss Joy Ferne Ferguson were here from Wednesday of last week to Sunday. They are attending Baylor University in Waco, Tex., and were home between semesters. Mrs. Ferguson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin, and Mr. Ferguson and Miss Ferguson visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim L. Ferguson, who came here from Kermit where Mr. Ferguson is transacting some business.

Joe Starr, son of Dr. and Mrs. Pete J. Starr, is home from New Mexico A. & M. College in Las Cruces.

Mrs. Mary Culbertson of Oklahoma City is here visiting her brother, Louis Dunham, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony King went to El Paso over the week end.

Mrs. Mark A. Corbin went to El Paso Sunday and returned home Wednesday.

Hospital News

A tiny daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Little, Jr., Saturday, weighing only three pounds four ounces. At present the baby, whom they have named Joy Lynn, is doing very nicely in an incubator.

Mr. and Mrs. Jose Hernandez are the parents of Conrado, born last Thursday. He weighed seven pounds two ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Parrish have a daughter, who was born Sunday. They have named her Sandra Kaye. She weighed eight pounds four ounces.

Charles Randolph is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Emmons. He was born Monday and weighed four pounds 15 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Anderson are the parents of Valery St. Julien, who was born early Wednesday morning. She weighed seven pounds 12 ounces.

Ralph Petty, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Petty, had his tonsils removed at the hospital last Thursday.

Mrs. I. R. Blanton underwent major surgery last Thursday.

Mrs. George Settlementire underwent a major operation last Thursday.

Frank Jones received medical attention at the hospital Friday.

Mrs. Troy Morton underwent major surgery Friday.

Mrs. Basil Bobo received medical attention at the hospital Saturday.

Mrs. James Exum entered the hospital Saturday for medical care.

Harry Hubbard received medical attention Sunday in the hospital.

Mrs. Callaway Donaghey received medical attention at the hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Samford underwent major surgery at the hospital Monday.

Jack Davis received medical attention at the hospital Monday.

Cecil Taylor entered the hospital Tuesday for medical attention.

Shirley and Linda Daugherty, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Daugherty, entered the hospital Tuesday to receive medical care.

Mrs. Leon Magnum received medical attention at the hospital Tuesday.

Jeff Anderson entered the hospital early Wednesday morning for medical care.

Play To Highlight Observation Of Juliette Low Day

Mrs. Wayne Paulin, Juliette Low chairman of the local Girl Scout board, announced completion of plans for the annual Juliette Low celebration here in Artesia. The celebration will be highlighted by a play, "International Surprise," given by Troop 1 under the direction of Mrs. V. P. Sheldon at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening in the Central School gymnasium to which the public is invited.

Characters in the play are Dorothy Carver, Alma Ann Berry, Priscilla Kohl, Wilma Griffin, Doris Williams, and Mrs. Raymond Lamb.

In years past, Mrs. Paulin said, this occasion had been observed by banquets, pageants portraying customs in foreign countries, and a variety of other ways. So in order to continue the precedent of "something different" in the way of appropriate observation of the day, representatives from Girl Scout troop in the city met with Mrs. Paulin and planned the current program.

After the play Friday, the various troops throughout the city will present clothing for children in destitute countries. The age of a child for whom clothing is being collected may range from an infant's layette to a 14-year-old boy or girl. Each clothing kit for an older child must consist of a coat, jacket, or snow suit, sweater, two sets of underwear, three pairs of stockings of knee or longer length if possible, a pair of pants and two shirts if for a boy or two dresses or one skirt and two blouses if for a girl, two pairs of pajamas, a pair of mittens or gloves, and a warm cap or beret.

Other suggestions of things which might be included were wash cloths, towels, sewing kits, soft toys for younger children, and similar articles.

Mrs. Paulin asked that all Intermediate Girl Scouts remember to bring their dozen cookies which will be served at the play Friday evening. Brownies are to supply material for making punch.

Democratic County Committee To Meet In Carlsbad Friday

Sheriff Dwight Lee, chairman of the Eddy County Democratic Central Committee, has announced a meeting of the committee will be held in the county courthouse at Carlsbad at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon for the purpose of discussing matters of interest to the Democratic party.

The Artesia members of the committee are J. B. Mulcock, chairman; E. M. Perry, Hollis G. Watson, J. B. Muncy, Jesse Juarez, Clyde Parrish, Reed Dowell, Ned Martin, Jim Berry, Artie McAnally, and Sam Sanders.

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\$791 per month in New York and runs downward to a minimum of \$305 in Nebraska. New Mexico, with a salary of \$400 per month, occupies 27th place among 42 states reporting.

Public health engineer, grade No. 1, which is the equivalent to sanitarian in New Mexico, shows a salary range beginning at \$325 in California and ranging downward to \$200 per month in New Mexico. Of the 33 states reporting New Mexico occupies 33rd place.

The registrar of vital statistics position shows a minimum salary of \$541 in New York state and ranges downward to \$190 in Rhode Island, with New Mexico occupying the 10th place of 35 states reporting.

Venerable disease investigator shows a minimum salary of \$280 per month in Michigan ranging downward to \$140 in West Virginia, with New Mexico occupying 13th place among the 32 states reporting.

The position of supervisor of milk sanitation shows a minimum of \$645 per month in New York, decreasing to a minimum of \$200 per month in Massachusetts, with New Mexico occupying 10th place among 22 states reporting. New Mexico pays a minimum salary of \$325 per month for this position.

"This study very definitely indicates that the beginning salary paid to sanitarians is far too low to attract qualified men for this position. New Mexico and Arkansas paying the lowest salary among the 33 states reporting upon sanitarians," said Dr. James R. Scott, director of the New Mexico Department of Public Health.

"This is particularly more striking when in the most of the states a sanitarian is responsible for only a county area, while in New Mexico the sanitarian covers a district, composed of from two to four counties. He, therefore, is under greater expense while away from home than are sanitarians in many other states which are paying higher entrance salaries.

"Not only is the entrance salary in New Mexico the lowest in

the 33 states reporting, but the top salary which can be reached after four to six years is only \$260 per month, the same as paid in Oklahoma. Only one other state has a lower maximum salary for sanitarians, Arkansas, but salaries for sanitarians run as high as \$481 per month in such states as California.

"This is probably in a large part the explanation for vacancies for at least five sanitarians in this state and with almost no applications coming in from trained or qualified applicants.

"The position of sanitarian is so vitally important in New Mexico that a vast amount of work still needs to be done for the protection of the health of the people in the provision of safe water supplies, in the provision of safe sewage systems, in the provision of food sanitation measures, and in the provision of pure milk for our infants and young people."

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New Mexico Health Officials Rank Low On Salary Scale In Nation

The State Department of Public Health has received a study made by the State Civil Service Department of the state of Louisiana regarding the wages paid in various departments of the health departments of the 48 states.

A comparison of the relative rank of New Mexico with salaries for comparable positions in other states reveals some interesting statistics.

The state health officer has a minimum monthly salary of \$1250 per month in New York state, dropping to \$175 in Idaho. The average for all states is \$650 per month. New Mexico pays \$500 per month and occupies the 32nd position of the 38 states reporting on this item.

The director of local health service, which in New Mexico is the position known as director of county health work, has a salary range from \$791 in New York to \$325 as a minimum salary in Kentucky. The average for all jurisdictions is a beginning salary of

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\$505. — New Mexico's beginning salary for this position is \$400.

For the position of public health physician, which is similar to the district health officer in New Mexico, the minimum salary ranges from \$620 in the state of Washington to \$280 as a beginning salary in Wisconsin. New Mexico occupies the 28th position among 34 states reporting with a minimum monthly salary of \$400.

The position of director of the Division of Public Health Nursing pays a minimum salary in New York of \$500 per month, ranging downward to \$198 in New Hampshire. New Mexico occupies sixth place among the 43 states reporting.

Public health nurses for county duty have a beginning salary of \$255 per month in California to a beginning minimum salary of \$150 in West Virginia. New Mexico with a beginning salary of \$290 occupies eleventh place in 39 states reporting.

The salary of public health nurse supervisor ranges from a minimum salary of \$310 in New York to \$166 in Maryland. New Mexico, with a salary of \$250, occupies seventh place among the 37 states reporting.

The public health laboratory director has a salary ranging from \$791 in New York to \$265 in Wyoming, with New Mexico occupying 25th place among 40 states reporting. New Mexico has a minimum salary of \$400.

Public health laboratory technologists have a minimum salary per month of \$275 in Idaho ranging downward to \$125 per month in Florida, with New Mexico occupying 18th place among the 37 states reporting, with a beginning salary of \$175.

A public health nutrition consultant has a beginning salary of \$400 per month in North Carolina and running to \$175 per month in Alabama. New Mexico again occupies sixth place with a beginning monthly salary of \$325 among 33 states reporting.

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Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
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N.Y.P.S., 7:15 p. m.
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Sunday services, 11 a. m.
Wednesday evening meeting, 7:30 p. m.

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The church school, 9:45 a. m.
Worship service, 11 a. m.
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Evangelistic services, 7:30 p. m.
Tuesday, Bible study, 7:30 p. m.
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Many places of business send out statements without any address, while frequently the utilities mail statements to the house number as shown on their books, whereas the occupants of the houses receive their mail at some other address or in a box.

In such cases, the postmaster suggested, the utilities should ask for and record both the place of utility service and the mailing address, if they are different.

Postmaster Truett said that many pieces of mail containing statements from stores have to be returned for better addresses, making for more work for the postal clerks, a delay in the final delivery of the mail, and sometimes an inconvenience to both the sender and recipient.

If the practice does not stop, the postmaster said, it will be necessary to return to the senders all mail sent out merely to "Joe Doakes, City."

All stores and other places of business should obtain from their customers their proper mailing addresses and use them in sending out either statements or advertising matter, Postmaster Truett said.

In launching the campaign, he said, he plans to give the local places of business a reasonable length of time to obtain the addresses and use them. But, he added, "the campaign is really on, and we are going to have to clamp down."

ACA Representative To Be Here March 16 And 23 To Fill Plans


Roy Forehand, chairman of the Eddy County ACA Committee, has announced a representative of the county office at Carlsbad will be at the city hall in Artesia from 9 to 4 o'clock Tuesday, March 16; and Tuesday, March 23, for the purpose of assisting farmers and ranchers in filling out farm plans for 1948.

It will be necessary to have measurements and locations of practices to be performed under the 1948 program, Forehand said.

Forehand also asked that those farmers who have not signed their 1947 applications for payment to be present on one of the dates to complete that project.

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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Joe Marsh

Three Dinners At Presbyterian Church Planned

Three dinners will be held in the undercroft of the First Presbyterian Church next week, at each of which Rev. Ralph L. O'Dell, pastor, will speak on the subject, "Building a Better Tomorrow."

The first of the series of dinners will be Tuesday evening, March 16, and has been designated as "Veterans' Night."

The dinners Wednesday and Thursday will be for families, with those whose surnames begin with "A" through "L" attending the dinner on Wednesday and those whose initials are in the remainder of the alphabet on Wednesday night. All three dinners are to start at 6:30 o'clock.

There will be no charges made for any of the dinners, but a free-will offering will be taken each evening. Members of the committee on arrangements said reservations for each will be taken up to noon of the day preceding the dinner to be attended.

Besides the talks by the pastor, color movies taken some weeks ago of the Sunday school and church activities will be shown each evening.

It was announced that the entire building program of the Presbyterian Church will be outlined.

Four-Year—

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their college work the same high scholastic ability which led to their selection by the committee.

The scholarship committee makes the awards annually from among all eligible applicants on the basis of superior scholastic performance, high character, and leadership ability. The committee will be guided by the applicant's school record for his entire school term and recommendations from those sponsoring the application, Harley said. Parents of the applicant may be gainfully employed, but relative financial need will be considered in making the selections.

The committee consists of Irvin P. Murphy, superintendent of the Carlsbad public schools; Roy N. Thomas, superintendent of the Eddy County public schools; Emery Carper, Artesia oil operator, representing the service clubs of Eddy County; Neil McKim, personnel manager of International Minerals & Chemicals Corporation, and Harley.

Lee Music House Is Closed Temporarily During Remodeling

The Lee Music House has been closed temporarily for remodeling and enlarging, as the new Rowley Building construction progresses, and will reopen in the near future, but under the new name, Southwest Music Company, it was announced by Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn L. Wiltse.

In the meantime they are carrying on part of their retail business from their residence at 401 Quay, where they have small music items.

They are also carrying on from there their music supply business in five states and a music teachers' placement bureau.

B. N. Muncy—

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ren who survive him.

Mr. Muncy came to New Mexico in 1905 and lived at Artesia and Carlsbad until 1907, when he moved to Elkins, where he ranched until 1923.

At that time the family moved to

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In other words, members of the 20-30 Club have been informed, the Red Heads will put on a show for the spectators, no matter how the basketball game goes.

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Elimination Of—

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Hope will be eliminated in favor of safe curves at this time or not. But it has been understood that improvement is also being planned by the state.

The turns, which have caused numerous accidents, are part of the first federal-aid highway built in New Mexico from Artesia to Hope, back in the Model T days.

As traffic speeded up in more recent years, the highway was not improved to keep up with the times.

The dangerous S-curve-dip likewise dates back to the time that stretch of highway was built, and in those days it was deemed safe for traffic.

Straightening out of the S-curve and elimination of the dip were promised some months ago by Gov. Thomas J. Mabry, when, after a series of editorials in The Advocate, the governor accompanied A. L. Bert, editor, to the spot and pointed out the dangers.

At that time Governor Mabry was greatly impressed and said the improvement would have top priority. However, the work was delayed because easements for right-of-way could not be obtained from some of the property owners.

Death Comes—

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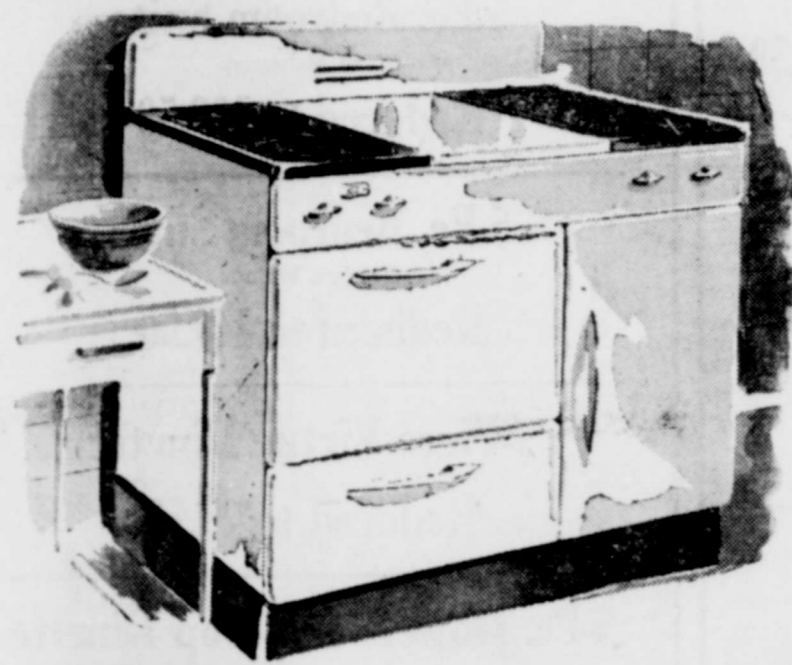
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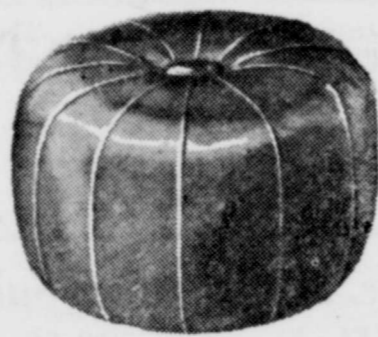
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 B. Henderson honored Briscoe with a pink and flower in her home in the of Camp Friday afternoon. appropriate games were played, which Mrs. Briscoe opened lovely gifts and displayed to the guests. Mrs. Henderson served fruit gelatine, cake, and coffee to Mmes. C. G. Mansell, Avery Holt, C. M. Harland, Cliff Carter, L. W. Henderson, C. B. Doughty, Edgar Chase, E. Flores, Jr., O. S. Harland, and W. H. Shouse, and Miss Charlene

Henderson. Among those sending gifts was Mrs. Earl Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bland and children have moved from the J. U. Meador house near the postoffice to the Texas-New Mexico Camp. Mr. Bland works for the Texas-New Mexico Company. Mr. and Mrs. Holmes (Son) Catron and son, former residents of Loco Hills, have moved from Artesia to Wyoming, where Mr. Catron is employed. He is a brother of Mrs. George Beal. Mrs. O. C. Rogers and son, Ronald, and grandson, Bennie Valdez III, visited in Roswell Saturday. Ronald takes piano lessons in Roswell.

The Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. W. R. McClendon in the Texas-New Mexico Camp last Thursday. Mrs. J. Roy Haynes was in charge of the meeting. The group studied the mission book, "Spiritual Frontiers." They met later that day at the First Baptist Church for their session of prayer for the home missions. The Loco Hills Community Club held a business meeting at the Sherman Memorial Church last Thursday evening. The executive board of the Parent-Teacher Association met with Mrs. Nora Coppinger and Mrs. Virgie Copeland at the school last Thursday evening to plan projects for the next school year. Miss Helen Green of Artesia was a guest over night of Miss Winnie Gene Walker Monday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. S. R. McClendon and Mrs. Loren Bowen and daughter, Carolyn, visited in Jal Monday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. George Beal and sons went to Ruidoso recently for a visit. Mrs. Jim Starkey and daughter are visiting relatives in Marfa, Tex. Mr. and Mrs. Joe McGonagill of the Allen-Fair Lease are the parents of a daughter born in Artesia Memorial Hospital Feb. 22. She weighed six pounds four ounces. They have named her Marlin Kay. Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Meador left Tuesday of last week and spent a few days visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus King in Hagerman. They went on to Hot Springs, where they will make their home. They sold their home in Loco Hills to Mr. and Mrs. Cora McCann, who lived in the Sinclair Camp. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Singleton and children of Hobbs spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Harvey. Mr. Singleton and Mrs. Harvey are brother and sister. Mrs. Fred Daugherty and son of Artesia were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Barton. Mmes. James Cleven, Ora McCann, and N. G. Barton honored Mrs. Fred Daugherty with a surprise birthday party Friday at her home in Artesia. Angel food cake and coffee were served to the guests. J. D. Whitefield returned to his home in Iraan, Tex., Friday after an extended visit with his son, G. C., and family and his granddaughter, Mrs. Jack Whitaker, and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. Loy Turner, formerly of the Grayburg Camp, who now live in Odessa, Tex.,

spent last week end here visiting friends. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phillips were among those visited. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Savoie visited in Carlsbad Saturday. Mrs. Bill Briscoe of the Booker Camp is in Artesia Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Walter Westerman has returned to her home after four days in the hospital. Her condition is improving. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Trembley, Jr., of Artesia were recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Jack Whitaker. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rothrock were visited by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rothrock last week. They brought another couple with them. They were on their way to California. Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. West visited in Lubbock, Tex., Sunday and Monday of last week. Miss Charlene Henderson is visiting her brother, O. B., and family in the Booker Camp. Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Richardson and son, Gale, spent the week end in Rising Star, Tex., visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Miller and family and Rufus Brown of "Sunday, Tex.," spent Saturday and Sunday visiting their son and nephew, Harold Miller, and family and other relatives. Brantley Love of Healdton, Okla., is staying with his sister, Mrs. Morris Doughty, and family. He is working here. Mrs. Doughty's sister and family of Healdton arrived Saturday for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pior of Artesia entertained with an "aluminum dinner" in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garel Westall Friday evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weir, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund McKinstry, Mrs. Virgie Copeland, Mrs. Nora Coppinger, and daughter, Kathryn, of Loco Hills, Bill Morgan of Artesia, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shields of Maljamar. Mrs. R. B. Standard was taken to a hospital in Hobbs because of her serious condition. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Webb and children moved from Midland, Tex., last Thursday to Loco Hills. Mr. Webb is working for George Beal. Johnnie Sergeant, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Ranspot, who was injured in a car accident recently, is improving. He is in Monahans, Tex. Boy Scout Troop 69 of Loco Hills held a Court of Honor at the Sherman Memorial Church. Advancements in rank were presented: Life Scout, Ronald Rogers; Star Scout, Ozell Roberts; Tenderfoot, Johnny McPhaul, and Star Scout, Gale Richardson. Several merit badges were awarded. The outstanding awards of the evening was the presentation of the Bronze Palm Award to Alton Unangst. It is believed that this is the first award of this type to be presented to an Eagle Scout in this area. The monthly meeting of Cub Scout Troop 69 of Loco Hills was held at the First Baptist Church Monday of last week. Bill McCree, of Roswell, field executive, was in charge. He was assisted by G. G. Unangst. Three movies were shown explaining cubbing, "Cub Scouts in the Home," "Cub Scouts in the Den," and "Cub Scouts in the Pack Meeting." Awards were presented: Wolf Pin and Badge, Darwin Bishop; Bear Badge, Galen Bishop; Wolf Pin and Badge, Charles Campbell, and Bear Silver Arrows, Max Bowen and J. W. Callaway. The den chief, Gale Richardson, presented the Cubs in a clever skit. The next meeting, which will be held the first Monday in April, will mark the end of the fiscal year and the regular registering period for new members.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Parker have returned to their home in Cottonwood from New York, where they were at the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. Truman Howard, who has been ill but who is getting along nicely. She expects to return to her home in two or three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lane and daughter went to Roswell to see their new granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cum-

mings of Lake Arthur have a new grandson. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Cummings of Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rierson left Saturday morning for Dallas, where both will attend school.

Miss Freeda Fincannon, who is a former Lake Arthur school teacher, was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Jackson Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nihart and daughters of Weed spent the week end with Mrs. Nihart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nihart of Lake Arthur.

Avery Cox, who underwent an operation at a hospital in Ros-

well, is back home in Lake Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Waltrip went to Roswell Saturday.

Mrs. R. C. Waltrip is ill.

Sunday will be the regular day for services at the Cottonwood Methodist Church.

The Women's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. O. E. Smith Wednesday.

Mrs. Chester Rogers, chairman for the Red Cross campaign, requests that those who wish to donate to the Red Cross mail their contributions to her. She will not be able to make her house-to-house calls this year as she has done the last four years. She indicated that she has always met her quota and will appreciate the co-operation of all her friends and neighbors so that it can be met again this year.

A junior-senior party was held in the home of Mrs. R. C. Waltrip Wednesday evening of last week. The senior class colors, pink and white, were used in the decorations. Pink and white carnations graced the center of the heavily laden table. A beautiful corsage of carnations was presented to Mrs. Waltrip by Wesley Lane on behalf of the senior class. The group played many

games and enjoyed a cake, decorated in pink and white colors, and ice cream at the close of the evening of fun.

The Women's Society of Christian Service will have its annual conference in Albuquerque starting March 14. Mrs. Clyde Nihart will represent the Lake Arthur chapter. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Yoder, who is visiting her. Rev. and Mrs. Chester Rogers will attend also.

the winner in their respective schools.

The Eddy County spelling champion will compete with spellers from all over the Southwest in El Paso on April 30. The winner at El Paso will receive \$40 in cash, and a trip to Washington, D. C., with all expenses paid. The second-place winner will receive \$50, third-place winner \$25 and fourth-place winner \$10. All contestants at El Paso will receive championship certificates.

The Southwestern spelling champion selected at El Paso on April 30, will go to Washington, D. C., and compete in the National Spelling Bee against winners from all over the United States, on May 28. The winner of the National Spelling Bee will receive \$500 in cash and an additional \$75 to finance a trip to New York City. The second-place winner will receive \$50 in cash and the others \$40 each. Last year's Eddy County Spelling Bee champion was Jo Ann Davis of Loving. Winner of the Southwestern Spelling Bee was Michael Daugherty of Eunice, N. M.

Leslie Duncan from Artesia High School won second place in the Eddy County Spelling Bee last year.

Annual Spelling Bee To Be Held In Carlsbad

By Bonnie Ross

(From Artesia Hi Beacon)

A Second Annual Spelling Bee will be held in Carlsbad April 10, 1948, at 7:30 p. m. in the Carlsbad High School auditorium.

All public and parochial schools in Eddy County are invited to send a representative to this Spelling Bee.

The winner will receive a free trip to El Paso, Tex., with all expenses paid by The Daily Current-Argus, and \$25 in cash, to compete in the Southwestern Spelling Bee, which will be sponsored in El Paso on April 30, 1948, by The El Paso Herald-Post.

A second place award will be \$15 and third place \$10.

Each contestant will receive a championship ribbon for being

Forty-Niners Begin Ground Work For Junior-Senior Banquet

By Pat Watson

(From Artesia Hi Beacon)

The junior class is just begin-

animals resulting in... in the... live... using... te-

The following signed up for certain... Jack Rains, Shirley Young, Anne Fleicher, Jo Ann Davis, Charlie Rogers, Dan Booker, Edie Ditto, Ruth Bailey, Elaine Frost, Norma Hancock, Jo Ann Johnson, Ramon Woodside, Kenneth Newton, Jimmy McCutcheon, Sylvia Amstutz, Doris Williams, and Mary Walker.

Mr. Parham and Mrs. Bildstone are sponsoring the '48ers.

Play To Be Given March 12 By The Girl Scouts

By Bonnie Ross
(From Artesia Hi Beacon)

A play entitled "An International Surprise" will be given at the Central School gymnasium by Girl Scout Troop No. 1, on March 12, at 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend this program.

The characters in the play are as follows: Dorothy Carver, Alma Ann Berry, Priscilla Kole, Wilna Griffin, Doris Williams, and Mrs. Raymond Lamb.

Light refreshments will be served.

The Girl Scouts of America are celebrating their 36th birthday on March 12.

Girl Scouts of Artesia are preparing clothing bundles to send overseas to European children.

Juliet Lowe was the founder of Girl Scouts.

Hope Boy On Winning Dairy Judging Team At SW Stock Show

The dairy cattle judging team from New Mexico A. & M. College scored 1498 points to place third in cattle judging competition at the recent Southwest Stock Show.

The leading scorer for the A. & M. dairy judging team was John Chappell with 520 points out of a possible 600. Chappell made the third highest individual score. The highest individual score of the contest was 225 points.

Members of the A. & M. judging team who went to Fort Worth included Glen Meneffe of Hope, with Oscar Kunkel of Dexter an alternate.

Gordon B. Hoff Named Extension Agronomist, Succeeding Hoover

The appointment of Gordon B. Hoff as state extension agronomist was announced by Dr. H. R. Varney, dean and director of agriculture at New Mexico A. & M. College.

Hoff, who at present is completing studies for a master's degree at the University of Nebraska, will take over his duties on April 1. As extension agronomist, he succeeds Marvin Hoover, who resigned last November.

Hoff has had several years' experience as a farmer in both dryland and irrigated areas in Colorado. Commercial crops he has grown include fruits, small grains, potatoes, corn, alfalfa, and sugar beets. He has also raised dairy and feeder cattle. As a youth, he was a 4-H Club member five years.

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- Slab Bacon** Sugar cured. Lean. lb. 53c
- Sliced Bacon** Korn King. Grade A. lb. 47c
- Bologna** All meat. No cereal. lb. 39c
- Ground Beef** Gov't. Inspected beef. lb. 39c

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- Jumbo Shrimp** Raw. Heads, shells off. lb. 93c
- Kipperd Salmon** Salted, dried slabs. lb. 72c
- Perch Fillets** Boneless flank meat. lb. 46c
- Large Oysters** Eastern. 10-12 per can. 12-oz. Can 85c
- Salmon Steak** Frozen cross slices. lb. 70c
- Halibut Steak** Individual size slices. lb. 64c

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- Libby Pumpkin Fancy quality pumpkin. Low priced at Safeway. No. 2 1/2 Can 10c

- Cherub Milk Evaporated Tall Can 13 1/2c
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In a way to conserve sow feed to make every ounce of grain count is to have all the pigs you get from this spring's litters. On the average, it's possible to save one or more additional pigs from each litter at farrowing time by using homemade pig brooders.

The pig brooders are easily and cheaply constructed by making a small shelter in one corner of the pen. An electric lamp in a reflector provides heat so that the little pigs can keep warm without crowding around the sow. Although you may need to place them in the brooder two or three times, the young pigs soon learn to go under the hover by themselves.

After about 10 days you can move the brooder to another pen, unless the weather is extremely

cold. If it is, leave the pigs in the brooder a few days longer.

The farmer's daughter is safer on the farm than are the farmer and his son. About four times as many farm men and boys suffer injuries from accidents as do farm women and girls. Of those under 14 who were injured during the last year, nearly 65 per cent were boys. Farm work accounted for 56 per cent of the accidents, but housework was responsible for only 8 per cent.

Men and boys suffered twice as many falls — the most common type of farm accident — as did women and girls.

Only burns and electric shock were more common among women.

The most dangerous age period for accidents to both men and women on farms is from 25 to 64 years, but the period from 24 to 45 is slightly more dangerous than later years.

In the U.S. rats eat four bushels of grain out of every 100 stored — or about 200 million bushels each year.

Any farmer who wants to find out how many rats he is supporting can make a good guess by the following:

If you never see a rat, but see occasional signs of damage, you have one to 100. If you see one now and then at night, you have 100 to 500. If you see rats every night, and sometimes during the day, you have 500 to 1000. When you see lots of rats at night and several during the day, you may have as many as 5000.

Remember, one rat will eat at least one bushel of grain a year and will spoil at least two more bushels. For control use the new rodenticide, antu, and fortified red squill.

Chlorine from salt is used by animals in the manufacture of hydrochloric acid used in digestion. Feed grains and roughage do not contain enough chlorine, so salt must be added to livestock rations or be supplied regularly in some other manner.

Sad Singer Could Have Fed Better And Saved Grain

Today's farmers do not have to repeat the complaint of the man in the old folk song. He sang to his mule sorrowfully that his small corn crop would be divided equally between the mule, the landlord, and the tenant. If he had used modern methods of management and feeding, his share of the corn would have been larger and his mule would have been better fed.

One pound of cottonseed meal, properly used in a balanced ration for work stock, would have saved approximately two pounds of corn for the man in the song.

This fact is especially important to farmers today when grains are scarce and costly and protein concentrates relatively cheaper.

Farmers who use mules and horses, while many farmers are using tractors, need to give special attention to management and feeding. Good care and economical feeding of work stock are just as important as keeping tractors in good condition and supplying them with proper fuel and oil.

When idle, work stock need little or no grain. Adequate roughage and pasture will keep them in good condition until two to four weeks before they are to do heavy work. Then, authorities recommend feeding them a light ration of two to four pounds of grain, one to two pounds of protein concentrate, and 10 to 12 pounds of roughage to get them in condition for work.

When doing heavy work, mules or horses should receive nine to 10 pounds of grain, two pounds of

protein concentrate and 10 to 12 pounds of roughage, daily. This ration is for a 1000-pound animal. It should be reduced a fifth for an 800-pound mule, or increased a fifth for a 1200-pound animal. On idle days during the work season, the grain ration should be reduced half.

Working animals should graze pastures at night if possible. If pasture isn't available, they should have plenty of roughage each night. Cottonseed hulls are widely used for roughage for work stock, because they are bulky, free from dirt and trash, and easy to feed without waste. Care should be taken in feeding silage to work stock. Good silage may replace half of the other roughage, at the rate of two and a half pounds of silage for one pound of dry roughage. One to two pounds of green alfalfa hay, daily, should be included in roughage when work stock are not on pasture.

To prevent mold, ear corn with shuck should be ground as needed when fed to horses and mules. If barley is fed, it should be ground coarsely and fed with bulky feeds, such as oats, wheat bran, cottonseed hulls, and ground grain sorghum bundles. Work stock should always have a good mineral mixture available. A practical mixture consists of equal parts of bone meal, calcium, and salt. Water should always be supplied freely and regularly.

Brood mares and colts should have plenty of grazing and well-planned pastures. In addition to pasture, mares need one to two pounds of cottonseed meal daily and colts, one pound. Ample roughage is needed if pasture is not available.

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Farm Topics

Proper Treatment Will Halt Termites

Tests Show Need for Protecting All Lumber

A visit to tropical Barro Colorado island in the Panama canal zone 21 years after a termite test building was erected to test effectiveness of coal-tar creosote and zinc chloride in protection of wood against ter-



mites has shown that despite this "termites heaven," inhabited by some 45 different kinds, termites can be defeated by proper wood treatment.

This will be good news to farmers and home owners who see their wood foundations, walls and floors fall away before the onslaughts of the wood destroying "disease."

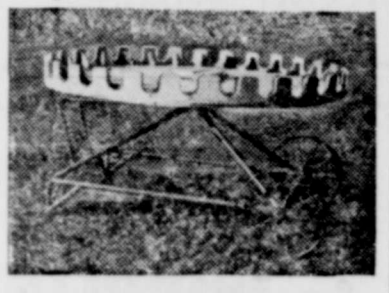
After 21 years the impregnated wood was sound, but a cot of untreated wood left in the house was riddled by termites.

This would seem to indicate that in building a house or farm building all lumber, including the shingles, should be treated as well as the fence posts. It was found that when the termites found no edible wood, that is untreated wood, that they soon moved to new territory.

Tests have shown that soil-poisoning, although beneficial, is less permanent and should be resorted to only where structural control methods are impractical, or in addition to them.

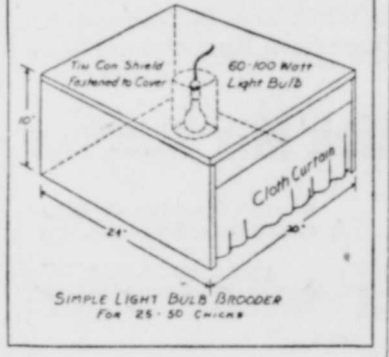
Another aid is to discourage termite activity by adequate drainage, ample ventilation and removal of wood debris.

Bunching Vegetables



Bunching vegetables for retail sales takes a lot of work when the produce must be taken to a packing shed. The tying wheel designed by Alfred F. Foote can be taken into the field and moved from place to place. The notched rim of the wooden top holds a standard bunch of broccoli while it is being tied. The pipe frame is welded to the wheel spindles, and the whole machine can be handled like a wheelbarrow.

Light Bulb Brooder



It is possible to construct an electric brooder for baby chicks at little cost. Box lumber, wall-board or similar material may be used. The globe is protected by a tin can. For the curtains, burlap may be used. The burlap or cloth should be cut three or four inches high about every two inches.

Flies Resistant to DDT Developed by Scientists

A strain of DDT-resistant houseflies, requiring nearly twice as much of the chemical to kill them as ordinary flies, has been developed by the USDA. The possible future development of DDT-resistant houseflies in nature is of considerable importance to public health. The problem depends somewhat on how long it may take for wild flies to develop such resistance. This would complicate control.

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Water Alone Will Not Make Desert, Bulletin Declares

Water alone will not make the desert bloom, according to K. A. Valentine, assistant animal husbandman at the New Mexico Agricultural Experiment Station.

In a new bulletin, "Effect of Water-Retaining and Water-Spreading Structures in Revegetating Semi-desert Range Land," Valentine gives the results of his research for a practical way to improve the vegetation on semi-desert areas of the experimental ranch.

He tested five types of structures that held and spread run-off water on the land. They were widely spaced terraces, small diversion dams with brush "hedges" placed to conduct the water over depleted range land, contour channels, brush dams, and small-

er earthen structures. None of these structures improved the vegetation.

Valentine attributes the failure of the structures, largely, to the types of soil which were involved in the test. Some of the soil did not retain water long enough to allow seedlings to become established. Other soil was sandy enough to prevent any run-off water from reaching the structures. Still other soil was subject to severe wind erosion and was so unstable that it diminished the effect of the structures. Plants which did begin to grow at some experimental sites were damaged by rodents.

Valentine recommends that before measures are taken to hold run-off water on range land, the land should be studied to determine whether other things besides lack of water cause poor vegetation growth. He also says that proposed structures should be tested on an experimental scale

All-American Red Heads To Play 20-30 Team Friday



Shown here are Olson's All-American Red Heads, the dynamic girl basketball players who will meet the Artesia 20-30 Club's

city league cage team on the gymnasium floor of Artesia High School at 8 o'clock Friday. The preliminary game at 7 o'clock will

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GI Subsistence Vets' Payments Explained by VA

The Veterans Administration recently told veterans in school how their increased government subsistence will be paid. A bill authorizing the increased payments was signed by President Truman.

Only veterans in schools, colleges, and universities pursuing full-time courses of education will be entitled to the increases, VA emphasized. Part-time students, on-the-job trainees, and institutional, on-the-farm trainees will not be entitled to the increases under the bill which amends the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (GI Bill) and the Vocational Rehabilitation Act (Public Law 16) for the disabled.

The new payments will be at the rate of \$75 for a veteran without dependents, \$105 for a veter-

an with one dependent, and \$120 for a veteran with more than one dependent. Previously, a veteran with no dependents received \$65 monthly and those with one or more dependents received \$90.

The Veterans Administration branch office for Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, and New Mexico advised veterans entitled to \$75 or \$105 under the new rates not to apply for the increases. Existing applications will supply all the information necessary and additional correspondence will only hinder processing, it was announced.

However, veteran-trainees entitled to \$120 because they have more than one dependent should transmit proof immediately of an additional dependent to their nearest Veterans Administration office. For veterans in school under the GI Bill, proof of more than two dependents is not necessary to qualify for the maximum of \$120.

In the case of dependent children, photostats or certified copies of their birth certificates will be

necessary. In the case of dependent parents, evidence of actual dependency must be submitted. In instances where proof of marriage is necessary, a certified copy of the wedding certificate must be submitted.

If veterans now in training submit evidence of dependency before next July 1, they will receive retroactive payments at the new rates back to April 1, when the law becomes effective.

The Veterans Administration was unable to answer accurately the all-important question of when first increased checks will be mailed. They are not due until May 1, but more than 50,000 files in the four-state area must be individually scrutinized before reviews are completed, VA said. And many of the reviews cannot start until the veterans send in proof of dependencies.

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The Suggestions and Advice of the Public Are Desired

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growers who want to identify and certify their 1517 cotton this year must plant their entire cotton acreage with certified or registered 1517-A cotton seed. County Agent Dallas Rierison said. No. 1517-A is the same cotton as the old 2815.

This is one of the requirements for 1517 cotton line certification, which is being encouraged by the new cotton marketing project of the New Mexico Extension Service. The extension project aims to determine what effect certification has upon the price received for this high quality lint.

The Extension Service feels that every farmer can aid greatly in making a success of both the certification program and the marketing project by planting the required seed and by certifying every bale raised. Rierison said. "A superior product is being grown by farmers here, and the Extension Service urges all growers to take steps to reap the full benefit of the certification program."

Rierison added that farmers should obtain registered or certified cotton seed immediately, as there is already a shortage in some areas and local associations will soon be selling all surplus seed to cottonseed oil mills.

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Notice

NOTICE—To all property owners. Now is the time to have those trees trimmed and your gardens plowed and have that landscaping done. See H. L. Jurney, P. O. Box 24, Artesia. 5-10tp-14

NOTICE—If you want to drink that's your business. If you want to stop drinking, that's our business. Alcoholics Anonymous, Box 245, phone 41. 51-tfx

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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 MARK A. CORBIN, DECEASED.

No. 1454
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
The undersigned Lillian D. Corbin and Mark Anderson Corbin, Jr., have qualified as joint executors of the Last Will and Testament and estate of Mark A. Corbin, deceased.

All persons having claims against said decedent are hereby notified to present the same, provided by law, within six months from the first publication of this Notice on the 11th day of March, 1948, or the same will be barred.

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FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

New California Oranges lb. 8¢	No. 1 Colorado Potatoes lb. 7¢
Sunkist Lemons lb. 12¢	Golden Ripe Bananas lb. 15¢
Delicious Apples lb. 12¢	Firm Crisp Heads Lettuce lb. 12¢
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Thursday, March 11, 1948
Vets Are Not To Be Good

Only Warned Well Throw In Thing Away

ans, don't throw a good away," the Veterans Administration advises. "Keep your National Service Life Insurance." The best buy for a GI is his government insurance. The deadline for easy reinstatement of lapsed GI insurance has been extended to July 31. World War II veterans can reclaim their policies by paying premiums for two months and signing a comparative health statement that their health is as good as at the time of lapse. During the last 10 months almost 56,000 veterans have reinstated National Service Life Insurance to the value of \$42,000,000. After reinstatement, pay premiums promptly and regularly, the VA said. Newly reinstated NSLI policies

are being permitted to lapse in alarming numbers, Carl F. Krumm, regional insurance officer of the Veterans Administration, warns. Failure on the part of the veteran to understand the exact application of the two premiums submitted with the request for reinstatement attributes to this.

Literally hundreds of veterans do not understand that one monthly premium is for the current premium month, regardless of the date of the month on which application and premium are tendered. For example, a veteran with a policy that has an effective date of Sept. 1, 1944, reinstates his NSLI policy on April 25. The next premium is due May 1. However, the veteran being under the impression he is paid up to May 25, with another month's grace until June 25, does not remit the next payment until June 10. He is dismayed to learn later he has again lapsed. Veterans are advised for further information in regard to National Service Life Insurance to visit the nearest Veterans Administration office or write the regional insurance officer, Veterans Administration, Albuquerque.

HANGAR FLYING

The most eventful occurrence at the airport last week was the awarding of a commercial pilot's license to Robert E. (Bob) Collins of Artesia. He began his flight training under the GI Bill Aug. 4, 1946. He received his private license in November of the same year. Collins immediately began work on his commercial license and also began obtaining ground school ratings. He now holds an instructor's rating in navigation, civil air regulations, and meteorology. Bob has begun his instrument course and hopes to obtain his rating as an instrument pilot in the near future. He also hopes to obtain an instructor's ratings on the service of aircraft.

Plans are being made for another spot landing contest. The one held last month was won by Lawrence Davis, and the other pilots in Artesia plan to take his laurels away from him. Entry fee will be \$1 per pilot as before. The winner will receive all the entry fees collected, which represented \$19 for Davis. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. (Pot) Bert celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at the airport last week. "Pot" calls the airport his second home, as he has spent many leisure hours flying and hangar flying. Gene Sherwood flew to the Williams ranch on the Caprock Saturday to visit Roy Williams. CAA tests were taken last week by Ted Heidel, Bob Collins, Herbert Termain, Gene Sherwood, Bob Ehle, and Dean Martin.

J. A. McConnell began his flight training last week. He is working toward a private pilot's license.

J. C. Ward of Hope resumed his flying recently. He began flying when "Sug" Hazel used to conduct classes in Hope about four years ago.



Your Commentator
By Jim Larkin

"Five small", since you've no place to go. What matter if your pace is slow? You outsmart us who, without need. So often drive at too great speed. A "small" pace" has been clocked at .009363905 miles per hour.

ABOUT LIBERTY

It was 173 years ago this month that Patrick Henry addressed the Virginia Convention in words which echo clearly today. Henry was one of a group of equally staunch men of vision who were designing the pattern for a new and vastly better nation that ever had existed. Because his associates shared Patrick Henry's liberty or death determination, they secured the liberty we now enjoy. Fifteen years later another editor gave us the rule: "Eternal vigilance is the price of Liberty." That should be our guide in these days when liberty is threatened.

RHYMED DEFINITIONS

Old Socrates often in the Peripatetic would stroll; Hence, PERIPATETIC walking without aim or goal. Be direct and clear in opinions you state; If you evade and quibble, you EQUIVOCATE.

MEN OF MERIT

Merit, says the dictionary, is that which deserves consideration reward or esteem. For my money that definition applies to the entertaining qualities of Bing (Harry Lillis) Crosby. If it were only for his singing ability he would win my favor, but he can sing—not "croon"—and his radio patter is much more natural and spontaneous than that of most performers. The same may be said for his screen work. Bing has given us a number of years of talented and always clean entertainment. May his shadow not grow less for a long time, as a real successor would be hard to find.

Don't turn on an electric switch while you are standing on a damp surface. The insulation might be faulty—and it might mean your finish. Check cords, switches and sockets frequently. Equipment in need of repair is a constant fire hazard.

The advertising pages of an magazine give further evidence of waning originality of words. It appears that new products must be named. "Master." Examples for your guidance if you intend to market anything: handkerchief—"Nose Master"; garbage pail—"Swill Master"; corn cure—"Ouch Master," etc.

Mrs. B. woke up with a headache one night. Sleepily fumbled in the medicine cabinet to get an aspirin tablet. Took it but it wasn't aspirin. They say she will recover. In every such cabinet may be found deadly drugs. Be sure you know what you are taking. And keep those drugs out of the reach of small children.

Use of brain will save you pain. (Released by The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)



Prue's Gossip

We'll be seeing Aunt Prue at church first Sunday it rains. I see her buying a new hat.

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Joseph Bloch Will Present Unusual Program Of Piano Music Tonight



An unusual and highly interesting program of piano music will be presented by Joseph Bloch at the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock tonight. The program: "Partita B Minor," by J. S. Bach in eight movements. Bach wrote seven "Partitas," an Italian term for a set of 17th and 18th century dances. This "Partita" contains a greater variety of dances than any of the others. Selection of the modern French impressionist composer, Claude Debussy, will follow. Debussy is generally considered the founder of the modern school of harmony. After an intermission, Bloch will play Mozart's variations on "A Wife Is the Most Wonderful Thing." This is Mozart's last keyboard work, having been written just two months before his death. The theme is a popular song which enjoyed a great vogue in Vienna in the 1790's. The program will close with five movements from the Bela Bartok "Outdoors." Bartok first attained fame as an authority on the folk music of his native Hungary and his early compositions reflect the influence of this music. However, his later works become more abstract and international in style. This is the fourth in a series of five concerts planned for Artesia by the Artesia Concert Association, working in co-operation with the Museum of New Mexico. Admission to the event is by season membership cards only. Latest Navy patrol bomber, land-based, incorporates reciprocating and jet engines. Each of two wing nacelles, one on each side of the fuselage, has an opening in front for propeller power and a small slit in the rear for jet exhaust. Complete sets of all sizes of loose leaf paper for loose leaf binders at Advocate.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between Charles A. Denton, R. D. Collier and T. L. Archer, heretofore carrying on the lumber business at Artesia, New Mexico under the firm name of Valley Lumber Company, has been dissolved as of the close of business December 31, 1947, by mutual consent, so far as concerns the said R. D. Collier who retires from said firm.

All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid respectively by Charles A. Denton and T. L. Archer, who will continue to carry on the said business and partnership under the firm name of Valley Lumber Company. Dated this 15th day of January, 1948.

Charles A. Denton
R. D. Collier
T. L. Archer
11-41-14

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned Charles A. Denton and R. D. Collier, heretofore carrying on an oil field supply business at Artesia, New Mexico, under the firm name of Allied Supply Company, has been dissolved by mutual consent as of the close of business December 31, 1947.

All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid respectively by R. D. Collier who will continue to carry on the said business as an individual doing business as Allied Supply Company. Dated this 15th day of January, 1948.

Charles A. Denton
R. D. Collier
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