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Joseph H. White Funeral Held in Artesia Sunday

Funeral services for Joseph H. White, an Eddy county resident since 1891, were held in Artesia Sunday. Mr. White had died in Artesia Friday, April 4, at the home of a daughter.

He was 80 years old at the time of his death.

Services were held from Paulin Funeral Home chapel at 2 p. m. Sunday, with Rev. A. J. Stark and Rev. Robert A. Waller conducting services. Burial was in Upper Hope cemetery.

Pallbearers—

Pallbearers included Lyle Hunter, Floyd Cole, Joe Young, Cecil Coats, Pat Riley, and Hollis Buckner.

He is survived by his widow, seven children, 12 grandchildren, and nine great grandchildren.

Daughters surviving him include Mrs. S. A. Zumwalt, and Mrs. R. J. Murray of El Paso; Mrs. John Ward, Hope, and Mrs. Mittie Hammill and Mrs. Charles Bullock, of Artesia.

Sons surviving are Hilary White of Carlsbad, and Sammie White, Wilmington, Calif.

Born In Texas—

Mr. White was born in Jonesboro, Texas, January 26, 1872, the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. White. He moved to Eddy county in 1891. On Aug. 26, 1894, he was married to the former Olive M. Robertson at Weed, N. M. Mrs. White survives her husband.

The couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 1945. They had been married 57 years at the time of Mr. White's death, which followed a lingering illness.

He had been a well-known farmer and rancher in North Eddy county. He first had a large orchard and garden farm near Hope, and later moved to a ranch 35 miles southwest of that city. In later years he moved to a ranch northeast of Hope. He was a cashier in the First National bank at Hope during the time Hugh Gage as president of the institution.

He was a 32nd degree Mason.

Faculty Entertained

The Home Economic girls under the supervision of their capable sponsor Miss Verna Tyner, entertained the faculty with a delicious noon luncheon last Thursday. The menu consisted of fried chicken, creamed potatoes, gravy, green beans, tomato aspic salad, garnished with endive and radishes, lemon pie and iced tea. The meal was enjoyed by all members of the faculty and they wish to express their thanks to Miss Tyner and the home economics class.

Mrs. John Hardin substituted for Prof. Lea Monday morning.

Annual Fiesta to Be Held in May

The annual fiesta sponsored by the town board of Hope will be held this year sometime in May. Arrangements have not all been made as yet but the program will consist of a parade in the afternoon, roping at the rodeo grounds, chuck wagon supper and a big dance in the evening. Keep your ear to the ground for further announcements.

Miss Newbill to Represent Hope

Letha Mae Newbill, aged 13, will represent Hope at the Eddy County spelling bee next Friday night. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Newbill and is in the 8th grade. She won the Hope spelling bee conducted by Verna Tyner. Miss Newbill has been an honor student all through grade school and excels in English, spelling, math and music.

Road Material Goes Thru Hope

Large 3-foot corrugated pipe bound for the road construction work near Cloudercroft and Pinon have been going through Hope. Seven miles of road east of Cloudercroft is under construction now. This is on highway 83. Between Pinon and Weed there is a farm-to-market road being built. We need all these roads. We need all these times in road construction work in the mountain section in Otero and Chaves counties.

Water Users Build New Headgates

We took a trip around the valley a few weeks ago with Clem Weindorf the SCS representative. Some of the things we saw was good, very good. Other things were very bad. To put the bad things first, we will mention the fences about covered with top soil blown from adjoining fields. To overcome this, the farmers should plow deep and leave the ground rough. Turn up as many clods as you can. If we don't get any moisture, there will be more and more soil blowing all summer and eventually there will be nothing left but the hardpan. Now that part has been taken care of, now I will tell about the good things. We inspected the steel headgates that have been installed in the project here during the past year. They have been constructed just as good as a high priced contractor could have done it. It was all done by the land owners. The only thing that was paid for was the cement, reinforcing steel etc. It is a great improvement over the old style wood headgates. When we do get some water (and that will be this summer) the Mayordomo can handle the water efficiently and without loss of time or water.

Modern Septic Tank Service, located at Artesia Transfer, 1406 W. Main. Phone 1168. —Adv.

Bolton Displays Weed Burner

Last Monday we happened by the Bolton Oil Co. on North First street, Artesia, and Mr. Bolton invited us in to see one of his small type burners used for heating branding irons or burning thorns off cactus plants. He said there were quite a few of these burners in use around Pinon and were a lifesaver for the stockmen as the cattle relish the cactus after the thorns have been removed. The fuel used is either propane or butane.

Next we were shown a ditch burner. The burner part is two feet wide and shoots out a flame for a distance of about four feet. A 280-gallon tank furnishes the fuel, either propane or butane can be used. The arm to which the burner is attached is counter balanced so that it swings easily in either direction or up and down with hardly any effort on the part of the operator. It takes only two men to operate this burner, one to guide the burner and the other to drive the tractor. When weeds or grass is dry, a burner can cover a distance of from 5 to 10 miles per day. When the weeds are green it will slow the burner down to about three miles per day.

Bolton will rent these machines at \$5 per day, plus the cost of the fuel. The time paid for starts when the machine leaves the oil station until it is returned.

We would think after looking the burner over, that one could be used around Hope to good advantage. A lot of the ditches and canals are filled with grass and tumble weeds and if we do ever get any water, to have the weeds and trash removed would be a big help to get the water around in the shortest possible time. If anyone is interested, go down to the Bolton Oil company, at North First street and ask for a demonstration. When the water comes pouring down from the Sacramento mountains, it will be too late to burn the trash accumulated in the canals.

School News

First and Second Grades: Now you want to know how many books the second grades have read. Here they are Betty Stephen 71, Katherine Hardin 63, Helen Hardin 57, Shirley Cox 50, Trudy Hibbarl 47 and Jerry Hollo-man 36.

We had a grand time at our Easter egg hunt Thursday. Mrs. Madron had all of us out there. The school children hunted in one place and all the little visitors in another. We'll tell you more about it next week.

The first grade boys all have stick horses with their brands on them. Some of the horses are so wild we don't see how they ever branded them! Ann Parker has a new hair cut, Mary Helen a pair of new shoes and Charles a bit 25c tablet!

Third, fourth and Fifth Grade News—We received some very interesting letters from Port Washington, N. Y. We are always glad to hear from other pupils and their activities. They told us about their trip to the Hayden planetarium and described the con-

stellations. Georgia Lee and Christine Seely helped to brand at the Seely ranch and rode calves and got spilled. The fifth grade girls are making paper flowers from Kleenex and coloring them many bright colors. The room made Easter bunnies and other pictures for Easter. Floyd Jones spent Monday night with Bill Wilson. Betty Seely celebrated her ninth birthday on Tuesday the eighth. We sang "Happy Birthday" to her and gave her a birthday card and a dime. Johnny Hidalgo and Jerry Harris went on the Boy Scout trip with Rev. Noble and the other scouts to the Lincoln Cox ranch and spent Thursday and Friday nights. Jerry got sick from eating his own cooking. The fifth grade pupils have almost completed their New Mexico history.—Charlotte Wilson and Orlene Parker, reporters.

SIXTH, SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE NEWS—

Our room had their Easter party Thursday. The eighth grade girls made the refreshments for it. Games were played after the refreshments. Miss Tynr missed her room's Easter party. She left for Arizona Thursday noon. Mrs. Pitt taught in her place. The eighth grade is practicing their play for graduation. A few know their parts.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Compary of Artesia were guests last week-end of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bunting at their ranch southwest of Hope.

Political

Announcements

Rates:

CASH IN ADVANCE	
State Offices	\$30.00
District Offices	25.00
County Offices	20.00
Senator and Representatives	15.00
Probate Judge	15.00
Surveyor	15.00
County Commissioners	15.00
Precinct Offices	10.00

The following candidates submit their announcements subject to the action of the Democratic voters:

FOR SHERIFF—

W. L. (Bill) High
Carlsbad

For County Commissioner DISTRICT 2

F. Ray Zumwalt
Artesia

For County Treasurer

AUD E. LUSK
Carlsbad

For County Commissioner

District 1

WILLIAM H. (SLICK) SHAFER
Carlsbad

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For County Treasurer

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Artesia, New Mexico

Through Hope On a Dream

The day seemed to be Sunday. Everybody seemed to be in a hurry getting their children and self ready to go to church and Sunday school. Orchard trees were in full bloom, the fields were green with young feed of all kinds. Everything was green, beautiful—plenty of water. A grand water system, a city hall with an office for our Judge. A living wage salary for our deputy sheriff, a good tree-chair barber shop, with a beauty shop in back where the Coats were used to be. A nice picture show where the Coats Garage was for the people. The young folks didn't have to go 50 or 21 miles to a show or a dance, and a show for them at least once a week. We had skating for them too, the rink was by Mrs. Buckner's grocery store. Everyone seemed to be happy. Of course there were fault finders as always, so were the criti-

cizers. And there were the people who thought they could do so much better in the other fellow's place, as we always have, but somehow on this day I speak of, we didn't hear the fault finders, the grippers, the criticizers, seems there were others that choose "Hope" for a place to live too, willing to join in with the few that were faithful and had good up-bringing ideas for the community. Those faithful few choose the community of Hope and seemed as though they referred to the place as "home." The grippers, fault finders, and criticizers, seems as if they was not heard, or nobody paid any attention to them. Dreams sometimes is made a prayer and people as a community work together not against each other. Our prayer should be "God Bless the Community of Hope."

—Contributed by a Hope citizen.

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Dorothy Lamour

"They Got Me Covered"

Personal News

Paul Coffin purchased 150 lambs from Irving Cox last week. Lewis Weddige hauled them to market.

The town board had a meeting last Thursday night.

Rex Seely brought in two black Angus bulls last week and took them to his ranch west of Hope. There are getting to be quite a few of this breed here. Maurice Teel has quite a few crossed with a Gramma. It is claimed that they are better rustlers than White Faces.

Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Weddige were shopping in Artesia Monday.

Dorothy and Frances Weddige were here last week from Lubbock visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weddige.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hardin and Wilma and Edith Joan were shopping in Artesia Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patton and son took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Coates Monday before returning to their home in Clovis. They had been here to attend the funeral of Hilary White, Sr.

Mrs. John D. Josey and small son of Artesia were guests last Friday of Mrs. Tom Harrison.

Bonnie Altman took 70 dozen of Hope's nice fresh eggs to Morrison's store in Carlsbad last week.

Last Monday was the last day for registering before the primary on May 6. See that your name is on the registration book before the general election.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Garner and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Garner, formerly of Arkansas, but now living in Carlsbad were guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Young and Mrs. Kate Cone. En route home they stopped in Cottonwood for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Zumwalt.

The Bolton Oil Co. truck passed thru Hope last Monday en route to the road camp near Cloudercroft. The Bolton Co. has a contract to furnish gas during the road construction period.

Supt. Ralph Lea spent last Monday in Carlsbad where he attended the administrative meeting of the Eddy county schools.

Card of Thanks

The undersigned wishes to thank all their friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness shown them during the sickness and death of their beloved husband and father. Also for the many beautiful floral offerings. —Mrs. H. White, Mrs. Sam Zumwalt, Mrs. R. J. Murray, Mrs. John Ward, Hilary White, Jr., Mrs. Mittie Hamill, Sim White, Mrs. Chas. Bullock.

Mrs. Zone Inman of Gloze, Ariz., has been visiting in Artesia with her granddaughter, Mrs. Dave Bunting, for the past week. They visited friends in Hope last Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Santo of Albuquerque who has been visiting her son, Will Santo and family in Artesia, is a guest in the home of Mrs. Tom Harrison this week.

Leonard Akers was transacting business in Artesia Monday. Mr. Akers ranches near Weed.

Mr. and Mrs. Neuman Seely were shopping in Artesia Monday.

Mrs. Shepperd of the Hope Cafe announces all children from 1 to 12 years of age will be given an Easter egg free on Easter Sunday, if they come to the cafe.

Maurice Teel was here last week and sold a bunch of calves to Paul Coffin.

Mrs. Newt Teel was in Artesia Monday and purchased 25-day old chicks. She is planning on fried chicken some of these days.

Cecil Coates took a load of cattle to Clovis the first of the week.

Mrs. Luke Alexander, Jackie and Leon spent Friday until Sunday in Roswell, with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hammons and sons.

Mrs. Haskell Harris, Jerry and Ronnie spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kasulka and girls in Artesia.

Miss Caroline Young and her guest, Jim Hawkins, and Mrs. R. L. Hall of Abilene, Texas, Dale Young who is stationed at Camp Edwards, Mass., Donald Young of Tucson, and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Young of Tatum, will arrive Saturday for a family gathering at the Joe Young farm.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Teel, Barry and Karen, and Mr. and Mrs. John Bush and girls spent Saturday at the Lincoln Cox ranch and helped with the sheep shearing.

The Standolind Oil Co. is making test holes on the Lock Foster ranch, south of Hope.

"Meet Mrs. Kefauver" . . . In this exclusive interview, Mrs. Kefauver recalls the many joys and sorrows of being the wife of a young politician. She talks about the early days of her marriage, the children and tells you how she feels about the prospect of becoming the first lady. This timely article will appear in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

REMEMBER—Merit Feeds get best results. McCaw Hatchery, 13th and Grand, Artesia. 6-10-51

Fertilizer Trial On C&M Ranch

A fertilizer trial on alfalfa was set up Monday, April 24 on the C&M Ranch, north and east of Hope, with the New Mexico A&M college, Dr. Ross W. Leamer of the Bureau of Plant Industry and the Hope Soil Conservation service office cooperating.

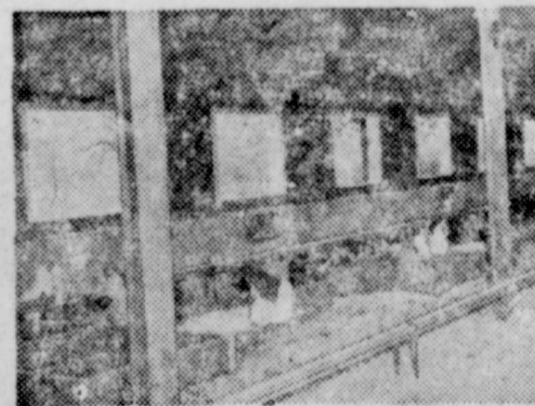
45 per cent superphosphate was applied in amounts ranging from 130 pounds to 1000 pounds per acre on the trial plots.

The soil on the C&M Ranch is representative of much of the soil in the Hope area, says Clem Weindorf, unit conservationist of the local SCS office.

Growth and yield results on these experiments will be closely noted during the growing season.

Results of this and other alfalfa trials being set up in the Artesia, Carlsbad and Lea Soil Conservation districts will be used in making fertilizer recommendations for this area.

Windows



Large windows of double-pane insulating glass, admit an abundance of sunshine and daylight into the poultry house. Pictured above is the poultry house on the Henry Zumstein farm near Fairview, Ill. Agricultural engineers say this design helps to reduce moisture and sanitation problems.

Farm Wife May Equal Spouse in Crop Know-How

The hand that rocks the cradle regaining its traditional skill in agriculture.

Prof. Grant B. Snyder, head of the Department of Olericulture at the University of Massachusetts and rural youth leader, predicts that modern farm wives will soon be growing out of the kitchen into full working partnership with husbands.

He bases his opinion, he said, on records of the National Junior Vegetable Growers Association, an organization that offers rural youth in 42 states "apprenticeship" training in the best methods of commercial gardening. This training program is a year-long production-marketing contest sponsored by A&P stores, which provides \$6,000 annually in scholarship funds.

In the 1951 contest, Prof. Snyder pointed out, "more than 40 per cent of the 148 winners who split the \$6,000 melon were girls."

"Many of these future farm wives," he added, "are college students taking agriculture, and I am sure they will put their education and their NJVGA experience to good use on their future farms."

Prof. Snyder, co-founder and chief adult adviser of NJVGA, said the 1952 contest, which is open to boys and girls 12 to 21 years of age, "is expected to be the biggest in NJVGA history."

Minnesota Farm Receipts, Expenses Hit New Highs

Both cash receipts and expenses of Minnesota farmers reached new high marks in 1951. Receipts from the sale of farm products reached a peak of 1,391 million dollars, topping 1950 by 14 per cent and the previous record, in 1948, by 4 per cent. At the same time, cash expenses in 1951 rose nearly 12 per cent above 1950. The actual increase in net cash income over 1950 was only moderate.

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