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TRAINING EFFICIENCY award was presented to medical detachment of Artesia National Guard unit this week by army officials. Lt. Col. Jack I. Davis, Fourth Army inspector general's representative, presents cer-

tificate of achievement to Sgt. Bill Heckle as W-O David T. Simons looks on. The award is presented by the Army and National Guard for efficiency in training. It is the second year the medical unit has won the award.

(Advocate Photo)

Governor to Attend Ball Opening; Queen Prizes Set

Edwin L. Mechem will be the guest of honor, throwing the first baseball of the season, at the NuMexer's opening their 1954 season next Tuesday.

Mechem this week wired the Chamber of Commerce his acceptance of an invitation to be in Artesia at the opening day of the baseball season.

Mechem is slated to meet Big Boy's Brones at 2:30 next Tuesday afternoon in NuMexer Park, fourteenth street, Artesia.

W. Scott, C of C manager, has arranged for the governor's presence.

This year the governor made a record of a hit in Carlsbad in that city's baseball season. Whether he will occupy the same position in this year's season is not known.

Methodist Easter Cantata Slated Sunday Afternoon

Easter cantata, "Calvary," by Wessell, will be presented Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist church of Artesia by the church choir.

Organ prelude with Mrs. Edward Bevins as organist will begin at 5.

The cantata is under direction of Glenn Caskey. Soloists and chorists with special parts are Howard Miller, Glenn Caskey, Vanover, Mrs. Lloyd Traylor, Van Everett, Mrs. Dale Doak, Blair, and Bruce Caskey.

The cantata includes 15 selected songs.

The public is invited.



NuMexers

the latest in a series of baseball stories on Artesia's baseball players, turn to sports page, page 4, of to-day's Artesia Advocate.

Today:

Herron, rookie leftfielder, Gilbert Johnson, rookie pitcher.

Smith Pleads Not Guilty of Firing Shots at Officers

Plea of not guilty was entered by James H. "Rocky" Smith, former Artesia police officer charged with firing five shots at two officers, at arraignment Tuesday.

Smith was arraigned before Justice of Peace John Ellicott on Tuesday afternoon on two charges. The charges are drawing and discharging a firearm in a settlement, and assault with a deadly weapon.

Smith waived preliminary hearing and bound over to district court action by Judge Ellicott for the full term beginning Oct. 1.

Bond was set at \$1,000 for both charges. Smith posted the full bond.

Maximum penalty for each charge is a three year jail sentence and \$1,000 fine.

Smith has returned to Fort Bliss, El Paso, it has been reported.

Smith is charged with firing shots at city patrolman Victor Fry and flomer Clark early Sunday morning when the two went to his house to investigate reports Smith was smashing his car at the house.

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Miss Thigpen's Essay Reprinted In London Papers

The essay which won Norma Jo Thigpen of Cottonwood top honors in the national contest on "Why I Like to Sew With Wool" has been reprinted by the International Wool Secretariat in London and is now appearing in many British newspapers and magazines, according to word received by Miss Rhea N. Boyles, extension clothing specialist at New Mexico A&M college.

Her essay, judged to best describe the overall advantages of sewing with wool, was based on practical experience which Norma Jo acquired in 4-H clothing project work and through participation in the state "Make It Yourself With Wool" contest in which she placed first in 1953.

Norma Jo with the first state winner in the "Make It Yourself With Wool" contest to win the national "Why I Like to Sew With Wool" essay contest. The essay contest was sponsored by the Wool Bureau, Inc., of New York and the Women's Auxiliary of the National Wool Growers Assn. Grand prize in the contest was a \$100 U. S. savings bond.

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Children in other districts, including Hope, Loco Hills, Atoka, and Cottonwood, may report to the clinic at any hour.

Transportation will be furnished for those who request it, if parents will phone Roselawn school, phone 6686, and arrange for a car.

There is no charge for transportation or any phase of the pre-school medical check-up.

Smallpox inoculations, booster shots for tetanus, whooping cough and diphtheria, will be administered to children needing it.

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Prowler Around Artesia Homes Reported to Police

Reports a prowler and window peeper has been circulating through Artesia have been received by police this week.

The complaints included one in which a man said the prowler actually entered his house and touched his wife as she lay sleeping, then fled when she awoke in alarm.

Reports have been received from Mrs. Howard D. Emonds, who at 11 p. m. Tuesday called police to report a prowler was attempting to get into her house. When police arrived, the man had fled.

—Guy Turner, 620 S. Second, who at 7:55 a. m. Tuesday told police a prowler had entered his home Monday night and walked into the bedroom where Mrs. Turner was asleep. She awoke and the prowler fled. Their home, Turner said, had been entered "several times" when they were out. He described the man as stoop-shouldered, dressed in khaki with curly black hair.

—W. L. Williams, 808 W. Missouri, who at 1 a. m. Tuesday called police to report a prowler had been seen near a trailer at

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City Investigates Damage to New Disposal Plant by Acid

Anderson Asks Rural-Urban Farm Program

U. S. Sen. Clinton P. Anderson told an Artesia audience Wednesday night those who believe supports have been cheap many find them very expensive.

Sen. Anderson said he hoped a true story of agriculture price supports' cost will be brought out in the near future.

He spoke before more than 500 Artesia and North Eddy county city and rural people at Veterans Memorial building Wednesday night. The occasion was the annual joint rural-urban barbecue sponsored by Artesia Rotary club and Eddy county Farm and Livestock Bureau.

Commending the rural-urban program, Sen. Anderson declared "the welfare, the success, and the happiness of farms and towns are very closely related, and rural-urban friendship is very important."

"A community needs agriculture and industry together to be prosperous and successful, the senator said.

"THERE IS a direct relation, for example," he added, "between the profits of the bank and the profits of the cattle business."

Sen. Anderson declared confusion surrounds the cost of the price support programs.

Sen. Anderson said a flexible price support program he and Sen. Aiken sponsored, made law in 1949, has never yet been placed in operation.

Enforcement of the program has been recommended by Pres. Eisenhower, the senator said.

Sen. Anderson told his Artesia audience it is highly difficult to put a sound farm program through the senate. "If a vote were held now in the senate," he said, "The senators would probably vote for rigid 90 per cent parity."

COTTON, HE SAID, has needed new legislation for years. A (Continued on Page 8)

Pre-School Health Clinic Scheduled Next Thursday

The annual pre-school health clinic for Artesia children who will be entering public schools for the first time next fall is scheduled for Thursday, April 22.

It is slated for 8 a. m. to noon and 1 to 4 p. m. in the auditorium of Roselawn school, Artesia.

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GEORGE FRISCH

Frisch Funeral Rites To be Held Saturday

Funeral services for George Frisch, one of Artesia's oldest and best known residents, will be held at 10 a. m. Saturday morning in the First Methodist church of Artesia.

Mr. Frisch died suddenly at 7 a. m. Wednesday. He was 77 but indicated no ill health before retiring Tuesday evening.

Rev. R. L. Willingham and Rev. C. A. Clark will officiate at tomorrow morning's services. Grave-side services are planned by Artesia Masons. Interment will be in Woodbine cemetery.

Mr. Frisch came to Artesia in 1909 from Glenvil, Neb., his birthplace. He was highly active in civic affairs and served several times in an official capacity for the city.

He is survived by his widow, three daughters, Mrs. C. B. (Mildred) Chunn, Amarillo; Mrs. R. C. (Vesta) Higley, Artesia, and Mrs. Wallace Margaret Hastings, Billings, Mont.; a niece, Mrs. Pete Loving; three sisters, Mrs. Ralph Vance, Hastings, Neb.; Mrs. Ida

Nedderman, Salida, Colo.; Mrs. Lizzie Bearg, Sebeha, Kans.; three brothers, Charles, Glenvil; Frank, Hastings; Ernest, Lincoln, Neb.; a grandchild, Paul Hastings, Billings; and four step-grandchildren.

Born in Glenvil Feb. 8, 1877, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Frisch.

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Muriatic Acid Pits Concrete At New Plant

Reports 60,000 gallons of muriatic acid caused extensive damage over a two-month period to the city's new \$100,000 disposal plant were confirmed Thursday morning by W. D. Fowler, city supervisor.

The muriatic acid, similar to sulphuric acid, has eaten into concrete throughout the new plant, Fowler said.

Investigations, which are continuing, indicate the acid was dumped into the city sewer system by the delinting plant of Artesia Farmers Gin Co-Op, Inc. over a two-month period beginning late in January and continuing until the latter part of March.

Initial estimates of damage range up to \$10,000. Final estimate of damages is pending completion of an investigation by city authorities and W. E. Turney of Santa Fe, the city-retained engineer on the job.

The acid dumped into the sewer system at the delinting plant traveled through the sewer system to the sewage treatment plant. There it began to eat limestone rock used in filtering beds and in high-grade concrete used for construction.

Fowler said the acid was sometimes dumped into the sewer during night hours when other sewage flow was slow. That resulted in relatively undiluted solutions of acid hitting the sewage plant.

City Atty. Neil Watson said Thursday the city is studying a program to seek compensation for damages, pending completion of the investigation.

Fowler said action of the acid on the sewage treatment plant was first noticed several weeks ago when corrosion of concrete in big tanks at the plant appeared.

More cases of corrosion appeared "almost overnight," Fowler said, and the city then began its investigation.

To fix the plant, concrete must be sandblasted, then covered with a re-finishing material, Fowler said. In addition, rock filtering beds at the plant must be picked over by hand and rock seriously damaged thrown out and replaced.

Source of the trouble was traced to the delinting plant through chemical tests taken through city sewer system manholes.

Operators of the delinting plant were unaware of the trouble.

Assault, Battery Case Trial Is Slated Tuesday

Twin cases of alleged assault and battery will be tried before City Police Judge John Ellicott on Tuesday.

The cases involve a charge of assault and battery filed by Miss Judy Nunnelee against Mrs. Buster Merk, naming Mrs. Merk's husband as an accessory, and charge of assault with words and assault and battery filed against Miss Nunnelee by Mr. and Mrs. Merk.

Both parties pleaded not guilty at arraignment before Judge Ellicott this week. All are free on bond.

Miss Nunnelee charges she was in her apartment when the Merks came to it. Mrs. Merk, she charged, began beating her, inflicting numerous bruises on her body and face.

The Merks charge Miss Nunnelee called them names, verbally abused them, and kicked them.

The case, involving misdemeanor charges, will be tried before Judge Ellicott. Possibility of a jury trial in connection with the case was indicated this week.

Stern Warnings Against House Campaign Given

Stern warnings to Artesia home owners they will be approached in the near future to buy a special exterior house finish and imitation stone finish which are not as guaranteed were issued this week.

C. Russell Miller, Albuquerque, special agent for the Better Business Bureau of New Mexico, said in Artesia Wednesday a high-pressure sales campaign for the products is to be expected in Artesia in the next few days.

Salesmen for the company are expected to arrive in Roswell today, then continue on to Artesia, Carlsbad and Hobbs.

The agents sell two products. One is a plastic coating sprayed on houses under pressure. The paint-plastic compound allegedly ends house painting forever, binds and seals all cracks, and is guaranteed upwards of 20 years.

The second product is an imitation stone exterior finish, cast of concrete in molds on the job.

The salesmen's technique is to approach a householder with "fantastic guarantees" for the products, Miller said. They then tell a householder his house will be treated

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Unused Cotton Closing Date Is April 23

Closing date for accepting unused cotton allotments is April 23, County PMA officials have announced.

Any farmer who does not plan to plant his entire allotment is urged to come to the office and release his unused allotment.

By releasing his unused cotton allotment, a farmer will hold the cotton history on that particular farm.

This acreage will be redistributed by May 1.

Chamber Ticks off Accomplishment in Year of Boosting

What would it cost Artesia business men if they individually attempted to accomplish the variety of successful projects initiated by the Chamber of Commerce during 1953?

We'll wager it would have been far more than the \$19,878 budget invested by those businessmen in a collective effort to sell Artesia to the rest of the world.

And the cost would reach far ahead of the \$20,820 budget planned for the Chamber's operations this year as "a department of every Artesia business and industry."

Where did the money go last year?

It's a bit difficult to tie down exact sums of money on such things as road improvement, civic betterment, air transportation,

publicity, industrial promotions, and other activities of the Chamber of Commerce. But you can invest your greatest dollar on the fact that it went a far distance.

Consider highways and road improvement, one of the area's greatest needs. There was work on the Hope highway, which now is waiting state surfacing. Curves are eliminated, decreasing accident possibilities. In return, Artesia gets better chances at trade from ranch and mountain families to the west.

And they have more to offer tourists seeking out the cool Sacramento mountains or the White Sands at Alamogordo.

A new oil industry cut-off road, reaching through the oil fields and potash mining region to Hobbs and Texas oil centers means savings to regional oil men. Shorter distances

of travel means more argument in favor of their visiting, or even moving to, Artesia.

Nearer to the heart of Artesia is a tentative urban highway project — four-way divided highway through town. Should such a project be approved—the chances are in Artesia's favor—the city would rank with Roswell in beauty of approaches to the city. Roswell currently is getting such a project. One in Artesia would strengthen its standing in southeast New Mexico and issue proclamations to tourists and industrials that we are an aggressive and progressive city.

You can't measure things of that nature by dollars and cents. But it took them, a relative few from everyone.

Transportation and communication facilities were fought for, and,

according to committee reports, some advancement has been made. Although no definite success has been recorded, it is generally known in major air line offices and by civil aeronautics authorities that Artesia is fighting for air transportation.

Businesswise, the chamber initiated and sponsored a courtesy week for employees, giving signal honors to those who help serve our customers. It sponsored a retail training school, assisted new businesses in establishing quarters in Artesia, and initiated dollar days, which benefited both residents and merchants.

Civic betterment? There was activity there, too. Special committees assisted with establishment of a city planning commission. Others worked for locally-built housing

projects, while still others cooperating with the Artesia Safety Council to keep Artesia streets free of accidents.

A regional safety conference and detailed assistance to establishment of a boy's detention home near here were high on the Chamber's civic betterment accomplishments.

Industrially, the chamber—as a department of your business—was equally active. It prepared a statistical brochure of Artesia to guide future industrial queries, and it compiled a list of local industries. It investigated the establishment of a vermiculite processing plant here and methods of aiding the oil industry while promoting "The City of Opportunity."

Agriculture, the basic industry of the city, was not forgotten dur-

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Miss Annaya Is Named President Of New 4-H

Wednesday at a general assembly in Lake Arthur school gymnasium officers were elected for the newly-organized 4-H club. The meeting was under the supervision of Sam Spencer, assistant county agent and county 4-H leader, and Miss Jewell Middleton, associate home agent of Roswell. Supt. Herbert M. Whatley assisted in conducting this meeting.

Officers elected to serve the new club are Carolla Annaya, president; Ismael Valenzuela, vice-president; Ector Cortez, secretary and treasurer; Josephine Guerrero, song leader; and Paula Jenkins, reporter.

Application forms were handed each member to be filled out, confirmed, and signed by each member's parents and returned to the agents. The agents requested 100 per cent cooperation on the part of parents in encouraging them in projects.

Practical Nurses Organize Group In Carlsbad Meet

District five licensed practical nurses were organized in Carlsbad recently at the parish hall with Mrs. Frances Quackenbush of Albuquerque, state association president, present to assist in the organization.

This district is composed of Loving, Carlsbad, and Artesia.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. Aileen Phillips, Carlsbad, president; Mrs. Bernadine Lowrey, Artesia, vice-president; Mrs. Long, Carlsbad, secretary; Mrs. Pough, Carlsbad, treasurer; and board members, Mrs. Knapp, Mrs. Frye, and Mrs. Howell, all of Carlsbad and Mrs. Pauline Haynes, Artesia, and Mrs. Gloves, Carlsbad, sergeant-at-arms.

Meetings will be held second Thursdays in Carlsbad at parish hall. Meeting place in Artesia is to be announced.

All practical nurses are urged to attend meetings and contact Mrs. Haynes or Mrs. Lowrey.

Those attending from Artesia were Francis Smith, Celta Smith, Ilene Friday, Mary Hoagland, Ethel Tarkington, Pauline Haynes and Bernadine Lowrey.

Students attending Eastern New Mexico university, Portales, expected home for the Easter holidays to visit their parents are Harold Francis, Vernon Crow, Charles Waltrip, Billy Jean Muncy, Hunt Zumwalt, John Green, Albert Bach, Gary Blair and Jimmy Dew.

In 1953, 38,500 Americans were killed in traffic accidents.

Three Artesians Attend National Garden Meeting

Mrs. C. R. Blocker, Mrs. Carl Lewis, and Mrs. Ralph Pearson, members of Artesia Garden clubs who are attending the National Garden club convention at Myrtle Beach, S. C., write they are having a marvelous trip, stating that the beauty of the redbuds, dogwood, jessamine, Camellias and tall azaleas amazes them.

They find the plantations they have visited very interesting and they never tire of the ocean. They write that some of the best authorities in the world have spoken to the group. New Mexico has won three awards.

Beene Addresses DAR Meeting

G. L. Beene, of the soil conservation office, Artesia, was guest speaker at a meeting of Mary Griggs chapter of Daughters of American Revolution Monday evening at the home of Mrs. W. I. Tremblay.

Miss Alma Sue Felix, regent, presided over the business meeting. Members voted to cooperate with the Chamber of Commerce to provide a float in the baseball parade, Tuesday. They also discussed plans for the DAR state convention to be held here in the fall.

At the close of the meeting the hostess served refreshments. Those present were Mrs. T. L. Archer, Mrs. R. L. Collins, Mrs. Tom Donnelly, Mrs. Paul Francis, Mrs. Harold Kersey, Mrs. Hugh Kiddy, Mrs. Hollis G. Watson, Mrs. K. J. Williams, and Miss Alma Sue Felix.

Phonetic Reading Methods Shown By Park Pupils

First grade pupils of Mrs. Nora Coppinger's room at Park school put on a demonstration in developing phonetic skills at the Roselawn school last Wednesday night for the benefit of the class in reading being taught by Rufus Stinnett.

To show the new and interesting skills being used for introducing words to pupils, Mrs. Coppinger used film strips, sound records and the blackboard.

Pupils participating were Gala Zumwalt, Connie Dew, Randy Wood, Javana Strong and Virginia Rodriguez.

Mothers present were Mmes. Ray Zumwalt, Jimmie Dew, Roy Wood and C. E. Strong.

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Miss Charlene Scarbrough

Engagement of Miss Scarbrough Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Scarbrough announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Charlene, to Pvt. C. T. Boyd Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Boyd Sr., Artesia.

No date has been set for the wedding. The bride-to-be is a senior at Artesia high school and is employed part time in the office of Judge John Ellicott.

The bridegroom-to-be is with the Army stationed at Fort Richardson, Alaska. Before going into service, he was employed with Southern Union Gas Co.

Births

Artesia General Hospital April 12 to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson, son, John Paton, 1:15 p. m., 8 pounds 8 3/4 ounces.

April 12 to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gray, son, Donald Wayne, 10:30 p. m., 8 pounds 6 ounces.

April 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Dwan White, son, Virgil Wayne, 10:15 a. m., 7 pounds 5 ounces.

Social Calendar

Saturday, April 17 4-H county council meeting at the Methodist church, 9:30 a. m.

Baked food sale at Saleway and Nelson's, sponsored by Sunrise Rebekah lodge No. 9.

Mrs. S. A. Davis Installed Head Of Central PTA

Mrs. S. A. Davis was installed president of Central school Parent Teachers Assn. at a meeting Wednesday afternoon at the school.

The meeting opened with a prayer by Minnie Hill of the fifth grade. Fifth grade students presented a program on "The Development of America," illustrated by songs typical of each period.

Dr. C. P. Bunch was guest speaker and spoke on rheumatic fever. He said this disease is often hard to diagnose because symptoms are hard to diagnose. Dr. Bunch then answered questions from the group.

Life memberships in PTA were presented by Jean Stone to Mrs. Ralph Petty, who had served as president and was program chairman this year, and Mrs. C. S. Powell, the outgoing president, who has served two years.

Mrs. Powell was the installing officers. Other officers installed with Mrs. Davis were Mrs. Wallace Johnson, Mrs. G. E. Jordan, Mrs. M. A. Corbin, Mrs. Milton Parker, and Miss Nancy Haynes.

Roselawn Third Graders Tour Advocate Plant

Third grade pupils from Mrs. Ruth Joss' room at Roselawn school were taken on an inspection tour of the Artesia Advocate plant Wednesday afternoon.

The 32 pupils are studying communications in their social studies class. The newspaper is a means of communication and the pupils ask questions about the various machines.

Such trips as this where the youngsters can actually see things they read about in the textbook, does wonders to help them understand what they read, Mrs. Joss said.

"Yumpy" Barker, who attends University of New Mexico at Albuquerque, is home visiting parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barker over the Easter holidays, along with Bill Brown whose parents are the J. H. Browns.

Hospital Record

Artesia General Hospital Patients admitted:

April 12—Mrs. W. D. Gray, Dexter, Mrs. Rex Holmes, Herbert Pullins, Mrs. Ed Boans.

April 13—Mrs. Glen Unanest, Loco Hills, Mrs. Robert Utterback, Hagerman.

April 14—Louis Cabot, Mrs. B. J. Hinson, Gerry Wayne Cannon, Ellwood Page.

April 15—Mrs. Dwan White, Weed; Bill Albert Holland, Patricia Ann Murray.

April 16—Mrs. Helen Vogel, Dan Carter, Mrs. Bryant Williams, Hope; Roy Wilson, Loco Hills.

April 17—Judy Sessum, Mrs. John Yates and baby, Herbert Pullins, Ellen Anne Hicks, Mrs. J. R. Smith.

April 18—Kent Terry, Hope; Jane Brittain, Louis Cabot, Mrs. Paul Morris and L. L. Crow, Lovington.

April 19—Ellwood Page, Mrs. J. C. Wilson and baby.

Altrusans Vote To Sponsor Girls' Stater

Artesia Altrusa club had its regular business meeting Monday noon, April 12, in the Artesian room at Mac's drive-in.

The club voted to sponsor a high school girl to Girls' State in June. Tentative plans were made for Artesia Altrusa's first birthday which will be observed in April in conjunction with the 37th birthday of Altrusa international.

Each of the 351 Altrusa clubs make a contribution to the Founders Fund Vocational Aid which is used as outright grants of from \$50 to \$250 to older women for training in a skill; equipment needed in self-employment, or personal rehabilitation that would enable a woman to become profitably employed.

Members attending the luncheon were Mmes. H. R. Paton, T. C. Williams, Chester Mayes, B. A. Demars, F. F. White, and Misses Lois Nethery and Juanita Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Halle and daughter, Sylvia, spent Thursday in Clovis visiting Mrs. Halle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hatchett.

Beta Sigma Phi Chapter Plans Special Banquet

Xi Iota chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Nancy Haynes.

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. O. R. Gable, Jr., president.

Plans were discussed for the Founder's Day banquet to be held in the Sombrero room of Veterans Memorial building Friday, April 30. Tentative plans were made for the Mother's Day tea.

The chapter planned an Easter egg hunt for this afternoon for the Brownie troop they sponsor.

The program was on the topics, "Let Us Think About Thinking and the Forgotten Acts." Those participating were Miss Nancy Haynes, Mrs. O. R. Gable, Jr., Mrs. William C. Thompson, Jr., and Mrs. Maynard Hall.

Mrs. Blaine Haines, Mrs. Ernest Houy, Miss Ruth Bigler, and Miss Mary Vandeventer, members from Alpha Lambda chapter were guests at the meeting.

Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those present were Mrs. William C. Thompson, Jr., Mrs. O. R. Gable, Jr., Mrs. Maynard Hall, Mrs. M. A. Waters, Jr., Mrs. Donald Fanning, and Mrs. Harry Gilmore.

Students attending New Mexico A&M college, Las Cruces, expected home for the Easter holidays to visit their parents are Leon Darst, Bobby Boyd, Wade Green, Franklin McAnally, Johnny Mathis, Kirk McCarter, Bruce Caskey, Howard Price, and Tom Boyd.

Miss Storm Is Pledged By Music Sorority

Marijo Louise Storm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Storm, Artesia, has been chosen to pledge Mu Phi Epsilon, national music sorority, at North Texas state college.

Miss Storm is a sophomore music education major. She is a member of the Women's Choir and the Grand Chorus.

Quiz Program on Bible Highlights Baptist Class

Friendship class of Emmanuel Baptist church met for a regular class meeting Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. J. E. Gage, teacher.

Mrs. W. M. McCullough, president, was in charge. Mrs. Gage opened with a prayer. Mrs. Frank Melton gave the devotions followed by Bible quiz program by Mrs. J. H. Boteler. Mrs. Dale Gleghorn closed with a prayer.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Harry Hillie, Mrs. J. H. Boteler, Mrs. Dale Gleghorn, Mrs. J. T. Rutherford, Mrs. Frank Melton, and Mrs. W. M. McCullough, members, and Mrs. C. H. Hinshaw, a guest.

Alpha Alpha of Beta Sigma Phi Features Talks

Alpha Alpha chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Joe with Mrs. Huck Keating as guest.

Plans for the "Founder's Day" banquet and Mother's Day discussed.

Mrs. John Simons, Jr., co-chairman led the group in minute speeches, and presentation on the subject "Want from Life" and "Environment Effects Happiness."

Refreshments of coffee, pie, ice cream and cake served.

Those present were Mrs. lace Beck, Herman Fox Schrader, Roy Richardson, Simons, Jr., W. C. White, son, Troy Harris, Bill Fox, Franks, Clyde Gilman, Mrs. Don Jensen, and the hostess.

L. E. Coole of San Jose this week had visited his home on the West Coast.

J. U. Meador, well-known time resident of the area now lives at Carlsbad, ill for some time.

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Lake Arthur Class Holds Party for Entire School

Lake Arthur Junior high school students entertained the entire high school body, faculty and their families at a party in the gym Friday night.

Thirty-five students and teachers attended the affair. Coach John Havener, Jr., conducted several games, including animal blind man's bluff, message, pass the ball, my ship sails and three deep.

Kay Foster conducted games of Maggie and Jiggs and black magic. Refreshments were served to Messrs. and Meses, Conrad Jones, Gene Sooter, Coach and Mrs. Havener Jr., Supt. H. M. Whatley and about 35 students and children.

Dan Evans served cake (and by the way, he baked it himself with the help of Raymond Ripley). They decorated one with all the freshmen and sophomore initials and the other with Coach John Havener Jr. initials, who is their class sponsor.

Wanda Shirley was in charge of pink and white ribbon sandwiches of salmon and cheese. Kay Foster presided at the punch bowl. The refreshment and decorating committee, Wanda Shirley, Kay Foster, Dan Evans and Raymond Ripley are to be complimented on flower and table arrangements. It would do credit to some high school group. The suggestion and help given them by Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sooter was greatly appreciated by the young people.

After refreshments were served, Coach Havener instructed students in square dancing. The evening ended with a few waltzes, folk and ballroom dancing.

C. C. Grimlans Attend Carroll Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Grimlan and daughters, LaVerne, Linorie, Delma Jean, and Mardell and a friend, Miss Winnie Phillips attended a reunion of the Carroll family at Ropesville, Texas, last week-end.

The ten children and their families of Mrs. Ollie Carroll and the late J. W. Carroll as well as Carroll's brothers and sisters and a few friends made up a group of about 140 people who attended.

This was the first time some members of this family had seen each other in about 29 years. This is the first reunion held since 1936.

Several films were shown and the men played baseball.

Rebekah lodge No. 9 at IOOF hall Monday evening.

During the business meeting conducted by Mrs. Tom Franklin, noble grand, plans were made to hold a baked food sale Saturday at Safeway and Nelson's Supermarket. The lodge was also to send an Easter gift to their orphan girl.

Following the meeting refreshments of cup cakes decorated in the Easter theme with coffee and mints were served from a lace covered table centered with a crystal bowl filled with spring flowers to 38 members and two guests.

In Yemen, southern Arabia captured thieves are festooned with their loot and exposed to public ridicule, according to the National Geographic Society.

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Hope News

By MRS. ETHEL ALTMAN

Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher and son, Kenny Ray, arrived Saturday night and spent Sunday with Mrs. Joe Fisher. They returned to their home in Hollywood Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Davis went to El Paso Wednesday where Davis will receive medical treatment.

Mrs. B. M. Ballard and Mrs. E. L. Landreth left Wednesday for Midland, Texas, to visit their brother, Joe Mellard.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hawkins of Carlsbad were visiting with folks in the Hope community this week.

Ira Garner, candidate for county commissioner, district 2, was in Hope Tuesday meeting the people. He was accompanied by J. B. "Buster" Mulcock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Morrow returned Wednesday from a honeymoon trip. They visited in Truth or Consequences, Mountainair and Buckeye, Ariz.

Marta Hibbard of Schaubauer ranch underwent a tonsilectomy last Saturday. She is improving and will be back in school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Harris were dinner guests last Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kasulka in Artesia.

Charles Crockett returned this week from Del Norte, Colo., where he has been visiting his brother, J. W. and family.

Mrs. Verna Dutton of El Paso and her son, Bob Dutton of Las Cruces were here last Friday to visit Mrs. Dutton's brother, Bonnie Altman.

Four Women Give Woman's Club Study Program

Four women took part in the program of Artesia Woman's club study group when the organization met Wednesday morning at the clubhouse.

They were Mrs. Tiny Cole, Mrs. John Rowland, Mrs. M. C. Livingston, and Mrs. Bryan Runyan.

Subjects discussed included famous trees of Texas, New Mexico lore, the passion play of South Dakota's Black Hills, and a report on the federated woman's clubs meeting last week-end in Carlsbad.

Weekly Program By Employment Service Slated

A five-minute radio program to help job seekers and Artesia businessmen will be launched Saturday by the Artesia office of the state employment service.

Mgr. Carl Foster said the program will list job openings, services offered, and market information.

The weekly programs are scheduled for 12:40 p. m. every Saturday over radio station KSVP.

Speeding on U. S. streets and highways last year killed 13,870 men, women and children.

Speeding on U. S. streets and highways injured nearly 700,000 men, women and children.

ENDING EDDY county medical society meeting in three county doctors were honored for having more than 50 years' service each were, left to right, Dr. Fred Cole, Dr. H. Austin Stroup, Dr. Owen C. Taylor, Dr. Theodore E. Hauser, Mrs. L. F. Hamilton, Mrs. F. Cressman, Mrs. Owen C. Taylor, Mrs. Bill Parsons, G. A. Slusser; seated, Dr. C. P. Bunch, Bill Parsons, G. A. Slusser, Dr. R. W. McIntyre, Dr. Chester Russell, Dr. John J. Clarke, Sr., Dr. Coy Stone, Hobbs; Dr. Frederick E. Cressman, president of the society; Fred Cole, Dr. H. Austin Stroup, Dr. Owen C. Taylor, Dr. Theodore E. Hauser, Carlsbad; Dr. Earl Flanagan, Carlsbad; Dr. Catherine Armstrong, Carlsbad; and Dr. R. W. Harper. Ceremonies honored Dr. Stroup, Dr. Russell, and Dr. F. F. Doepf, Carlsbad. (Photo by Gable)

Ray Fagin Elected Hermosa President

Ray Fagin was installed as president of Hermosa school teacher Assn. at a meeting Monday evening at the school.

Short principals of Park were installed officers. Officers installed were: Foulkes, first vice-president; Paul Scott, second vice-president; Charles Bruce, secretary; Mrs. Howard Lewis.

Johnny Sparks, the outstanding, conducted a short meeting.

Program chairman "intro" Owen C. Taylor who "Our Children's Health." Presenters were served by Mrs. Tommy Thompson, Charles Bullock, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Jim Farmer, C. H. Johns.

Spans spent about \$300 a year on eye care.

'Little Sprouts' Garden Club Is Organized

Junior Garden club met at Genelle and Eva Beth Gray's home Monday after school. They voted to have the name "Little Sprouts" for their club.

Wilma King was elected president; Jackie McNeil, secretary; and Glenelle Gray, reporter.

The club meeting will be devoted to "Line in Arrangements" and "Identifying Flowers."

The next meeting will be Saturday, May 8, at 9 a. m. at the home of Janice Southard. Any child five years and up that would like to join be at the May 8 meeting.

The "Little Sprouts" are sponsored by the Cottonwood Garden club.

Norman Bedford, son of Mrs. Fanny Bedford, 705 1/2 Richardson, is spending a two or three week vacation at Lynchburg, Tenn. visiting his grandmother, Mrs. T. K. Galloway and two uncles, Jim and John Bedford and John's family.

Legion Auxiliary Past Presidents Prepare Banquet

Past Presidents Parley, American Legion auxiliary, met Monday at the home of Mrs. J. L. Briscoe with Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff as co-hostess.

At noon, a covered-dish luncheon was enjoyed. The table was centered with a bouquet of red carnations which was a gift from Mr. and Mrs. Jess Truett.

Letters of appreciation were read that were received from Fort Stanton and Socorro hospitals for scrap books the parley had sent.

Members discussed the banquet for Founder's Day April 30 which they will serve.

Those present were Mrs. Alex McGonigill, Mrs. Earl Darst, Mrs. H. B. Gilmore, Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, Mrs. Albert Richards, Mrs. P. V. Morris and the hostesses, members and Mrs. K. R. Jones, president of the auxiliary, was a guest.

Song By Loco Hills Woman Makes TV Show

A song called "Draggin' My Feet," written by Mrs. Charlotte Blase of Loco Hills, was played recently over KSWV-TV and over radio station KSWL at Roswell.

Mrs. Blase has recently had played her "My Heart Comes Bouncing Back." She has four other songs ready and being copyrighted at the present time.

Jimmy Blakely sang the song, accompanied by Marie Montgomery on the organ. Blakely played the steel guitar.

Mrs. Montgomery and Blakely collaborated on the music for these songs and Mrs. Blase writes the lyrics.

Two Initiated By Rebekah Lodge

A formal initiation for Mrs. Carrie Parker and Mrs. Minnie Prude was held at a meeting of Sunrise

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Kiwanis to Sponsor World Champion Steer Roping

Championship Steer Roping will be held at the Artesia club arena, Sunday.

The club will sponsor the event which was announced at its meeting held at the Country Club April 15.

Alldridge announced the top ropers in the nation signed for this contest. Details will be worked out very near future.

An honor for Artesia, as other such contests are

held in the nation, one at Clovis and one in Wyoming.

One of Kiwanis' "get acquainted" programs was held during the meeting with Paul Scott, Bill Keys, Don Heathington, S. A. "Tiny" Davis, Rev. Orvan Gilstrap, and Paul Frost giving brief autobiographies.

Artie Roberts of Artesia, Jeff Heath of Roswell and Burl Sears of Carlsbad were guests of the club.

Pres. Paul Frost conducted the meeting, the first to be held at the Country club.

Contract Is Let For New Phone Building in City

Contract for construction of a new telephone building in Artesia to house dial equipment programmed by Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Co. was let in the city Tuesday.

Amount of the contract is believed to be \$233,080. Successful low bidder was Lemcke, Clowe & King of Albuquerque. Eight contractors, two of them from Artesia, bid on the job. Bids ranged from the low bid to \$280,000.

Plans call for construction of the building at the southwest corner of Sixth and Grand. The building will have a full basement and have 2 1/2 stories above ground. It will be 62 by 93 feet, with 14,000 square feet of floor space. It will be finished in ornamental stone. A second building 22 by 90 feet will be constructed on the property for use as a warehouse and truck storage.

High School Open House Scheduled Tuesday, April 27

Annual Open House of Artesia Senior high school will be held Tuesday evening, April 27.

The annual event held in the spring each year is developed to keep parents and friends of the school informed on students' progress, including classwork, activities, and to show work of clubs and various organizations.

"We want parents to know what is going on in the schools and this is one way by which we can keep them informed," said Travis Stovall, high school principal. "We want to extend an invitation to every parent to come and visit us at our Open House."

The evening's activities will start with a meal in the cafeteria, prepared by the staff under the direction of Mrs. Wilson, cafeteria manager.

A short meeting in the auditorium will start at 7:15 p. m., with greetings by Stovall and other school officials.

Visitation will start at 7:45 and continue throughout the evening.

Christian Science Easter Services Are Announced

Easter services of the Christian Science Society will be held at 11 a. m. Sunday in the church at 613 W. Main.

Man's spiritual unity with God, as taught and lived by Christ, will be brought out at the services Sunday in the lesson-sermon entitled "Doctrine of Atonement."

Keynoting the lesson-sermon is the golden text from I Timothy: "There is one God, and one mediator between God and man, the man Christ Jesus; who gave himself a ransom for all, to be testified in due time." (2:5,6).

The following passage will be among those read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy:

"We acknowledge Jesus' atonement as the evidence of divine, efficacious Love, unfolding man's unity with God through Christ Jesus the Way-shower; and we acknowledge that man is saved through Christ, through Truth, Life, and Love as demonstrated by the Galilean Prophet in healing the sick and overcoming sin and death." (497:13).

From the Bible the following verses will be among those read: "Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature; old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new. And all things are of God, who hath reconciled us to himself by Jesus Christ and hath given to us the ministry of reconciliation; Now then we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God did beseech you by us: we pray you in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God" (II Cor. 5:17, 18, 20).

Donald Fanning underwent surgery in the St. Francis hospital at Carlsbad Friday.

In the southwestern United States, many modern buildings have walls fashioned of bricks made of mud and straw much like those mentioned in the Bible.

In 1953, 2,140,000 Americans were injured in traffic accidents.

Teachers will be in their rooms to greet parents and visit with them. Clubs and organizations will have various exhibits in the girls' gym.

Committee in charge of Open House arrangements are Justin Bradbury, James Allen, Jack Barrow and William S. Bennett.

Church of God Pastor Begin Services Sunday

Pastor of Church of God E. S. Curtis, who comes from Berkeley, Calif.

Curtis has changed the name of the church from the Community Church to Church of God. Meetings at Artesia Woman's club 120 W. Dallas.

Services are beginning revival Easter Sunday, April 18 at 7 p. m. Revival will extend April 25. The public is invited.

and Mrs. Curtis have two children, Geraldine 17 and Stanley 14, who live at 104 W. Grand.

He was at the Church of God at Carlsbad prior to coming to Artesia.

He is an artist and plans to give a picture each during the revival.

Youths Plead Guilty to Hold-Up
Youths who signed themselves in the hold-up of a Carlsbad store at Lakewood two weeks entered pleas of not guilty to charge of robbery with a dangerous weapon. Defendants given State Police

Herron Makes Career in Pro Football, Baseball



BOB HERRON, NUMEXER LEFTFIELDER

Bob Herron, 25-year-old leftfielder for the Artesia NuMexers, is trying to whittle out a career for himself in two major sports—baseball and football.

If Bob's plans go as he'd like, he'll finish out his rookie year in baseball this summer with the NuMexers, then go into Saskatchewan, Canada, for another tryout with the Regina Rough Riders, a pro football team.

Bob graduated from Booker T. Washington high school in Wichita Falls in 1947 after a full career of high school athletics, including his two major loves, football and baseball.

After graduation, he started out the summer playing exhibition ball with the San Francisco Sea Lions, which had played Wichita Falls, seen Bob in action and signed him. When the club went west, Bob joined the Los Angeles Coasters.

He ended the season playing in Saskatchewan province in the West Canada league.

That fall he started at Butler college, Tyler, Texas, on a four-year football scholarship. Majoring in physical education, he piled up a college football record, which according to newspaper reports, was only a little less than sensational.

Thereafter Bob developed himself a sure-fire technique for seeing the North American continent. He'd start the baseball season

Board Authorizes Hiring of Seven New Teachers

Hiring of seven new teachers for the 1954-55 year of Artesia Public Schools was approved by the board of education Monday night.

Five are for elementary schools, one apiece for Junior and Senior high schools.

The teachers are:

—Mrs. Dovie Rice, 46, recommended for third grade at Park school. She is from Causey, near Portales. She is a native New Mexican. She graduated from Portales high school and received her AB degree from Eastern New Mexico university. She has 22 years of experience teaching grades one through eight.

—Fred Napp, 36, recommended for social science and guidance at Junior high school. He is from New York, has lived in New Mexico eight years. He received his BA from ENMU in mathematics, his master's from ENMU in guidance and other counseling. He was graduate assistant in personnel and public relations at ENMU for two years and an instructor in navigation in the U. S. Marine Corps. He is married, has two children.

—Mrs. Mary Innis, 33, recommended for primary grades. From Clovis, she has taught first grade three years at Lordsburg. She received her BA from Portales. She has a child, 9. She majored in education and music, minored in English.

—Miss Margaret Chaves, 23, recommended for primary grades. She is from Quemado, N. M., one of a family of 11. She received her BA degree from New Mexico Western at Silver City, where she had major credits in elementary education, Spanish, and home economics. Her experience includes two terms of practice teaching.

—George L. Jones, 33, recommended for intermediate grades. He received his BS degree from New Mexico Western, where he majored in elementary education and minored in history and psychology. He has practice taught in sixth grade and has been a construction worker. He is married and has two children, 6 and 4. He is from Kentucky.

—Marty Uher, 21, recommended for high school biology. From Chicago, he received his BS degree at New Mexico Western, where he majored in biology and physical education, minored in journalism. He has six hours of practice teaching experience. He is married and has one child.

—Miss Teresa Chavez, recommended for third grade and experimental Spanish. She graduated from high school at Silver City and received her BS from New Mexico Western. She is an elementary education major, has a major in Spanish, a minor in physical education. She has practice taught Spanish and in grades, and has taught junior high English.

N'Mexers Play Two More Exhibitions, Face Opener

Gill Johnson Enters First Year of Pro Baseball



GILBERT JOHNSON, NUMEXER PITCHER

Gilbert Johnson, 20-year-old rookie pitcher for the Artesia NuMexers, had parental blessing in his decision to test baseball's career opportunities.

He had played baseball in high school at Fort Worth, working at shortstop in his sophomore and junior years, switching to pitching in his senior year.

After graduation he played baseball with a Fort Worth night league team for the summer, then enrolled in North Texas state college at Denton.

Gil began a course leading to an engineering major, but had enough of it after one year.

When the college year ended Gil was back at baseball, playing amateur baseball in a Fort Worth city night league.

"It was amateur baseball that taught me a lot of baseball and gave me a lot of experience," Gil says.

So Gil worked days at Armour Packing Co., played baseball at nights.

Somewhere along the line the family discussed the future of Gil as a baseball player.

Gil was given several offers of contracts, but turned them down. His father put it to him this way: "If you seriously think you want a career in baseball, you better get started while you're young. Go ahead and take one of those contracts."

Gil called a friend on the staff of a Fort Worth newspaper, who in turn made the contacts that led to Dallas offering Gil a contract for the 1954 season.

Gil joined the Dallas Eagles at spring training in Galveston this spring, then was sent to Artesia.

He has no intentions of going back to school, for the time being, at least.

Gil figures he'd like to see what baseball has to offer as a career, combining it with off-season work.

He's still 1-A as far as Uncle Sam is concerned, which may have a bearing on his future.

After he's through with baseball, Gil hopes to have saved enough money to launch or buy into a sports good shop. "It'd be something I'd like and I'd probably do pretty well if I can make a name for myself in baseball," he says.

Gil knows John and Wayne Goodell, also on the NuMexer team this year, from Fort Worth and Denton. Gil opposed Wayne in high school baseball and later in amateur baseball.

The eyes of humans have a tendency to grow nearsighted in dim light.

William Booth, founder of the Salvation Army, was a Methodist minister.

Reelfoot lake in Tennessee was formed when a severe earthquake hit the area in 1811.

Jackpot Rodeo Set Sunday Afternoon

Fun and entertainment is being offered by Artesia Roping club, when it sponsors a Ranch Hands Jackpot rodeo at 2 p. m. Easter Sunday, April 18.

It will be held at the Artesia rodeo arena.

There will be two \$5 jackpots for calf roping, one double mugging jackpot at \$5 per man, old man's breakaway roping, 40 years and over at \$5 and an open breakaway jackpot at \$5.

Other events on the program will be bareback bronc riding, barrel races for 15 years and under at \$2.50, open barrel races at \$5.

There will be a 10 per cent cut given for use of all stock.

Admission is \$1 per car.

Samuel Walker To Be Stationed In Philippines

Airman 3/C Samuel J. Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Walker, 1103 W. Missouri, recently arrived in the Philippines to serve a tour of duty with the Air Force.

Ben Felder gained first on an error and Dobkowski again doubled, plating HuB and Felder. Herron was homed on error which allowed Felder to reach first.

Each team was credited with two errors.

Walker used three pitchers in an attempt to stem the Artesia run-

Artesia's NuMexers play two more exhibition games this week-end before officially opening their 1954 Longhorn league season.

The two games are scheduled this week-end against the powerful Fort Bliss Falcons.

Admission for both games will be 50 cents.

Saturday's game is scheduled for 8 p. m. in NuMexer Park. Sunday's game is slated for 2:30 p. m. in the park.

Next Tuesday, April 20, the NuMexers open their 1954 season with an afternoon game against Big Spring's Broncs.

Admission for the opening game will be \$1. Game time is 2:30.

The opener will be highlighted by the appearance of Gov. Edwin L. Mechem; Dick Burnett, owner of the Dallas Eagles; and John Simms, Democratic candidate for governor.

Mar. Jimmy Adair has indicated veteran ace hurler Jodie Phipps will start on the mound for Artesia next Tuesday.

The NuMexers added another notch to their exhibition belt of games Tuesday night with a win over Walker Air Force base, 6-0.

Artesia garnered five of its runs in the third inning. Walker hit rookie Wayne Goodell for four hits. Goodell went the route.

The NuMexers scored in the second when catcher Floyd Economides batted out a double. Ben Felder followed with a single, and outfielder Paul Dobkowski homed Economides with a double.

In the third the NuMexers capitalized on two hits for six runs as the Walker defense fell apart.

Lead-off man Adam Young smashed out a triple. John Goodell was walked to first, followed by Bob Herron and Bud Hull, forcing home Young. Goodell homed when Economides sacrificed.

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Bids for Hermosa School Sought By School Board

Bids for construction of Hermosa school are being sought by the Artesia board of education.

The boards call comes weeks after voters approved a \$450,000 bond issue to build a Junior high school, construction to Junior high school build a Hope elementary school.

Deadline for bids is 12:00 May 5. The bid bond called for 10 per cent of the maximum bid.

Plans for the Hermosa school have already been made and approved by the board of education.

Meanwhile the board's are putting plans for the high addition on paper, construction on it will be started in the fall. Preparation of the board approval of plans called to take three to four months according to school officials.

Completion of the school will be sought for school officials said the Eleven classrooms are to be added to Hermosa, in addition to the multi-purpose building. Contractors will be selected to complete classrooms first.

At Junior high building add nine classrooms, a cafeteria, dressing room, music and shop quarters.

Homicide Charge In Fatal Auto Wreck Dropped

Charges of negligent filed against drivers in an automobile accident on the lives of a Hagerman Roswell youth, and a woman, Feb. 1, have been dropped.

Charges were filed against Aguilair, 21, Roswell, and L. Boston, Walker Air Force base, following the collision. The charges were dropped in a Roswell court this week.

The head-on collision took the lives of Alva Hagerman, Garland Jr., 19, of Roswell, and Van Hoy of Walker Air Force base.

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- General Equipment Co., Inc.
- Artesia Iron Works
- Marshall Grocery
- Nelson Super Market
- The Artesia Advocate

Political Motive In Martin Case Denied By Morris

Denial there is political significance in the appeal to the state Supreme Court of district court dismissal of perjury charges against Hartsill Martin has been issued in Carlsbad by Asst. Dist.

Atty. C. N. "Bill" Morris. Judge Luis Armijo of Las Vegas, sitting for Dist. Judge C. Roy Anderson, dismissed the charges against Martin last Thursday. Morris filed an appeal from the decision to the Supreme Court.

Caswell Neal, Carlsbad attorney retained by Martin, also issued a statement indicating he believed the appeal lacked political significance. Neal is quoted as saying he "thought all along he (Morris)

acted in good faith and I see no reason to think otherwise. I see no political significance in filing the appeal." Martin is one of six candidates for sheriff in the May 4 Democratic primary election.

The first theater in English America was built in Williamsburg, Va., in 1716. Wheat is reported to have been grown as high as 14,000 feet altitude in Tibet.



LT. LLOYD D. COGDILL

Lloyd D. Cogdill Is Awarded Jet Pilot's Wings

The silver wings of a jet fighter pilot were presented recently to Lt. Lloyd D. Cogdill, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cogdill, Artesia. Ceremonies were held at Williams Air Force base, Chandler, Ariz.

Guest speaker for the occasion was Brig. Gen. Henry R. Spicer, deputy commander of crew training Air Force at Randolph Air Force base, Texas.

His colorful Air Force career includes service as a combat fighter pilot in WWII. In March 1944 he was captured by the Germans when he bailed out of his disabled aircraft over the English channel. During his internment as a POW he was charged with attempting to incite a riot, tried by a German Court Martial and sentenced to death.

However, his death sentence was deferred because of Allied war actions in the vicinity. He was placed in solitary confinement for six months in a 6 by 8 cell. On the day he was to be executed the Russians came and liberated the camp; however, Gen. Spicer elected to remain in his cell until the Americans arrived a few hours later.

The formal ceremonies were held in the base theater at 10:30 a. m. Col. George S. Brown, wing commander, presented the wings and diplomas.

Oath of office was administered to the aviation cadets by Major Richard Butner, wing adjutant, commissioning them second lieutenants in the U. S. Air Force.

Invocation and benediction were given by Chaplain (1st Lt. Robert C. Sauer).

Martial music was furnished by the Williams AFB drum and bugle corps.

Preceding the graduation ceremonies, flight line exercises were held at 9 a. m. in honor of the new pilots. A formal review of 1,000 aviation cadets and airmen, accom-

Pat Havener Is Given Party

Carroll Patrick Havener, son of Coach and Mrs. John Havener Jr. was honored Friday afternoon from 3 to 5 at a birthday party. He was two years old.

He very successfully blew out the two candles on his birthday cake, a pink and blue layer cake covered with blue icing with the inscription "Happy Birthday Pat" in white. It was served with ice cream and pop. Suckers and bubble gum were given as favors. Games were played outside on the lawn. He also opened his gift which were admired by friends. Guests present at this affair were Merrellee Whatley, Phyllis Kay, Mary and Stevie Whatley, Robert Lee Merritt, his sister, Jeanette Havener, and Bobby Pate.

Mothers attending were Mmes. W. F. Whatley, Chris Merritt, Ray Pate and the hostess, Mrs. Havener.

Artesia to Host Toastmasters Meet in May

Artesia will be host to an area meeting of Toastmasters club in May, it was announced at the regular meeting held at Country-club Tuesday with President Wallace Beck in charge.

Louis Baker was topicmaster. His topics were Toastmaster at-tendance during vacation months and baseball season, questions on planning personal vacations, and current events.

First speaker on the program was Owen Hensley giving his num-

ber one talk, his own biography. Vernon Bryan acted as Hensley's critic.

Second speaker was Dr. Ralph Earhart who spoke on "Letter Writing." Ott Strock acted as his critic.

Dr. Earhart acted as overall evaluator for the meeting, pointing out mistakes made throughout the meeting.

Special program and a ladies' night will be features of the area meeting, according to Beck.

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Schools Buy 14 Acres as Site For Expansion

Purchase of 14 acres of land west of Artesia for future school expansion was announced this week by Tom J. Mayfield, superintendent of schools.

The land was purchased by the board of education for \$9,000 from J. A. Fairley, Artesia real estate man.

It is located about a quarter mile west of Thirteenth between the proposed extensions of Bullock and Mann avenues.

Supt. Mayfield said the board made the purchase for construction of an elementary school in the future when the city expands in that direction.

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Frisch Funeral—

He served during the Spanish American war in Cuba with the 3rd Nebraska regiment.

April 29, 1903, he married Addie Mae Fink at Glenvil. The couple last year celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

He has lived in Artesia ever since moving here in 1907. He was a successful general contractor and was employed by the city for many years.

He served several years as Artesia's city manager, and was just prior to his death the city building inspector for several years, retiring Jan. 1 this year.

Mr. Frisch was a member of the Masonic lodge, Veterans of Foreign Wars, First Methodist Church and Modern Woodmen lodge.

Chief of Police Frank Powell was not available for comment on the incidents Thursday.

Whether or not they are believed connected or whether the suspect identified by the Williams family has been interrogated has not been announced.

Prowler Around—

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the rear of his house. He described the man as tall and slender. A suspect was identified.

—A Mrs. Pounds of 1205 Clayton who told police at 12:05 a. m. Tuesday someone attempted to open the front door of her home.

—Jerry Marshall, 502 Washington, who reported to police at 12:37 a. m. Tuesday a window peeper had looked into windows of his house, but had been scared away.

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Artesia Weather

Day	High	Low
Monday	57	47
Tuesday	70	54
Wednesday	78	55

Precipitation: Tuesday evening .06 inches rain; Wednesday night .21 inches rain.

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THIRD GRADERS who took part on Radio Book Quiz last week-end under sponsorship of American Association of University Women and KSVP are, left to right, seated, Denny Perriman, Sandra Davison, Janie Lee,

Janice Stewart, Mary Alice Weeds; standing, Kenneth Long, Haden Crume, Michael Petty, Charles Lemmon, and Tommy Feezel. (Photo by Leone)

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS and INVITATION FOR BIDS

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed proposals for the construction of an addition to Hermosa Elementary School Building, Artesia, New Mexico, will be received at the office of Superintendent of Schools, in the School Administration Building until 1:30 P. M. on the 5th day of May, 1954, and then publicly opened and read aloud. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened.

The proposal will embody statements to the effect that the bid is accompanied by a certified check or a bid bond in a sum not less than 5% of the maximum bid, payable to the Board of Education, Artesia, New Mexico, with the understanding that if the proposal is accepted, the bidder will, within ten (10) days thereafter enter into a contract and give an acceptable Surety Company Performance Bond in the full amount of the contract for such work. In case of failure of the successful bidder to enter into a contract and give an acceptable bond, the said check or bid bond shall be forfeited to the Board of Education as liquidated damages, otherwise it will be returned to the bidder within thirty (30) days from the date of the opening of bids. Plans and specifications may be examined without charge in the office of Vorhees, Standhardt & Swatek, 1607 West Second Street, Roswell, New Mexico. Bidders may procure one (1) set of plans and specifications upon a deposit of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00). If plans and specifications are returned to the Architects, in good condition, within ten (10) days after receipt of bids, the full amount of deposit will be returned. Bidders may obtain additional sets of plans and specifications at the rate of \$11.00 per set for plans and \$3.00 per set for specifications, which sums will not be returned. Proposals must be transmitted in accordance with the detailed plans and specifications and on the forms prescribed for that purpose. The Board of Education, Artesia Municipal School District No. 16, Artesia, New Mexico reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive all technicalities. By HOWARD STROUP, President, Board of Education Mrs. C. P. Bunch, Clerk 31-31-F-35

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Special Easter Service Planned By Local Church

The public is cordially invited to attend special Easter services of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Services will be held at 10 a. m. April 18 at the Odd Fellows hall. Elder Sisson Hatch, president of the Eastern New Mexico district, and his companion, Elder Lyle Yearsley, both of Clovis, will be special visitors. On the program are two addresses about Easter, one by Mrs. Mart Lindsay and the other by right to reject any and all bids and to waive all technicalities. By HOWARD STROUP, President, Board of Education Mrs. C. P. Bunch, Clerk 31-31-F-35

Second Graders To Appear on Radio Book Quiz

Second graders from Artesia Mrs. Jack Brunner Mrs. Kenneth Mortensen will sing special Easter songs. Mrs. Ralph Earhart's Sunday school class will bring special songs and recitations. Elder Steven Brown and Elder Lon Neal will conduct services.

schools will be featured this week on the weekly Radio Book Quiz sponsored by American Association of University Women. The broadcast will be from 9:45 a. m. to 10:15 Saturday over radio station KSVP. Miss Lois Nethery, high school librarian, will be quizmaster. Scheduled to take part are Johnny Lippis and Jerry McCarty, from Mrs. Rufus Stinnett's room at Hermosa; Jimmy Williams and Halleen Birch from Mrs. Leota Williams' room at Hermosa. Also, Jon Schneider, Viola Melton, Mike Miller, and Allison Smith

Personal Mention Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Golden returned Sunday from Arvin, Calif. where they had gone to get his father, G. G. Golden. They were gone a week. The father plans to visit here, then visit his sons, Harold at Eunice and Idos at Longmont, Colo. from Miss Nancy Haynes room at Central; Shirley Compton from Miss Peggy Laughlin's Central school room; and Miss Pamela Morgan, from Miss Helen Garde's room at Central.

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First Annual Band Goodwill Tour to Visit Three Cities

The first annual Goodwill Tour of Artesia high school band hits the road next Thursday, April 22. The tour, which includes three Southeastern New Mexico cities, has been formed by Artesia municipal schools to create goodwill among neighboring communities.

Cooperating in this effort with the high school band, under the direction of Justin D. Bradbury, are officials of the schools, the city administration, the Chamber of Commerce, and Band Aides, official parent group of band students.

Cities to be visited on the two-day tour are Roswell, Portales, and Hobbs.

The young musicians will perform for the student body at Roswell high school at 9 a. m. Thursday, April 22, and journey on to Portales for an early afternoon concert the same day.

A cornet trio, composed of Sam Laughlin, Kenny Campbell, and Cordell Smith will be featured in "Jim Dandies" by Walters.

Carl "Mansy" Lane will narrate a tragic story of a peckhorn player, titled "The Peckhorn's Revenge," by Bowles. And Barbara Rogers, Don Kiddy, Nancy Long, Bill Lewis, and Sherman Forsyth will play a multiple clarinet solo, "Thana."

Numbers prepared by the concert band for festival will also be presented on the tour.

As a conclusion to the program, which will be only 45 minutes in length, The Sereaders will play several current popular hits.

Bradbury has announced that R. M. Parham, assistant principal of the high school, will represent the school administration, W. H. "Bill" Yeager will represent the city administration, and C. G. Clark, businessman, will represent the Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. James Heald, president of Band Aides, will present greetings to neighboring cities from the band parents group.

"This educational concert tour will help our boys and girls in their ease in public appearances under varying conditions," Bradbury pointed out.

"We feel the tour will also be a boost in civic relations and the creation of good will among eastern New Mexico cities."

Governor—

(Continued from Page One) **BASEBALL LEAFLET BARRAGE TO HIT CITY**

A barrage of leaflets advertising Artesia's first baseball game of the season and containing a number of free admission stubs will be dropped over the city tomorrow.

An airplane from Hazel Flying Service will drop 5,000 leaflets across the business section tomorrow morning, Chamber of Commerce officials have announced.

A number of leaflets will include the word "opportunity," a chamber spokesman said. Finders of the leaflets which contain the word "opportunity" will be awarded a free ticket to baseball opening day in Artesia.

BURNETT TO ATTEND BASEBALL OPENER

Dick Burnett of Dallas, businessman-owner of the Dallas Eagles, will be in Artesia next Tuesday afternoon to attend the NuMexer's first game of the 1954 season.

S. A. Lanning, president of Artesia Baseball club, said Burnett this week confirmed an invitation to attend ceremonies. Lanning indicated Burnett will be an honored guest.

Through Burnett a working agreement between the NuMexers and the Dallas Eagles was made under which Artesia will receive baseball players in 1954. The arrangement is credited with making professional baseball possible this year.

SCHOOLS TO BE OUT FOR BASEBALL OPENER

Schools will be dismissed at noon next Tuesday, marking the opening of the 1954 baseball season.

The action was affirmed this week by the board of education, which voted to dismiss all classes in all schools at noon Tuesday.

Time for the baseball game is 2:30 p. m.

TICKET TIME IS ERRONEOUS

Time printed on tickets for the opening baseball game of the 1954 Artesia NuMexer season is erroneous, baseball club officials said this week.

Time on the tickets is printed as 7:30, officials said. The game time is 2 p. m. next Tuesday. Tickets were printed, officials explained, before a switch in time later required.

Anderson Asks—

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compromise bill agreed on by South and West senators gave Eddy county, for example, only 5,000 additional cotton acreage allotment but gave Roosevelt county 13,000 additional, he said.

"That bill took 10 months to be passed," the senator said. He added "a meeting like this develops unified positions on farm problems."

The senator noted a booklet published by the U. S. Chamber of Commerce on agriculture and price supports represents an extreme point of view, as does, for instance, the Florida citrus growers who want no controls.

"Business interests and the Farm Bureau should agree on farm problems," the senator urged. "They should find and express grassroots sentiment on agriculture."

MOST AREAS served by Farm Bureau, he said, want to try flexible farm support, although isolated Farm Bureau units have opposed the flexible supports.

"In this market year for cotton," the senator said, "we will have 9, 600,000 bales of cotton on hand."

Domestic consumption is 9 million bales.

He repeatedly urged "business and farm interests to work as partners in the solving of farm problems. Next to Indo-China and the hydrogen bomb, the solution of farm problems is paramount."

Pre-School—

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The round-up of pre-school children for a health check is in its fifth year as a project of Central School Parent-Teachers Assn., assisted by Park and Hermosa PTA. Standards for the clinic are established by the National Congress of Parents and Teachers. Artesia doctors and dentists, staff the day-

long clinic without charge.

General purpose of the clinic is to make sure all children scheduled to enter school in the fall are physically ready for school.

Doctors and dentists detect physical handicaps, such as weak eyes, decayed teeth or bad tonsils, which if remedied before the child enters school, makes it possible for the child to do his best in school.

Chamber—

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the agenda for the coming year. They, too, will require a substantial investment.

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Stern Warnings—

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as a model home and finished for a reduced fee. The householder is sometimes offered \$50 a home for each job sold on the basis of work done to his home.

Prices are exceptionally high for the work, Miller said. A reasonable price for re-stuccoing a house, he said, is 25 cents a square foot. For repainting which includes sandblasting or wire brushing, primer and two coats of paint, it is 12 to 14 cents a square foot, he said.

This compares to 60 to 80 cents a square foot charged by the salesmen, Miller said.

Tests and complaints have revealed the mastic compound, which contains a plastic agent, peels off houses in strips after a short time, Miller declared.

Miller conferred with contractors and bank representatives as well as the Chamber of Commerce during his trip to Artesia.

"We do not imply that when properly implied these products may not prove entirely satisfactory," Miller said. "In view of the nature of the claims made, however, it obviously will be some time before proof of such claims can be established."

The mastic paints, he added, are relatively new on the market. There is little technical information available on them. Few of these products, he continued, have been in use long enough to warrant conclusions as to their long-range performance under varying conditions.

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Smith Pleads—

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Smith reportedly fired one shot between the two officers who they knocked on the door. He ordered Clark into the house where he fired two more shots at Clark, the last one going through the cloth of Clark's trousers.

Clark then subdued Smith and released after posting bond Sunday morning.

Smith was jailed overnight and released after posting bond Sunday morning.

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HAGERMAN NEWS

Mrs. Byron Oglesby, Editor

Union Easter Services Are Held By Hagerman Churches

Union services are being held this week of the First Methodist Presbyterian churches of Hagerman, the general theme being "Light in Darkness." April 11, services were held at the Presbyterian church with the Rev. G. H. Woolf, pastor of the Methodist church, presiding. "False Messages" were read from both churches, directed by Richard Atwater, director of the Presbyterian church, and their voices in singing, "The Gates of the Temple" by Knapp. The program was directed and the first hymn, "Blessings," was substituted due to the nice rain. Services were held at the Methodist church with the Rev. Mebane Knapp, pastor of the Presbyterian church, giving the communion address, "The Shadows Lengthen—Let Us Go Home, Jesus." Communion services were conducted by Rev. Ramsay and Rev. Woolf. Special music for the evening was a violin ensemble conducted by Doris Deter Welborne, as she presented a group of her violin pupils. Friday evening again at the Presbyterian church, the Rev. Woolf will preach the message, "Night—and Endless Day." The combined choir under the direction of Richard Atwater will sing "De Profundis" by Lorenz. Easter Sunday morning, each in his own church for the morning services. An Easter cantata under the direction of Mrs. Welborne will be presented at the First Methodist church here Sunday evening. The public is invited.

Hagerman News Briefs

Mrs. A. S. Curry of Las Cruces spent the week-end here with her sister, Mrs. Dacus and family, and his mother-in-law, C. W. Curry who is hospitalized at St. Mary's hospital following a fall which injured her leg.

Mrs. Huddleston, who was injured in a highway accident which took the lives of three people, will have the cast and brace removed from her back Friday. She sustained a broken back and a pelvic bone in the accident several weeks ago.

Madette Hampton, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hampton of Hagerman, arrived on Friday to spend the Easter holiday with her parents and sister, Claudette attends the New School for the Visually Handicapped at Alamogordo.

Members of the Order of Rainbow Girls of Dexter and Hagerman attended the morning church services of the First Methodist church of Hagerman in a body on Sunday, April 11. There were 25 present. They were accompanied by the Rainbow mother and Mrs. Sadie Bowen.

Mrs. S. C. Carver and her daughter, Linda, of Las Cruces were house guests of their mother and sister, respectively, the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Templeton and children, and Sidney, of Hagerman, arrived Friday evening late and returned to their home in Las Cruces Sunday.

Alvin Cumpston who has had a virus infection in his eye, reported to be somewhat improved.

Mrs. Flora Mann, who recently underwent eye surgery and the removal of her left eye, was able to attend church services Sunday morning at First Methodist church.

Mrs. and Mrs. Howard Menefee family attended a surprise party dinner of a relative Sunday at Roswell.

Julius Ables of Hagerman underwent surgery at St. Mary's hospital in Roswell Friday when appendectomy was performed. It is reported to be doing just

fine, and was expected to be dismissed from the hospital to return to her home Tuesday. Mrs. Wilson Hart is keeping Mrs. Able's children while their mother is hospitalized.

Arriving Sunday evening from Boulder, Colo., were Mr. and Mrs. John Watford and young son, Bill Charles; also Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Curry, also of Boulder. John is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Watford and is enjoying a visit here with his parents and sister, Betty, and grandmother, Mrs. Flora West. Curry is Mrs. Watford's brother and he came especially to see his mother, Mrs. C. W. Curry who has been hospitalized following a fall last week which chipped the bone in her hip. The two couples from Boulder will remain the rest of this

week, planning to leave about Friday.

Rankin Woolf, son of the Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Woolf of Hagerman, was released from the Roswell osteopathic hospital and returned to his home Tuesday morning. He has been hospitalized about two weeks with rheumatic fever, and must remain in bed for some time yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester E. Hinrichsen of Hagerman had as luncheon guests Sunday their friends, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Simons and Mrs. Nellie Walter of Artesia. Simons and Hinrichsen were in France together, having joined the service together in World War I, and are old-time friends. In the afternoon, the group went to Roswell to attend the "Messiah" which was the combined voices of members of all the churches of Roswell. It was held at the First Baptist church of Roswell, and was beautifully presented, according to Mrs. Hinrichsen.

Hagerman residents rejoiced with their neighbors over the recent rain we had. Although it was not sufficient to halt the irrigating, it did make things look greener and fresher and was quite a morale builder, too. We'd almost forgotten what precipitation was!

Sunrise Easter services will be held at the ball park in Hagerman at 5:45 a. m. Sunday morning, April 18. Mr. Henry will be in charge of the music, and it will be a very inspiring service. Plan to attend. The public is cordially invited.

Incidentally, the Rainbow girls who attended church services in a body Sunday, were beautiful in their spring ensembles and cute straw hats. A very worthwhile organization, and a lovely group of girls.

Pneumonia causes about 47,000 deaths a year in the United States.

The Antarctic continent is the wildest spot in the world.

Local Firemen Attend Area Association

Members of the Southeastern New Mexico Firemen's Assn. met in East Grand Plains Monday evening, with East Grand Plains being hosts to a big barbecue supper.

Associations from Capitan, Hondo, Tatum, Eunice, Hobbs, Carlsbad, Artesia, Dexter, Hagerman and East Grand Plains were represented at this meeting. Business and various problems were discussed.

These meetings are held every three months and Eunice will be host to the next one.

Those from Hagerman who were present were Leonard George, Joe Mann, Melvin Sanders, Clint Gibson, Horice Freeman, Amos Hampton, J. E. Lusk, R. D. Davenport, Wayne Graham and Rue Chrisman.

Baptist Men Hear Mission Worker Speak

A brotherhood meeting of men from the Baptist church of Hagerman was held Monday evening with 15 men present.

The guest speaker was Rev. Dalton Ketch, a missionary worker in the Aztec - Farmington - Colorado area. Rev. Ketch will also attend the Baptist convention which is to be held this week in Carlsbad. He is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ketch.

Hope News

By MRS. E. L. COX

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris and children of Roswell spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Harris and family. Both enjoyed golf at Artesia Country club Sunday.

Hopeites who were Artesia visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cole, Floyd Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hunter and daughter, Mrs. Sam Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. George Casabonne and children, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Cauhape and children, Mrs. Buster Crockett, Martin Hibbard, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clements and Mrs. Lincoln Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Rounds of Albuquerque spent last week-end with their son and family, Rev. and Mrs. Richard Rounds and Stanley.

Mrs. Jessie Buckner and two small children visited relatives in Hope last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. L. Halleck of Carlsbad accompanied Mrs. Buckner to Hope and went out to the Bryant Williams to see the turkey farm which was quite a sight to them.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris and children of Roswell spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Harris. Sunday both the Harris families motored to Pinon to the home of Mrs. Vivian Hepler where they celebrated the birthday of Mrs. Mattie Harris, mother of the Mr. Harris and Mrs. Hepler.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Posey of Artesia were dinner guests in the Mark Fisher home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Cox returned home Monday afternoon from a visit in Austin, Texas. The Coxes left home on Friday morning and went by San Angelo where they sold their wool and mohair. Then

went on to Austin where they visited relatives of Mr. Cox. The Coxes reported that it had rained from a little to a lot over most of Texas. The Cox children stayed with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Cox and all attended play day at White Sands Saturday and Sacramento Mountain Singing Convention Sunday.

Mrs. Bob James and Mrs. Martin Hibbard visited with Mrs. John Bush last Tuesday.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. Inez Crockett last Thursday for an all-day meeting with a covered dish dinner served at the noon hour followed by a short business meeting and the continuation of their book study in the afternoon. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. Richard Rounds, Mmes. Madie Teel, Berdina Bulkeley, Glynn Bush, Myrtle Burman, Reba James, Edith Hibbard, Frances Barley, and the hostess, Mrs. Inez Crockett.

SENATE RACE IN MAINE



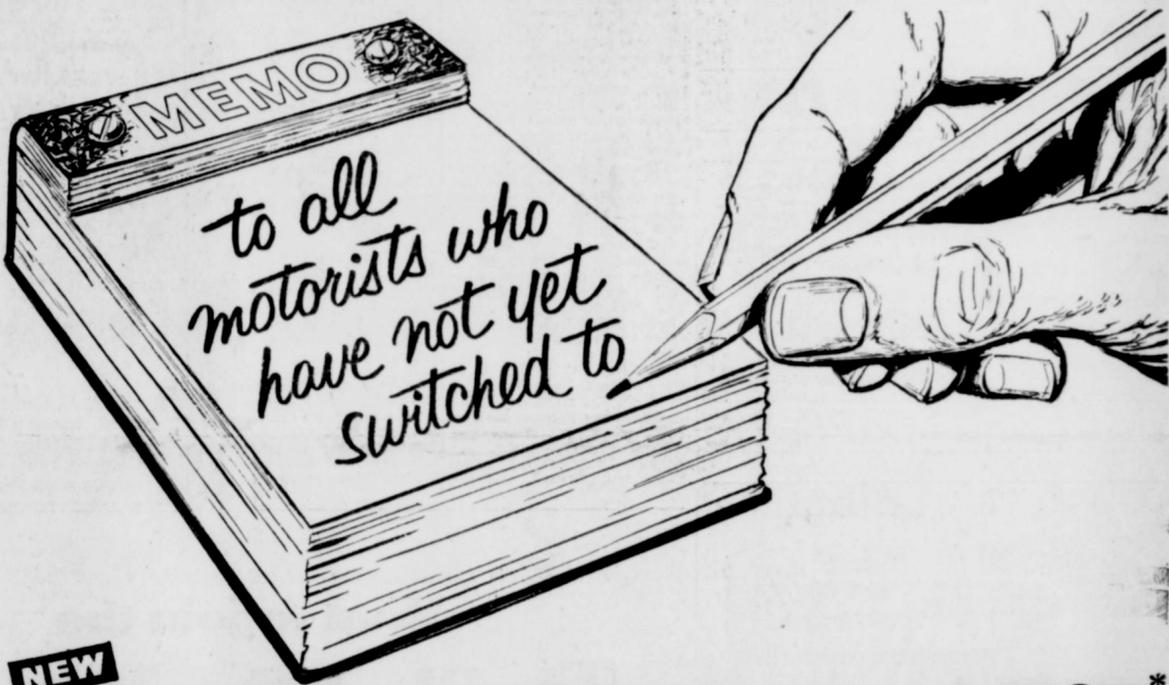
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Artesia Business Education Students High in Contest

Business education department of Artesia high school was one of five high schools from throughout the state to receive a "proficiency" banner at the state Commerce club convention held in Las Vegas, April 8, 9, and 10.

This banner is awarded to schools having a total score of 4,000 or more points, based on total number of points earned by its students in passing certain tests in typewriting, shorthand and bookkeeping during the school year.

There are approximately 1,400 students from throughout the state who are enrolled in the state Commerce club. About 600 attended the convention. Some of the schools represented, besides Artesia, were Cimarron, Farmington, Highlands of Albuquerque, Espanola, Jal, Kirtland, Las Vegas, Raton, Mountainair, Roy, Ruidoso, Socorro, and Tucumcari.

During the convention, tests were administered in each subject, including typing I and II, shorthand I and II, and bookkeeping. There were approximately 300 who participated in the typing I test Friday morning. Of those 300 there were 48 who passed the test, and of that 48, five were from Artesia. Those from Artesia were Robbie Alford, Sondra Collins, Sue Crilly, Alfred Williams, and Mary Margaret Whitson.

In shorthand I, Laura Lou Smith was one of 12 who passed the test, from a total of 100 who took the test. In shorthand II, Wanda Adams was one of 10 who passed the test, out of a total of 50 who took the test.

Throughout the school year, students who were enrolled in the state Commerce club, were earning points toward a certificate, by passing certain speed accuracy and performance tests in typewriting, and shorthand.

There were three types of certificates toward which the students have been working: (1) Superiority—"highest quality" denotes that the students work in that subject is of a distinctly superior quality; (2) Proficiency—"excellent quality"—designates work which is above average, yet of a quality slightly inferior to that of superiority awards; and (3) Meritorious—"above average" denotes work which is worthy of special recognition.

In the typing I classes, the following students have earned certificates:

Superiority: Alfred Williams, Nancy Wehnt, Jeanie Lee, Carolyn Clark, Kathryn Doss, Bobbie Freeman, Mary Margaret Whitson, Melva Ann Morgan, Susan Lee, Carolyn Watts, June Brewer, Sondra Collins, Kathy Fowler, Robbie Alford, Dewitt Tidwell, and Sue Crilly.

Proficiency: Mabel Kinney, Meritorious: Peggy Hodges, Shirley McKinley, Bernice Morgan, Judy Bennett, Diane Croft, Kay Ingram, JoNell Roberts, James Choate, Jerry Cranford, and Bill Cox.

In shorthand II, the following students have earned certificates: Superiority: Wanda Adams, and Laura Lou Smith.

Proficiency: Dell Hughes, Marsha Rowley, Mary Ann Rogers, and Romá Parrish.

In shorthand I, Laura Lou Smith earned a meritorious certificate, and in shorthand II, Wanda Smith, Dell Hughes, and Billie Sue Stewig earned proficiency certificates.

Artesia also had the honor of placing one student in the "400" club. This is an exclusive club, as a student must earn a total of 400 points for a year in order to be eligible for this club. Robbie Alford was honored by being made a member of the "400" club.

The following students made the trip to Las Vegas: Laura Lou Smith, Marsha Rowley, Wanda Adams, Billie Sue Stewig, Day-Wanna Berry, Robbie Alford, Alfred Williams, Mary Margaret Whitson, Jeanie Lee, Susan Lee, Sue Crilly, Dewitt Tidwell, Sondra Collins, Mabel Kinney, Betty Lou Lee, and Kathy Fowler.

They were accompanied by Miss

Cause of Chronic Disease Discussed By Local Doctor

Has it ever occurred to you in cases where the same sickness reappears over and over again that what is causing that sickness once is causing it the second, third and fourth times? If it is, how fever every season, colds in winter, frequent heart attacks, etc., there is one primary spinal cause to which that repeated illness can be traced.

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For further information about Chiropractic, you are invited to consult Dr. Kathryn Behnke, Palmer Graduate Chiropractor, 408 W. Richardson, phone 861.

Earl Darst Is Chosen for Tour Of Biggs Base

Earl L. Darst, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Darst, 801 Missouri, has been selected as one of a group of Air Force ROTC students at New Mexico A&M college to tour Biggs Air Force Base during the week ending April 9. Lt. Col. George E. Mann, head of the air science department, announced today.

Purpose of the one-day tour will be to acquaint AFROTC students at the A&M college with the functions and operations of an air base.

The students will be welcomed by Col. Robert J. Ahern, commander of the 810th air base group.

Margaret Harston, Miss Wanda Lee, and Warren T. Johnston, who are the business education instructors in Artesia high school.

Then the students will visit a B-36 mobile training unit, a C-124 simulator, the flight line and maintenance section, and a static display of Air Force transports and bombers. In the afternoon the AFROTC cadets will mount base operations where they will be shown the tower and the briefing and dispatching sections. The climax of the visit will be an orientation flight.

The AFROTC course at the A&M college leads to a commission as a second lieutenant in the air force reserve. The basic course, the first two years is required of all male students. Only those qualified students who desire to secure a commission are selected for the advanced course.

Successful completion of the entire program and requirements for a college degree qualifies a student for a commission in the air force reserve. After graduation qualified students may take air force flight training as second lieutenants.

Social Security Officer to Be Here April 19

Ralph H. Yowell, field representative of the Roswell social security administration office, will be in Artesia Monday morning, April 19, to assist local residents in making application for old-age or survivors insurance benefits and to give general information concerning the social security act.

He will be at the office of the state employment service, 511 W. Main, between 10 a. m. and 12 noon.

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 Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
 Sunday Youth Services, 6:30 p. m.
 Sunday Evening Services, 7:30 p. m.
 Thursday Evening Services, 7:30 p. m.
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 309 South Seventh Street
 Sunday—Holy Eucharist, 8 a. m.
 Morning Prayer and Church School, 9:30 a. m.
 Morning Prayer and Holy Communion (alternating Sundays), 11 a. m.
 Week-Days—Evening Prayer daily at 5 p. m.
 Holy Communion 10 a. m. Thursday.
 Rev. Milton Rohane, Rector.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 Fifth and Quay
 Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship, 10:50 a. m.
 Young People's Services, 6:45 p. m.
 Evening Services, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday—Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p. m.
 William McMahon, Pastor.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 Sixth and Quay
 The Church School, 9:45 a. m.
 Worship Services, 10:50 a. m.
 Chi Rho Fellowship, 5:30 p. m.
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 Rev. Orvan E. Gilstrap.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—HAGERMAN
 Men's Bible Class meets in Women's club building with the pastor as teacher, 9:45 a. m.
 Women's Bible Class under Mrs. Holloway and the Church School, meets in the church, 10 a. m.
 Morning Worship and Sermon by the pastor, 11 a. m.
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 Training Meeting, 6:30 p. m.
 Preaching, 7:30 p. m.
 Mid-Week Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7:15 p. m.
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 Corner Eight and Washington
 Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Preaching, 11 a. m.
 B.T.S., 6:30 p. m.
 Preaching, 7:30 p. m.
 Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
 Rev. Everett M. Ward, Pastor.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
 Fourth and Chisum
 Sunday Services—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship, 11:00.
 Christ Ambassadors, 6 p. m.
 Evangelistic Services, 7:30 p. m.
 Mid-Week Services—Group Night, Tuesday, 7:30.
 Evangelistic Services, Thursday 7:30 p. m.
 J. H. McClendon, Pastor.

MALJAMAR BAPTIST CHURCH
 On New Mexico Road 83.35 miles east of Artesia.
 Sunday Church Services, 11 a. m.
 Training Union, 6 p. m.
 Evening Worship, 7 p. m.
 Wednesday Services, 6:30 p. m.
 Rev. Clifford Hamton, Pastor.

LAKE ARTHUR BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.
 Preaching Service, 11 a. m.
 Training Union 7:30 p. m.
 Evening preaching 8:30 p. m.
 Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
 W. M. Irwin, Pastor.

MEXICAN BAPTIST CHURCH
 Cleveland Street
 Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Preaching Services, 11 a. m.
 Evening Service, 7 p. m.
 Tuesday Prayer Service, 7 p. m.
 M. E. O'Neill, Pastor.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH
 1815 North Oak in Morningside Addition
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.
 Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
 Evening Services, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday, Bible Study, 7:30 p. m.

UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
 Sunday night services, 7:30 p. m.
 Bible Study, Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.
 Young People's Services, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.
 Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
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CHURCH OF CHRIST
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 Bible Class and Teachers' Meeting, Friday, 7 p. m.
 J. H. Horton, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Eighth and Grand
 Sunday, Bible Study, 9:45 a. m.
 Preaching and Worship, 10:25 a. m.
 Preaching and Worship, 7:00 p. m.
 Wednesday, prayer meeting, 7 p. m.
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 Bible School, 9:30 a. m.
 Morning Worship, 10:50 a. m.
 Baptist Training Union, 6:30 p. m.
 Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday Services, 7:30 p. m.
 S. M. Morgan, Pastor.

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 Mass Sunday at 7:30 and 9 a. m.—English sermon.
 Mass Week-Days, 7:30 a. m.
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 Reverend Gabriel Eilers

LAKEWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.
 Preaching Services, 11 a. m.
 Evening Preaching, 8 p. m.
 Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 8 p. m.
 B. R. Lindman.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH
 Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
 Wednesday Evening Meeting, 8:30 p. m.
 Reading Room, Wednesday and Saturday, 2 to 4 p. m.

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 Preaching services, 10:45 a. m.
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 Rev. G. H. Woolf, Pastor
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 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.
 6:30 p. m.—MYF (Methodist Youth Fellowship).
 7:30 p. m.—Evening Church Services.
 Belle Bennett Missionary Society and also W.S.C.S. meets each first and third Wednesdays, 2 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 Rev. Eugene W. Culbertson, Pastor
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.
 6:45 p. m.—Youth Groups.
 7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic Services.
 Each Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Mid-Week Services.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 J. L. Pritchard, Artesia, Speaker
 10:30 a. m.—Morning Worship.
 7:00 p. m.—Evening Worship Services.
 7:30 Thursday evenings, Mid-Week Services.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Rev. Scott New, Pastor
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.
 10:50 a. m.—Morning Worship.
 6:30 p. m.—Evening Training Union.
 7:30 p. m.—Evening Services.
 7:00 p. m.—Each Wednesday—Teachers and Officers meeting at church.
 7:30 p. m.—Each Wednesday, Prayer Meeting at church.
 7:00 p. m.—Each second Monday evening of the month, Brotherhood Meeting (men) at church.
 Every other Wednesday afternoon, 2:30 p. m., WMU (Women's Missionary Society).

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 7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic Services.
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FOR SALE—Grocery, cafe and filling station, doing good business. Charles L. Williams at Williams Grocery & Cafe, Loco Hills, 742 W. Main. Phone 1200.

FOR SALE, TRADE OR LEASE

Business Property
 on North Highway and
 Truck by Pass, 240 x 290 ft.
 See S. C. Scarbrough,
 Phone 0180-35
 29-5tp-33

Services Offered

WANTED to keep a child for working mother. Phone 653-W. 31-3tp-33

PHOTOSTATS

Pick Up and Delivery
 Phone 475 or 938 807 Bullock
 SOUTHEAST
 ENGINEERING CO. 19-tfc

MOVING! STORAGE!

Household moving, across the state. Across nation. Agent Allied Lines, Southern New Mexico, Carlsbad, N. M. Phone 53-tfc

HOME LOANS!

To Buy To Build
 To Refinance
 Artesia Building and Loan Association
 Street Floor Carper Bldg. 57-tfc

Elmer Convalescent Home

A home away from home, providing nursing care for elderly, crippled or senile people, operated by Mr. & Mrs. N. G. Whittier, 1002 S. Roselawn, phone 67-92-tfc

YOU WANT TO DRINK, that's your business.

YOU WANT TO STOP, that's your business.
 Medicines Anonymous, Call 772-W. 866-W. 87-tfx

NETIAN BLINDS

—We guarantee perfect fit. Key Furniture Co., 412 W. Texas, phone 877-1-tfc

REST HAVEN-CONVALESCENT HOME

For the elderly, 907 W. Main St., Artesia, N. M. Phone 1725. Operated by Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Miller. 89-tfc

Pat Koehane, PHOTOGRAPHER

Specializing in Portraits
 20 S. Roselawn Phone 1470
 Artesia, New Mexico
 26-7tp-32

WANTED—Hay to bale, reasonable rates.

See Dave Torres or phone 0185-R2. 29-tfc

REAL VALUES IN REAL ESTATE. SEE MULTIPLE LISTING REAL ESTATE GUIDE ON THIS PAGE

FOR QUICK SALE
 966-W and list your property with us TODAY. We just sold these bargains we had and need more so bad, or if you need something you should check our files.
 WILLARD LONG AGENCY
 4 W. Main Phone 998-W
 30-tfc

Twenty-five per cent of all drivers involved in fatal traffic accidents in the U. S. last year were under 25 years old.

Eighty per cent of vehicles involved in fatal traffic accidents in the U. S. were traveling straight ahead.

In 1953, 269,360 pedestrians were injured in U. S. traffic accidents.

5—Real Estate For Sale

FOR SALE—Three-bedroom home three years old, excellent condition. Will sell for equity. See at 1306 Yucca or phone 1210-J. 23-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE — What have you? New modern two-bedroom home, grocery store, filling station with 16 unit trailer court, all new. Six miles east of Artesia, near the Pecos River, good location. See Riverside Service Station and Trailer Court on Highway 83. 23-9tp-31

FOR SALE — Small four-room house at 204 W. Mosley, price \$2800. Inquire at 206 W. Mosley or 708 Runyan. 19-tfc

FOR SALE BY OWNER — Two-bedroom house, 808 S. Sixth. Wired for electric stove, plumbing for automatic dryer and washer. Call 963. 20-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two-bedroom home and garage. Send offer to Jobey McPherson, 633 E. Sixth St., Roswell, N. M. 71-tfc

FOR SALE—Five acres, well improved, close to town, lots of water with modern house, furnished or unfurnished. Mrs. E. D. Ackerman, phone 1550-J. 29-4tc-32

FOR SALE—Three-bedroom home on 75x75 ft. corner lot, wall-to-wall carpeting in living room, floor furnace, nice shade, paved streets, close in, \$5500, terms. 206 W. Washington. 28-tfc

6—For Rent

FOR RENT—One bedroom duplex unfurnished, in Vaswood Addition. Phone 30. 5-tfc

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment, water paid, also small furnished cabin with utilities paid. See at 902 W. Washington. 9-tfc

FOR RENT—Bedroom, private entrance, connected to bath, close in, prefer workers through the day. Mrs. O. S. Matteson, 404 W. Richardson. 29-3tc-31

FOR RENT—Two-room furnished apartment, utilities paid. \$37.50. 513 S. First. 30-2tp-31

FOR RENT—Modern three-room house, 406 S. Thirteenth St. Apply at 1307 W. Grand. 30-2tp-31

FOR RENT — Furnished apartment, two rooms and bath, all bills paid. Phone 488. 30-tfc

FOR RENT—Bedroom at 420 W. Quay. 30-tfc

FOR RENT—Three-room unfurnished house, 1109 S. Roselawn, phone 695-J or inquire 904 Runyan. 30-tfc

FOR RENT — Small, furnished house, \$50, no bills paid. Inquire 601 S. Second or phone 102. 31-tfc

FOR RENT—Five-room unfurnished house, 814 S. Second, phone 741-W. 31-2tp-32

FOR RENT — Small, furnished house, close in, private shower, phone available, utilities paid, 308 N. Roselawn. 31-tfc

FOR RENT—Bedroom for gentlemen only, close in, 410 W. Missouri. 31-tfc

FOR RENT—Two-room unfurnished house, water paid, \$25; also a three-room unfurnished house, water paid \$30. Inquire at 811 S. Second or phone 506-J. 31-4tp-34

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished house, \$45 per month. Can be seen at Artesia Mattress Factory on Hope Highway. 31-1tp

FOR RENT—One two-room furnished apartment, close in, air conditioned, bills paid. See at 112 W. Grand. 31-tfc

FOR RENT—Clean, modern, spacious apartments, Vaswood addition, 1, 2 and 3 bedrooms, furnished and unfurnished, closets and storage rooms, stove, refrigerator, washer and water furnished, air conditioned. Inquire 1501 W. Yucca, Vaswood, phone 1328. 39-tfc

FOR RENT—Three-room unfurnished house, See at 203 N. Eighth. 23-tfc

6—For Rent

Now at Reduced Rates New Duplex Apartments

\$65 and \$75 month, garage \$3.50 (optional). 2- and 3-bedroom unfurnished Duplexes, brand new, with stove, refrigerator, Venetian blinds, and closed garage, as well as a variety of color schemes.

Casa Bonita, Inc.
 913 S. Eleventh St.
 Artesia, N. M. 33-tfc

FOR RENT — Newly decorated three-room apartments. Inquire at 908 Ray Ave. in person. 26-tfc

FOR RENT—Modern, unfurnished one and two-bedroom apartments, 12th and Main. Phone 439. 96-tfc

FOR RENT — Trailer space for modern trailers, \$4 a week, plenty of room, 1604 W. Grand or call 0182-J. 19-tfc

FOR RENT — Parking space in Wilson Modern Trailer Court, 806 W. Chisum, phone 70. Can accommodate six modern trailers. Rate \$5 week. 11-tfc

FOR RENT — Apartments and house trailers, nicely furnished, \$5 per week and up, utilities paid, nice clean place, janitor service, close in, children welcome. The Village Inn, 406 N. Fifth St. 14-tfc

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment, private entrance, private bath, convenient to schools and churches, no pets. 611 W. Dallas. 25-tfc

FOR RENT—Clean, two-room furnished apartment, private bath, utilities paid, Ninth and Clayton, phone 790-W. 26-tfc

FOR RENT — Small, furnished house \$50 month, water paid. Suitable for couple, 412 W. Dallas. 26-tfc

FOR RENT—Desirable two-room furnished duplex, bills paid, couple only. Call 1625. 26-tfc

FOR RENT—Two-room furnished apartment and trailer space, 605 W. Missouri. 25-tfc

FOR RENT—Small three-room unfurnished apartment. Inquire 1010 W. Missouri or phone 768-R. 27-tfc

FOR RENT—Unfurnished three-room modern duplex apartment, inquire at Gambles Store during day and at 907 W. Richardson after 6 p. m. 28-tfc

FOR RENT — Unfurnished four-room modern apartment. 407 W. Quay, phone 351. 28-4tp-31

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FOR RENT—Nice three-room furnished apartment, air conditioned, utilities paid. Inquire in person, 1018 S. First. 62-tfc

FOR RENT—Nice, clean three-room furnished duplex apartment, utilities paid. Inquire at 203 N. Second. 29-tfc

FOR RENT—Two-bedroom, nicely furnished house, close in, also three-room nicely furnished apartment, utilities paid. Both have air conditioner. Inquire 202 W. Texas. 30-tfc

Three out of four traffic accidents happen in clear weather on dry roads.

Excessive speed was the principal cause of traffic accidents in 1953.

J. A. FAIREY AGENCY
 513 North First Phone 845
REAL ESTATE
 Large 3 bedroom Home, 3 baths, den, double fireplace, large kitchen, corner and good location.
 Income property, 9 rental units, well located. Price \$32,500.
 Small irrigated farm, close in.
List Your Farms and Ranches With Us!
 We Give Your Listings Our Personal Attention
MRS. FRANK MULLENAX
 1106 YATES Saleslady PHONE 1074-W

7—Miscellaneous For Sale

FOR SALE—National cash register. See at State Distributors. 21-tfc

FOR SALE.—For the best buys in new and used pianos and electronic organs, see us. Featuring BALDWIN ACROSONIC, WURLITZER and GULBRANSEN. GINSBERG MUSIC CO. 205 N. Main, Roswell, N. M. In Carlsbad, N. M., display room at 1206 W. Mermod. 23-9tc-31

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FOR SALE—Complete TV antenna, you install it \$12.95. Rose-lawn Radio Service, 106 S. Rose-lawn Ave., phone 42-W. 12-tfc

CROP HAIL INSURANCE STATE MUTUAL INS. CO. R. L. Paris, Gen. Agent 512 S. Roselawn Phone 290 Artesia, N. M. 24-10tp-33

FOR SALE — Registered Boxer puppies. E. H. Seaman, 403 Leavell Drive, phone 5-8356 Carlsbad. 30-5tp-34

FOR SALE—Airway sanitizer vacuum with attachments, like new, \$39.50. 814 W. Mann Ave. 30-tfc

FOR SALE—Singer Vacuum and hand cleaner with attachments, late model, \$45. 814 W. Mann Ave. 30-tfc

PIANOS AND ORGANS
 Pianos and organs on rental purchase plan. Featuring Baldwin Acrosonic, Gulbransen and Wurlitzer pianos and Baldwin and Wurlitzer electronic organs. Rent one now and apply rent toward purchase price later if desired. Call us at Phone 10, GINSBERG MUSIC CO., 205 N. Main, Roswell and in CARLSBAD at 1206 West Mermod. 28-8tc-35

STOP! FOR SALE—Sewing machines \$15 and up. We repair all makes of vacuum cleaners and sewing machines. Wilson & Daughter, 107 S. Roselawn. 8-tfc

NEW AND USED PIANOS FOR SALE OR RENT! All rentals apply on purchase price if desired. Write Box H-427, Artesia, N. M. 27-10-36

HAMMOND ORGANS STEINWAY and Other FINE PIANOS
 "Inquire About Our Rental-Purchase Plan" JENKINS MUSIC CO. 112 W. Third Phone 4027 Roswell, N. M. 310 W. Mermod Phone 5-4971 Carlsbad, N. M. 30-tfc

ELECTROLUX VACUUM CLEANERS Sales - Service - Supplies LEE M. SPALDING 814 Mann Ave. Phone 1236 29-tfc

10—Used Cars and Trucks

FREE! FREE! You buy winch, bed and tires, I give you truck, \$400 up. K. J. Williams, phone 1112. 97-tfc

6A—Wanted to Rent
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6A—Wanted
 WE PAY CASH for used furniture Key Furniture, 412 W. Texas, phone 877. 1-tfc

Wagon traffic over the Santa Fe Trail from Kansas to New Mexico, began in the 1820's and continued until the coming of the rails in 1880.

SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:
 BRADLEY AND METCALF COMPANY, a corporation, WALTER M. DAUGHERTY, ELLEN E. WALLING, CLARA J. BIGELOW, COL. RICHARD D. DAUGHERTY, AGNES A. STIVERS, MARY E. SMITH, LEATHA M. WALTER, RUFUS F. DAUGHERTY, RAYMOND F. DAUGHERTY. The following named dependants by name, if living; if deceased, their unknown heirs: L. W. LACEY (also known as L. W. LACY), LILA LACEY (also known as LE-LA LACEY), S. P. BRADLEY, JOSEPH F. YORK, E. C. BALEW, FRANK CUNNINGHAM, R. L. KENNEDY, MARY KENNEDY. Unknown heirs of the following

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

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Hattie D. Mann, Executrix. 25-4-F-31

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CABBAGE Firm, Crisp, Green Heads lb. **5¢**
ONIONS New Crop Texas Yellow lb. **5¢**
NEW POTATOES Fine for that Spring menu 2 lbs **15¢**
ORANGES Balls o' Juice 5 lb. mesh bag **35¢**

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 REDEMPTION STORE TODAY!
 BOOK VALUES ON MORE THAN 100
 ITEMS REDUCED! DON'T TAKE CHANCES
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MADE TO YOUR ORDER

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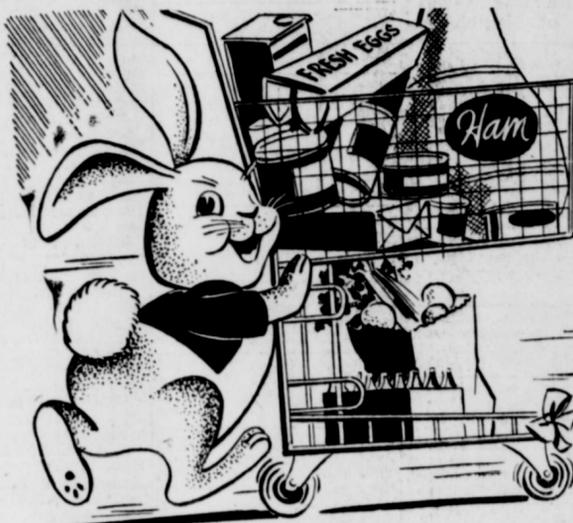
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WHITE SWAN **STRAWBERRY PRESERVES** 12 oz Jar **35**

SHORTENING
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SWIFT'S **JEWEL** 3 lb. Tin **39**

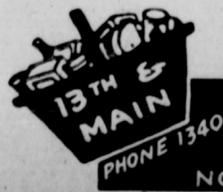
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GOLD MEDAL 5 lb. bag **49**

KIM Reg. Tin 3 for **20**

5% Fed. Tax Now Off! 25, 40, 60, 75 Watt EACH **9**

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