



OIL NEWS

The Latest Happenings in Development of the Pecos Valley Oil Field

Drilling is going on at all the wells in this portion of the valley where it has not been halted temporarily by some unforeseen accident or emergency.

Illinois Producers No. 2, after finishing its balling, preparatory to drilling, found the engine it has been using lacked the power to drive the machinery with the new cable. The cable is one and one-half inches in diameter and more than a half mile in length. There has been talk of moving up the engine at well No. 1, which has more power. It is quite probable that this has already been done.

The Chaves-Eddy well is down considerably more than 100 feet and going right along. A nice little vein of water was struck at a depth of 27 feet which is not only a great convenience in drilling but is thought to possess considerable significance. The formation at present is pure gyp.

Kansas-New Mex No. 2 is also proceeding without interruption and lacks only a few feet—not more than 25—of the depth of the Chaves-Eddy. Both these wells are being drilled with Star rigs, which work rapidly and with few accidents. The drillers hope to complete the wells in about sixty days.

Kansas—New Mex No. 1 has not yet gotten a pump that will work. The only one used so far has had a water pump cylinder with a leather valve, which is not adapted to oil, and the regulation oil pump with the ball valve is not available here. One has been ordered, however, from the east. The well flows occasionally without pumping, and the officers of the company have lost none of their confidence in the well when the pumping equipment is complete.

The Orchard Park well of the Nat. Exploration Co. is reported to be still fishing for a lost bit, while the well at Lake Arthur is drilling at a depth of considerable more than 2,000 feet.

It is reported on good authority that the New Mexico Petroleum Co. has purchased the Star rig that has stood for months on a flat car in the Lakewood freight yard and will drill a well to be known as well No. 2 about midway between Carlsbad and Lakewood. The exact location has not been revealed. This is the company that is drilling "Well No. 1" a short distance from Carlsbad.

Drilling will be resumed at the Pecos River well next week and will continue until one of the deeper sands is reached.

WILLIAM DOOLEY HERE.

William Dooley, whose headquarters are in Kansas City, Kans., arrived Tuesday with Mrs. Dooley and their young son and will remain a few weeks. Mr. Dooley and his partner, Martin Yates, are the pioneers of the oil business here. They used to think nothing of selling a lease on a whole township of state land before breakfast and several more townships during the day. He has been working the Kansas end of the business for a year or more, but he always keeps his eyes focused on the Pecos Valley. Every one is glad to see the genial William in our midst.

FREE MATINEES STRAT SATURDAY

The Merchants Free Matinee Association start their program Saturday and 600 tickets will be distributed to people living outside the corporate limits of Artesia. This association has for its object the encouragement of outside trading for Saturday and are giving a free picture show to their country patrons from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m. Since the list of names was published last week Holloman & Sons, The Sanitary Barber Shop and Solomon's Store have been added to the list.

ANXIOUS MOTHER WRITES ABOUT SON.

The Advocate is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. T. A. Smith, Box 1326, Ranger, Texas, asking information concerning her son, Mr. J. L. Smith. He left Ranger December 20, starting for Artesia, but to date no word has been received and the mother is getting very anxious. If any one knows of this man please inform the Advocate or write direct to Mrs. Smith.

The only sure way to keep well is to play safe. Nyal's Laxicold is sure safe and sold at the drug store between the banks. It is guaranteed by C. E. Mann.

We Have The Fountain Pens

"Snapfill" or "Century"
Price \$1.00 and Up
"GIFTS THAT LAST"
A. F. ROSELLE
Jeweler

THIS WEEK'S MOVIE REVIEW.

By Silver
Movie fans were well pleased with the program at the Elrose this week, if the well filled house was any indication.

Next week there is even a better bill offered to theatre goers. This bill starts Wednesday and Thursday with Olive Thomas, in "Everybody's Sweetheart," a picture that displays to excellent advantage this clever star's ability and charm when she was at her very best.

Friday night Tom Moore will be seen in that very exciting story of intrigue and adventure, "Duds." This story is well adapted to the star who portrays successfully the ex-army captain and his adventurous career with the thugs and crooks of several foreign countries. The ending is very pleasing to all but we will not spoil your pleasure by relating more of the story. It is very well worth your while to see this story.

Of course the very best of all has been reserved for last and on Saturday night a treat is in store for every one who goes to the theatre.

You remember the story, "Twenty-three and One-half Hours Leave," by Mary Roberts Rhinehart, that appeared in the Saturday Evening Post? There was a laugh in every line and a reluctance on the part of the reader to reach the end of this delightful story of Army life. Two of the most clever performers in the movie business star in this production, Doris May and Douglas McLean. The story loses nothing in the way of mirth or actuality in the film and if any thing the action is much better portrayed. The story concerns a young cavalry sergeant who makes a bet with the mess sergeant that he will eat Bran Muffins with the General at breakfast within a week. He wins the bet and the interest of the General's niece at the same time; also runs afoul of one of those Saturday inspections that are so familiar to all soldiers. If you want to see a really clever picture, and one that contains a thousand laughs, don't fail to see "Twenty-three and a Half Hours Leave."

BIG GAME PROMISED.

The city basket ball teams of Roswell and Artesia will tangle on Artesia's court next Tuesday night at 7:30. The boys promise a fast game and will do their best to clean the slate of a recent defeat suffered on the Roswell floor. Come out and give the boys the encouragement of your presence.

Just received a fresh car of Red Star Flour. Phone 48.

LIFE IS A SERIOUS PROPOSITION AFTER ALL.

Beginning with next week the Advocate will offer three small prizes to the witty folks that read our paper. We are going to pay

One Dollar for the Best Joke.
Fifty cents for the Second Prize.
Twenty-five cents for the Third Prize.
Now it makes no difference how old a joke may be just send it in and let us judge its merits. It may be new to some one and may bring a smile to a face that has grown frown set from worry. Let's forget the lemons for a while and feast on Chestnuts.
No matter where you live tell us your story and perhaps you can get one of the prizes offered. Anyway you will have the pleasure of telling your stories and everyone likes to tell a good joke.

We start the ball rolling with the following:
"Fellow citizens," said the colored orator. "What an education!" Education am the palladium of our liberties and the grand pantheon of civilization."

A school boy gives the following definition of a vacuum: "Its a large empty space where the Pope lives."

A young man had called upon his best girl the night before. As a result he had but poorly prepared his latin lesson. In spite of this he did fairly well at translating the next day until he reached the sentence, "and I put my arms around her" when he suddenly stopped unable to read further. Looking up at the professor he said, "That is as far as I got Professor." The professor, knowing why the lesson was poor replied, "I think you went quite far enough. You may sit down."

A lady entered a railroad coach and found it crowded, all the seats taken with the exception of two. A man sat in one of these, with his feet on the other and his baggage piled around him. After standing in the aisle for some time the lady could not keep a look of annoyance from her face because the man showed no disposition to allow her to sit down. Finally the man could stand it no longer and looking at the lady said, "Madam why do you look at me? Do you contemplate eating me?" "Oh no," the lady replied. "It always makes me sick to eat pork."

DEATH CAME SUDDENLY.

Mr. W. M. Todd was recently apprised of the sudden death of a brother who resided at Ithaca, N. Y. Deceased had resided in that city all his adult life and had been a dry goods merchant continuously for more than fifty years. He attended a feed and entertainment at the Elk's Club, of which he was a member, on Saturday evening, and died suddenly the following morning while sleeping. He belonged to many fraternal societies and business men's organizations and was an ex-mayor of the city. Every store in the city was closed during the hour of funeral service which was in charge of Knights Templar with members of other orders and city officials as escorts.

ROSWELL-CARLSBAD STAGE LINE

J. G. Wade, of Roswell, has established a Roswell-Carlsbad auto stage line which is now running on schedule time, making stops at all points between these two places. It is called the Ozark Trail stage line and uses a large seven-passenger car. The car not only does passenger service at railroad rates but carries light express, repair parts, seeds, papers, etc., which will be very convenient to farmers along the line. The car will leave Hotel Gilkeson, Roswell, at 8:00 A. M., arrive at Hardwick Hotel, Artesia, at 11:00 A. M., and at Crawford Hotel, Carlsbad, 1:00 P. M. Returning, it will leave Carlsbad at 2:00 P. M. and Artesia at 4:00 P. M. The round trip will be made daily including Sunday.

Dr. Loucks Says:

Don't forget that your storage battery is less efficient in cold weather, also that a cold engine is difficult to turn over, also that gasoline is hard to vaporize. All these make starting difficult, keep your battery fully charged and prime the engine with care before attempting to start.

HALF MINUTE INTERVIEWS.

(Shot on the wing by the Advocate Sniper)

DR. STROUP:—

This is the most healthful winter I have ever seen in New Mexico. There has not been a case of fever or other contagious disease in Artesia, and there is very little sickness of any kind. The only thing we have to occupy our minds is oil and taxes.

DR. C. E. WILLIAMS:—

It seems strange that every one who comes here to drill an oil well runs up against something in this formation that he never encountered in any other field. I also appears to be water that causes the most trouble.

W. L. WYMAN:—

The warm weather has enabled me to save money enough on coal this winter to offset the extra amount of taxes I have to pay.

W. R. HORNBAKER:—

Five short years ago I traded for a farm just two miles out. All new comers then were graded rich or poor men, lean or stout. I was lean, that much is certain, and my wealth won't be a hurtin' till these oil wells get to squirtin' and remove suspense or doubt.

W. E. RAGSDALE:—

I never get excited, neither do I indulge in frenzied flights of oratory, even when under great mental pressure. But I will state with my characteristic calmness and simplicity, without reservation, qualification or fear of successful contradiction, that nothing natural nor artificial can impose itself as an insurmountable impediment to the ultimate development of a gigantic and perhaps colossal oil field in this immediate vicinity.

JUDGE ATKESON:—

Business is getting better all the time, and it hasn't been very bad any time.

DR. LOUCKS:—

In my professional business I never write a prescription. After a careful diagnosis, which is the paramount thing in professional practice, I furnish the remedies and apply them with my own hands. I also carefully examine the patient's battery, magnet, timer and spark plug.

L. M. ALEXANDER:—

When I look out at the brilliant sunshine and sniff the balmy air I think of conditions in north-eastern Missouri where my wife is visiting. A recent letter from her states that the ground is covered with snow, the air cold and the wind full of shivers.

JOHN VANDAGRIFF:—

For more than a year I have been ready, and am still ready, to wager every thing I own that this is going to be a big, productive oil field. I have worked in oil field the most of my life and think I know what I am talking about when I say some of the wells now drilling will be sociodolagers. Just you wait and see.

E. B. KEMP:—

I came to Artesia quite a long while ago and suppose I may be counted among the early settlers. I cast anchor here because of my faith and confidence in this locality, and in the midst of all the vicissitudes that have overtaken us I have never for one minute lost a particle of that confidence.

L. P. EVANS:—

I have lived in Artesia eleven years, and all that time, until recently, I have taken the Albuquerque Journal. Some of that time I have also taken the Herald and am taking it now. I have found the news in the Herald as late as that in the Journal and sometimes later.

C. O. BROWN:—

Business on the Santa Fe is rather dull. Railroad business sympathizes with other business, and its fortunes go up or down with the fortunes of the business world. We are looking for better times.

G. U. McCRARY:—

By raising a monstach which covers the most of his face, Dr. Russell has materially improved his looks.

E. S. Shattuck, who brought his brother down from Queen to be operated on at Carlsbad, was at home Friday. Mrs. Shattuck accompanied him to Carlsbad Saturday, returning Sunday.

For Job Printing Phone 7.

How I Fed the Calf

(By W. R. Hornbaker)
(Copyrighted 1921)

Once I bought a calf on Friday (13th) Six months old—yet never weaned— And while dressed neat and tidy I went out to feed the fiend. Toward the brute I slipped the bucket And remarked—"Have one on me"— But instead he rudely struck it Like a he-goat on a spree. My best suit was sadly mottled And the milk went everywhere Part of it my shoes had bottled Some of it had soaked my hair. My ambition for calf-feeding Vanished like that pall of milk And while houseward I went speeding I was wiping serge and silk. Mrs. H. began to titter Like she really saw a joke Then says I, in language bitter, "I will feed him—watch my smoke." Off I hurried to the stable With a new and daring scheme, That had popped into my gable Like a fleeting summer's dream. Cautiously the pen I entered As a man who treads on eggs, Then I rushed and caught him centered With his head between my legs. Poco pronto, to a corner We both cantered—he and I— Part of that lunch was a goner As we reared about on high. Then I stuck the fluid under His proboscis with a will And I rinned his nose like thunder Down into that tank of swill. Fleeting pleasure! His nose barely Hit the bottom, stubborn steer, When he gave a snort that fairly Splattered me both front and rear. Then he stuck his nose straight skyward And released another snort While I nearly lost a by-word As he sprinkled my old wart. Bouncing Bruno! What a picture We presented, P. D. Q. As I set aside the mixture And prepared some stunts to do. We soon started into dancing Some new-fangled sort of step And my pleasure was enhancing As he added vim and "pep." Now I'm very fond of riding If my daring, dancing roan, Will unload me at a siding Well outside the danger zone. So we raced that rude arena 'Till the dust became so dense I caught visions of Gehenna As I landed in the fence. One foot plunged into the bucket But the toe protruded some And that calf began to suck it While I eyed him,—sore and glum. There I hung chagrined but willing Wheezing like a babe with croup While I watched that demon filling His red carcass with that soup. Well, he lapped that lectal luncheon Then he outraged my northeast knee While I voted that his punchin' Wasn't really good for me. I uncoupled from that fencing Grabbed the bucket on the jump. Then received some aid, incensing, As my rear received a bump. Soaked and sucked and sadly shaken I made exit safe and sane (?) All my bones and muscles achin', And a sore spot in my brain.

Many years may pass unbidden Ere I reach St. Peter's gate. But believe me I'm not kiddin', Get this now and get it straight: On that day I learned a lesson, When I want to wean a calf I leave all such fond carressin' To my dearest.—Better Half.

EXCELLENCE:—

Excellence is only a matter of comparison. Our aim is to make our store the finest in this locality—not necessarily the most expensive fixtures but a store where the most excellent merchandise may be found and where the most excellent prescription service may be had. If you are not familiar with the high-grade of goods handled here give us a call.

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The Roswell Store

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For special notice see local paper.

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Attorney at Law
Notary Public
Office back of First National Bank.
Artesia, - N. M.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 10, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that Dwight M. Lee, of Dayton, N. M., who, on October 17th, 1919, made Homestead Entry, No. 046033, for NW 1/4, Section 6, Township 19 S., Range 25 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 8th day of February, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Martin C. Lee, of Lakewood, N. M., David S. Martin, Irvin Martin, Paul Terry, these of Dayton, N. M. EMMETT PATTON, Artesia Advocate. Register. Jan. 7th, Feb. 4th, 1921.

FORFEITURE NOTICE

Pearsonia, Oklahoma, November 22, 1920.
To Roy Thornton, Clara Thornton, Theodora Herring, Clarence O. Tuay, S. C. Gregory, John B. Taylor.

You and each of you are hereby notified that I have expended \$100 in 1920 upon the Roy Thornton Placer Mining Claim, located in the southwest quarter of section 30, in township 18 south, range 21 east, N. M. P. M., in Eddy County, New Mexico, and that unless within 90 days from the service hereof you pay your portion of said sum, your interest therein will be forfeited to me under section 2324 Revised Statutes of the United States, no notice of a desire to hold said claim having been filed as provided under resolution of Congress suspending the provisions of said section 2324.

C. N. McCORD.

FORFEITURE NOTICE

Artesia, N. M., Dec. 31, 1920.
To J. H. Bookout and J. H. Dempsey
You are hereby notified that I have expended \$100.00 in 1920 upon the Placer Mining Claim, located in the southwest quarter of section twenty-four, township twenty south, range twenty-four east, N. M. P. M., Eddy County, New Mexico, and that unless within 90 days from the service hereof you pay your portion of said sum, your interest therein will be forfeited to me under section 2324 Revised Statutes of the United States, no notice of a desire to hold said claim having been filed as provided under resolution of Congress suspending the provisions of said section 2324.

P. A. PAULS, Advertiser
Box 812, Nowata, Oklahoma.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 10th, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that Hannah K. Briscoe, of Lake Arthur, N. M., who, on December 24th, 1917, made Homestead Entry, No. 042595, for W 1/4 SE 1/4; E 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 10, Township 16 South, Range 24 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 8th day of February, 1921.
Claimant names as witnesses: Charles C. Powell, Edward D. Wells, John R. Summers, Walter L. Radney, all of Lake Arthur, N. M. EMMETT PATTON, Register.

"Folded Mountains"

The Appalachian mountains are so called because they have been covered by the plications or folds of the rock layers which make up the crust of the earth in this region. Some of the strata of rock have been so folded that they are practically on end or upside down.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

In the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico.

SALLIE ROBERTS, Plaintiff,

vs.

R. M. FLETCHER and NANNIE FLETCHER, Defendants.

No. 3270.
Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the judgment of foreclosure and order of sale rendered on the 8th day of November, 1920, in the District Court of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Eddy, in a cause therein pending wherein Sallie Roberts is plaintiff and R. M. Fletcher and Nannie Fletcher, are defendants, to which judgment reference is hereby made for the particulars thereof.

I, J. E. Robertson, having been duly appointed, as Special Master, by the said District Court, shall expose for sale and sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the First National Bank of Artesia, New Mexico, on Monday, February 7, 1921, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, all the right, title, interest and claim of said defendants, R. M. Fletcher and Nannie Fletcher, his wife, of, in and to the following described real estate, premises and interest in an artesian well, situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 and 11 in Block 14 and Lots 11 and 9 in Block 15 all in Chisum addition to the town of Artesia, as per recorded plat of said addition, together with an undivided one-third interest in an artesian well, located on Lot 7 in said Block 14 of said addition to the town of Artesia, said real estate, premises and interest in said artesian well to be sold as the property of R. M. Fletcher and Nannie Fletcher, under said judgment of foreclosure and order of sale in said cause to satisfy said judgment against said defendants and in favor of the plaintiff, Sallie Roberts, in the following amounts, to-wit: \$2307.48 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from November 8th, 1920, until paid, and the further sum of \$230.74 as attorney's fees, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from November 8th, 1920, until paid and the further sum of \$25.85 for taxes and penalties, paid by the plaintiff against said mortgaged property, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 8th day of November, 1920, and cost of suit.

Total amount due on date of sale \$2364.56.

Total amount of attorney's fees due on date of sale \$236.44.

Taxes, penalties and interest due on date of sale \$230.45.

Clerk's cost \$10.00.

Sheriff's cost \$6.25.

Total amount due on date of sale, not including the publication of this notice and the Special Master's fee to be allowed by the Court \$2627.45.

Dated at Artesia, New Mexico, on this 3rd day of January,

J. E. ROBERTSON, Special Master.

Armenian President Asks American Aid



Dr. H. Ohandjanian Armenian President

Erivan, Armenia: Dr. H. Ohandjanian, President of the Armenian Republic, has sent an urgent cablegram to Charles V. Vickrey, General Secretary of the Near East Relief, 1 Madison Ave., New York City, requesting immediate assistance to prevent the starvation of the Armenian people before the next harvest can be gathered. President Ohandjanian's message reads:

"Owing to hail, rain and field mice, the harvest in Armenia fell below expectations. Standing crops appeared well, but owing to poor seed, returns were not as good as was expected. Maximum returns 140,000 tons, only sufficient for eight months for one and a half million people. Food crisis critical and intensified by new Turkish invasion of Armenia. It is estimated that 100,000 peaceful inhabitants of Sarikamish and Kars region have been forced to renew the life of refugees and flee towards the interior of Armenia. There are also large numbers fleeing from Bolsheviks in Azerbaijan and Southern Russia, and coming to Armenia. Farmers, fearing famine, are unwilling to sell crops, thus leaving the cities foodless. In addition to the Armenian crops, ten thousand tons have been purchased from neighboring countries.

"In order to save Armenia it is necessary to secure flour from America, 50,000 tons, maximum requirement. In the name of the Armenian Government and the Armenian People, I beg that you use your wide influence in order that the Near East Relief may secure and ship the flour needed. I am sure that in this serious crisis the Near East Relief will not fail to continue its aid to Armenia in her struggle for existence.

"H. OHANDJANIAN, "President of Armenia."

GOB DESCRIBES ARMENIAN HORRORS

"You can't realize what a sight it is to see the refugee camp at Batum," Petty Officer George Porter, of Racine, Wis., writes his family, telling of the work of the Near East Relief in the ports along the Black Sea.

"The people are dying off little by little. There are workers of the relief organization here, but they don't seem to be able to take care of them all. They were the ones that made the camp. The families all live in grass huts, just high enough to sit up in, and



GEORGE PORTER.

they are covered with blankets. There is disease everywhere and the smell is terrible. I'm glad we didn't stay long, as I couldn't stand it, and you know when I can't stand anything there are few that can. I am sorry for these refugees, but we can't help any. They don't want money though they would sell their lives for some clothes and food. They don't stop praising the Americans.

"Trebizond was another Armenian town, but it was completely wiped out by the Turks, who are now in control of it. The Turks massacred all the Armenians ever fifteen years ago and kept all under that age to bring them up as Turks. The city looked as if it was shot to pieces. Hamsous is the same as Trebizond, so you can see what kind of country we are travelling through. I am sure glad that we are leaving Russia and Armenia because I am sick of what I have seen. I think that these tourists who are trying to see ravished Armenia will be sorry they ever came over. These relief workers are nearly dead from work. They are the people who can tell the U. S. something about this country."

The Near East Relief, 1 Madison Ave., New York, is now appealing for funds to continue the work so graphically described by the young American sailor.

WHAT you lose thru baking failure must be added to baking costs—it has to be paid for.

Calumet Baking Powder will save you all of that. Because when you use it—there are no failures—no losses. Every baking is sweet and palatable—and stays moist, tender and delicious to the last tasty bite.

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1 1/2 cup of butter,
1 1/2 cups granulated sugar, 2 1/2 cups flour, 1 cup water, 2 level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder, 1 teaspoon lemon, yolks of 9 eggs. Then mix in the regular way.

O. K. Meat Market

A. M. VANDAGRIFF, Prop.

Opposite Palace Drug Store

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Address Lock Box 763 Artesia

Lock Box 763, Artesia, N. M.

NOTICE TO INVESTORS

If you are going to buy or sell leases, it will pay you to see Smith & Whitaker before buying or selling. We have some of the best leases in the New Mexico Oil Field. Some right up against the Kansas-New Mexico well—and we sure have the right price. We also have buyers for leases. Call, wire or write us. Also drilling contracts

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The Time to Buy New Mexico State Oil Leases Is Now

The Place to Buy Them Is In The Northwest Quarter of Eddy County

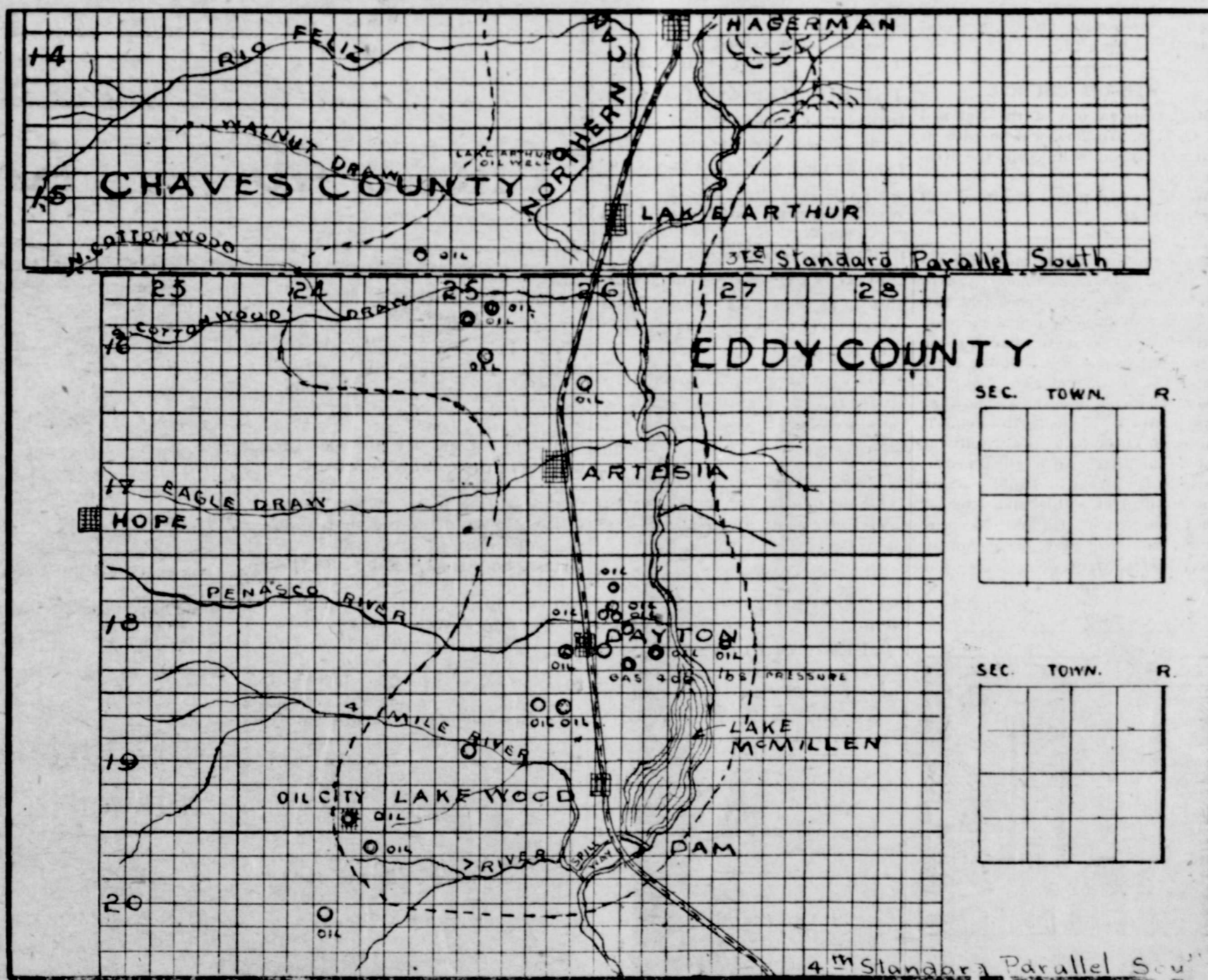
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Why State Leases Are Best

BECAUSE:---

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Basket Ball—Double Header.
 Last Friday, Jan. 21, both the boys and girls teams of the Artesia High left for Hope at 1 o'clock. The first game was called for two-thirty at which time the boys entered the fight with colors streaming.

The boys still have a clean record as none of the basket ball teams of the Valley have been able to defeat them. They defeated the Hope boys by a score of 9 to 6. As this was the second time Artesia has won from Hope they are eliminated from the race for valley championship.

The game with Hope was rather slow except during the last few minutes of play. The Hope team caged the first basket and held a slight lead until the last five minutes of the game. The Artesia boys came to life during the last few minutes of play and displayed a little of their ability. As a result Davis made two field goals and Stolt made one putting the Orange and Black in the lead.

Lineup:

Hope	Position	Artesia
Trimble	R. F.	Stoldt 5
Fite	L. F.	Nickey
Seogins	Center	Davis 4
Weddige	R. G.	Clyde
Blackney	L. G.	Hollomon
Substitute:		Cole for Hollomon.

Clyde of Artesia was the star individual of the game.
 After the boys were victorious the girls entered the court of the opponent for the first time this year. Not long after the ball was tossed in the center cheers and screams could be heard for miles from the Artesia bunch. From this time on Artesia continued to lead the score. At the end of the first half the score was 8 to 0 in favor of Artesia.

When the whistle was blown for the second half Hope recruited with three substitutes. Artesia remained in the lead until the last with a score of 12 to 4.

The lineup:

Hope	Position	Artesia
Hewitt, 2	F.	Bullock
Lewis, 2,	F.	McCaw, 12
Kiley	C	Burns
Prude	G.	Awalt
Smith	G.	Morthland
Scott	R. C.	Cowan

Substitutes who were taken for Artesia were Smith and Shattuck.
 The Artesia boys still have one game to play with Carlsbad, one with Hagerman and two with Roswell. So far Artesia has the brightest chances for a championship team as they have not been defeated while every other team

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in the valley has lost at least one game.

All of the games that are still to be played will be hard fought and it will take the best brand of basket ball to win. The teams of Roswell and Hagerman which have had basket ball experience before this season will be out for blood when they meet our team again.

Mr. Ferson presented the second picture show for the benefit of the annual fund last Monday and Tuesday evening.

Dr. White addressed the High School student body at the first regular assembly since the new seats have been in.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Mrs. Wheeler, one of the National W. C. T. U. Workers, will be with us next Sunday and will occupy the evening hour.

We invite the public to attend all our services.

The Church of Christ meets for Bible study and Communion services every Lord's Day, commencing at 10:30 a. m. Will have preaching next Lord's day at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by the writer and are planning for a protracted meeting of two weeks duration embracing first and second Sundays in April, conducted by John T. Smith, of Lubbock, Texas. Note the time of our protracted meeting and arrange to be with us. Bro. Smith is a preacher of ability and extended Bible information. He and the entire church will be glad to have you attend these services every day and night that you can.

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FOR TRADE

For Trade-- One dandy team of mules, 5 and 6 years old. Will trade for leases or royalties. What have you to trade?
 Fred Brainard.

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED--Would buy a house (not in good repair) and one or two lots, if good bargains. Give lot number or location, and best cash price in first letter.—B10, care Artesia Advocate.

We are shipping more than nine-tenths of the cream from Artesia. "There is a reason." We test and pay cash. Wilson & Anderson.

WANTED-- About one ton of Barley seed and about 600 pounds of Alfalfa seed.

J. C. Bruce

WANTED TO BUY--Residence property in Artesia. Must be first class and price right. Owners only need answer. Address Buyer, % Artesia Advocate.

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RESIDENCE FOR SALE.

GOOD eight roomed house, with large lot 60x140 feet. Seven closets, large bath room, large cellar, new summer house, good garage and other out-buildings. Good concrete sidewalks, plenty of shade trees, and some fruit trees. I am compelled to go back to Missouri this coming March to look after some collections and my farm. I think I shall return to Artesia in October. This is one of the best locations in Artesia, and the very best house and lot in town for the price. Only two blocks south of the Post Office.

See me for price and terms.

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THE ROOSTER is half the flock. Buy choice birds—S. C. R. I. Reds, for sale by Mrs. A. L. Terpening, Phone 39F2. 1-28p

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FOR SALE—Three fat hogs, 7 cents on foot or 12 cents dressed. Two miles east and 1-2 miles south of Artesia. W. J. Dowdall. 1-14

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All kinds of feed delivered to any part of the city. Wilson & Anderson.

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Just received a fresh car of Red Star Flour. Phone 46.

FOR RENT

Rooms for rent either for light housekeeping or sleeping room. 1 block south and across street; two story frame house of the Artesia Machine Shop. Mrs. J. W. Phillips. 1tp.

Farms for Rent—Three close in irrigated farms. Harold A. Keimath. 7

Houses for Rent—2 modern houses, close in. Keimath & Son.

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Coming! Coming! Coming! Jim Jam Jems. Look for me at The Smoke House.

Death is often the price of neglect. Don't flirt with the Grim Reaper. Get a box of Laxoid at the C. E. Mann Drug Store.

Farms for Rent—3 close in irrigated farms. Harold A. Keimath.

See what you buy when you buy it and don't depend on pictures for satisfaction.

Saturday Special! January 29, 1920

Grocery Department:
 Extra Fancy Spuds at the following prices:
 18 pounds for 50 cents
 36 pounds for \$1.00
 100 pounds for \$2.75

Dry Goods Department:
 Big lot Ladies and Children Gingham Dresses, 1-2 price
 Big lot 36 in. Percal at 20c the yard.
 Big lot Mens' Work Shirts at \$1.00.

Hardware Department:
 5 Wagon Loads of Aluminum Ware.
 1-3 off on Aluminum Ware and Wagons.
 Auto Casings and Tubes below cost



Phone 46 Artesia, N. M.

Local Team Defeated by Roswell Athletic Club.

The basket ball team of the Artesia Recreation Association journeyed to Roswell last Tuesday and met the Roswell Athletic Club quintette in a fast game of basket ball. The Roswell club was the winner of the contest by a 29 to 23 score.

The scoring began when Jones of Roswell made a long shot from the side line. It seemed as if the Artesia boys were unable to stop the opposing team on a strange court. Eight points were netted by the upper valley team before Artesia made a single point. The first half ended with a score of 20 to 12 Roswell. The last half was a different class of ball. Artesia outplayed and made more points than their opponents but were unable to overcome the margin of the first half. The Association team was unable to ring the basket at the most opportune times.

Jones was easily the steller performer for Roswell while Stubbs and Ingle did good work. Feather and Coll played a fine brand of ball for Artesia. Cowan did good work at forward in the first half.

Roswell	Position	Artesia
Brennaman	f	Meyers
Jones	f	Cowan
Stubbs	c	Coll
Ingle	g	Feather
Crawford	g	Cole
Substitute:		Wirt for Cowan

M. M. McGee, the revenue collector, was in town five days of last week and this. He was making settlements with some of the delinquent income tax payers. Uncle Sam pays more to collect some of these taxes than they are worth.

Don't trifle with your health. When you feel a cold coming get a box of Nyal's Laxicoid at the drug store between the banks.

Just received a fresh car of Red Star Flour. Phone 46.

Come down to Dr. Loucks' place and see the new Radiators he has for Ford cars.

Card Of Thanks
 To those who have been with us in our bereavement and by kind words and kindly acts have tried to lessen our sorrow at the death of our father J. T. Ross, we extend our sincere thanks.
 W. H. Ross and family.

PROSPERITY

and the responsibility of the retailer to hasten its return

Prevailing conditions impose upon the retail merchant a duty definite and positive to ADJUST his SELLING PRICES in conformity with the quotations ruling at wholesale.

Some have been reluctant to take this step. We have not.

The question of profit today is subordinated to the necessity of clearing our shelves to the end that new orders placed with manufacturers may keep the wheels of industry turning until a return to normal is heralded.

In pursuance of this policy, which we introduced some little time back, our stocks are offered to you at a reduction, representing values even greater than those offered at prices on a pre-war basis.



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Artesia, New Mexico

Big lot ladies Shoes go at \$5.95.
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C. F. Reynolds has been seriously ill the past week but was slightly improved yesterday.

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**Pecos Valley Garage
& Machine Shop.**
L. P. Evans

SUPER AT BRADSHAW'S

In honor of her son, Mrs. Thos Bradshaw entertained a company of young people at a sumptuous supper, being assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Jake Kissinger. The company included Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sipple, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sipple, Miss Huel Sipple, Mr. Lee Meyers and Owen and W. C. Haney Jr.

MARRIED

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sangster, south of Artesia, last Sunday morning, Miss Alta Sangster and Mr. Fay Linell. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Mathes and was attended by only the immediate relatives. The newlyweds will be at home to their friends in a cottage west of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linell.

EASTERN STAR ENTERTAINS

Honoring the Grand Patron, Mr. Peter Cameron, of Albuquerque, on the occasion of his visit here last Thursday, the Star entertained with a delightful social evening accompanied by a delicious two course supper. This was served by the past matrons, who acted as hostesses. Cleverness and originality characterized the favors, a continued story arrangement, which were prepared by Mrs. J. H. Jackson. Games and music were also enjoyed by the forty members present. The degrees of the order were conferred upon Mr. Arthur Garrett, of Carlsbad, the Grand Patron complimenting the chapter upon the exemplification of the work.

A TURKEY DINNER.

Last Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Haney entertained a jolly group of young folks at their home, by the serving of an excellent and delicious turkey dinner. The dinner was given as a special treat in honor of their son, Owen, and Mr. Lee Myers.

The meal was served in courses and the turkey, a Pecos Valley Special, was exceptionally fine when followed by the vegetables, dressings, salads and then later by ice cream served with cherries and angel food cake.

All present declared themselves to have enjoyed the dinner immensely and can vouch not only for Mr. and Mrs. Haney being very capable at cooking and serving but also as a very entertaining host and hostess.

The young folks present were, the Misses Mildred Frisch, Hazel Sipple, Lorie Davis, Marie Miller and the Messrs. Fred Cole, Owen Haney, Ralph Davis, Lee Myers and W. C. Haney, Jr.

"The Merrie Wives" met at the home of Mrs. Max Coll on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Emmett Ham will be here for the winter and was elected as a member. The next meeting will be with Mrs. L. P. Evans.

The 500 Club met at the home of Miss Eva Rowan on Tuesday night of this week. Delicious refreshments were served and a good time was enjoyed by all its members. The next meeting will be next Tuesday night at the home of Miss Ruth Lukins.

The younger set gave a delightful surprise party for Dr. and Mrs. Clark on Saturday night of last week. They presented Dr. and Mrs. Clark with a beautiful silver bread tray in appreciation of their hospitality shown to all. The evening was spent in dancing and delicious refreshments were served, which were brought by the girls.

W. C. T. U. LECTURE.

Mrs. Eva C. Wheeler will deliver a lecture in Artesia Sunday, Jan. 30th, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Wheeler has only recently returned from Australia and New Zealand, and is said to be one of the best of seventy-five lecturers who are touring the country in the interest of the temperance work and we should congratulate ourselves on this opportunity to hear this very gifted woman.

The lecture will be given at the Baptist church at the time of the regular evening service and will be free.

Methodist Church

Morning sermon: "Looking for a Man."
No evening services on account of union service at Baptist Church. Sunday school at 9:45. Classes for all ages.

B. P. Williams, Supt
Morning Worship 10:50 a. m.
Epworth League 6 p. m.
Evening Worship 7 p. m.
Midweek prayer service Wednesday 7 p. m.
You are a stranger at this church only once. A cordial welcome to all.
R. F. Davis, Pastor.

THE WOMAN'S CLUB.

The Club held its regular meeting this week in the handsome reception room at the High School and adjourned to the auditorium to hear some Indian music, which was sung by Mesdames Corbin and Yates. This music was given as an accompaniment to the lesson of the day and to some, at least, the beauty of it was a revelation for the Indian is supposed to be rather deficient along musical lines. The lesson was upon the novel, The Delight Makers, by the famous archaeologist, Bandler, and under the leadership of Mrs. Brainard and Mrs. Polk. The hearers were given a very good insight into Indian life and customs. Five new members have been admitted at the past two meetings, Mesdames Gates, Mathes, Lanning, Ballard Spencer and Murray Schenck. The Club tendered a vote of thanks to the Citizens State Bank for its kindness in providing a meeting place for several months. It was also voted to hold its special meetings at the High School and its regular meetings at the public library at which place the next one will be held on Feb. 9. At that time a study will be made of Indian Pueblos. Mesdames Hartell and Anderson leaders.

RECEPTION FOR VISITING MATRONS.

Mesdames Mathes and Gilbert were at home to over two hundred friends at the Mathes home last Friday afternoon, from two until five-thirty, in honor of a number of matrons, who are at present, guests of Artesia relatives. The reception, besides being an expression of friendliness for the strangers, but also a token of appreciation of their children, who have lived for many years in our midst. The guests of honor were Mrs. C. V. Brainard, old time resident and mother of Fred and Reed Brainard; Mrs. Matkinson, of Missouri, mother of Mesd. Robertson and Addy; Mrs. Davis, mother of Rev. Davis; Mrs. Givins, mother of Miss Alma Givins, superintendent of our schools; Mrs. John Hadley, sister-in-law of Mrs. C. A. Coll; and Mrs. Anderson, sister-in-law of Mrs. J. A. Bruce. Two of the honor guests were unable to be present, Mrs. Austin, mother of Mrs. Joe Anderson, and Mrs. Woodrow, mother of Mrs. Keinath, who had just received news of the death of her brother in the north.

The hostesses were assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Morgan, who met the guests at the door, and Mesdames Brainard, Corbin and Yates and Misses Ruth Russell and Mina Collins, who were parlor hostesses. In the dining room Mrs. Wheatley presided at the coffee urn and Mrs. Addy poured tea at the table which was beautiful with the rosy light from shaded candles and a profusion of lovely pink sweet peas. Mrs. Schenck had charge of the refreshments and was assisted in serving by Mesd. Gail Hamilton, Otis Brown and Richard Schenck and Miss Merle Wingfield. Mrs. Joe Jacobson, and Mrs. Tinsley, of Roswell, were out of town guests.

Big lot Woolen dress goods 50 off at Joyce-Fruit Co.

The Methodist Missionary Society will have a cooked food sale (tomorrow, Saturday afternoon) in Joyce-Fruit's grocery.

ELECTRICAL ENTERTAINMENT.

Louis Williams, Electrical Entertainer, will present his marvelous program, "Wonders of Electricity", at the High School Auditorium Monday evening, Jan. 31, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Williams carries with him an elaborate equipment of dynamos, generators, motors, and electrical and chemical apparatus which have cost him thousands of dollars. By this means he gives a series of beautiful and wonderful experiments, illustrating what electricity has accomplished and what it may do in the future.

As this will be the first public entertainment in the new auditorium, we expect a large attendance from the town people. Admission 25 and 35 cents.

A few of the demonstrations are as follows:
Chemical action, as a source of electricity, with a number of beautiful chemical experiments in illustration.

Magnetism, as a source of electricity. Experiments with powerful electro magnets.

The Static Machine.
Wireless Telegraphy, sending messages across the hall, the firing of a mine at a distance and the blowing up of a battleship.

Experiments with currents of high frequency, lighting a 16 c. p. 110 volt lamp with current passing through the body.

Radium experiments.
Don't forget the date and place. Proceeds to be used for the Science department of the High School.



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A.C. KEINATH, CASHIER.

Mrs. E. E. Mathes went to Roswell with Mrs. Jacobson Friday evening, going particularly to attend a concert at which her daughter, Miss Margaret, was advertised to sing.

Mr. and Mrs. Stegall, of Amarillo, Texas, have been here the past week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sasser, and expect to make Artesia their home. Mrs. Stegall is a sister of Mr. Sasser.

Miss Lizzie Friel, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. W. L. Garin, has returned to her home in Crooksville, Ohio. Miss Friel is a personal friend of the Gen. Sheridan family.

Jack Scott and wife (nee Artie McMahon) arrived recently from Queen Mahan and expect to make Artesia their home.

HOT WATER

FOR

BATHS

All the time---Sunday included
We have put in a fine line of
candy, cigars and cigarettes.

Cunningham Bros.,
The Up-to-Date Barber Shop.

Mrs. Virgil Brookshire was down from Greenfield last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Muncy, and having some dental work done.

Agency for the Roswell Steam Laundry at Cunningham's Barber Shop. We gather on Monday and Wednesday mornings at 8:30. Phone 207. B. D. Wilson, local agent.

Mrs. Choate returned Sunday from Mayo Bros., at Rochester, Minn., slightly improved in health.

Mrs. Jo Jacobson and son, Billy, were down from Roswell Monday. Mrs. Jacobson has been superintending some improvements in her house which she has rented to a family from Hope.

Elrose THEATRE

Olive Thomas in
"EVERYBODY'S SWEETHEART"
Wednesday and Thursday

Tom Moore in
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McLean and May in
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NOTICE!

On account of the fact that the State Tax Commission refuses to allow the City Council to lay a levy for the upkeep of the water system, and on account of the fact that many of our water lines are giving way making it necessary to replace same with new pipe. Beginning with Jan. 1, 1921 the minimum water rate will be \$1.50 per month. The minimum gallons per month will be 10,000 instead of 7,000. In excess of 10,000 gallons the charge is 6c per 1000 as it is now.

J. E. Robertson, Mayor
B. Stephenson, Clerk.

JONES' ONION PATCH.

Mr. James A. Jones, of Oklahoma City, who is at the Hardwick for a few days, has been such a frequent visitor to these parts during the last three or four years, that he is known to most of our citizens. Mr. Jones is president of the Home Refining Co., of Oklahoma, and interested in other enterprises pertaining to crude oil. He, with others, parted with a snug sum of money in fruitless efforts to case off the water in the Brown well.

But Mr. Jones' interest in this valley neither begins nor ends with the Brown well. He is the owner of a fine farm of 200 acres on the Cottonwood, ten miles from Artesia, on which there is an alfalfa meadow of 135 acres in charge of a tenant. This farm has been a money maker for years, but Mr. Jones, by a little mental calculation, has figured out that the remaining 65 acres can be made to pay as much if farmed intensively as the 135 acres in alfalfa. And the solution of the matter is—Onions, simply onions.

Now Mr. Jones is not an ordinary, lackadaisical man. He has a double-track mind and is no imitator. He is physically and mentally alert. He reads, experiments and remembers. He is also a man of bucolic tastes and ambitions. He likes to put on his last year's clothes and get right out in the dirt and shovel and hoe and dig and sweat. He loves a garden. He loves to work in it and loves to encompass on a liberal scale what it yields. But his specialty is onions.

On his Cottonwood farm there is right now a bed of onions, the seeds in which were planted last October. They are nicely sprouted and in good healthy condition. Mr. Jones says the slips from these seeds will plant 50 acres, and this indicates the size of the onion patch he will cultivate the coming summer. He also intends to plant 10 or 15 acres to cabbage, sweet potatoes and beets. If he makes a success of the enterprise this year, he will either buy or rent more land next year, in order to enlarge his field of operations and will then try to buy or rent the canning factory located here.

When it was suggested to Mr. Jones that his scheme would require lots of work and that labor was both scarce and high, he replied, "I have thought of that feature as well as every other feature. I have three boys nearly grown that will be out of school soon, and they have two cousins who are yearning for just such a summer's task as this. They are workers, all of them, and we can come up here and stay until the crop is harvested and sold. My wife will come, too, and we will build a summer camp on the bank of the Cottonwood. I know we will get more real enjoyment than we ever had on a summer vacation, besides, instead of spending a lot of money, we will make a lot."

Mr. Jones can not be convinced by any argument that his onion patch will not produce a car load of onions to the acre, and he knows that Ronger, Burk Burnett and other old fields will furnish a ready market for all of them at good, stiff prices.

It must not be thought that Mr.

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Jones is a dreamer, or a novice in agriculture. He was the first man who raised alfalfa or any other crop by irrigation in Oklahoma, and he was the proprietor of the first wholesale seed house in that state. He understands every detail of the farming business and by the application of scientific principles and methods has made it pay.

It is easy to see that Mr. Jones is in dead earnest, and he will admit no possibility of failure to accomplish what he is going to undertake on his Cottonwood plantation. In any event he will probably return to his home city at the end of the summer with hands calloused by toll and an estatic fragrance of Bermuda onions about his clothes.

GET AN ABSTRACT ON THAT STATE LEASE

Now before the boom comes. You can't sell your lease to a stranger without an abstract and when they strike in the town will be full of strangers. Your prospective purchaser won't wait for you to have an abstract prepared then, so let us have your order and we will make up your abstract now. State Lease Abstract Co., Artesia, N. M.

Have you been in to see the Big Discounts in Joyce-Fruit Co., dry goods department.

In a nutshell, the attitude of the American Farm Bureau Federation upon emergency tariff legislation is that the farmer demands the same protection which industry receives. If industry demands a high tariff and it is conceded to be good for the whole country, then agriculture also demands a high tariff. As President J. R. Howard reiterated again and again in Washington "If we sell on an unprotected market, then we demand the right to buy on an unprotected market."

Notice to Taxpayers!

You are hereby notified that the Tax Assessor of Eddy County, New Mexico, will be at the following places, for the purpose of assessing taxes, on the dates hereinafter mentioned, for the Year 1921: Malaga, February 1st and 2nd. Loving, February 3, 4 and 5. Lakewood, February 7th, 8th and 9th. Dayton, February 10th, 11th and 12th. Hope, February 14th to 19th, both inclusive. Artesia, February 21st to 26th, both inclusive.

If you fail to render your property for taxes a 25% penalty will be added.

JOE JOHNS,
Tax Assessor,
Eddy County, N. M.

NOTICE OF SUIT AND SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

In the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico.
J. W. MARTIN, Assignee of S. C. Horner, Assignee of J. H. Jackson, Plaintiff,
vs.
C. E. MARTIN, H. E. DRAUGHON, and JODIE M. CULWELL, Defendants.

No. 3318.
To C. E. Martin, H. E. Draughon, and Jodie M. Culwell, the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby notified that a suit has been commenced and is pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein J. W. Martin is plaintiff and you, C. E. Martin, H. E. Draughon and Jodie M. Culwell, are defendants, numbered 3318 on the Civil Docket of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico; and the general nature and objects of which suit are to obtain judgment against you, H. E. Draughon and Jodie M. Culwell in the sum of \$5400.00, same being the principal and interest due on a \$5000.00 note, executed by J. W. Martin and defendant, C. E. Martin, to J. H. Jackson, and assigned by the said J. H. Jackson to S. C. Horner and assigned by said S. C. Horner to the plaintiff, J. W. Martin and the payment of which has been assumed by you, the said H. E. Draughon and Jodie M. Culwell, with interest on said amount at the rate of 8% per annum from December 14, 1920, until paid; and plaintiff seeks judgment against you said H. E. Draughon and Jodie M. Culwell in the further sum of \$542.00, with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from December 31, 1920, until paid, as attorney's fees, provided in said note, assumed by you the said defendants; and the further object of said suit is to obtain a decree of foreclosure of a certain mortgage deed, executed by J. W. Martin and C. E. Martin, on the 14th day of December, 1916, to J. H. Jackson, and recorded on December 16, 1916, in Book 17, Page 618, of the records of mortgages of Eddy County, New Mexico, which mortgage deed conveyed to the mortgagee, J. H. Jackson, a certain tract of land in Eddy County, New Mexico, and more particularly described as the West Half of the Northeast Quarter and the East Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section twenty-nine, township sixteen south and range twenty-six east, N. M. P. M., which mortgage deed was duly assigned by the said mortgagee to S. C. Horner on the 17th day of May, 1918, and recorded in Book 18 at page 633 of the records of Eddy County, New Mexico.

You and each of you, C. E. Martin, H. E. Draughon and Jodie M. Culwell are further notified that unless you enter your appearance herein and plead in said cause in said District Court at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before Wednesday, February 23rd, 1921, an order of default will be entered against you and each of you and said cause will proceed ex parte upon the testimony of the plaintiff to final judgment and decree of foreclosure, as above mentioned.

You and each of you are further notified that plaintiff's attorney is J. H. Jackson and his postoffice address is Artesia, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said court this January 3rd, 1921.

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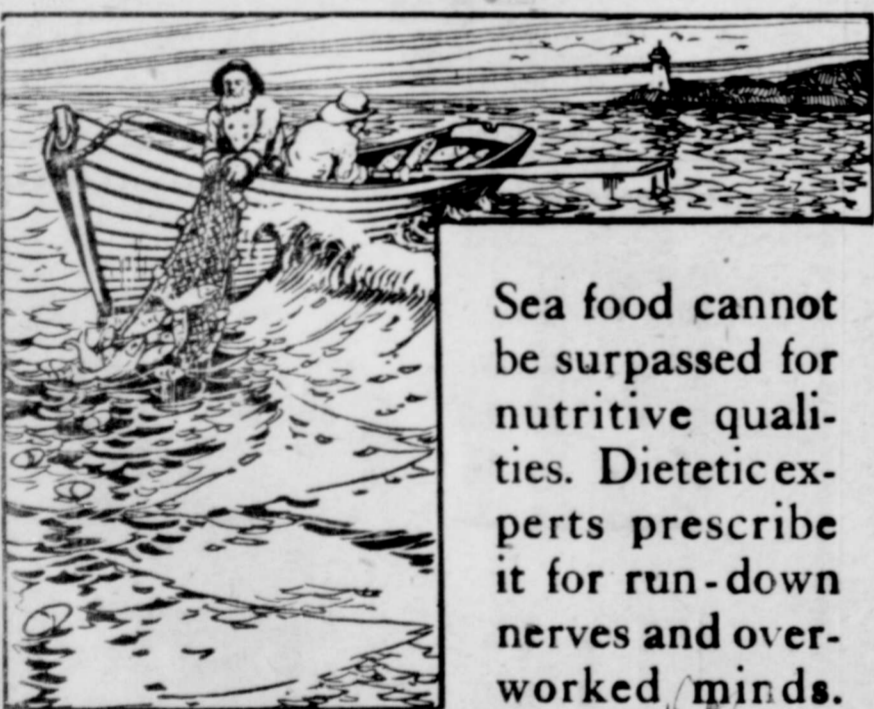
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047711

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 10th, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that Earl Collins, of Artesia, N. M., who, on November 20th, 1920, made Additional Homestead Entry, No. 047711, for Lots 13, 16, 17, and 18, SE 1/4 SW 1/4; SW 1/4 SE 1/4; E 1/2 SE 1/4; Section 6, Township 21 S., Range 24 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 8th day of February, 1921.

Claimant names, as witnesses: William J. Gushwa, Joe C. Huffman, these of Lakewood, N. M., Isaac W. Floyd, Henry Q. Caulder, these of Dayton, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,
Register.

The Artesia Advocate
Jan. 7th, Feb. 4th, 1921.

047464

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 10th, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ralph D. Pulliam, of Lakewood, N. M., who, on August 21st, 1920, made Additional Homestead Entry, No. 047464, for NW 1/4; N 1/2 SW 1/4; Section 26; NE 1/4 SE 1/4; SE 1/4 NE 1/4; Section 27, Township 18 South, Range 25 East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 8th day of February, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Paul A. Terry, Solomon P. Banks, these of Dayton, N. M., James W. Berry, of Artesia, N. M., David S. Martin, of Dayton, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,
Register.

The Artesia Advocate
Jan. 7th, Feb. 4th, 1921.

FORFEITURE NOTICE.

Artesia, N. M., Jan. 21, 1921.

To — P. L. Nickolson, Barney R. Boyd, H. C. Lumpkin, Fred Moss, C. N. Kilburn and W. F. Benmat.

You are hereby notified that I have expended One Hundred Dollars, (\$100.00), in 1920 upon the Placer Mining claim, located in the NW 1/4 of section 30, Twp. 18-S., Range 21-E., N. M. P. M., Eddy county, New Mexico, and that unless within Ninety days from the service hereof you pay your portion of said sum, your interest will be forfeited to me under section 2324, revised statutes of the United States, no notice of a desire to hold said claim having been filed as provided under resolution of Congress suspending the provisions of said section 2324.

FORREST R. PEAK,
Advertiser.
Jan. 21—Apr. 22. El Dorado, Kan.

046034

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 10th, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that George W. Perry, of Dayton, N. M., who, on October 15th, 1919, made Homestead Entry, No. 046034, for Lots 1 and 2, S 1/2 NE 1/4, Section 6, Township 19 S., Range 26 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 8th day of February, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: George A. Savoie, William Stirling, Jr., Samuel H. Harrison, John F. Cowen, all of Dayton, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,
Register.

The Artesia Advocate
Jan. 7th, Feb. 4th, 1921.
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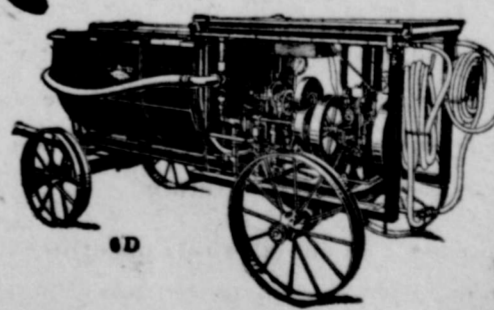
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The firm of Wilson & Anderson was organized in May, 1920. The business of the firm is to buy and sell poultry, eggs, hides, hay, cotton and every thing raised on a farm. They buy and sell on a large scale and find a ready market at El Paso, Amarillo and other points in eastern Texas. They have also acquired an agency for the Nissley Creamery Co., of Wichita, to whom they ship 12 to 15 cans of cream every week.

The firm started at an unpropitious time, as business conditions were unsettled, and then the collapse of a large warehouse, being moved upon their premises, had to be rebuilt at a considerable cost. Still other obstacles were encountered, all of which were discouraging to beginners in business. But the business acquaintance and reputation for honor and honesty which both members of the firm enjoyed, added to the fact that they paid spot cash for everything they bought, told heavily in their favor and soon placed them upon a sure and prosperous footing.

The quantity of eggs and poultry this firm has shipped and is still shipping on nearly every outgoing train, would read like a fairy tale. They do not patronize commission houses, but buy of the farmers direct, and sell to either wholesale or retail dealers and have standing orders for nearly every thing they handle.

Mr. Wilson is a native of Colorado, but has resided in New Mexico twelve years. He is a man of education, a fine accountant and has served a long apprenticeship in the mercantile business.

Mr. Anderson is a younger man, a native of Missouri, but he has also lived twelve years in New Mexico, where he has been engaged in various activities but principally farming. He served eleven months in the late war, six of which were spent in France with the A. E. F.

Mr. J. J. Grundmeier and family, of Barnard, Kansas, arrived in Artesia Friday evening, making the trip by automobile. Mr. Grundmeier is a brother of H. J. Grundmeier, of this place and has moved to the farm owned by H. J. about five miles north of town. A fine team of horses and a complete line of farm tools has been purchased and this excellent family promise to be among our busiest farmers soon.

Just received fresh car of Red Star Flour. Phone 46.

EIGHTH GRADE EXAMINATIONS.

County Superintendent Geo. M. Brinton has received from the State Department at Santa Fe, the following information in regard to promotion examinations for the Eighth Grade for the school year 1920-1921:

"The Eighth Grade Promotion Examinations will be held this year, on the following date: March 17th and 18th, April 14th and 15th, and May 19th and 20th, 1921.

The questions will be based upon the text books as adopted by the State Board of Education, a list of which may be found on pages 10 and 11 of the Course of Study for 1919. In reading, the questions will be based on the following selections from Scarsion and Martin's Studies in Reading for the Eighth Grade:

- America the Beautiful, page 1;
- The Return of Regulus, page 59;
- Concord Hymn, page 86;
- The Victor of Marengo, page 89;
- The Conquered Banner, page 96;
- Evangeline, page 261;
- My Creed, page 402."

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046033

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 10, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that Dwight M. Lee, of Dayton, N. M., who, on October 17th, 1919, made Homestead Entry, No. 046033, for NW 1/4, Section 6, Township 19 S., Range 26 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 8th day of February, 1921.

Claimant names at witnesses:
Martin C. Lee, of Lakewood, N. M., David S. Martin, Irvin Martin, Paul Terry, these of Dayton, N. M.
EMMETT PATTON,
Artesia Advocate. Register.
Jan. 7th, Feb. 4th, 1921.

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COTTONWOOD NOTES

(By Flossie Almo)

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Summers are the proud parents of a baby boy.

The young people met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hill's for singing last Saturday night.

Dr. Bailey has gone to Portales this week on business.

Truman Howard is on the sick list this week.

Miss Elizabeth Farris, from Carlsbad, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Pearl Buck. Miss Buck accompanied her home and will spend the rest of the week in Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. Moss have moved to Dr. Bailey farm.

Mrs. J. R. Spence, who has been ill for some time is improving.

Mr. J. Q. Vaughn and family have moved from Oklahoma here to make this their home. Mr. Vaughn is a brother of Mrs. C. F. Porter.

Mr. A. D. Hill and Mr. A. W. Fore motored to Carlsbad Wednesday on business.

Sunday school every Sunday at the Upper Cottonwood school house. Beginning at 2:30. Everyone is invited.

NEW AUCTIONEER.

Dr. B. L. McAleer, an experienced auctioneer places an advertisement in this issue of the Advocate and is at your service as a first-rate man in his profession. He is at present located at Lakewood. Dr. McAleer has had a great many years' experience on the auction block and by this long experience can give you the best results and the high dollar as a price for his excellent services that has no competition.

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