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HELPING TO BUILD A GREATER ARTESIA

ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, FRIDAY, AUGUST 8, 1952

Sweetwater Comes
To Artesia Tonight
Against Drillers

NUMBER 64

Dropping Water Levels in Artesia Wells Shuts Down One, Forces Lowering of Pumps

Conservation Measures Viewed by City Officials

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Damage Is Small In Accident at Seventh, Dallas

A minor accident at the corner of Seventh and Dallas streets was reported to police at 8 a. m. Wednesday by Ida Evelyn Prude of Hope.

Mrs. Prude said her car collided with one driven by Patricia Hughes of Artesia at the intersection. Approximate speed of both cars was reported as about 20 miles per hour.

Mrs. Prude's car was damaged in the left fender, and the Hughes car on the right side.

Artesia Guard Prepares for Summer Camp

Artesia's National Guard unit this week is rapidly pushing preparations for departure to two-week summer camp at Fort Bliss, near El Paso. Battery C of the 697th AAA AW battalion will meet other batteries of the battalion in Carlsbad Sunday, Aug. 17, to depart for camp.

The Artesia unit will tow its four 40-mm anti-aircraft guns and carry two multiple 50 caliber machine gun power mounts aboard eight new 6 by 6 GMC trucks with hydraulic drive, recently assigned to the unit.

In preparation for the Aug. 17 departure, the Artesia battery will meet for a special drill Sunday to further ready equipment, and will complete camp preparations at the next regular drill Aug. 13.

The Artesia unit now has a strength of 36 enlisted men and six officers. Authorized strength for the unit is 150 men and seven officers.

Battery officers report the unit is in special need of mechanics, drivers for the hydraulic trucks, radio operators, and 40-mm gun crewmen. In addition, there are many other openings in the unit.

Artesia's battery will seek to retain the gold trophy awarded it last summer as top battery in the Fort Bliss summer National Guard encampment. The trophy was awarded not only for accuracy on the anti-aircraft firing range, but for administration, appearance of the unit, discipline, and other points.

Arrival of new training aids was revealed this week by National Guardsmen. Most important is an electric training device which flashes target planes on a screen for the anti-aircraft guns.

Other members of the 697th battalion are at Hobbs, Roswell, and Carlsbad.

Artesia Weather

Day	High	Low
Monday	97	63
Tuesday	100	68
Wednesday	104	68

Jet, Saucer, or Hallucination—Artesia Folks Saw Something

Was it a jet, a flying saucer, or of atmospheric phenomena, like the Air Force says?

Three Artesia residents aren't sure—but they know they saw something moving awfully fast through the sky about 10 a. m. Tuesday morning.

They are Mrs. Ralph Earhart, painting contractor Mack Reasner, and Reasner's assistant, Clint Stone. Reasner and Stone are painting the Earhart house at 1107 Bullock Tuesday.

Reasner said that at about 9:30 Tuesday morning he heard a sound in the sky and looked up. He saw a jet airplane flying at about 6,000 feet, going east. Five minutes later another noise in the sky turned out to be second jet—this time going north.

Dome-Shaped—
At about 10, Reasner thought he heard another noise. He looked up and saw a "silvery, dome-shaped object, travelling very fast." Reasner said the object went from horizon to horizon "in about five seconds." "It had an aluminum or silver-like finish," he observed. Reasner pointed out the object

Queen Entries



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SALLY SEARS

Barbara Rogers Takes Lead in Rodeo Queen Contest Balloting

Barbara Rogers went into the lead Thursday in the Ranchhands' rodeo queen contest, but was closely followed by Mary Price, last Monday's leader, according to officers of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority's Alpha Nu chapter.

Johnnie Hubbard was in third

Visiting Hours Established for Artesia Hospital

Visiting hours at Artesia General hospital have been established so as to least interrupt the routine of the institution, and visitors are asked to use consideration in choosing visiting times.

Miss Margaret Hughes, hospital administrator, said Thursday.

Hospital visiting hours are from 2 to 4 p. m. in the afternoon, and from 7 to 8 at night. Miss Hughes pointed out. Only two visitors can see a hospital patient at a time. Children under 10 are not permitted in the hospital.

"There are very definite reasons why we must enforce rulings on hospital visiting hours," Miss Hughes said. "Doctors are usually visiting patients in the morning, people are usually taken through the corridors to the operating room

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Food Mart Closes Artesia Store; Official Declares No Supermarket Location Found

Food Mart food stores have closed their Artesia store effective at the close of business Wednesday night, according to Ted Plynell of El Paso, district supervisor for the grocery chain. Plynell said the store was closed because volume of business in the present location here "does not justify continued operation." He added "the present building (on first floor of the Carper building) will not permit volume sales."

"We have been attempting to secure a suitable new location in Artesia," Plynell added, "and while we have spotted two locations, we have not been able to find one that is really satisfactory."

The district supervisor said, however, that "we'll be back one of these days when we can find a suitable location."

Plynell pointed out there are no parking facilities at the present location. Good parking, he said, is essential to successful operation of a supermarket.

President Confers—
He reported the president of Food Mart stores has made several trips to Artesia to confer with local interests on finding a new location for construction of a supermarket.

Investigation by company officials, however, has been fruitless, he pointed out.

"We cannot continue to justify a store in a location where the sales volume does not justify a supermarket operation," Plynell pointed out. "We could find no other loca-

Drillers Capture Vernon By 7-2, To Face Braves

Artesia scored a 7-2 win over the Vernon Dusters Thursday night to take two out of three in the home stand against the Texans. Driller Pitcher Mike Rodriguez, besides allowing only eight hits, accounted for three of the Artesia runs with two home runs in consecutive innings.

Tonight, Artesia will face the Sweetwater Braves in the first of three games, beginning tonight, Saturday and Sunday night at 7:30.

Monday the Drillers are to open a three-game stand at Vernon.

Vernon bunched both its runs in the seventh inning. McElyae gained first when hit by a pitch, came home on Goldie Gholson's homer. Vernon players knocked one hit in every inning save the fifth.

Drillers opened up with two runs in the third—the first being Rodriguez' homer with none on. John Alonzo later crossed after hitting a single, advancing on a wild throw and an error, and come home on an error.

Artesia added four more in the fourth, two of them accounted for by another Rodriguez homer. Bill Haley and Jim Ackers singled, came in on Wally Hannas' double, and Hanna came across when Rodriguez homered.

Scoring was completed for Artesia in the fifth with one run by Rudy Briner, who singled, came home on Jim Ackers' double.

Rodriguez went all the way for Artesia, facing 33 batters, giving up eight hits for two runs. Rodriguez walked four, struck out five. Bachas went the distance for Vernon, giving up 11 hits and seven runs, walking four and striking out six.

LONGHORN STANDINGS (Through Thursday Night)

Team	W	L	GB
Odessa	72	36	
Big Spring	63	43	8
Midland	58	47	12½
Artesia	54	48	15
Roswell	49	56	21½
San Angelo	48	60	24
Sweetwater	45	62	26½
Vernon	34	71	31½

Rainbow to Hold Ice Cream Social Before Ball Game

Order of Rainbow for Girls are sponsoring an ice cream social this evening at the Masonic Temple.

This is open to the public. Ice cream and a piece of home-made cake will sell for 25 cents. This social will open at 6:30 p. m. in order that fans can attend the baseball game and stop on their way to the game for refreshments.

Police Court Collects \$2,890 In July Fines

Artesia's police magistrate court collected \$2,890.50 in fines and parking meter violations during July, according to a monthly report released Thursday by Judge John Ellicott.

Judge Ellicott said \$2,908 was collected in court fines, and \$282.50 was collected for parking meter violations.

Perry Hospitalized

Earl Perry, Artesia Driller manager, was hospitalized Thursday morning in Artesia General hospital for an emergency appendectomy.

Friends reported Perry was stricken Wednesday night, but nevertheless played in the Artesia game despite acute pain.

Gala Five-Event Ranchhands' Rodeo Opener Is Set Thursday

Artesians Face Judge Bean If Found Minus Western Dress

Artesians better get in the mood for the Ranchhands' Rodeo—or else.

A solemn edict passed down from high circles of the Artesia Roping club, sponsors of the Ranchhands' Rodeo which begins here next Thursday, Aug. 14, declares that Artesians caught on the streets after noon tomorrow will be hailed before Judge Bean's court—Judge Roy Bean, that is.

Walter Solt, club president, says soured officers from the venerable judge's court, plus candidates trying out for rodeo queen, will be roaming around city streets on horseback Saturday afternoon.

"They'll catch up with anyone not wearing some semblance of Western attire, carry the offender out to the judge's court for a trial, such as it may be.

If the judge decides a check-

Parade, Racing, Supper, Dancing Featured Events

Ranchhands' Rodeo in Artesia will have a gala opening day next Thursday, complete with parade, auto races, a chuck wagon supper, rodeo and dancing.

Rodeo Day next Thursday opens with a parade at 10 a. m., complete with horse-mounted units, motor-driven floats, and all the trappings, plus a bevy of eight hopeful candidates vying for rodeo queen honors.

Earl D. Westfall, parade marshal, said Thursday noon that many entries have been received for the parade, and more were expected before the deadline at 5 p. m. yesterday.

Time Trials—
At 1 p. m. time trial for the Indianapolis-type cars which will race on the Veterans Speedway west of town will open, and the race gets underway at 2:30 p. m.

At 5 p. m. members of Alpha Nu chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority will begin serving a chuck wagon supper featuring top barbecued beef. The supper will be served at the rodeo arena grounds. Charge is \$1.25.

At 7:30 the 2 hour 15 minute rodeo begins.

And then at 9:30 a Western dance featuring Gene Hensley and his band is slated for Veterans Memorial building.

General admission tickets for the four-day rodeo are priced at \$1.20 for adults and 60 cents for children. They have been placed on sale at Russell Auto Supply in the 300 block of W. Main street. Reserved seats, made possible because of additional seats secured by rodeo sponsors, will be placed on sale Monday. Reserve seats are on the south side of the arena, and are numbered.

Rodeo Events—
Artesia Roping club, sponsors of the event, and Bob Chipman, producer, announced this schedule of rodeo events:

- Grand entry.
- Bareback bronc riding.
- Calif roping.
- Specialty act.
- Barrel racing.
- Saddle bronc riding.
- Double mugging.
- Specialty act.
- Brahma bull riding.

In addition on the last three nights of the rodeo, a cutting horse event will be added to close the program. Chipman pointed out. It is expected to feature top cutting horses brought from nearby ranches.

Non-Professional—
Artesia Ranchhands' Rodeo is strictly a non-professional event. Entries from Dell City near El Paso, San Patricio, Capitan, Magdalena, Carlsbad, Lovington, and Roswell, as well as many from North Eddy county, have been received.

Chipman said fencing at the Artesia Roping club arena west of town has been re-infenced this week. Four steel cables have been stretched on the north and south sides to protect audiences against stock being used.

In addition, new catching pens and more bleacher seating have been built and are now ready for crowds expected, Chipman said.

Seating for about 2,000 has been planned, according to Walter Solt, Artesia Roping club president. In

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American Legion Junior Ball Tourney to Begin on Sunday

Artesia will be host to the American Legion Junior baseball tournament for three days beginning Sunday. Four teams with 20 men on each squad will be in Artesia to seek state championship honors and the right to enter region 10 playoffs.

Teams to play are Albuquerque, Las Vegas, Clovis or Los Alamos, and Las Cruces.

First game will be at 10 a. m. Sunday, followed by a second tourney match at 1:30 Sunday afternoon. The games are scheduled early so that the field may be cleared before the Artesia Driller-Sweetwater contest.

Continues Monday—
Tourney play will continue at 4 p. m. Monday afternoon. At 7 Monday night a Little League All-Star game between Carlsbad and Artesia teams has been scheduled.

A Legion tourney game will follow at 8:30.

Three games are scheduled on the final day, coming at 10 a. m., 4 p. m., and the final, championship game at 7:30 p. m., Tuesday night.

John Simons, Jr., and Carl Foster of the Artesia American Legion post are in charge of arrangements for the tournament.

Admission will be charged for all games to assist the American Legion in meeting costs of the

Artesia FFA Members Reap Top Honors in State Meeting

Highest award possible under the vocational agricultural Future Farmers of America program was given to three Artesia members of the organization this week during the state convention held in Albuquerque.

Winners of the coveted State Farmer degrees were Travis Zeleny, W. L. Gray, and Tom Powell, all members of the Artesia chapter. Zeleny is president of the local chapter.

In addition, Hunt Zumwalt won the top FFA state foundation award for farm mechanics. He received a check for \$100.

Artesia chapter representatives as a group won first prize in parliamentary procedure contests. Members taking part were Hunt Zumwalt, Travis Zeleny, Franklin McAnally, W. L. Gray, John Collins, and Duane Zeleny.

State Office—
Travis Zeleny was elected to state FFA office, being chosen to serve as reporter for all state FFA activities. Zeleny was also chosen to be one of two state official delegates to the national FFA convention slated for Kansas City, Mo., in October.

Zeleny will go to the national convention with expenses paid by the state organization.

The chapter as a group also won the top state prize for supervised farming program. Fifty-one boys in the Artesia chapter last year carried on a business in farming and

Wendell Steele Funeral to Be Held Today

Funeral services for Wendell Boyd Steele, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robin F. Steele of Artesia, will be held this morning at 8 from Emmanuel Baptist church. Reverend Mitchell officiating. Burial will be at Hale Center here afternoon at 4 p. m.

Evangelist Floyd Embree will assist Reverend Mitchell.

Wendell died at 3:30 a. m. Thursday morning in Artesia general hospital following a lingering illness.

He was born in Channing, Texas, on June 6, 1941. He moved with his family to Artesia in 1950 from Washington.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by two sisters, Donna Faye Steele and Leah Laurene Steele.

Permits Filed To Build 11 More New Houses Here

Permits to build 11 three-bedroom homes in Artesia were granted to American Builders, Inc., of Albuquerque Thursday by city officials. The 11 new houses will bring total number of homes constructed here by the firm to 29.

The new units are to be built on Runyan avenue across from two-bedroom homes recently completed by the company. The 11 new houses have already been assigned to purchasers.

SOCIETY

Miss Wanda Burch Is Honored With Two Prenuptial Events

Miss Wanda Burch, who will be married Sunday to Reese Booker, was honored with a bridal miscellaneous shower Tuesday afternoon at the Artesia Country club with Mrs. Clyde Guy as hostess.

Miss Burch was dressed in a charcoal gray dress and wore a corsage of white fugi mums. Mrs. Glenn Booker, mother of the groom, wore a brown glazed chambray dress. Her corsage was white Muriel daisies. Mrs. Burch's dress was watermelon red nylon, and her corsage was white asters. Mrs. Guy chose a lavender linen dress. Her corsage was gold pom pom mums.

The gift table was placed in front of the mantle and rose color of maline was swagged up the mantle. On the mantle was a bouquet of white pom pom mums.

The tea table was laid with a white and yellow applique organdy cloth. The centerpiece was of white and pink rosebuds and was flanked with tapers tied with tiny rosebuds.

Refreshments of finger sandwiches, petite and coffee were served to 35 guests.

Miss Burch was honored with a kitchen shower Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Tom Boyd. Hostesses were Mrs. Jack Demonds, Mrs. Leroy Cranford, and Mrs. Boyd.

Girl Scout Day Camp to Open On August 18

The Girl Scouts planning board met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. T. Nickolds to complete plans for Brownie Day camp.

The day camp is scheduled to start Monday, Aug. 18, and end Friday, Aug. 22. The hours will be from 8 a. m. till 2 noon and will be for Brownie Scouts only. Mrs. and will train her staff assistants.

There will be five units consisting of one adult and two senior Girl Scouts. The unit leaders are Mrs. Ralph Gray, Mrs. Verble Baker, Mrs. James Tyree, Mrs. Clyde Champion, and Mrs. Ed Mitchell. The refreshment committee will be Mrs. Bob Hanson and Mrs. D. M. Walter. Mrs. Ted Maschek will be in charge of story time.

Mrs. G. T. Nickolds and Mrs. W. F. Hinde will purchase all equipment for operations Day Camp and will handle all registrations. Any Brownie wishing to attend day camp should pick up the registration slips from Mrs. DeWors at the Artesia Floral Shop, 402 W. Main street. These slips should be filled out and together with the registration fee of \$1.00 returned to the Artesia Floral Shop without delay.

"Pioneering" will be the theme of the day camp.

Those attending the planning board session were Mrs. Duane Sams, Mrs. Wayne Adkins, Mrs. Donald Knorr, Mrs. W. F. Hinde, and Mrs. G. T. Nickolds.

Episcopal Guild Meets With Reverend Rohane

St. Paul Episcopal Guild met at 9:45 a. m. Thursday at the home of Mrs. Herbert Aid with 11 members and Rev. Wilson Rohane, vicar, present.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Rev. Rohane and devotions led by Mrs. Bertha Van Wynn-garden.

Mrs. Burl Sears, president, presided over a short business meeting.

The hostess served cookies and iced drinks.

Miss Rena House Becomes Bride Of Dale Goin

Miss Rena House became the bride of Dale Goin Saturday morning, Aug. 2, at Carlsbad.

On Monday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Goin left for their new home at Williston, N. D.

Mr. Goin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Goin of Antlers, Okla., and Mrs. Goin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arley House of Mabelville, Ark.

Mrs. Goin for the past three years has been employed in the office of Employers Group Insurance, Artesia.

Mr. Goin is employed by the Amerado Petroleum Co. and was transferred to Williston this week. He had been employed in Artesia for eight months.

Garcia Assigned



PVT. PAUL GARCIA, son of Mrs. Ramona Garcia of 511 E. Texas, has been assigned to Fort Bliss, El Paso, for basic training.

Mrs. Ed Thompson, aunt of the honoree, presided at the punch bowl.

Legion Auxiliary Presents Gift to Mrs. Fred Jacobs

The American Legion Auxiliary, Clarence Kepple unit 41 enjoyed a covered-dish supper with the Legion at the regular meeting on Monday evening at the Veterans Memorial building. Barbecue ham was the main dish.

The Auxiliary meeting opened at 7:30 p. m. in the Sombroero room with Mrs. John A. Mathis, Jr., president, presiding. Convention reports were given. It was announced the fall district 6 meeting would be held Sept. 13 in Roswell.

Mrs. Fred L. Jacobs, a very active member, was presented a gift by Mrs. Lee Francis in behalf of the unit. Mrs. Jacobs is moving to Philadelphia to make her home. A tea was also given in her honor. The table was covered with a lace cloth centered with a bouquet of summer flowers. Mrs. Mathis, Jr., presided over the punch bowl. Cookies, mints and punch were served.

Hostesses were Mrs. J. B. Mulcock, and Mrs. Raymond Bartlett. The next meeting will be Tuesday, Sept. 2, due to Monday being Labor Day.

Melody Baker Is Honored With Dress-Up Party

Melody Baker of Pecos, Texas, who has spent a week with Diana Vee Sutton, was honored with a dress-up party Tuesday afternoon.

The girls came in their long dresses and brought their dolls with them.

After the party Melody Baker was taken to her home by Stanley Sutton.

Refreshments of cookies, ice cream and Kool-Aid were served.

Those present were Loréne Short, Cykeitha Aaron, Ann Lowery, Betty Champion, Nadine Joplin, Melody Baker, and Diana Vee Sutton.

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Conapary left Artesia Tuesday morning for their new home at Boynton, Okla., where they will be engaged in ranching.

James Vernon Sowers of the U. S. Navy, San Diego, Calif., arrived home Saturday, Aug. 2, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Sowers. He left Thursday for San Diego. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nelson of Odessa spent Sunday with Mrs. Nelson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sowers and her brother, James Vernon.

Mary Alice Golden entered St. Joseph hospital, Albuquerque, on Monday, July 28. Her mother, Mrs. Bernice Golden returned home Monday and reported her daughter was improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Cunningham returned Thursday from El Paso.

Mrs. John A. Mathis, Jr., and son left Tuesday morning for El Paso to visit her sister. They plan to return home Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Montgomery and daughter, Lafaye, and Mrs. Montgomery's mother-in-law, Mrs. Montgomery of Muskogee, Okla., left Wednesday morning for El Paso. They plan to return home today.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Menefee left today for Fayetteville, Ark. Mr. Menefee will attend the loan school at the University of Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Cutting of Pasadena, Calif., left Tuesday after visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mulcock and family. They arrived Sunday. Mrs. Cutting is a sister of Mulcock.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Stryjewski and daughters left Tuesday on a 10-day vacation trip. They will visit Mrs. Stryjewski's mother, Mrs. R. J. Mulford and other relatives at Kirksville, Mo., and visit Mr. and Mrs. John Baker at Little Rock, Ark.

Frederick Hannah, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hannah arrived in California last Saturday from Korea where he had been almost a year.

Pat Briscoe of the U. S. Army, who has been in Korea for a year, arrived home last Saturday, and has received his discharge.

C. H. Winters left last Sunday for Silver City to attend the bus drivers' school that opened Monday. He is due to arrive home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Knoblett and children, Ruth, Donald, and Leonard of Palestine, Ill., arrived last Saturday to visit in the home of

Six Rebekahs Are Honored By Birthday Party

Six members of Sunrise Rebekah lodge 9 having birthdays in August were honored Monday evening with a birthday dinner in the IOOF hall.

They were Mrs. Effie Wingfield, Mrs. Nellie Smith, Mrs. Jennie Butler, Mrs. J. B. Spencer, Mrs. W. T. Amstutz, and Mrs. Buelah Karr. All received gifts from their mystery friends and many birthday cards.

The birthday table was centered with a large bouquet of mixed flowers and fern. The tables for members and guests were decorated with dahlias and fern. The dinner was enjoyed by 70 members and guests.

Following the dinner the regular lodge meeting was held with Mrs. J. L. Walker, noble grand, presiding. Mrs. Margaret Sanders was admitted as a member of this lodge by transfer from Stanton, Texas. Plans were made to enter a float in the V-J Day parade.

Gene Lindberg, grand master of the New Mexico Odd Fellows has requested that each member of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs be given cards on which to have their blood typed that they may be of service when needed.

The Rebekahs have purchased a new refrigerator for the kitchen.

Hairdressers to Close Shop on Rodeo Day Here

Artesia Hairdressers association met in the Gilma Beauty shop on Monday evening.

It was decided beauty shops will close all day Thursday, Aug. 14, for V-J Rodeo parade.

After the business meeting a social hour followed.

New members present were Francis Hartford, Rita Durbin, Pauline Lovorn, and Clara Burris. Old members present were Gladys Vaughan, Nola Phillips, Vesta Goodlett, Boots Hanson, and Thelma Gelwick, and Mrs. J. W. Brown was a visitor.

The next meeting will be Monday, Sept. 6, at the LaVaughan Beauty Shop with Gladys Vaughan as hostess, and Fay Mermis and Francis Hartford program committee.

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ENMU Alumni To Name Students For Scholarships

Eastern New Mexico university alumni held a special meeting Friday, Aug. 1, in the home of Mrs. Lena Riddle. A committee of three members was appointed to select four students to be given scholarships to attend the ENMU this fall. They will be presented to the students some time this week.

The scholarships are from the proceeds of the baseball game played here April 16, between the Artesia Driers and ENMU baseball club.

The alumni club presented \$100 to the alumni lending library fund to be used for text books this fall.

Refreshments were served to the following members present: S. A. "Tiny" Davis, George S. Stockton, Mickey McGuire, Bill Speegle, Jean Stone, Leroy Coker, Hubert Burke, V. Elmer McGuffin, Lotet Speegle, Ruth McGuire and Lena Riddle.

The Sahara desert, in North Africa, is the largest continuous desert in the world and its area is estimated at more than 3,500,000 square miles.

Social Calendar

Friday, Aug. 8—
Artesia Garden club, meeting at the home of Mrs. Carl Lewis, 2 p. m.
Past Matrons club, picnic supper with families as guest, at the home of Mrs. Dora Polk.
Order of Rainbow for Girls, cream and cake social, Main Temple, 6:30 p. m.
Monday, Aug. 11—
Past Presidents Parley, American Legion Auxiliary, covered dish luncheon and meeting at home of Mrs. Merle Story, 7 p. m.
Tuesday, Aug. 12—
Banquet and entertainment of Masons and their wives given at Order of Eastern Star and husbands, Masonic Temple, 7 p. m.

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GI Bill for Korean Vets Outlined in Series By VA

Editor's Note: This is the first of four articles on the new GI Bill, recently signed into law by President Truman for veterans of Korean conflict.

The new GI Bill provides five years, all designed to assist veterans in their return to civilian life. It covers all veterans who served in any place in the world since the start of the Korean conflict on June 27, 1950. Education and training programs allow a veteran one and one-half days of training for each month of service after the outbreak of Korean fighting—regardless of the service was performed to a maximum of 36 months.

dependents; \$135 if they have one dependent, and \$160 if they have more than one dependent. Those in training less than full time will receive lower monthly rates.

Top Monthly—
Top monthly amounts for on-the-job trainees are \$70 without dependents; \$85 with one dependent; and \$105 with more than one dependent. The maximums for institutional on-farm trainees are \$95, \$110 and \$130, respectively. The law requires that on-job and on-farm rates be reduced, at four-month intervals, as the training progresses and the veteran's own earnings increase.

The law also specifies that veterans taking institutional on-farm training must devote full time to their program.

The new GI Bill places a \$310-a-month ceiling on job training, regardless of dependency status. Should a veteran's training allowance plus his earnings as a trainee exceed this amount, VA will reduce allowance accordingly. There's no ceiling, however, on what he may earn.

A veteran will get his monthly allowance some time after the end of each month of training completed. Before VA can pay him, the law requires a certification from both the veteran and his school or training establishment, that he was enrolled in and pursuing his course during that period.

New Method—
This new method of payment differs from procedures followed under previous veterans' training laws. Under earlier laws, VA paid tuition and other costs directly to schools, and also paid eligible veterans a monthly subsistence allowance.

Although the new law takes effect immediately, no training allowances may be paid for any period prior to August 20.

'BOY OF THE YEAR' GETS AUTOGRAPH



'BOY OF THE YEAR' Jimmie Carrick of Pittsburgh gets an autograph from President Truman during a visit to the White House with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Carrick. Jimmie spent 11 of his 13 years in a hospital, fighting spinal tuberculosis, and solicited 8,000 blood donations for armed forces, for which Seabees made him mascot. He was picked "Boy of the Year" under sponsorship of 2,200 Junior Chambers of Commerce in the nation. (International Soundphoto)

Southeastern New Mexicans Are Aided By New Social Security

Nearly 3500 people in southeastern New Mexico will receive higher social security payments beginning early in October as a result of the social security amendments which have just been signed into law by President Truman.

J. Hassler Strickland, manager of the Roswell social security administration office, emphasized that no one needs to apply for the increased payments. "The social security administration is already changing the amounts," he pointed out. "We expect to get them changed in time to have them in the mail October 3, the regular delivery date, but if in a few cases we don't meet that schedule we'll send the regular check and make up the difference in a later check."

Strickland pointed out that although nearly every family receiving payments would receive an increase, the additional amount would not always be divided among all the members of the family receiving monthly checks. In some cases the entire increase will go to the retired worker.

Amount of Increase—
Amount of the increase for a retired worker will range from \$5.00 to \$8.60, with the average about \$6.00. Where several members of a family are receiving payments,

the total increase to the family can be as much as \$18.90. A few benefits now being paid, and most of those payable in the future, will be based on earnings after 1950 instead of after 1936. The amended law provides a new formula for determining the amount of the payments in these cases. Under it, a retired worker's monthly benefit would be 55 per cent of the first \$100 of his average monthly earnings plus 1 per cent of the remainder up to \$300.

Beginning September 1, the new law increased to \$75 a month instead of \$50 the amount of money a beneficiary may earn and still receive the monthly benefits. Self-employed people entitled to old-age and survivors insurance benefits may receive the payments for each month of the year if their net earnings during the entire year are not over \$900.

Another amendment allows beneficiaries aged 75 or over (already on the rolls) to take advantage of the higher benefit payments provided under the new formula, if they had at least a year and a half of covered work after 1950.

\$160 Credits—
The amended law allows social security wage credits of \$160 for each month of active military or naval service after July 24, 1947. This provision is simply an extension of the one which already gives social security wage credits to servicemen of World War II. It applies to service in the armed forces up to January 1, 1950.

Of advantage to the survivors of deceased service people is a provision in the amended law extending the time for claiming a lump-sum death payment. This applies to servicemen who die abroad and are later returned to the United States for burial or reburial. Survivors who pay the burial expenses may now claim reimbursement up to two years after the reburial instead of two years after the serviceman's death.

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Early Season Control of Cotton Pests Most Effective, Researchers Learn

Records prove that early season control of certain cotton pests in both effective and profitable. Mike Swoboda, entomologist for the New Mexico Extension Service says early season control insures early fruiting in areas where thrips, spider mites, aphids, and fleahoppers, alone or in combination, cause damage every year.

Early fruiting, he points out, insures earlier maturity of the crop and better grade, makes possible earlier harvesting, and, under favorable conditions, increases yields. "The early season control program will be more effective if carried out on a community or county-wide basis," Swoboda explains. "However, the individual farmer can expect considerable benefit if he carries out a recommended control program."

The first application of insecticide is normally made when the cotton plant is in the four-leaf stage. However, in some cases, earlier applications may be necessary to control thrips. Swoboda points out that from two to four applica-

tions of the insecticides are usually needed, but this will depend upon infestations, weather conditions, and whether the cotton was early or late planted. Regardless of the number of applications, he says, the last application should be made 30 days before bollworms usually appear.

This is very important and the final results of the control program may well hinge on the stopping time. This period of time is needed to allow the population of beneficial insects to build up as a protection against bollworms. Since the time for ending early season control varies with different sections of the state, Swoboda suggests that farmers call on the services of the local county extension offices for further information on this subject.

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Expert Says State's Business Won't Jump 19 Per Cent—Maybe

Experts say that figures don't lie. D. Carey, statistician for University of New Mexico, says business research is won't jump 19 per cent—maybe.

issued at the same time last year. Petroleum production is 20 per cent higher this year than last; mine production of copper is up 15 per cent; and potash production is 13 per cent higher.

Wages of workers have continued to climb but they have been offset by jumps in food prices. It's all in all an unclear picture.

Sets Down Facts—
Carey has set down the facts in the bulletin. It's up to the reader to draw his own conclusions.

All except four New Mexico counties showed healthy increases in retail sales from April 1951 to April 1952. Those showing plus signs were:

Harding 138 per cent, DeBaca 129, Dona Ana 85, Sandoval 78, Lea 72, Otero 65, Catron 58, Grant 52, Taos 51, Luna 45, San Juan 43, San Miguel 32, Colfax 31, Chaves 30, Bernalillo 29, Guadalupe 28, Torrance and Hidalgo 25 each, Santa Fe 23, McKinley 20, Valencia and Socorro 18 each, Sierra 16,

Oil Industry to Hit New Peak In Investment for Production

The American oil industry is spending more money this year than in any other one-year period in history to assure the American people and national security a continuing supply of petroleum products.

This was announced today by Frank M. Porter, president of the American Petroleum Institute. He reported that a survey indicates that capital expenditures scheduled for 1952 will exceed four billion dollars.

The API president pointed out that this estimated expenditures boosts the industry's total for the seven post-war years to more than 19 billion dollars.

This, he said, is probably the greatest expenditure of all time by any single industry for expansion and development over so short a period.

Up 25 Per Cent—
The 1952 total represents an increase of 25 per cent over last year's peak of three billion 270 million dollars, Porter said. He expressed belief that the total is on the low side because the survey includes only a conservative estimate for the thousands of independent operators on whom no actual information is available.

These billions are being poured into new oil wells, refineries, pipe lines, tankers and other transportation facilities, fertilizer and chemical plants, distribution outlets and many other new, modernized or expanded operations. This will, of course, require a continuing flow

of vast supplies of steel and other materials, the API president added.

The American people are the most prolific users of petroleum in the world, and consumption in the post-war years has been skyrocketing. It is now 43 per cent higher than it was in 1946 and 73 per cent higher than 1941. Motor vehicles alone are consuming about 44 billion gallons of gasoline a year, and home oil burners are accounting for more than 10 billion gallons of fuel oil. It is to meet these increasing demands of today, and the projected increases of tomorrow, for peace or war, that the oil companies are carrying out their continuing program of expansion and development.

Large Requirements—
"The immensity of the expenditures scheduled for the current year emphasize the staggering financial requirements of the petroleum industry," Porter said. "Most of the money must come from the earnings of the thousands of oil companies which make up the American oil industry."

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Dusters Edge 9-8 Win Over Drillers in Wednesday Contest

Vernon's Dusters slipped a 9-8 win over Artesia in the second of a three-game series at Driller Park Wednesday night. Vernon opened with a big six-run first, was headed by Artesia in the second, but shoved over the winning run in the seventh.

George Hayes managed first on a fielder's choice that put Jim Hayes out, then came home on Riemold's double.

Drillers Capture 2 to 1 Win Over Vernon in First

A last-minute run by Artesia in the ninth inning gave the Drillers a narrow 2-1 victory Tuesday night over the Vernon Dusters in the first of three games here.

Artesia scored the winning run with two outs. Driller manager Earl Perry went to first on a fielder's choice created when Vince Sarubbi was thrown out at second. Perry advanced on a walk given Paul Halter, and came home when Joe Bauman and Rudy Briner added more singles to bring home the runners. Wally Hanna's double mopped up.

Artesia scored its other run in the third stanza. Vernon scored its lone run in the top of the ninth, throwing the game into a tie.

The game was highlighted by a drawn-out rhubarb which ended in Vernon playing the game under protest from the seventh inning on. Neidson had gained first for the Dusters and Carreras faced a full two-three count before Driller hurler LaVerne Hermann.

Carreras hit the ball, watched it rolling around the home plate area. Driller catcher Rudy Briner threw to Joe Bauman at first, and the umpire ruled Carreras was out.

Carreras claimed the ball touched home plate and was therefore dead.

Vernon's manager argued the decision, announced they would complete the game only under protest.

In the eighth inning with two Drillers on, Wally Hanna drove a first base line drive. It hit the fence and rolled, and the umpire ruled the ball was foul. Meanwhile the two Driller runners had crossed the plate.

Perry, supported volubly by Jim Ackers and Rudy Briner, who had been on base, protested a ruling Hanna's hit was foul. Ackers and Briner claimed they had waited to run until they saw the ball was fair.

Hermann went all the way for Artesia, allowing 10 scattered hits for one Vernon run. He walked two and struck out seven.

Sosa went eight full innings for Vernon, and was replaced by Wallis in the ninth. Sosa gave up nine hits, one run, struck out one and walked four. Wallis yielded one hit, one run, and walked two.

Wallis was credited with the loss, since the winning Artesia run came in the ninth inning.

New Plumbing Code Proposal Is Discussed By Artesia Kiwanians

Discussion of a plumbing code proposed for the city of Artesia was led before Artesia Kiwanis club Thursday noon by Milt Losee, program chairman.

Losee pointed out certain codes have been set up in other cities to control plumbing electrical wiring, and even plastering under sponsorship of trade unions and associations.

Losee pointed out the plumbing code approved by various national organizations of builders would save thousands of tons of iron and steel.

Several associations and educational institutions of national repute have recommended a model national code prepared by U. S. government departments in cooperation with two state universities. Losee protested increasing control of such regulations by trade unions and associations, which tend to "make work" and call for more expensive and extensive materials than are justified.

John Patmer of Magnum, Okla., and Artesia was guest of the club at Thursday's meeting.

Dr. G. A. Slusser reported to the club that Southwest Potash Co. has extended invitations to civic clubs to visit and inspect their plant. The new potash-producing firm will begin operations in six weeks to two months, Doctor Slusser reported.

VA Warns GIs On Delinquency In Home Payments

Veterans Administration warns veterans who are delinquent on their GI home loans to check carefully any offers by strangers to pay delinquent payments, if the veteran will sign on the dotted line.

VA said such veterans should check with the holder of the mort-

tain possession of the veteran's home.

In other instances, a low cost subdivision will be canvassed to learn whether veterans are having trouble meeting their GI loan payments. If the veterans are having trouble, these individuals offer each veteran a nominal amount for his equity, plus the privilege of purchasing another home in a lower cost area on a land sales contract.

The veteran agrees to give possession in 60 days and "signs on the dotted line," unaware that he is signing a deed. When the 60 days are up, the veteran is advised that no listings are available in the lower cost development. The veteran then is evicted from his home.

Third Variation—

A third variation of these practices, is used in states where there is a long mortgage redemption period. A veteran, falling behind in home loan payments, is offered a nominal sum for a quit claim deed to the property with a verbal promise that all back payments will be made up. The veteran moves out believing that his loan

will be brought up to date.

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Many variations of these practices are used in different parts of the country, depending on state and local laws. Although these practices may be legal, they are considered unethical by the vast majority of mortgage lenders and real estate brokers.

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musical, "Singin' in the Rain,"
which comes to the Landsun the-
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Running a full 45 minutes and
staged on a scale equal to that of
the much-discussed Kelly-Leslie
Caron ballet in the triumphant
"An American in Paris," the lavish
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the rise of a young hooper of New
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The sets vary from the night-
club, to speakeasies, theater inter-
iors, Fifth Avenue on a crowded
afternoon and an imaginative de-
piction of Times Square at night,
with the familiar signs of Broad-
way suspended in mid-air against
an impressionistic background of
the famous street.

Fifty-five hundred light bulbs
were required to illuminate the
scene, which starts at floor level
with the cameras focusing on
Kelly. The camera and boom then
move backward until the camera
is shooting from a height of 60
feet in the air. For the Fifth
Avenue sequence, showing the
crowds sauntering (and dancing)
along the town's most fashionable
thoroughfare, M-G-M constructed
the largest treadmill ever used on
the Culver City sound stages.

Walter Plunkett designed the
costumes for the ballet number, as
well as for the remainder of "Sing-
in' in the Rain," with Kelly having
a number of quick changes ranging
from a striped blazer, an outsized
check suit, a dinner jacket with
straw hat and the formal white
tie and tails, and Miss Charisse
sporting an elaborate costume fash-
ioned entirely of sequins and
feathers.

The ballet utilizes a medley of
the great songs written by Arthur
Frederic and Nacio Herb Brown.
Frederic also produced the new mu-
sical, with Gene Kelly and Stanley
co-directing. Donald O'Connor and
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General Assembly**

Rev. J. D. Hodges, pastor of the
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Thursday night to attend the gen-
eral assembly of the church sched-
uled to open in Indianapolis next
Tuesday.

Reverend Hodges will be one of
12,000 delegates to attend the in-
ternational convention of the
church. Pastors and other officers
of the church will receive their ap-
pointments for the forthcoming
two-year period during the conven-
tion.


**Cole Graduates
From Training**

Ferry T. Cole, an employe at
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Cole is one of 225 students to be
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Bracero Contract Extensions Are Slated Here Next Friday

Contract extension for Mexican National workers has been scheduled for Artesia beginning at 8 a. m. next Friday, Aug. 15, Carl C. Foster, manager of the state unemployment security commission office here, has announced.

Workers under the Artesia Alfalfa Growers association will be processed from 8 a. m. to noon, Foster said. Eddy county workers will be processed from 1 p. m. through the afternoon.

Foster observed that prevailing rates of \$1.50 per hundredweight for cotton pulling and \$2 per hundredweight for picking will be observed in the contract extensions.

The prevailing rate is beneath a higher rate demanded three weeks ago by the Mexican government, setting prices at \$1.75 for pulling and \$2.50 for picking.

Foster also announced there will be no reduction in the \$1.50 per day subsistence allotment paid by New Mexico employers of Mexican National workers.

Foster said information concerning contracting had been sent to him by M. R. Salazar, state director of the New Mexico employment security commission.

Visits Parents



JAMES SOWDERS, who enlisted in the U. S. Navy Sept. 11, 1951, and received his boot training at San Diego, arrived home Saturday, Aug. 2, on a seven-day leave to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Sowders. He will report back to San Diego and will receive shipping orders for overseas duty.

Swimming Class Ends; 22 More Complete Test

During the last weeks of swimming, 22 boys and girls have passed tests. They are Lois Solza, Mary Jean Buck, Dicey Shepherd, Ann Lowery, Sharon Yeager, Eugenia Cavin, Linda Fairey, Betty Bryant, Ralph Underwood, Norma Jean Plowman, Leroy Plowman, Susan Ratliff, Sandra Hubbard, Bobbie Mansell, Sandra Coll, Betty Bullock, Carolyn McKinley, Danny Knorr, Billie Ruth Ellinger, Jodene Peebles, Jay Allen, and Ralph Petty.

The swimming program ends this week. During the summer a total of 167 boys and 156 girls have registered for the program. The average weekly attendance for the girls was 290, with a high of 338 for the week of June 16.

Fifteen people finished the life-saving and water-safety course. One course was held the first part of the program and those who finished the second course are Paulina Laughlin, James Syferd, Don Cullins, Virginia Carder, and Garleen Stuart.

The black tie worn by American sailors is a carryover from the British Navy, where it was worn as a mark of respect after the death of Adm. Horatio Nelson.

established hospital visiting hours so that patients, hospital staff, and doctors may be given the maximum opportunity to do their work efficiently.

Artesia Rotary Views Film on Cerebral Palsy

An educational sound film on cerebral palsy was shown before Artesia Rotary club Tuesday noon. The film is produced by American businessmen's club and is sponsored by the American Society for Crippled Children.

Visitors at Tuesday's Rotary meeting were J. R. "Potsy" Allen, B. F. Rose, H. C. Roberts, and Warren Cobean, all of Roswell. Guests included W. B. Robinson and R. H. Robinson, both of Carlsbad; and Hugo Anderson, Roswell.

Public Library Is Moved to New Quarters

Moving of Artesia library to new quarters in the basement of City Hall building started Thursday and will be completed within the next week, city officials have announced.

Space in the basement of the City Hall building will provide the library with three times as much space as is now being used as well as available in former quarters upstairs in City Hall.

Library patrons will now enter the library by walking down steps on the Main street side of the library.

Offices for justice of peace J. D. Josey, State Patrolman Arnold Smith, and Deputies Mark Walters and Orville Lusk have been moved upstairs in the City Hall building in the office formerly occupied by the children's library department. Former library space will be used by the city council as a meeting place, and for other special meetings.

The assembly hall on the downstairs floor will become the main library and reading room. The smaller room across the hall will be the children's room, and the office formerly occupied by Judge Josey is to be the librarian's office and work space.

New quarters for the library give approximately three times the amount of space formerly available. New book shelves will be installed, and a new librarian's charge desk and catalogue file are to be installed.

Tourist Commends Unknown Artesian for Friendliness

The Chamber of Commerce is searching for some Artesia businessman or woman who is subject of the following letter:

"Newspaper (of Artesia), or Chamber of Commerce, Artesia, New Mexico

Sirs: If this letter is delivered to a newspaper, will you kindly print the following in your letters to the editor and oblige? Editor: Recently, while passing through your city, I was the recipient of your courtesy that I shall not forget Artesia, nor have I failed to respect the incident while on a vacation trip thru the Southern and Mid-western states.

A storekeeper in your town gave of his time and extraordinary goodwill in sending to me a garment which I, a perfect stranger, merely passing thru, had left in a cafe in Carlsbad.

I have every reason to believe that this gentleman has performed such acts repeatedly as he appeared to be one of those rare individuals who lives to serve.

Artesia can well be proud of such citizens for it is his kind, men of integrity and honesty, that make for a better community to live in. We need more men like this storekeeper in Artesia, N. M. May he prosper.

Mrs. William Strand, 5353 Fannel Street, San Diego 9, Calif.

The Chamber believes thanks are in order for this very good citizen who is doing so much to promote Artesia in this period when many new residents are moving in.

Artesia Lions To Tour Potash Installations

Artesia Lions club will tour Southwest Potash Co. and dine in the Potash Corporation of America dining room on a tour of potash installations next Wednesday.

The tour will take place of the club's regular Wednesday luncheon meeting. The group is to leave Artesia at noon, and is expected to return about 3 p. m.

Tentative plans call for Lions to eat first in the PCA employes dining room.

The group will then visit the Southwest Potash Corp. plant. In other business to come before the club Wednesday, W. F. "Pat" Patterson announced all 1,300 turtles purchased for the recent Artesia Turtle Derby had been sold to clubs in Roswell and Albuquerque. Proceeds from the Turtle Derby are earmarked for the Lions club sight conservation fund.

Plans for a family picnic slated later this month were discussed in a session led by Dr. G. P. Ruppert, ladies' night chairman.

A film on cerebral palsy entitled "Search" was screened before the club by Vernon Mills. The film, sponsored by American Business clubs, urges understanding in meeting cerebral palsy victims.

The film stresses that cerebral palsy cases suffer a muscular disorder, allowing the victim no control over muscles. However, the film points out, the victim nevertheless has an active and intelligent mind as any other child.

Announcement of District 4-H Results Delayed

Artesia and North Eddy county winners in the district 4-H contest held in Portales Monday will not be announced until later in August, according to information received here this week.

Announcement will probably be made Aug. 12, when state winners are announced by judges. No state 4-H encampment is

being held this year, due to a polio epidemic at Las Cruces and State College, where the convention is normally held.

However, a group of judges is touring four district conventions, being held at Portales, Las Vegas, Albuquerque, and Silver City. The same judges are reviewing entries in all four district contests.

Following a comparison of judging forms and records at State College, the judge will compare district winners against one another to decide who shall be state champion in the various fields.

Contests in which Artesia and North Eddy county entries took part included dairy foods, clothing and dress review, livestock loss prevention, and public speaking contest.

Winners of the district dress reviews will go to the State Fair for final judging, as well livestock, tractor maintenance, and other contests.

Pakistan, with 70 million persons, is the sixth largest nation in the world.

FAIL TO FIND TUNNELS ON KOJE



A DEEP DITCH between compounds 76 and 77 on Kojé Island fails to uncover any tunnels between. Water seepage, authorities decide would make such tunnels impracticable. Photo by International News Photos staff photographer Dave Cicero. (International Soundphoto)

About seven million dollars is spent every year for sunburn remedies in the United States.

Although ice closes in from December to April, Montreal is second only to New York City in North American port facilities.

Each snowflake is built in six. These take on an endless variation of design. About 18 out of every 100 Americans have made wills.



Parade, Racing—

(Continued from Page One) addition 30 or 40 cars can be parked along rodeo fence, and will be allowed on a fire-come, first-served basis, Solt said.

One-Day Supper—

The chuck wagon supper will be served only the first day of the rodeo. Dancing, however, will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights. Thursday and Saturday dancing to Gene Hensley's band will be at Veterans Memorial building. Friday Hensley will be featured at the Barn Dance on the Hope highway. A guest star is also expected for the Friday night dance. Hensley will be at the rodeo arena prior to the nightly dancing.

The show will be fast moving, according to Chipman, and has been timed for 2 hours 15 minutes. Should the show run over, other events will be scheduled after the formal closing each night, so that crowds may leave whenever they wish.

Three hundred reserve seats will be sold, and all are numbered. Chipman noted. Between 1,500 and 1,800 general admission tickets will be sold for each performance.

Dropping Water—

(Continued from Page One) age. "We cannot keep drilling wells indefinitely," the mayor said, "because we would not be allowed to, for one reason, and because even if we were, the heavy pumpage would have a harmful effect on irrigation for farms surrounding Artesia."

There is some possibility that the city's new shallow well at the ball park may be increasing its production as it is being used, according to city officials. Rough measurements now show it has increased about 20 gallons a minute for 1,200 per hour, and may be steadily increasing.

Visiting Hours—

(Continued from Page One) In the morning, and many other routine activities are scheduled at that time. The hospital administrator urged public cooperation in observing

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MRS. E. L. COX, Correspondent

ists in the Joe Young home Sunday were Ruth Ann Cox; Mrs. Douglas Hallaman of Colorado Springs, Colo.; Mrs. Ward of Portales; Mrs. Douglas Hallaman; Mrs. Jessie Hallaman of El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Barry Hal-Judy, Tommy, and Billy Hal-Judy of Artesia.

and Mrs. Lovell Medlock of Nogales, Ariz., arrived Sunday for a several days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Bush and Mrs. Medlock and Mrs. Phyllis Bush relatives.

and Mrs. Odeal Walters of El Paso visited Mrs. Walters' mother, Tom Harrison, and got son, Tommy, who had spent several days visiting his grand-

and Mrs. Anderson Young daughter, Alta Ruth, left Saturday for Tucson. There they will visit Young's parents and go on to California for a visit.

and Mrs. George Sanders children of El Paso are visiting in the Henry Crockett home for a few days.

Bill Jones, Robert and Me-Jones, and Mrs. Raymond returned home Tuesday. There they attended graduation of Zona Pearl Jones nursing school. Zona Pearl accompanied them home.

Ida Prude accompanied her sister, Nona Cartwright and Mr. Cartwright to Roswell on business Saturday.

and Mrs. Glen Grey of El Paso had been conducting a revival at the Baptist church this week. Everyone is welcome to attend services, beginning each evening at 7:30.

upper guests of Mr. and Mrs. El Shull of Clouderoft Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. O. Teel and Karen; Mrs. El Shull, Ruth Ann, and Shir-

She underwent an appendicitis operation several weeks ago and went for a check up.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lea motored to Roswell Tuesday where Mrs. Lea entered a Roswell hospital. She underwent major surgery on Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Seely and family and Mr. and Mrs. Newman Seely were in town from their ranch homes Monday looking after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Torrent attended to business interests in Hope last week.

Mrs. Joe Fisher has received word that her son, George, was seriously injured when a tree fell on him. He was working in the log woods near Green Tree. He was to go to El Paso for treatment.

Ray Jones was hurt when a timber fell on him while he was drilling a well for Haskell Harriss. Ray's back was bruised and some ligaments were pulled loose.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Fisher visited in the mountains Saturday.

Mildred Milam visited an Artesia doctor Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Gordon Goodbie and Wendell Crockett returned to their home in Covington, La., Sunday after a visit with Mrs. Goodbie's father, Henry Crockett, and other relatives.

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Registered Nurses Sought In Polio Fight

The American Red Cross has issued an urgent call for registered nurses to serve during the polio season. Incidence of the disease so far this year is running 58 per cent above the same period last year, according to statistics released by

the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. "The demand for more nurses is particularly great in Iowa and Texas," according to Kay Fitzpatrick, Red Cross director of Nursing Services for the Midwestern area. Most of the available nurses will be needed before the epidemic is over, she said. "It is not our intention to drain nurses from other duty in which they are vitally needed," Miss Fitzpatrick said. She added that inac-

tive registered nurses were particularly being sought. Nurses recruited by the Red Cross are requested to serve for a minimum two-month period. Their salaries are paid by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. The Red Cross recruits nurses at the request of the NFIP, the organization which provides expert polio care for all and meets the cost of treatment when family finances are inadequate. The Foundation will pay the cost of transportation to places of assignment

and will provide maintenance in addition to salary while the nurse is serving in polio work. Foundation figures show a total of 4,176 cases of polio in the United States since March. This compares with 2,644 last year. Last week 34 nurses recruited through Red Cross in the Midwestern area were assigned to hospitals in Illinois, Kansas, Iowa, and Texas. The need is especially acute in Sioux City, Iowa, and Houston, Texas, where

serious epidemics have been reported. Nurses able to serve during the polio season should contact their local Red Cross chapter. Miss Fitzpatrick said.

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1/4 cup tomato juice
1 teaspoon grated onion
1 teaspoon dry mustard
1/2 teaspoon salt
few grains pepper
2 Tablespoons vinegar

2 sliced, hard-cooked eggs
1 1/2 cups flaked salmon, cooked or canned
1/2 cup finely cut celery
1/2 cup cut-up pickle
1/2 cup Fat Milk

Soften gelatin in 1/4 cup cold tomato juice. Heat to boiling in saucepan a mixture of 1/2 cup tomato juice, grated onion, dry mustard, salt, pepper and vinegar. Stir in gelatin mixture. Chill in saucepan until slightly thicker than unbeaten egg whites. Rub with vegetable oil a loaf pan holding about 4 cups. Arrange egg slices on bottom and sides of loaf pan. Fold salmon, celery, pickle and milk into chilled gelatin mixture. Put into egg-lined loaf pan. Chill until firm. To serve turn out on lettuce or other salad greens, if desired. Makes 4 servings.

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Mrs. Ella Tolbert plans to go with her. They will spend the week-end in Truth or Consequences, then go to Silver City for the week-long course. They will return home via El Paso and visit a sister of Mrs. Tolbert's.

Dr. and Mrs. Rupert Pate and small daughters, Sharon Susan and Elizabeth Ann, of McKinney, Texas, were recent visitors in the homes of two of his brothers here, Ray and Redmon.

Mayor and Mrs. A. K. Ripley had as their house guests this week-end, Ted West and family of Ophine, Mont. They entertained them with a picnic and weiner roast on the Pecos river Friday evening. Rev. and Mrs. Martin T. Kennedy were present.

Mrs. Juanita Gromo and Mrs. Georgia Traylor of Artesia visited Mrs. May Gromo and Ruth Bates Tuesday evening.

Clyde Nihart spent an enjoyable week-end at his cabin in the Sacramento mountains just relaxing and resting.

A group of the older intermediates of the Baptist church plan to leave Monday for Inlow Youth Camp near Estancia. Mrs. Gail Boroff will drive the following young people there: Joe and Dorothy Reynolds, Beth Jacobs, Pauline Robinson, Raymond Ripley, and Wanda Shirley.

Mrs. Verne Hart took Mr. Hart to a Roswell hospital early Saturday morning. Andy, a son, got a leave of absence from his job on a well drilling rig to assist in the store while his father is ill.

Bill Hart's nephew, Robbie, son of the Bob Harts of Odessa, is visiting him this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Needham, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mills, and Mrs. B. M. Mills visited B. M. Mills in a

Roswell hospital Wednesday. Mills expected to be released Friday or Saturday. He has been confined there for about three weeks with virus pneumonia.

Mrs. Harold Needham and drien motored to Artesia Wednesday. On their return they visited Harold's mother, G. W. Needham who lives in Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Crook and Mr. and Mrs. Shands visited Mr. and Mrs. Bratcher and infant son in Man Sunday.

Lynn Chumby is up and after being confined to an hospital with virus pneumonia.

Joyce Foster, who is employed at a bank in Artesia, plans to go Monday on a two-week vacation trip to Trinidad, Colo. She will be accompanied by her mother, Ada Foster, and sister, Kay. They will be house guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Foster and family, brother-in-law of Mrs. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Price, family of Lake Arthur and Price and family of Carlsbad, Monday for a two-week fishing on the Chama.

The Lake Arthur Masonic hall is being redecorated and painted this week. Plumbing is also being done.

Paul Robinson and son, net, are both ill at home.

The John Lane home was scene of an old-fashioned wagon supper on the lawn square dance Saturday night was all in honor of Wesley who is returning Friday to naval post of barber aboard the stroyer T. E. Chandler. Mrs. a combie of Roswell called squares. About 35 friends were present at the gay affair.

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Fourth and Grand
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Day services—
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.
Baptist Ambassadors, 6 p. m.
Evangelistic services, 7:30 p. m.
Week services—
Group night, Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.
Evangelistic service, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH GERMAN
Women's Bible class meets in Women's club building with the pastor, 9:45 a. m.
Women's Bible class under Mrs. Lowry and the church school, 10 a. m.
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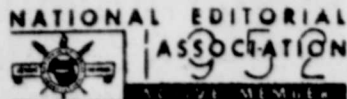
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Dropping Water Table

A NEWS STORY on page one of today's Artesia Advocate cites measurements showing how water levels in Artesia city wells have dropped. Another report relates that farmers in the vicinity have been forced to lower pumps as water levels in their wells drop.

While the annual summer decline in water tables is always expected, the decline is even more severe this year. A 10-year drought in the Artesia area has caused water levels to drop about 100 feet since 1942, according to gauge well measurements by the state engineer's office.

Discussion of water in this desert country is always apt to touch off controversy, to start a farm versus city fight on who wastes more water, with background music being provided by a chorus of promoters who cry that any adverse publicity about water hurts land values, etc.

We believe, however, that straightforward reporting of the area's water situation enables people armed with facts in the case to take intelligent steps toward conserving precious water.

Many farmers and city dwellers already realize that water conservation is of the utmost importance if we are to continue enjoyment of a high level of prosperity made possible by the water which irrigates our crops and provides the backbone of our many-sided economy.

In the Artesia area, water and soil conservation on the farm have become one and the same thing. Farmers realize the two are closely related in this region. If we are to have soil conservation, we must have water conservation—and vice versa.

The city has been somewhat slower to place in effect a thorough-going water conservation program. Despite alarming drops in water levels, we today still have no ordinance requiring circulating pumps on air conditioners. While most business houses and many residences have such pumps, there are still too many not so equipped, with a resultant waste of water.

Any size air conditioner will use 100 gallons in a day. Those equipped with circulating pumps lower that consumption by a great deal through recirculation of the water.

There is waste in irrigating lawns, in washing cars, in common domestic use of water in our homes—from brushing teeth to washing dishes.

Many of our city officials are working toward a comprehensive city water conservation program, but do not believe it can be placed in effect this year, largely because of public apathy and indifference to our water problems.

We urge those responsible for our civic welfare to assume leadership in this vital field, to lead a program of public education in water matters, and to follow up with those steps which mean water conservation.

Better Dress Western Style

A SUMMARY WARNING from wheels of the Artesia Roping club proclaims that Western Week in Artesia will start Saturday at 2:30 p. m. and anyone caught on the streets thereafter will be hailed before Judge Roy Bean's court for trial and possible fine or confinement in a bull pen.

Patrolling the streets on horseback will be officers of the judge's court as well as those lovelly queen candidates, who are nevertheless quite mean about such matters as a disinterest in Western attire.

Although the roping club claims this Saturday afternoon "fun fest" is all in the spirit of the West, we can't see having all those people in a bull pen.
 So our readers have two alternatives—either hibernate Saturday afternoon where no mounted rider can possibly venture to arrest you in the name of Judge Roy Bean, or else don spurs, a kerchief, a 10-gallon hat, or even a pair of dungarees with some resemblance to those styled for the saddle.

Those Young Drivers

WITHIN RECENT WEEKS reports of several auto accidents involving youngsters have come before the public. We have had youthful drivers ranging from 14 years of age up to 19.

It is sometimes quite disconcerting to be driving and pass or be passed by a car in which no driver is apparent. Closer inspection reveals some small fry is piloting a ton and a half or two tons of steel along by peering out under the top of the steering wheel through the windshield.

Minimum height tests might well be made a part of our state laws in regard to licensing young drivers. Better still, the entire matter of allowing youngsters to begin driving when they're 14-years-old should be studied.

One police officer tells us that youngsters are usually ultra careful between 14 and 16 years of age; the driving permit is so valuable they do not risk it by careless driving. From 16 to 19 or 20 the young driver enters a different stage, wherein he is the hotshot who lacks only Wilbur Shaw's mustache to be the hottest thing this side of Indianapolis.

Usually, after 21, the hot rod complex disappears—usually. Insurance companies are more conservative in their estimates, however, and continue to sock high insurance rates to young people until they're 25. That's the result of their studies of age groups involved in auto accidents.

Careful driving involves mastery of an auto. The very young drivers—14 through 16—because of physical development are often not capable of that mastery. In older teenagers, the driver is mastered by his car—mastered by the feel of power, of speed, of maneuverability.

VANISHING OBJECTS OVER WASHINGTON



What Other Editors Are Saying

PASS AROUND BUSINESS

One item in the state purchasing agent's annual report was not generally noted in the accounts of the \$7,000,006 spending. It was the fact that 4300 firms and individuals were patronized by the office during the period that ended June 30.

The state purchasing office, unlike that of a private business, is not obliged to buy economically but to pass the business around. It would probably be cheaper and the service better if all the state printing were done by one shop, all the car repairs by one garage, all the typewriters purchased from one dealer. But New Mexico's business community would never stand for such an operation.

The pass-around practice is not ideally efficient but it has merit if carefully handled. The business people of the state, who put up a good share of the money the purchasing office spends, should have a share of the business if they can meet the terms.

The practice works all right when it operates on strictly business and strictly impartial terms, but it goes to pot if there is any relaxation in the demand for good prices and good service.—Las Vegas Daily Optic.

EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

The monthly bulletin issued by the Employment Security Commission, of which Mr. M. F. Miera is Chairman and Bartley Kinney and W. S. Roberts are members, has issued a special bulletin for June 1952 on employment and earnings for the fourth quarter of 1951. According to this report, total wages reported by employers subject to the unemployment compensation act in New Mexico was \$5329 million, as compared with \$289 million reported in 1950. This is an increase of 17.5 per cent. The increase in average weekly earnings was indicated as nearly 11 per cent higher in 1951 than in 1950. For the fourth quarter of 1951, the highest amount of wages was in Bernalillo County, with \$28,699,299. The next highest was Lea County, with \$10,757,387. Eddy County was third with \$9,469,238. For Grant County \$4,865,600 was reported, for Chaves County \$4,316,084, for Santa Fe County \$4,259,835 and for Los Alamos County \$4,257,887. The highest weekly earnings were in Los Alamos County.—New Mexico Tax Bulletin.

CONTROLS STILL FAILING

Prices are going up again. That's the word from top government stabilization officials. Price Chief Ellis Arnall and Economic Stabilizer Putnam forecast price increases ranging from canned foods to automobiles.

Both officials blame the steel price boost for the prospective hike in the cost of living. They say the \$5.20 a ton increase given the steelmakers will drive up other prices all along the line. Arnall estimates the steel hike of \$5.20 a ton will cost the average U. S. family about \$100 a year in higher living costs.

Thus the vicious cycle goes on and on. Controls as administered by the Truman administration have been a sad and tragic failure.

The Truman administration shouts that it has brought peace and prosperity to the nation. That is the 1952 campaign battle cry. The Korean war and the constant rise in prices and the dangerous inflationary trends don't harmonize very well with the "peace and prosperity" sermon.—Albuquerque Journal.

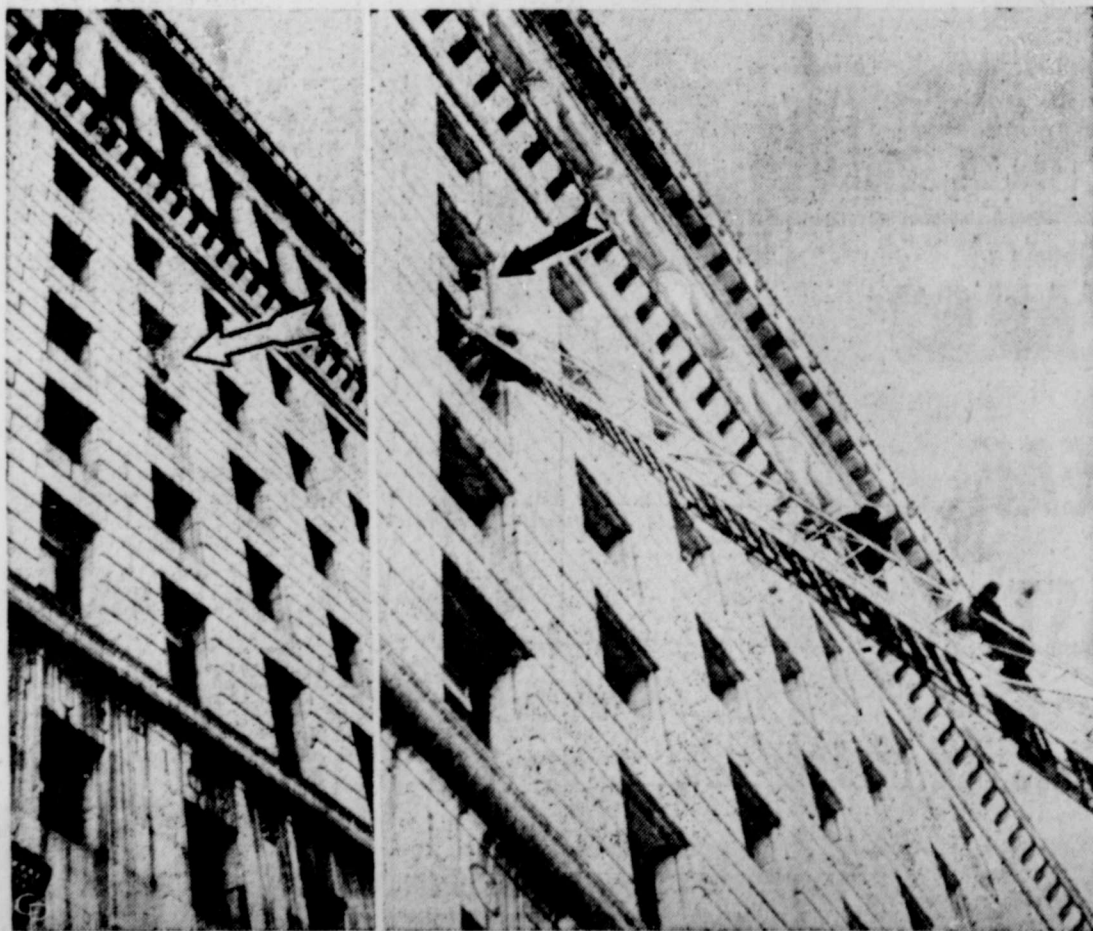
GASOLINE TIPPLERS TAX

There is a new tax on liquor which goes into a fund for treatment of people who get hurt by liquor. The tipplers tax caused the office to suggest a similar levy on gasoline to provide hospital beds and burial plots for people who get mashed by gasoline propelled projectiles.

The suggestion has a grain of merit in the possibility that gasoline tax funds might be used to improve traffic patrol by state police and thus reduce the gasoline casualties. The state police organization was originally a division of the highway department and financed by road money. In 1935 the highway department was given an opinion by the U. S. attorney general to the effect that use of gasoline taxes for traffic patrol is not a diversion of gasoline tax funds.

The state police department which now receives no road money is seriously under-manned for its job of keeping people alive on the 10,000 miles of state roads. Moderate participation by the highway department in financing an adequate highway patrol would be a valuable service to the people who buy the gas and pay the taxes.—Las Vegas Optic.

PRISONER'S 7TH-STORY LEAP FOR FREEDOM FAILS



HIS THREAT to "jump if anyone comes near" failed for Roscoe Simmons Collins in Los Angeles Hall of Justice building, where he is shown dangling (left) by his arms from a seventh-story window ledge. He leaped out and threatened suicide to escape being returned to prison. A fire ladder (right) is hoisted up the side of the building as arms from window below grip Collins' legs. (International Soundphotos)

Readers Write—

Speeding in Lake Arthur Angers Writer

To the Editor,
 Artesia Advocate:

Everything was quiet during the Saturday noon-day lunch hour in peaceful Lake Arthur. Suddenly this quietness was pierced by a terrible crash which caused a bad-lam.

Hart's store and filling station on Highway and Main streets was the scene of the accident. Andy Hart, who was on leave of absence from his job in the oilfields while his father lay ill in a Roswell hospital, was filling up a gasoline tank on a Studebaker car belonging to Joe Espinosa when he casually glanced up at the approaching cars on the highway.

What he saw caused him to drop the gasoline hose and run for dear life. An Oldsmobile driven by a soldier from Roswell air base was coming south at a terrific speed when he noticed Price's Creamery milk truck of Roswell also coming south signal to turn east on Main street. He swerved to the right to avoid hitting the milk truck and when he did he hit the Studebaker being serviced. The impact spun the Studebaker around through the driveway crashing it against a huge post on the opposite side of the filling station.

Andy doesn't have the remotest idea just how fast he was traveling via foot when things quieted down so he felt safe in returning to the scene. It was good that all he saw was only broken steel and glass instead of a gruesome scene of death and broken human bodies.

Every day cars race through ignoring the traffic signals—speed limit 25 MPH.

The people of Lake Arthur are all rising up in one accord asking this question: How can we remedy this situation to make our town of law abiding citizens a safe place to rear our children?

Sincerely,
 Lake Arthur Citizen.

Cottonwood News

Mrs. Geneva Merchant and Sgt. Don Williams spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Henderson.

Leroy Jacobs of Portales visited Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Donaghue this last week. He and Jack Donaghue went to Carlsbad on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Malone, Jr., and son vacationed in Ruidoso last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson and family went to Roswell Thursday evening to visit Mrs. Geneva Merchant and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Martin. They were also visitors in the Jack Smith home in Artesia Tuesday night.

Miss Glenda Proffitt of Artesia spent three days with Linda King this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Mayberry spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Mayberry and family. Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Mayberry and Herman Mayberry and family also visited with the L. C. Mayberrys Sunday.

Little Reva Nell Henderson has been sick this week with a poisonous bite on her leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Moly and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Dewitt, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Seals were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson on Thursday night. Mrs. Moly and family and Mrs. Dewitt are leaving Tuesday for a four-week stay in California.

The Juan Ranicon home on the Ralph Pearson farm was damaged by fire Thursday morning. The Lake Arthur fire department was called, but the fire was out when it arrived. Considerable damage was done to the inside of the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Glass and son of Artesia visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson Friday night.

Mrs. Joe Ford and children of Hagerman visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Mayberry Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson and family spent Sunday night in Hobbs visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Odell Henderson. They brought Ed Henderson home with them to spend a week.

Several persons went from Cottonwood Monday to Portales for the district 4-H contests in dairy food, clothing, livestock loss prevention demonstration, and public speaking. The parents who went were Mr. and Mrs. James Thigpen, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McNeil, Mrs. Orval Gray, and Mrs. Ralph Pearson. Those entering the contests were Norma Jo and Pug Thigpen, Jackie and Jimmie McNeil, Terry Jane and Bill Gray, and Abby Pearson. Winners will be announced in two weeks.

Lucky You

by Dick Shaw



Lucky you—you cheated the undertaker with your broken down car

Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

THE third vice-president of a downtown bank is a noted ladies' man, despite his seventy years, and the girls in the organization make wide detours to escape his pinching form.

One morning last month, however, he barely looked up when movie star Joan Crawford ankled by. "Get a load of old J. W.," marveled a member of the staff. "I'm afraid his eyes are on their last legs."

A kid in Soviet Russia heard the slogan, "Stalin has freed you from your chains" so often that he finally asked his father, "What chains are they talking about?" The father whispered, "The gold and diamond chains your mother had when I married her."

A high-powered efficiency expert, conducting an expensive study for a manufacturer of incinerators sent out an elaborate questionnaire beginning, "What make of garbage disposal unit do you use?" One woman answered, "Half a dozen hogs."

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Inside WASHINGTON

MARCH OF EVENTS

If Republicans Win House Bitter Clash Is Assured | Martin Will Be Speaker But Who for GOP Leader?

Special to Central Press
 WASHINGTON—If the Republicans win control of the House in the November elections, look for a bitter clash over the selection of a majority leader.

Rep. Joseph Martin, Massachusetts, speaker during the GOP Congress, would be renominated. Then, the fireworks would begin, probably would bring a headlong clash between the backers of Dwight Eisenhower and Senator Robert Taft as the majority leader's spot.
 To begin with, Reps. Clarence Brown, Ohio and Charles Halleck, Indiana, would stage a rematch of their battle which opened the 80th Congress Halleck, with the help of Gov. Thomas Dewey, New York, won the first round. During his term, however, he incurred Dewey's enmity. Taft supporters have never accepted him.
 Brown, an outspoken Taft campaigner, has scarcely concealed his dislike of Eastern GOP forces who favored Ike and Dewey.
 "The upshot of this imbroglio probably would be the emergence of a "dark horse" selection as GOP floor leader.

SPENDING—President Truman's spending forecasters have missed the bull's-eye. Their January estimate of foreign military and economic aid for the fiscal year ending June 30 was wide of the mark. Two billion dollars, to be exact.
 There are two reasons for their misfire: (1) A lot of military items intended for European allies was routed to Korea in anticipation of another Communist offensive. (2) Deliveries to America's allies lagged behind schedule.

DOUGHBOYS—Are those long Army training marches a thing of the past? Maybe. There's nothing official so far. But the United States Armed Forces Medical Journal—an unofficial publication—has strongly inveighed against the practice.
 "The periodical, which is widely read in the Pentagon, says the marches can cause permanent injury to a recruit's feet. A common ailment, it says, is "march fracture."

As a substitute for marching, the publication recommends greater emphasis on other phases of physical training. In battle, it points out, men don't do much marching anyway.

VEEPS—Are vice presidents selected with an eye for the feminine vote? Seems so.

Alben W. Barkley, the 74-year-old "veep" who won the attractive St. Louis widow, Mrs. Jane Hadley, several years ago, titillated many a woman's heart. And he has never been averse to kissing a lovely admirer for the benefit of photographers.

Now the Republicans have a photogenic candidate—Richard Nixon, a 39-year-old Californian with a pretty wife and two young daughters.

Handsome, personable Dick Nixon recently showed up in the photographs with two willing women showering kisses on him. He won't be a "kissing veep" if he's elected. But he says he won't mind being kissed.

MOSSADEGH EQUALS "ZERO"—High State department officials here feel that all possibility of an early settlement of the Iranian crisis went glimmering with the return to power of Mohammad Mossadegh as premier.

Officials believe that chances for a settlement have been reduced to zero, and that only difficult times can lie ahead for the oil-rich Middle Eastern country.
 The recent lawsuit slapped on a small tanker that had picked up some oil leads Middle East experts to believe that the Anglo-Iranian Oil company will fight every effort by Mossadegh to sell his nation's resources through any channel other than Anglo-Iranian.

This lawsuit, which has kept the ship tied up at Abadan for some time, has frightened off many of the wildcat operators that the premier was depending on to break Anglo-Iranian's boycott of the nationalized oil field.

HAGERMAN

MRS. EDNA BURCK, Correspondent

Every enjoyable family picnic outing was enjoyed Sunday at Lakes by Hagerman. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harshey Sr., Mrs. Tom Harshey, Mrs. Anna Lang, Mr. Mrs. Herbert Lang, Mr. and Mrs. Alma Nail, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Harshey Jr. and sons, and Mrs. Clarence Harshey daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson and Miss Susan Lang. The W.S.C.S. met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Howard Menefee.

Afternoon was spent in several various missionary projects to have an assortment of cards and other articles ready word is received as to where are needed.

Hostess, Mrs. Menefee served refreshments of cake and lemonade at the close of the afternoon.

Present were Meses. Carl Harshey, Lester Hinrichsen, J. T. Wilson, Hart Dacus Park, H. Wolf, R. A. Welborne, Al Cumpsten, Horace Freeman, D. Menoud, Spurgeon Wigdon, Strixner and Howard Menefee.

Charles Roger and daughter of Albuquerque left for home after visiting Mrs. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Menefee.

The Belle Bennett circle of the S.S. held a very enjoyable picnic Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Stanley Utterback. Picnic supper was enjoyed during the evening. About 30 were present. Of town guest, Daniel B. a professor at New Mexico college was present. He is a teacher of Mr. and Mrs. Utterback.

Plans are being made for the opening of Hagerman schools. Some changes in the faculty have been made.

Atwater will teach band. He is prospective members of the band on Monday morning at the school music room.

Miss Pearl Herrington who has been teaching elementary grades the past several years, will be commercial teacher. Miss Heron holds a masters degree in commerce.

John C. Hough, how holds a bachelors degree from the University of California, will teach English and Spanish.

Day Slingerland, who has been teaching the second grade, will teach the third grade. Miss Townsley of Gainesville, and Zora Mae McTeigue of Artesia, will teach in the elementary grades.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Morgan, Mr. Patsy and Jim Morgan of State College have left for their home after visiting Mr. Morgan's sisters, T. D. Davenport and Mrs. R. Cumpsten and their families.

Among the courtesies they enjoyed while here was a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Davenport at which the Morgan family, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cumpsten, Mrs. Tom McKinstry and Mr. Mrs. R. B. West were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eaden of Phoenix, Ariz., were overnight guests Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Boyce Sr. They enroute to Texas where they visit relatives. Mrs. Eaden will

Colo. Later they will attend the annual rodeo at Durango.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Boyce Jr. and children Susie and Gerald and Mrs. Wes Rathbone of Eunice, left Sunday for California where they will visit relatives at several places.

One family they plan to visit is the Cloyd Knight family at Bakersfield. Mrs. Knight, a sister of Mr. Boyce, is improving following a stroke suffered seven months ago. She had been hospitalized until the earthquake, which was severe at Bakersfield, made part of the hospital unsafe for use. She was removed to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Grimmitt and Melba Joyce of Tulsa and Leroy Gibson and children of Roswell visited the W. N. Foster family Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Grimmitt are uncle and aunt of Mrs. Foster.

Mrs. Helen Reed of Dallas was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sweatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bell and son Larry of Roswell, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Baldock and family of Roswell visited Hagerman friends Sunday.

William Heitman of Washington, D. C., was a recent guest at the home of his mother, Mrs. W. L. Heitman. He is a government employee in the Pentagon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hewitt of Hereford, Texas, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hewitt. From here they went to Artesia to visit relatives.

Mrs. L. C. Hewitt is a former

English girl and although reared in a city, she enjoys rural life in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Niblo of Albuquerque spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sweatt.

Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Troublefield and family were hosts at a family birthday dinner on Sunday. A delicious chicken dinner was served. Mrs. Maude Troublefield, Frank Troublefield, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Worley of Roswell, Mrs. Bill Clay and children of Antlers, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Troublefield and family, Mrs. Herman Johnson and children, Mrs. Leo Cunningham and son, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Martin and children and Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Troublefield and family.

Mrs. Tom Utterback and family of Capitan are visiting at the home

of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Utterback. Capt. Tom Utterback and W. E. Utterback left Friday for Camp Polk, La., where Capt. Utterback will take reserve officers training for a month. Mrs. Utterback will return home after enjoying the sights in Louisiana and Texas.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Hadley and children of Josephine, Texas, have been visiting Rev. Hadley's sister, Mrs. Stanley Utterback and family.

Rev. Hadley preached a sermon at Hagerman Methodist church Sunday morning and baptized James Stanley Utterback, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Utterback. Four generations of the child's family were present on this occasion. Mrs. E. G. Lathrop Sr., great grandmother, Mrs. W. E. Utterback, grandmother and the parents.

A youth revival will begin Sunday, Aug. 10, at Hagerman Methodist church. Rev. Marvin Jones of House will be the evangelist. Every one is invited to attend.

Rev. Jones' grandparents on both sides of the family were members of the church at Forest when Rev. Woolf was pastor there.

Mrs. Johnnie Woolf, who has been visiting Rev. Woolf and family for the past three weeks, will leave this week for her home at Dallas.

Mr. Lulu Egbert and Mrs. J. A. Johnson and son Harry came in Saturday from Silver City.

Mrs. Egbert plans to make an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. C. W. Curry and Mrs. Johnson and son are visiting her father, Harry Cowan.

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is the display of gaily colored zinnias blooming at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Nelson on West Morgan.

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By Mary Lee Taylor

Butterscotch Marshmallow Cookies

18 marshmallows 3 drops vanilla, 2 inches across, 1 cup brown sugar, lightly packed. 1/4 cup Fat Milk, 1 Tablespoon butter, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 2 1/2 cups powdered sugar.

Cut marshmallows in half crosswise. Put a half, cut side down, on top of each wafer. Mix in saucpan brown sugar, milk, butter and salt. Bring to a boil over medium heat, stirring all the time. Remove from heat and add vanilla. Add powdered sugar, 1/4 cup at a time. Beat until creamy after each addition of sugar. Spread frosting on top and sides of marshmallows and wafers. Let stand at room temperature until frosting is firm. Makes 3 dozen.

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