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GATEWAY TO A RICH NEW  
FARMING DISTRICT  
OF THE WEST

THIRTY-SEVEN

HAGERMAN, CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1937

NUMBER 7

## Morning Fatal to Young Men

### Rowman, Andrew Burned to Death Which Destroys Camp in an Artesia Camp.

Worked in a fire which  
of two young men,  
and Andrew Peden,  
twenty years of age,  
in the Midvale  
in the northeast part  
at 3:00 o'clock Sun-  
The blaze is believed  
started from a lighted  
match thrown on the  
in the cabin. Both  
suddenly suffocated by  
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On victim was  
been found against  
all of the cabin and  
at the south wall of  
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when the fire started;  
was aroused by the  
of the adjoining  
both sides,  
his clothes, it was said  
quickly soon had  
the wooden  
cabins, or all on  
the camp. The  
he charged  
toward the  
at foot of  
of the camp, but  
the flimsy construction  
had burned the build-  
the fire department ar-

## AAA Will Share Cost of Program

"The AAA is going to pay a part of the local county administrative costs of the 1937 agricultural conservation program in counties where there are small participating farms so that the deductions from the farmers' payments will not be too great in counties where there are a large number of small farms," G. R. Quesenberry, in charge of the program in New Mexico, says.

"For each farm on which the 1937 payment will total \$20 or less, the AAA will credit the county association with \$2 to be used in paying the local AAA expenses for the county. This plan is being used because it costs about as much for filling out forms and measuring a small farm as it does for a large farm. Many more small farms are expected to participate in the 1937 program than last year. Without some such provision, the AAA believed that the administrative expenses in counties with many small farms would be so high that large deductions would have to be made from the payments of all the farmers in the county.

"With this plan, the more small farms there are in the program, the larger will be the amount which the AAA will contribute toward the county expenses. Deductions from the payments for the local administrative costs of the program will, therefore, be about the same in most counties this year as last, even though there are a larger number of small farmers taking part," Mr. Quesenberry says.

## SEVERANCE TAX UP AGAIN

SANTA FE—The introduction of virtually the twin of the 1933 severance tax in a move to hurry legislative action on a revenue bill and a public hearing on the senate liquor bill stood out on the assembly docket for yesterday.

Rep. Coe Howard (D-Roosevelt) announced that with fifteen others he would introduce the same bill adopted in 1933 and repealed a year later after yielding approximately \$600,000 in ten months. His purpose, he said, was to "make certain that in the final days of the session the house would not be called upon to act upon a measure which it had not had time to study."

## FLU IN COMMUNITY

All of John Langenegger's family were on the sick list last week, but are able to be up and around this week. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lankford's baby is reported to be better, following a serious case of pneumonia. Pete Dorman is recuperating from the flu.

## 75,000 BACK TO WORK FOR GENERAL MOTORS

DETROIT — Factory whistles called approximately 75,000 employees back to work Monday in General Motors plants reopening throughout the nation following settlement of the six-week strike.

Within a few days the corporation expects to have all of the 135,000 who were idle at the peak of the strike again at their work at benches and offices desks. The back-to-work movement started Saturday with the return of 3,000 men at Flint, Michigan.

## Farm Real Estate Taxes Show Rise

A small rise in farm real estate taxes in 1936 was reported recently by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, on the basis of a preliminary survey by state tax officials and tax students in thirty-eight states. The bureau pointed out that replies to a similar inquiry in 1935 agreed very closely with the final returns for the year.

A rise of one point in the index for 1935 marked the end of the decline in the trend in farm taxes which had continued since 1929. Farm real estate taxes in 1935, reported by the bureau at thirty-seven cents per acre as an average for the country, averaged the same as in 1934—the lowest level since 1918. The highest figure on record was fifty-eight cents an acre in 1929. The bureau points out that taxes per acre vary widely among the different parts of the country and among individual farms.

Expressed as an index figure, the bureau reported that the tax per acre in 1935 was 154, compared with 153 in 1934, 241 in 1929, and with 100 in 1913. The average of the 1935 levies, based on data received from forty-two states, was about the same as that for 1934.

## Social Security Board Authorizes Grant \$33,705.77

SAN ANTONIO—The Social Security Board today authorized a grant of \$33,705.77 to the state of New Mexico for administration of the New Mexico public assistance plans for the needy aged and dependent children for the month of January, 1937, it was announced by Oscar M. Powell, regional director of the board.

The board allotted \$26,616.98 of this amount, including five per cent for administrative expenses, for the state's old-age assistance program, while the remainder, \$7,088.79, will be used to assist dependent children.

The New Mexico estimate for aid to the needy blind for the months of January, February and March also was approved but no grant was authorized for payment, since the balance of federal funds on hand from a previous allocation will provide adequate funds for the current quarter, Powell said.

The last previous grants to New Mexico for aid to the needy aged and dependent children amounted to \$45,469.75 and covered the period from October 1 to December 31, 1936.

## HEARS TWO PLEAS

Elton C. Copeland plead guilty before Judge James B. McGhee in Chaves county district court at Roswell Monday morning to a charge of stealing chickens from Wesley Stockard of Roswell. He will be sentenced later.

Ernest Heffner plead not guilty to a charge of stealing oil well equipment from a well of Etz Brothers east of Artesia. Bond was set at \$500.

## ROBBERY ATTEMPT FOILED

Upon being notified by the vegetable boy, who, on his regular trip, noticed that two men were in the Peoples Mercantile store, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Andrus and Mrs. Lizzie Rice drove to the rear of the store, the ladies remaining in the car with the motor running, while Mr. Andrus with Jim Williamson, deputy sheriff, went into the store. Andrus walked to the store room and turned on the light, and saw a man crouched and pointing a gun. The man, though, instead of shooting at Andrus, shot at Jim Williamson, who had a round of shooting with the robber. Andrus first thought to attempt to keep the man in the store room and endeavored to hold the rear door, but the man jerked it open, and dashed by Andrus, who was unarmed, and escaped. Upon returning to the store, Andrus discovered the second man, a youth of apparently 17 years of age, who offered no resistance and was taken to the front of the store by Andrus and given into the custody of Williamson, who lodged him in the county jail. He gives his name as Charlie Hawks, but refuses to identify the other robber.

Later reports state that a car had been stolen in Artesia and later found at Maljamar. This work is supposed to have been done by the man attempting to get away. All officers of the valley are asked to keep on the lookout for a medium sized man, wearing a good Stetson hat and leather jacket.

The robbers had attempted to break into the L. W. Garner store. In People Mercantile they had packed every suit case in the store with all manner of goods and groceries. Mr. Andrus stated that an estimated valuation of \$200 worth of goods were packed ready to carry away. Every box had been moved or opened, and every shelf disarranged. Entrance had been made by removing one of the large plate glass windows in the front of the store. A light is left on in the rear each night, just over the office.

## R. B. JENNINGS DIES

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jennings returned last week on Wednesday from Albuquerque where they had gone in response to news of the death of their brother, R. B. Jennings. Mr. Jennings died on Saturday evening, February 6th, following a heart attack. Funeral services were held on Tuesday and interment was made at Albuquerque.

This was the first death among the Jennings brothers and sisters. Six sisters and four brothers survive him. At the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harris of Hagerman, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jennings of Corpus Christi, Texas, and Mrs. Maude Martin of the Sacramento mountains.

Messrs. and Mmes. Jim Michelet and Vedder Brown attended the wrestling match Wednesday evening.

## FOREST SERVICE PLANS STRESS WATERSHED PROTECTION IN STATE

ALBUQUERQUE — Supervisors of the thirteen national forests in Arizona and New Mexico, meeting February 10th at the forest service regional office in Albuquerque to discuss grazing matters and other work for 1937, were instructed by Regional Forester Frank C. W. Pooler to pay particular attention to watershed protection. He also stressed the necessity of close cooperation with other conservative agencies and with forest user groups.

Protection of watershed areas on national forests from destruc-

## New Mexico May Lose Federal Health Grant If Proposed Bill OK'd

The state would lose over \$50,000 and the district health office \$2,520 in federal funds, if a bill introduced in the state legislature becomes a law. It was learned from an authentic source that the bill was proposed as a spite work on the part of a legislator against a district health officer. If the bill were to become a law, New Mexico would lose its federal funds amounting to over \$50,000 and the state would have to go back to its former health setup, if any were maintained.

While informed sources say there is small chance for the passage of such a measure, if you believe the present health program is worthy, contact your representative and see that he is informed of your views. Should New Mexico change the present health law, some other state would get the benefit of the federal health fund.

## Hill Inquest is Held Saturday

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## Fourteen Indicted in a Stock Selling Fraud on Saturday

Fourteen persons, including three former New Mexico public officials, were indicted by federal grand jury at Albuquerque Saturday on charges of fraudulent security practices in connection with stock sales of the New Mexico Potash and Chemical Co., Carlsbad.

Those indicted included officers of the potash company and of the Royalty Bond and Share Co., Santa Fe, a holding corporation.

The indictments contained fifty-three separate counts, charging use of mails to defraud, conspiracy to commit an offense against the United States, which owns all potash lands in the Carlsbad area, and fraudulent interstate transactions.

The following "organizers and promoters" of the potash company were named:

George F. Montgomery, Amarillo, Texas, oil man; W. G. Halhusen, Albuquerque, secretary and treasurer of the company and former adjutant general of New Mexico; Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, former state corporation commiss-

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## Water Belt Near Hagerman Again Open to Drilling

State Engineer Thomas M. McClure on August 3, 1936, closed the area included in townships 13 and 14 south, ranges 25 and 26 east, N. M. P. M., west of Hagerman, to further development of shallow water.

The above order is hereby rescinded and the following order becomes effective this date:

Applications will be received by the state engineer for the appropriation of shallow underground water which lies above the caprock of the Artesian aquifer within the Artesian basin as bounded by the Pecos valley Artesian Conservancy District; provided, such applications submitted are not within a congested pumping area, or in an area which is considered congested, due to permits now issued but not drilled.

## ENGLAND HAS HUGE ARMS PROGRAM

LONDON — Labor and liberal party critics opened a parliamentary battle yesterday against Great Britain's huge \$7,500,000,000 rearmament program.

The government's attempt to float a \$2,000,000,000 arms loan and raise the other \$5,500,000,000 by taxation in the next five years launched a debate by opposition leaders that was expected to grip parliament for two days.

Leaders of the fight charged the program was inflationary and would skyrocket the cost of living. Financial observers estimated the increased burden on the British taxpayer would average a set-up in the income tax rate to \$1.37 in every \$5.00 of income. The average rate now is \$1.18 to \$5.00.

## SPECIAL SERVICES AT THE LITTLE GRAY CHURCH

The Little Gray church of Dexter is in hearty accord with the preaching mission of the protestant churches of the valley which took place February 7th to February 14th. For various reasons this church could not join at that date. The program, announced by the pastor, John G. Anderson, is as follows, and is a part of the preaching mission, in which the churches of the Pecos valley have joined:

Services begin Sunday morning, February 21st.

Worship Sunday mornings 11:00 a. m.

The Rev. Ralph J. Hall of Albuquerque, one of New Mexico's best preachers, will do the preaching and Ronald Brook, a talented young man of Philadelphia, will direct the music.

The following congregations will attend in a body, and render special music. Monday night the Presbyterian congregation of Hagerman. Tuesday night the Baptist congregation of Dexter. Thursday night the Methodist congregation of Dexter. Friday night the Church of Christ congregation of Dexter. Saturday night the Holiness congregation of Dexter. Considerable rivalry has been developed as to which congregation will have the largest attendance. Stand by your own church. Sunday night, February 21st, is men's night, and the women say they will beat them in attendance, two to one. Wednesday night is high school night. This will be the biggest night of all. Everyone is invited to attend these services.

## EL PASO LIVESTOCK SHOW

More than 250 head of livestock will be shown at the Southwestern Livestock Show and Purebred Hereford sale to be held in El Paso February 22-25, 1937. Ninety-five 4-H and FFA club boys will exhibit their prize calves, lambs, hogs and dairy cattle and fourteen breeders of west Texas and New Mexico will show and sell thirty-four head of registered Herefords February 25th.

The show is occupying the new \$20,000 livestock show building for the first time this year.

## CATTLE SHIPMENTS DURING JANUARY

ALBUQUERQUE — The New Mexico cattle sanitary board reported Tuesday that shipments of cattle from the state in January totaled 32,481 head, or 2,079 head more than for January last year. December shipments were 69,831 head.

## RIFLE CLUB NEWS

The local rifle club held its first business meeting of the year on Monday evening, electing new officers as follows: Ernest S. Bowen, president; Jim Michelet, vice president; Robt. Cumpsten, secretary; John Garner, executive officer. A shoot to take place in four stages was planned, the high man to receive as a prize, a shooting jacket, ammunition to be given as the 2nd and 3rd prizes. The five high men of these are to compose a team which will compete with other teams in inter-club matches.

A series of postal matches are also being planned. The first stage of this shoot will be held next Sunday, February 21st, weather permitting. All members urged to participate as there is no fee of any kind. The public is invited to attend these events.

## NO BANK FAILURES DURING PAST YEAR

A report recently issued by the comptroller of the currency of the United States discloses the fact that there have been no bank failures in this country for the past twelve months. The report covers the period from October 1, 1935, to October 1, 1936. This establishes a record that has not been set for the past fifty-five years.

## Ask Solons Save Farm Ownership

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President Roosevelt asked congress Tuesday to save the "American dream" of individual farm ownership.

Reporting that it is increasingly difficult for energetic young men to ascend the traditional ladder from hired man to tenant to independent owner, he proposed to bring federal millions to their assistance.

"A nation-wide program under federal leadership and with the assistance of states, counties, communities and individuals is the only solution."

Proposals

1. Government purchase of good farm land for sale on liberal credit terms to selected tenants. Purchases would have to pass through a trial leasing period not to exceed five years, would have forty years to complete payment, and could acquire title in twenty years if their finances permitted.
2. Federal and state purchase and retirement of about 100,000,000 acres of poor crop land, and assistance to families moving from it to better farms. This would be carried forward at the rate of 2,000,000 to 5,000,000 acres a year.
3. "Modest loans" to prevent small farm owners from slipping into tenancy and to help tenants, croppers and farm laborers to increase their standards of living. The committee said about 1,300,000 tenant and cropper families and members of other groups of "disadvantaged farm workers" needed such federal assistance.
4. A federal "windfall" tax to take a large percentage of profits from sales of land made within three years after its purchase. This was proposed as a means to discourage land booms and to encourage families to stay on and develop one farm.
5. State legislation to improve the general leasing system and provide compensation to tenants for property improvements they make.
6. Construction and operation of "decent places to live" for itinerant farm laborers.
7. Creation of a farm security administration, under the secretary of agriculture, to direct the federal program. A farm security corporation would handle legal transactions concerning purchase and sale of land, stock and equipment, and making loans.

## Wreck Fatal to Carlsbad Woman

Mrs. Henry A. Ballman, 29, of Carlsbad, was injured fatally and her husband, 29, and daughter, Doris, 5, suffered serious injuries in an automobile mishap late Sunday about twelve miles south of Lubbock.

Mrs. Ballman died Monday morning of a broken neck and back and fractured skull.

The Ballmans, in a light sedan, were thrown from the car which overturned several times, eye witnesses said. It was forced from the highway when another sedan attempted to pass them.

The body of Mrs. Ballman was taken to Floydada, her former home, for burial.

Curtis Baker, brother of Mrs. Johnnie Bowen, is reported to be better. He is in a hospital in Carlsbad and has been critically ill with pneumonia.

Luther Stewig, the former manager of the Palace of Foods here, and Mrs. Stewig and twin daughters move to Roswell the latter part of last week where Mr. Stewig has accepted a position at Laings Grocery.

## Getty Pay is Found in Eddy County Wildcat

N. Willis Well Hits Pay at 1402 feet; Oil Men Also Watching Eastern Lea County Well as Operators Prepare to Test.

Major oil interest in eastern and southeastern New Mexico continues to be centered in the wildcat districts, where during the past week a new well was developed in Eddy county, two wells were abandoned in Lea county and a third well in Lea county near the Texas-New Mexico line was definitely established as a commercial producer.

In southeastern Eddy county, Neal Willis, Colglazier No. 1, NE sec. 20-20-30, is cementing six-inch casing at 1440 feet after topping the Getty pool pay at 1402 feet. The well is standing with a hole full of oil. It is probable, according to present plans, that the test will be drilled a few feet deeper and placed on production.

The most interesting test in Lea county at the present time is the Parcel No. 1 of Brown and Reynolds, sec. 8-21-38. The hole is bottomed at 4373 feet and the well is making one head per day of heavy gravity oil (about 25 gravity). Workmen are preparing to run 5½-inch casing to give test of production. No estimates are available on the probable amount of production.

In eastern Eddy county, Murchison, et al., State 1-A, SW sec. 16-17-31, on state land, is preparing to plug back to shut off water. Total depth is 3644 feet and probable production is thirty barrels daily. It is understood plans are being made to acidize the test when workmen plug back to production with prospects for materially increasing output with acid.

Near Lovington, county seat of Lea county, the Magnolia Petroleum Co., State 1-G, NE sec. 24-17-34, continues to hold out hope for commercial production as drilling continues below 4500 feet with oil coming from three showings. The Magnolia is said to be capable of swabbing thirty barrels daily.

Ten producers were completed in the Lea county oil districts the past week, three of which were classed as small to average inside wells. By district the principal producers were: Monument: Amerada Oil Co., State 1-W, NE sec. 30-20-37, drilled to 3835 feet and made an initial production of 500 barrels in six hours with 750,000 feet of gas. Gulf Petroleum Corp., Anderson No. 2, NW sec. 17-20-37, made a flow of 285 barrels of oil with 1,500,000 feet of gas when drilled to 3865 feet. Gulf, White-mier No. 2, NE sec. 8-20-37, made an initial flow of 182 barrels in three hours with 1,500,000 feet of gas. Ohio Oil Co., Barber No. 8, NW sec. 5-20-37, flowed thirty-five barrels an hour and 3,000,000 feet of gas at 3900 feet. Shell Petroleum Corp., State 4-B, NW sec. 6-19-36, made 230 barrels in four hours with 750,000 feet of gas. Jal district: Continental Oil Co., Eaves A-19 No. 3, SW sec. 19-26-37, completed at 3192 feet for forty barrels an hour with 500,000 feet of gas. Eunice district: Two States & Southern Petroleum Exploration Co., McQuatters No. 1, SE sec. 11-21-36 made 330 barrels in twelve hours when drilled to 3885 feet with 2,250,000 feet of gas.

New locations by districts: Monument: Phillips, Britt 2, NE sec. 18-20-37; Gulf, White 2, SE sec. 25-20-36; Gulf, Anderson 5, NW sec. 17-20-37; Repollo, Barber 7, NW sec. 8-20-37; Amerada, Laughlin 1, NW sec. 9-20-37; Superior, State 1-B, SE sec. 13-20-36; Humble, State Agries 11, NE sec. 21-20-37. Eunice: Stanolind, McQuatters 1, NE sec. 11-21-36.

Wildcats

The following drilling report may be of general interest:

Lea county—  
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## KILL PRIMARY BILL

SANTA FE—Acting swiftly and almost without debate, the senate of the fourteenth legislature Friday forestalled final action on the direct primary proposal by voting fifteen to eight to recommit the measure to the judiciary committee after that committee brought it to the floor without recommendation.

"If you are going to kill this bill," pleaded Senator Don L. Dickason of Albuquerque, co-author, "kill it in the open so the public can see the slaughter and know who was fighting for their rights, and who was opposing them."





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WAR?

Up at Mount Holyoke they're really waging war, mostly with words. To us it appears to be the not new question of sex superiority. But they're attempting to put a man in as president over the 100-year-old girl's school, and alumni as well as other feminists are emphatically objecting on the grounds of unequal recognition in institutions where men are at the head. Advocates of the idea claim that Holyoke needs to be gotten out of a "feminist rut."

Mary E. Wooley, for thirty-five years head of Holyoke, retires in June. The suggested successor is an English teacher in the equally famous Yale. Dr. Ham, the man in question is using some keen diplomacy in refraining from passing many comments on the subject. This will be watched with interest, as another feminine right retained or lost.

FLOODS

"Man proposes, God disposes." That ancient adage can be aptly applied to the problem of flood control.

New Orleans built the first levee in 1717 for flood control. First federal action came in 1850, when congress appropriated \$50,000 for a survey of the Mississippi. Billions have been spent since then to curb the destruction caused by great rivers on rampages. But the disaster of the latest, 1937 proves that man-made devices are again inadequate. Flood control is becoming a national issue. Great engineers and the public is taking notice alike.

Nicholas Roosevelt of the New York Herald says: "Most flood control projects are dealing with results, not causes, they are seeking to curb the waters themselves, not the damage of the waters." If the waters are to be curbed, land now given to cultivation must be returned to grass and woods, in order to hold rain and prevent excessive run-off. Experiments have shown that run-offs in grazed and cleared land is several times greater than in watersheds, where the land will hold the water.

Army engineers' figures run into the billions so far, that the average person fails to grasp the immensity. A writer in the New York Times has suggested one of the best ideas; that of reforestation, and methods that would prevent soil erosion, huge reservoirs that will hold water for drouth periods, and for drouth areas. He also suggests that it might take a period of twenty years to practically complete such a program, but unless something of that nature is done, then we can expect recurrences of these catastrophes, which in the twenty years will probably cost the government and public many times more in dollars and lives.

Health Column

Conducted by Dr. J. R. Earp, Director, New Mexico Bureau of Public Health.

A Food Law

Inquiries reach us at Santa Fe on a number of subjects related more or less to the public health. We are glad to answer these. It is a part of our job less onerous and more diverting than some other parts.

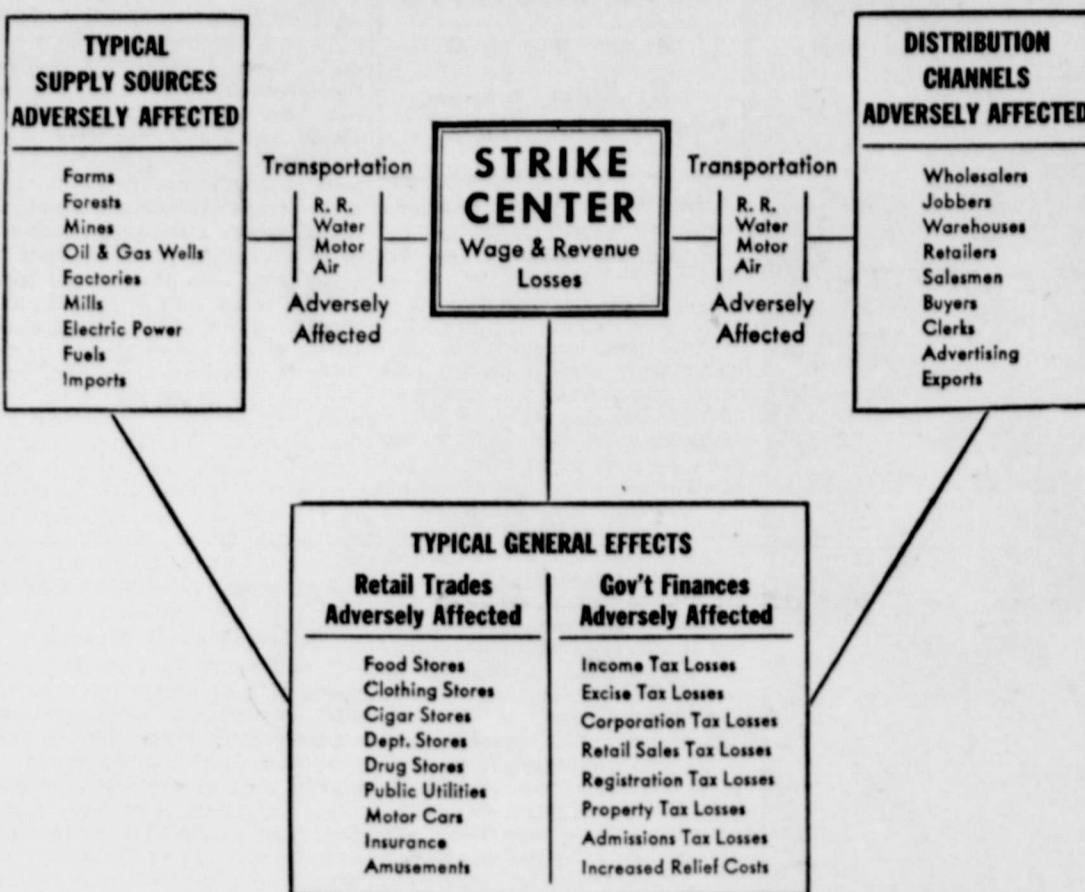
The other day we received a post card on which was written: "Gentlemen, I have been told that there is a law in New Mexico prohibiting a cafe from serving sweet milk to a patron who has also ordered fish. Will you please tell me if this is true..."

Not to our knowledge. But there is a law about foods which everybody ought to know and which reads as follows:

"If any person knowingly shall sell any kind of damaged, spoiled, or unhealthy provisions either for food or drink, without giving sufficient notice to the purchaser of the same, he shall be fined in a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding six months."

This law should be enforced. For

TYPICAL EFFECTS OF A STRIKE IN ANY MAJOR INDUSTRY



The chart above shows how the chief effects of a strike begin immediately to spread in all directions. Back at the supply sources, cancelled orders for raw and semi-finished materials and equipment tend to create additional unemployment and lost business in ever-widening circles. In distribution channels, sales,

employment, and income fall off more or less sharply. Transportation revenues shrink. Curtailed business and thin pocketbooks at the strike center, in the supply sources, and distribution and transportation channels result in generally reduced retail trade, smaller tax collections, increased relief burdens. This picture of

the long trail of losses, even much simplified as it is, indicates why economists cannot estimate in advance the total cost of a strike. Studies of the losses from previous strikes show that their total cost amounts to anywhere from 6 to 700 times the value of wages lost by men thrown out of work at the strike center itself.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1522 Santa Fe, N. M., February 10, 1937

Notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of February, 1937, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, E. M. George of Hagerman, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground waters of the Roswell Artesian basin to the extent of 720 acre feet per annum by the drilling of a 15 1/2 inch well approximately 200 feet in depth, located in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 9, T. 15 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 240 acres of land in the above mentioned Section.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 22nd day of March, 1937, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer. 7-3t-9

ORDINANCE NO. 64

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE KEEPING OF HOGS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE SANITARY SEWER DISTRICT OF THE TOWN OF HAGERMAN.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Hagerman, New Mexico.

Section No. 1. On and after the passage of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful to keep any hogs within the limits of the Sanitary Sewer district of the Town of Hagerman, New Mexico, from the First day of April to the 15th day of October of each year.

Section No. 2. Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined in the sum of not less than Five Dollars nor more than Twenty-five Dollars or not exceeding Thirty days in the Town Jail, or both such fine or imprisonment at the discretion of the Court trying the same, each and every day shall be deemed a separate offense.

Passed and approved on this the 8th day of February, 1937.

J. T. WEST, Mayor.

Attest: C. G. MASON, Town Clerk. 7-1tc

(SEAL)

example, should you buy apples that are thickly smeared at the stalk with a coating of lead arsenate spray and if you have a witness to the sale ask the district sanitarian to analyze the spray residue. If there should be more lead arsenate than the federal government tolerates in interstate shipments, it is likely that a New Mexico judge would hold that our state law has been violated. We have a good law.

Social Security forms and systems—The Messenger.

School Notes

The Junior Red Cross has been helping with their pennies and nickles for the flood relief. They have contributed to the amount of \$6.02 for that fund.

Mr. Woodul, vocational agriculture teacher, reports that he is expecting a visit from the state supervisor of vocational agriculture, Frank Wimberly, on Thursday.

Miss Lindsey's room entertained the student body with a Valentine play on Wednesday, February 10th. After the play a couple of reels were shown, one of which created much interest—"Billy the Kid," which was a picture of the goat industry.

Hagerman high school's basketball teams won five out of six games during the past week. The juniors won over the seventh and eighth grade team 42-3, and over the Hope juniors 27-14. The lost to the Institute juniors 23-19. In the seventh and eighth grade game, L. V. Bartlett was high point man with 14 points, the result of 7 field goals. Phil Heick led the scoring in the Hope game with 8 points, and repeated with 10 more to lead the scorers in the Institute game.

In the senior games, Carrizozo, district champion for the last two years, was defeated on February 11th, by a score of 24-11 with Duncan leading the scorers with 11 points. On February 12th, Hope was beaten by a score of 24-16, with the second team playing most of the last quarter. Goodwin, with 12 points, was the high scorer in this game. Playing without the services of Captain Barnett, the Hagerman boys won over the N. M. M. I. Colts at Roswell on the afternoon of February 11th by a score of 24-13. Goodwin again led the scoring with 11 points.

Ed Greer, who has been out all season with a bad knee, was able to play part of the last three games. If his knee continues to improve and he can get in shape, the team will be materially strengthened for the district tournament.

The Hagerman teams, both juniors and seniors, stand an excellent chance of making a good showing in their respective tournaments if they will keep working to better their team play.

The senior team winds up its season with a game at Lovington on the night of February 19th. The juniors will also play at Lovington, and then close their season by playing the Institute juniors here on the night of February 20th at 6:30 p. m.

Neighbors of a local man became suspicious that he might be insane. In fact, during a conversation, one of the neighbors accused him of being insane.

"No I ain't," the man retorted, "I've been tried for being crazy and got papers to show that I ain't crazy. You are the one that's crazy because you ain't got no papers to show that you ain't crazy."

Most girls are like parlor lamps—out for a good time.

Social Security forms and systems—The Messenger.



A Line To You

BY E. M.

Do you know— How much Perry Andrus bribed the town for the nice shower last Monday morning? Some farmers are wondering if it could be manipulated so they could get a sprinkler.

That there is a rumor of a nudist colony in Roswell, and we are thinking they must be hibernating until July?

The couple who had the picture show complex last Sunday. Going to the one in the afternoon, back to Hagerman for dinner and again to the show that night?

The young gentleman who discovered an empty gas tank, a little too far for "her" to walk home?

The very youthful farmer who will "farm" his mother's place this year?

That our very efficient P. M., sent the letter addressed to "Jeanne, Lucille and Toots, Hagerman, N. M.," to the correct trio?

The two service station helpers overheard saying "Better put some oil in her ears so she won't hear the squeaks?"

The charming little white haired lady of Hagerman who is a charter member of Dexter's Woman's club?

That O. J. Ford in housecleaning in the attic of his newly bought home found a letter postmarked 1893, Milford, Iowa?

The two girls, inseparable, who have the same given name, almost the same size, same color hair and complexion?

The City Dad who has the "Pitch" complex?

The lady who thought it so strange that it could rain in such a small spot?

That the new book "Live Alone and Like It" is quite the rage just now?

Who stayed in Hagerman Tuesday afternoon? We thought the town had moved to Roswell en masse.

The talented gentleman in music and who recently yaquired a piano?

That the rifle club may have "one lone" feminine member?

The husband who "fussed" about the 40c laundry bill?

The gentleman who helped pick the turkey that he did not help to eat?

That we think John Clark must like this idea of celebrating birthdays. We notice in the Hagerman News of the Roswell Record this

Rumors of Gold

(By Anna Nolan Clark)

(Editor's note: This is the first of four articles on Coronado's journey by Anna Nolan Clark, New Mexico author).

Don Antonio de Mendoza, first Viceroy of New Spain, paced up and down the corridor of his dwelling in the City of Mexico. The walls of the corridor were covered with tapestries, the floor laid with tile, hangings at the recessed windows were drawn against the glare and the heat of the merciless sun of mid-day. Don Antonio de Mendoza treaded back and forth, back and forth incessantly; his head lowered, his black eyebrows drawn, his body stiff with the intensity of thought. Intake of his breath, soft swish of his silken garments against the folds of his velvet, and his light, impatient footfalls were the only sounds to accompany his walking.

In his blood, in his brain, pounding like the waves of the sea, were rumors of gold to be had for the taking; and the need for gold and the lust for gold swelled rumor into reality. But twenty-five years before Columbus had discovered America. The myths of Eldorado, the gilded man, the legend of the Isle of the Amazons and the set of molten metal were as plausible to the people who told and retold them as was the discovery itself. Added to these tales were the jewels of the Incas which Pizarro brought from Peru, the wealth of Montezuma that Cortez plundered from Mexico. These were no rumors, but truth. Truth that could be seen, touched with the hands and guarded with life which was much less dear.

Lately had come De Vaca, Maldonado, and Dorantes with the blackmoor slave Estevan, returned from their wanderings of eight long years in the unknown, mysterious north country. With them had come new tales, new promises of waiting wealth, new visions of cities builded of gold.

Don Antonio de Mendoza stopped his pacing, clapped his hands and called a slave to do his bidding. A feast was to be prepared and De Vaca and his two companions he asked as honored guests. He, Antonio de Mendoza, Spanish gentleman and Viceroy of New Spain, would hear for himself, first hand, of these golden cities to the northward.

In due time the feast was held and the guests sat long at table sipping sparkling wines and talking easily in smoothly rolling, honey-colored phrases of the fabulous seven cities whose streets were paved with gold, whose doors were studded with turquoise.

Present, also, was Friar Marcos, Italian Franciscan, author of several books of exploration, recipient of honors in theology, navigation, cosmography, companion to Pizarro in his conquest of Peru, and Don Francisco Vasquez de Coronado, governor of the Province of New Galicia, protegee and friend of Mendoza. In an outer room waited Estevan, Moroccan slave of Dorantes. Conversation, wine, rich foods blended and mellowed companionship. Estevan was called in. Tall, bearded black man, his wrists and feet bedecked with plumes, he stood before them silently. Each man looked far to the future and visioned his own dreams. Mendoza saw power, magnificent personal power, Coronado saw gold, Friar Marcos counted servants to Christ. The nostrils of the huge black man quivered and flared, but he made no sound. What did it matter what he saw! He was a slave!

Tapers about the room burned low; a bargain was made, the blackmoor changed masters. He now belonged to Mendoza. Talk was resumed.

The night grew late. Mendoza, having learned first hand of the mysteries of the unknown north country lost no time in sending a scouting party to the Land of the Seven Cities. Friar Marcos was delegated to go with Estevan as guide and a handful of

week where he celebrated his birthday last Sunday and we know for a fact that he celebrated one the Sunday before.

The lady who stated they went to Roswell "about a dozen times a week," and who very nearly told the truth?

The pert young miss who announced she was going down to the beauty shop and have them "sit" her hair?

That Dub Andrus had a lot of nerve walking right in front of a gun, that was pointed at Pa Jim. Anyway they could have had a lot of "fan help," if they had let us know in time. Jane says it was not so funny as it sounds either.

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Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Noah W... to Artesia Sunday to Smart Girls" at the pie

Steve Mason left M... Denver, Colorado, whe... enter the School of Ph...

Mr. and Mrs. Basil... port the birth of a baby... ruary 9th. The little gi... named Angeline.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald... som are planning to... house and rebuild very... have recently purchas... the old Newsom home... of Hagerman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L... Jimmie and Mrs. W... went to El Paso, Tex... on a business trip and... visit with Mr. and M... nett and Norman.

Miss Christine Mich... of Mrs. Jacques Mich... away this morning f... illness of two weeks... thier was 87 years o... lived with her brother... north of Hagerman... arrangements will be... afternoon.

Roswell Seed Co.,... Mexico farmers' seed... nounce that they w... ready to advertise "M... Modern gardeners hav... the value of this fam... as a source of humus... Necessary in properly... It will come in sizes t... garden.

Man blames fate for... dent but holds himself... responsible when he r... in-one.

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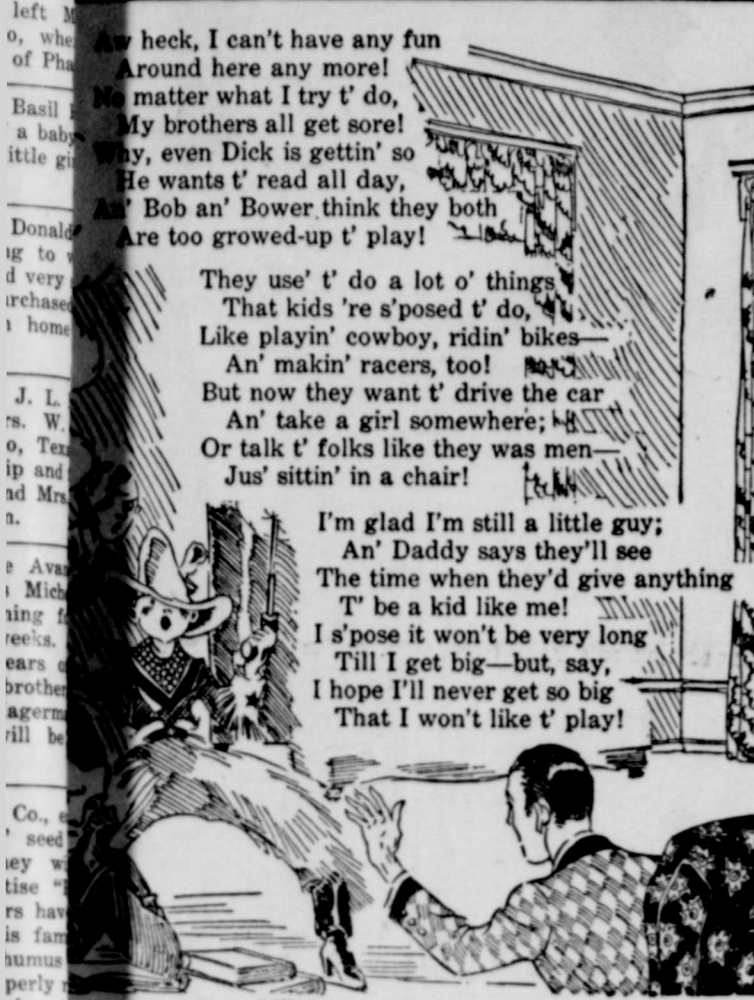
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# Oil and His Brothers

by Lawrence Hawthorne



## Seventeen of Twenty-Two Oil Tracts Sell; Total Brings Over \$8,000.00

monthly auction of oil and gas leases held at Santa Fe the week ending Feb. 11, 1937, resulted in the sale of 17 of the 22 tracts offered. The total amount realized was \$8,000.00.

Tract No. 1, consisting of 1228 acres and located in twps. 6-7, R. 34-35, sold to W. S. Paton of Santa Fe for \$478.92.

Tract No. 2, consisting of 160 acres and located in twps. 17-18, ranges 18-19, sold to the Humble Oil & Refining Co., for \$1,200.00, the price per acre paid during the auction.

Tract No. 3, consisting of 160 acres and located in sec. 16-17, sold to the Tidewater Associated Oil Co., for \$271.00.

Tract No. 4, consisting of 160 acres and located in sec. 16-19-34, sold to L. Halley of Carlsbad for \$199.00.

Tract No. 5, consisting of 160 acres and located in sec. 16-19-34, sold to P. H. Hawley of Los Angeles, California, for \$176.00.

Tract No. 6, consisting of 160 acres and located in 21-33, sold to P. H. Hawley for \$190.00.

Tract No. 7, consisting of 160 acres and located in sec. 32-21-33, sold to Tidewater Associated Oil Co., for \$416.00.

Tract No. 8, consisting of 160 acres and located in 21-35, sold to Roy Barton of Clovis for \$240.00.

Tract No. 9, consisting of 160 acres and located in 21-35, sold to Roy Barton for \$240.00.

Tract No. 10, consisting of 635 acres and located in 23-34, sold to the Humble Oil and Refining Co., for \$1,540.00.

Tract No. 11, consisting of 280 acres and located in 23-35, sold to Clarence E. Hinkle of Roswell for \$1,890.00.

Tract No. 12, consisting of 160 acres and located in sec. 16-24-35, sold to Dorothy Heard of Santa Fe for \$160.00.

## Milestones of American Genius



**THEODORE ROOSEVELT**

Marking the grave of a great American President, at Oyster Bay, Long Island.

With physical handicaps that might have made an ordinary man a ne'er-do-well and a failure, Theodore Roosevelt was for his countrymen the symbol of the "strenuous life." With physical vigor he combined mental leadership and the dominant patriotism.

His birth in New York City, on October 27, 1858, Roosevelt was a delicate, near-sighted babe and all through his boyhood he was destined to a life of inactivity. Fortunately his family was able to give him the best of care and he was a character that was to be hampered by obstacles. He trained in gymnastics, horsemanship and managed to build himself into the Rough Rider who was to thrill the country with his exploits.

His devotion to nature study was a life-long habit. He was a wife and a mother. He was a father and a son. He was a statesman and a leader. He was a hero and a legend.

He was a man of many faces. He was a man of many hearts. He was a man of many minds. He was a man of many souls.

He was a man of many names. He was a man of many titles. He was a man of many honors. He was a man of many achievements.

He was a man of many friends. He was a man of many enemies. He was a man of many admirers. He was a man of many followers.

He was a man of many legends. He was a man of many myths. He was a man of many stories. He was a man of many songs.

He was a man of many memories. He was a man of many dreams. He was a man of many hopes. He was a man of many wishes.

He was a man of many prayers. He was a man of many tears. He was a man of many joys. He was a man of many sorrows.

He was a man of many loves. He was a man of many hates. He was a man of many fears. He was a man of many doubts.

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## SOCIETY LOCALS

**L. C. CLUB**

The L. C. club met at the home of Mrs. E. D. Menoud February 11th. The meeting was opened with Mrs. Hinrichsen, vice president, in the chair. Instead of the usual scripture reading a reading on the religious views of Lincoln was given.

There was no special business to be discussed. Valentines were distributed, a game enjoyed and heart-shaped sandwiches, cookies and coffee and heart-shaped mints and other candy were served.

Members present were: Mmes. Jim Sanders, M. D. Menoud, Fred Evans, A. M. Ehret, W. L. Heitman, Ross Jacobs, Frank Bauslin, B. F. Gehman, C. O. Holloway, E. G. Lathrop, Ernest Utterback, Lester Hinrichsen, Willis Pardee, I. E. Boyce, Alice M. Hedges, Will Wiggins, Marion Woody and the hostess, Mrs. E. D. Menoud, and one visitor, Mrs. W. A. Losey.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Lester Hinrichsen, February 25th, and the answer to roll call will be something about Washington.

**4-H CLUB**

The 4-H club met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Nola Kirby. Ruth Solomon, vice president of last year, presided. A suggestion carried that new officers be elected. Jeanne Marie Michelet was elected president; Mildred Hawkins, vice president; Kara Lee Campbell, secretary; Roma Ellen Stroud, song leader; Ruth Solomon, game leader; Marie Wheeler, reporter. Mrs. Kirby and Mrs. Marvin Menefee were selected as leaders.

The subject of sewing was chosen by the group. Any girl over ten years of age and interested is invited to the club. Those present at the meeting were: Miss Hilda Gean, Mrs. Kirby, Mrs. Menefee, Jeanne Marie Michelet, Marie Wheeler, Mildred Hawkins, Roma Ellen Stroud, Maudine Solomon, Mildred Perry, Bennie Lou Bratcher, Lucille Frazier, Ruth Solomon, Jimmie Wheeler, Clea Glee Jacobs, Louise Kirby and Kara Lee Campbell.

**HOME EXTENSION CLUB**

The Home Extension club met at the home of Mrs. Ernest Langenegger last Monday. The lesson was on poultry and "accidents in the home" were also discussed. Present with the hostess and Miss Hilda Gean were Mmes. J. W. Wiggins, Elmer Graham, Walden Jacobson, Arthur Wilhelm, Rufus Campbell, Bud Menoud, Marvin Menefee and Howard Menefee. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Jack Menoud, March 19th.

**PRESBYTERIAN AID**

Mmes. Martin Brannon and Robt. Cumpsten were hostesses yesterday afternoon at the church basement to members and guests of the Aid. During the business session plans were made for a social for Aid members and their husbands on February 26th.

Sandwiches, small cakes and coffee were served to about twenty.

## THE CHURCHES

**BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Lee Vaughn, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00 a. m. F. W. Sadler, superintendent.  
Morning service each second and fourth Sundays 11:00 a. m.  
B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. R. M. Middleton, director.  
Evening service each second and fourth Sundays 7:30 p. m.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**

Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
N. Y. P. S. 6:30 p. m.  
Sermon 7:15 p. m.  
Mid-week prayer service Thursday evening 6:45 p. m.  
Oscar Kiper, Sunday school superintendent.  
Miss Naomi Jenkins, N. Y. P. S. president.  
A hearty welcome awaits you.  
Revival has been postponed until February. Announcement will be made later.  
REV. P. B. WALLACE, Pastor.

**METHODIST CHURCH**

Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Ben F. Gehman, superintendent.  
Morning service 11:00 a. m.  
League 6:00 p. m.  
Evening service 7:30 p. m.  
Everyone is welcome to all services.  
J. H. WALKER, Pastor.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Sunday school 10:00 a. m. J. E. Wimberly, superintendent.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
Everybody is cordially welcome.  
EMERY C. FRITZ, Pastor.

## Acid Treatments Play Increasing Part in Boosting Oil Production

Some idea of the wide scope and importance which acid treating of wells has attained in the oil industry as affecting conservation, production and ultimate recovery is shown in a recent report of the All-South Development Council.

The nation's oil and gas wells took "shots in the arm" to the extent of about 12,000,000 gallons of muriatic acid in 1936, the report shows, as this four-year-old stepchild of the oil industry doubled its 1935 record in treatments—about \$5,000—and in volume of acid used.

The 1936 activity in acidizing represents approximately a 600 per cent increase over that of 1933, regarded as the first full year of practical application, after the process' virtually accidental discovery in 1932.

Two industrial chemists of Midland, Michigan, John Grebe and Ross Sanford, seeking to stimulate brine production from subterranean salt deposits by acid injection, found that it wouldn't work on salt. But they tried it on an oil well, and it did. And in scores of applications since its perfection it has shown ratios as high as ten to one in dollar return.

Originally devised and used primarily to "kick up" dead or dying wells, acidizing by 1936 had fought its way out of this class with big operators to the extent that last year actually more treatments were given to, and more acid used on, flush, full-flowing, new wells than stripper wells.

Briefly, here's how and why of acid treating: Acid forced into a well under carefully-regulated pressure eats through the oil-bearing limestone increasing the porosity of the lime through "channeling" of its weaker strata, and thus making recoverable scores of oil and gas previously blocked off from the well-hole by congested pores of lime or borderline porosity.

Use of the process on new wells is an important factor in conservation, the report says, because of its function in subjecting the wildest possible area of a given hole to maximum natural pressure at the outset instead of waiting to tap new pools in old wells after much or all of this pressure has been dissipated.

The extraordinary volumes of muriatic acid used in this new industry has made it easily the nation's principle consumer of this type of acid, the bulk of which is produced in the south as a by-product of salt mining and refining. The cost of acid alone in 1936 is estimated by the council at \$1,800,000.

It is a simple and not especially risky operation, performed usually by crews working out of one of a score of treating stations—most of them located in Oklahoma, Texas and Kansas. There are probably not more than 100 "treating engineers" in this infant industry, and no technical schools as yet have courses teaching it, though

## Locals

Ernest Langenegger and Coy Knoll went to Tatum Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Ernest Langenegger went to Roswell Thursday and brought home some baby chicks.

Mrs. Lizzie Rice left Wednesday afternoon for home after visiting several weeks with the Dub and Perry Andrus families.

Mrs. Mary Myers of Harrisburg, Illinois, left early this week for her home after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. O. C. Basinger. Mrs. Myers' home is in the flood district.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Boyce, Sr., Mrs. I. E. Boyce, Jr., and daughter, Miss Alma Sue and Francis Boyce were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Boyce in Roswell last Sunday.

The Community Men's club announce a very interesting program next Tuesday evening at their regular meeting. E. A. White will be master of ceremonies and Prof. Smith of N. M. M. I. will deliver an address. A musical program will be given also. Members are urged to attend.

Frank E. Wimberly, state supervisor of vocational education, made an official visit to Hagerman today. He made a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wimberly. He will leave for Carlsbad tomorrow. While here he asked that his name be added to The Messenger subscription list. Thanks!

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# Uncle Phil Says:

**Judging Self**  
To judge and examine one's self is a labor full of profit. The vein of gold in many a man is seldom taken for a yellow streak even by the dullest. Paying cash for what one wants is a good way to break the habit of wanting so much. To make better men it is necessary to begin with the children. That's what McGuffey's Readers did.

## It's Often Needed

One thing about the School of Experience—you can always take a post-graduate course. This earth owes a hen a living, too; but she has sense enough to scratch for it.

Some are so easy-going that they don't take the trouble to nail a lie if it doesn't affect them.

One gets two enjoyments out of going into debt. One when he borrows the money, the other when he pays it back.

## Anticipated Pleasures

Why do we always wish time to hasten? Is it because our anticipated pleasures are so superior to our actual ones?

When we don't like certain manners and certain manifestations of bad taste, we are not necessarily snobs.

When a man becomes thoroughly contented he has outlived his usefulness.

If you are too smart for some people, they admire you, but seek other company.

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## The Need of Man

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# The HOME CIRCLE

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## BEDTIME STORY

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

### BILLY MINK LIVES HIGH

BILLY MINK was living high. Yes, sir, Billy Mink was living high. For the first time in his life he didn't have to hunt for his meals. Whenever he became hungry all he had to do was to slip out from under the woodpile, and there was a meal waiting for him. Of course it hadn't taken Billy long to find out where those meals came from. After the first day Billy had watched. Peeping out from his hiding place under the wood he had seen the farmer come from the house and leave something for him to eat and then go on to feed the hens.

Sometimes Billy would find scraps of meat. Sometimes it would be fish. Once, when the farmer and his wife had had a chicken dinner, Billy had found a couple of chicken heads, of which he is very fond. Always it was something Billy liked. He was living so high that he was actually growing fat and lazy.

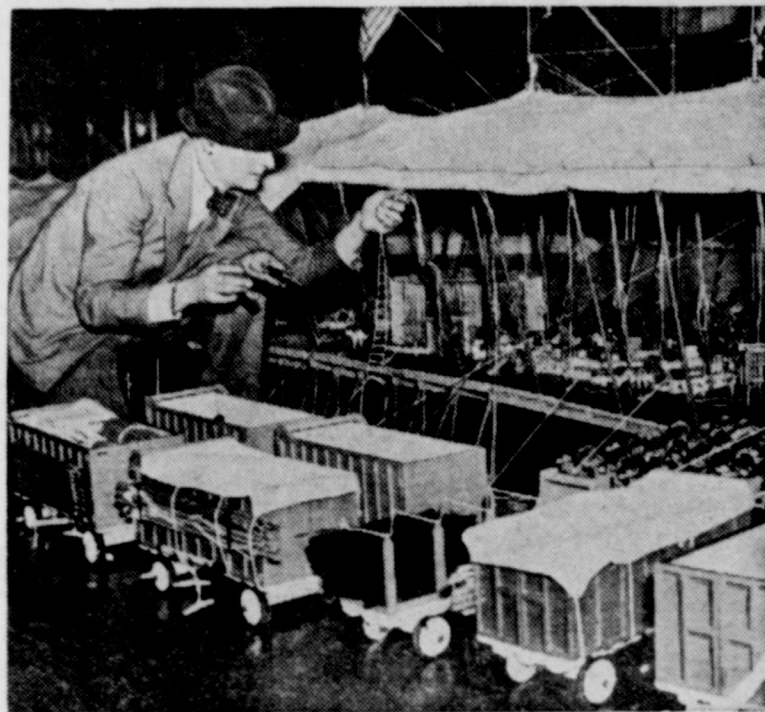
And as the days went on Billy grew less and less afraid of that

farmer. He decided that no one who meant harm to him would be so good to him. So after a while Billy would come out in broad daylight. In fact, the farmer would have gone hardly ten steps away before Billy would be out to see what had been left for him. And the farmer took the greatest care not to do anything to frighten Billy. In short, Billy and the farmer were becoming very good friends.

Just for exercise Billy would occasionally run over to the big barn and hunt for mice. Once he visited the henhouse and found that there was no longer a trap there. Neither was there a hole by which he could get into that henhouse. The farmer had blocked up that hole through which Billy had once entered. After he discovered this Billy kept away from the henhouse. He knew that it was of no use to go there. You see, he is not like the rats; he doesn't gnaw holes. He makes use of holes some one else has made. His teeth are not made for gnawing.

But Billy wasn't especially disappointed because he couldn't get into the henhouse. In fact, he seldom thought about chickens. You see, he had plenty to eat, and, having plenty, there was no temptation to try to kill a chicken. So Billy felt very much at home and

## "Earth's Biggest Show" in Miniature



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worried about nothing at all. There was nothing to worry about. He felt as if he quite belonged in that farmyard.

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## You Who Have Youth

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

THOSE who have this have more than all else own. Who have it not, whatever wealth is theirs. Those who have youth can face the years unknown. With time enough to solve their sudden cares. How often, in the midst of many men, Some great assemblage I am told to scan. And name the richest. That is easy then— I need but ask, "Which is the youngest man?"

You who have youth, and yet of youth complain, Ask of your elders, they who tire so soon, If they could choose, what they would choose to gain? Then noon would ask for morning, night for noon. The old ask not for rest, they ask for this: Strength for the struggle, time to see it through. Ask of the old the thing that most they miss And you will learn how much they envy you.

I sat between two men whose hair was gray: The one was Riches, and the other Fame, And Failure sat a little space away, And yet all three made answer, made the same. Fame had his crown, and Riches had his gold, And even Failure consciousness of truth, Yet all they had for one thing would have sold— Yes, traded all with you, you who have youth.

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## KNOW THYSELF

by DR. GEORGE D. GREER



If You Can't Remember Something, Are You More Likely to Recall It If You Concentrate on It, or If You Forget It for a While?

STRANGELY enough, it seems to make matters worse when we try to force ourselves to recall something that is "gone" for the time being. We scratch our heads think hard, but nothing comes. We would recall the thing much sooner and more certainly if we would dismiss it from our minds for awhile, then return to it later. Dr. Knight Dunlap, in his book, "Habits," goes so far as to say that any real effort at recalling something actually delays the return of the forgotten thing to our minds, and, in addition, produces bad effects upon our minds themselves.

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# MOTHER'S COOK BOOK

## NOODLES AND PUDDING

THOSE who enjoy noodles in various ways will find the following salad good and out of ordinary: Noodle Ham Salad.

Take one cupful of egg noodles, one cupful of celery, two tablespoonfuls of chopped olives, one cupful of boiled ham, one-half cupful of string beans, salt and mayonnaise or cooked dressing to taste. Cook the noodles broken into small pieces, until tender. Drain and chill, then add the remaining ingredients and season to taste. Serve on lettuce.

The following won the five hundred dollar prize for the best recipe using macaroni:

**Lemon Surprise Pudding.**  
Cook one-half pound of macaroni until tender in rapidly boiling salted water. Drain and mix with the following ingredients: One cupful of milk, two apples peeled and sliced thin, three eggs beaten, one cupful of bread crumbs, one cupful of shredded coconut, three tablespoonfuls of grapefruit, one teaspoonful of each of nutmeg, cinnamon and one-fourth teaspoonful of salt, three-fourths cupful of sugar and two teaspoonfuls of lemon juice. Put into a well-buttered baking dish and bake in a moderate oven until brown. Spread when done with lemon sauce, using the juice and rind of two lemons, three tablespoonfuls of cornstarch, one cupful of sugar, two cupfuls of boiling water and two eggs. Mix the dry ingredients, add to the water and cook slowly until thick, then add the remainder; beat

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## Lovely Dinner Gown



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# We've a Date to Sew



OH GRACE, before you go—you're not in a hurry, are you—notice Mabel's slip. Isn't that the one that you were telling the girls about at the Bid-Or-Bi club last week, Mabel? Yes, it's my Sew-Your-Own and I'm real proud of it because it fits so smoothly. There's no bunchiness at the waistline or hips—it's fitted, you see—and yet there's lots of room around the bottom. And do you know how long it took me to make it—no self praise, but exactly two hours by the clock. I simply followed the pattern's instruction chart—as easy to do as to concoct a new dessert.

## Tie, Buttons, Hat to Match.

It would be grand for a tailored dress like mine, wouldn't it, Mabel?

Just the thing! Are you off to the Civic League luncheon at the Hall? Your dress made up beautifully in that aquamarine, Grace. I'm crazy about it. The yoke-and-sleeves-in-one idea is swell and the black tie and buttons to match your hat make you look like Mrs. Merriweather herself. Now, now, cut the rave. You know that neat-but-not-gaudy is my motto. Bye, I'll see you in print.

So long... Anne, since you like my slip so much, I'll be glad to help you make one like it, if you want me to. That's lovely of you, Mabel, but would that sort of thing be right for a "Stylish Stout" like me? You should hear George when I call myself a "Stylish Stout." He says I flatter myself.

## That Slenderizing Effect.

Leave it to the men! This slip would be especially good for you, Anne, because it's fitted and, George or no George, you look stylish in that dress you're wearing—but you DON'T look stout. The panel in front breaks the skirt line, and the jabot and collar do wonders for the "Buz-zum." It would be grand made up in a flowered print for Spring, Anne.

That very idea occurred to me. Why don't we get together tomorrow afternoon and sew—are you game? Come to my house.

## Foreign Words and Phrases

- Mirabile dictu. (L.) Wonderful to relate.
- Oui dire. (F.) Hearsay.
- Parvenu. (F.) A person of low origin; an upstart.
- Qui vivra, verra. (F.) Who lives will see.
- Regnant populi. (L.) The people reign. (Motto of Arkansas.)
- Sanctum sanctorum. (L.) The holy of holies.
- Usque ad aras. (L.) To the very altars; to the last extremity.
- Ventre-a-terre. (F.) At full gallop; at breakneck speed.
- Trink-geld. (Ger.) A gratuity.
- Vive la bagatelle! (F.) Success to trifles! Trifling forever!
- Qu'importe! (F.) What does it matter?
- Wanderjahr. (Ger.) A wander-year; a year of travel.

I baked a batch of oatmeal cookies today. It's a date, Anne, I've been doing in the morning as soothed him. The kids are off to school. I've been in no question. Pattern 1200 is available in sizes 14 to 20 (32 to 36 inches). Size 16 requires 4 1/2 yards of material plus 3/4 yard for contrast. Pattern 1970 is available in sizes 36 to 52. Size 38 requires 4 1/2 yards of material plus 3/4 yard for contrast. Pattern 1988 is available in sizes 34 to 46. Size 36 requires 3 1/2 yards of 39 inch material plus 1 yard of ribbon for straps.

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Oil News—

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Carlock et al., Quincy Ricker No. 1, SE sec. 7-16-36, plugging to abandon at 5500 feet. Hershback, Alston No. 1, NE sec. 31-17-37, rigging. Jno. Baldridge, Blakney No. 1, sec. 5-20-29, 4000 feet sulphur water at 4410 feet, plugging to abandon. Getty Oil Co., Etz No. 1, sec. 12-21-32, no report. Magnolia Petroleum Co., State 1-G, NE sec. 24-17-34, drilling below 4800 feet. Brown and Reynolds, Parcel No. 1, sec. 8-21-38, preparing to run 5 1/2-inch casing to total depth of well, 4373 feet. Eddy county—Murchison et al., State 1-A, SW sec. 16-17-31, plugging back to shut off water. Neal Wills, Colglazier No. 1, NE

sec. 20-20-30, cemented six-inch casing at 1440 feet. Roosevelt county—Clovis Development Co., Smith No. 1, SE sec. 17-2n-30e, fishing for tools at 3000 feet. Franklin and F. W. & Y., Catts No. 1, sec. 28-3n-30e, drilling below 5000 feet. Otero county—O. K. Hearde, Evans No. 1, sec. 22-24-21, drilling below 1830 feet. George Muldey, State No. 1, SW sec. 11-25-8, rigging up. Chaves county—J. & L. Drilling Co., Hurd No. 1, NW sec. 14-11-36, rigging. A boy entered a store and said to the storekeeper: "Gimme a dime's worth of asafetida." The storekeeper tied up the package and the boy said: "Dad wants you to charge it." "All right; what's your name?" "Schwepfelfinger." "Take it for nothin'," he said, "I ain't goin' to spell 'asafetida' and 'Schwepfelfinger' for no dime." Wife (to husband who was inquiring what she thought of his speech): "You did not make the most of your opportunities." Husband: "What opportunities?" Wife: "Why, all the opportunities you had to sit down." Among other things, the recent depression has taught us that the ladder to success is not an escalator.

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IN SOCIETY

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(Items for either this column or the calendar must be turned in by not later than Wednesday noon)

Social Calendar

The Methodist Missionary Society is to meet at the parsonage with Mrs. J. H. Walker as hostess and Mrs. Earl Stine as leader.

The Woman's club will have a business meeting February 19th at the club house.

The Young Women's Guild is to meet at the Presbyterian basement February 26th with Mrs. Pete Dorman and Mrs. James Burck as hostess.

The L. C. club will meet with Mrs. Lester Hinrichsen February 25th.

Men's club meets Tuesday, February 23rd, at 7:00 p. m. E. A. White has charge of the program and will be master of ceremonies. All members are urged to attend.

The Rebecca Circle of the Baptist church have changed their meeting days to the second and fourth Wednesdays instead of Thursdays. It will meet at the Baptist church on Wednesday, February 24th with Mrs. Ernest Langenegger as hostess.

DEXTER WOMAN'S CLUB CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Beautiful indeed was the club house with hundreds of red hearts, red flowers and shaded lights when on February 11th, the Dexter Woman's club met to celebrate their thirtieth birthday. The past presidents, Mrs. H. Durand, Mrs. Wortman and Mrs. Mehlop, greeted some fifty members and guests at the door. Among the visitors were the third district president of New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. C. R. Blocker of Artesia, and "Mother" Mason of Hagerman, one of the few living charter members of the Dexter club.

The program of the day was under the department of fine arts, with its chairman, Mrs. George Lewis, as leader. Her theme was "The Influence of the Bible on the Fine Arts." This subject was timely as it fitted perfectly with "National Mission Week" now being observed in the churches. Mrs. Lewis was assisted by Mrs. Walter Anderson, who spoke forcibly on three great women of the Bible: Hannah, who represented "Faith," Esther, "Courage," and Mary Magdalene, "Love." She told how the threads of these qualities

were woven into fabrics of service. Following this, Mrs. George Wilcox sang in a very sweet manner, "Ave Maria." Mrs. L. Martin discussed the influence of the Bible on sculpture and paintings. Mrs. Wilcox discussed its influence on literature. Mrs. Hal Bogle followed with a vocal solo, "The Twenty-third Psalm." Mrs. Lewis concluded the talks with "The Bible's Influence on Music." The club octette closed the program with the selection, "The Winds of the South."

Mrs. L. Parker, the president, presided over the business session where plans were discussed pertaining to the club's projects, to cooperate with the town board in making a park. The NYA, through its project manager, Miss Ann Pursley, and local supervisor, Mrs. Robert McNeil, is providing labor on this project which is greatly appreciated by the club.

Many birthday gifts were received, the list topped by a message from the Junior Woman's club saying they were making the draperies for the club lounge. A cash fund was started to be used toward the furnishing of the lounge, it immediately grew to a sum of \$7.50. Other lovely gifts included dishes, kitchware and Navajo rugs.

The lace covered tea table was beautiful with its black vase of red carnations and red tapers in silver sticks. Mrs. Henrietta Durand and Mrs. Mary Thompson presided over the table service where brick ice cream, nuts, mints and coffee were served with slices of the huge four-tiered birthday cake.

The hostesses for this lovely party were: Meses. Henrietta Durand, O. B. Berry, Pollock, J. V. Thomas, F. A. Thomas, Mary Thompson, John Reid, and F. L. Mehlop. The next meeting will be a night affair with husbands as guests.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKinstry were hosts to a delicious dinner last Sunday in honor of Mrs. E. R. McKinstry's birthday.

Seated at the table with the hosts were: Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McKinstry and Lon, Mr. and Mrs. James McKinstry and J. E., Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Harshey, Lloyd Edgar, Richar, Clarence and Betty Lou.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY MEET

The American Legion Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Dub Andrus Monday afternoon. Their lesson was taken from the bulletin on Fidac and during the business session it was decided to postpone the dinner until February 24th. Lovely refreshments of salad, ritz and cocoa with whipped cream were served.

NOON DAY SUNDAY DINNER

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cass G. Mason, Steve and Garner Mason last Sunday for noon-day dinner were the Rev. Emery Fritz, Alvah Wise and Mr. and Mrs. Harrison McKinstry.

METHODIST MISSIONARY

Mrs. Tom McKinstry was hostess to members of the missionary society on Wednesday of last week at her home. Mrs. Louie Burck, president, presided over the business meeting. Following that a chapter of the study book was given. Eighteen were present and were served pumpkin pie topped with whipped cream, and coffee.

BELLE BENNETT CIRCLE

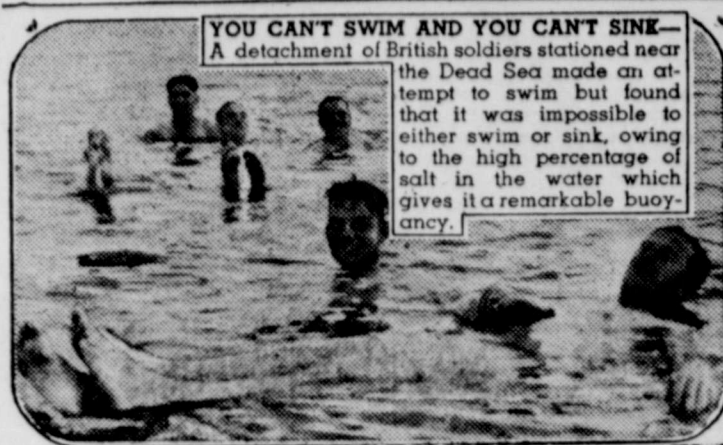
The Belle Bennett Circle met at the home of Mrs. Elwood Watford, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Raynal Cumpsten was in charge of the program. Miss Agnes McCormick, Meses. Elwood Watford, Marvin Menefee and Rufus King gave talks and Mrs. Cumpsten read the scripture; the program was ended with a prayer. The society voted to send \$5.00 to the flood refugees. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and coffee were served to: Meses. J. H. Walker, Howard Menefee, Coy Knoll, Carol Newsom, Dacus Parker, Rufus King, Raynal Cumpsten, Jack Menoud, Misses Agnes McCormick and Ida Langenegger and the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Flora West.

REBECCA CIRCLE

The Rebecca Circle met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Everett Lankford. An examination was given on the study book on "Tapestry," which had previously been taught in a very efficient method by Mrs. E. A. White. Two new members were added to the circle, Meses. Louie Heick and Velmer Fletcher. One visitor was present, Mrs. Carol Newsome. Plans were also made for an entertainment in the near future, formal announcement will be made later, but this has the promise of being an evening of hilarious fun. They stated if one wants to see the business men and teachers as they looked when they were babies to be certain to watch for announcement. Mrs. F. W. Sadler is to aid in the training.

Social Security forms and systems—The Messenger.

In The WEEK'S NEWS



YOU CAN'T SWIM AND YOU CAN'T SINK—A detachment of British soldiers stationed near the Dead Sea made an attempt to swim but found that it was impossible to either swim or sink, owing to the high percentage of salt in the water which gives it a remarkable buoyancy.



MARY AND BUDDY—This handsome pair, Mary Pickford and Buddy Rogers, plan to retire to some obscure retreat after their marriage this Spring. If they do, the movie and radio worlds will lose two of their favorite entertainers.



Ball Park Becomes a Lake—in the Cincinnati National League Ball Park, home of the Reds, the recent floods came almost up to the second grandstands.



SHE SPRINGS TO FAME—Mary Hoeger, 12-year-old national diving champion amazes the spectators with her dexterity at the Deauville Cabana Club, Miami Beach.



AMERICA'S FAVORITE SPORT—Wm. "Tippy" Dye, Captain and guard on the last Ohio State basketball team enjoys the sport that sixteen million other Americans play.

Locals

Mrs. H. B. Bailey has been critically ill for some time.

Donald Lee Newsom sold his range cattle this week to McCoy of Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Knoll spent last week-end visiting their daughter in Elida.

Misses Alma Sue Boyce and Ruby Bailey had lunch with Mrs. Jimmie Presley in Artesia Monday.

Messrs. and Meses. Frank McCarthy and Jim Michelet attended the show in Roswell on Tuesday evening.

Miss Ida Langenegger is visiting this week with friends. Miss Langenegger has accepted a position in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Menoud, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Menoud and Mrs. Raynal Cumpsten attended to business and visited in Roswell Monday afternoon.

Ira N. Gabrielson, chief of the Bureau of Biological Survey of Washington, D. C., made an official visit last Sunday in Hagerman with W. A. Losey.

Paul Whitman of Dexter underwent an operation for appendicitis early this week. He is at St. Mary's hospital and is reported recuperating nicely at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jennings left last Friday night for their home home in Corpus Christi, Texas. Mr. Jennings is federal game warden and is stationed at Corpus Christi. He had been Texas state game warden for a long time and was stationed in Sonora, Texas. Several months ago he received the federal warden appointment.

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son; Charles E. Lamb, Carolina Beach, North Carolina; A. C. Nebecker, Carlsbad, consulting engineer for the company; E. Ralph Seward, Albuquerque; H. E. Seward, Hereford, Texas; Harvey O. Garst, Terre Haute, Indiana, a company salesman, and George Edgar, Carlsbad, vice president of the company.

Those indicted as organizers of the Royalty Bond and Share Co., were Williams, Nebecker, Garst and the following:

C. J. Little, Santa Fe, president of the concern; E. L. Hanson, Clovis; Harry S. Bowman, Santa Fe, secretary of the company and former assistant U. S. district attorney, and E. J. Fox, Tatum.

Core tests on property surrounding that which the potash company claimed held 40,800,000 tons of mineral, the jury held, showed "that such a deposit did not exist

on said property." In another indictment charged the company with total fig sets over \$1,000,000 in matter of fact the company only \$1.65 in cash at the

Bartender: "You lo whassa matter?" Customer: "I can't see my wife said I could be home before two."

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