

ARTESIA ADVOCATE

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NO. NINE

PROSPECTS ARE BRIGHTER NOW

Oil activity in the field is now up. Much interest has been manifested in the proceeding for the big gasser, which according to reports is said to have increased in volume. While few plans have been made it is definitely known here that several large companies are working the field, especially territory near the Illinois Producers wells.

R. HOWARD AND ASSOCIATES ENTERS FIELD.

R. Howard, one of the largest prospectors in Oklahoma and California here a short time ago will be working the field and drill three wells adjoining that of the Illinois Producers. The contract was made and it calls for 7600 acres in the field. It has been also stated that Howard and associates had secured for 8000 acres west of the field would assist the Eureka Oil Company in developing their holdings, several wells, starting about now. At the last report, however, the acreage had not been secured, but enough has been accomplished that the parties concerned feel that the deal will go through without an unexpected contingency.

Illinois well No. 3 struck a nice flow of oil and gas at a depth of 100. This is the second show of gas has been encountered since the well.

Eureka Oil Company has started on the Hawkins No. 2 and 3, and go steadily forward with the operations until completed.

It has been reported that a number of prospectors from Texas, Oklahoma and other points were on their way to Artesia here to drill several wells. It is known that several new wells will likely be made here in the future, these have not been made as yet.

Raynor of Clovis and associates have well were down the first of the wells and announce that they will be making operations on their holdings at date.

Received a car of new furniture including beautiful dining room furniture, room suits and other articles. See them now on display store.

OWEN McCLAY.

ARTESIA'S FLAG POLE KNOCKED DOWN.

A near tragic accident occurred Sunday morning when a truck driven by Mike Rouch crashed into the large flag pole in Main street near the corner of Rose Lawn Avenue. The truck was headed west when it struck the flag pole clipping it off near the base as if it had been as much paper. Snow on the wind shield did not enable the driver to see the danger until it was too late. The pole fell in the direction of the first National Bank building and caught on a number of telephone wires. The telephone wires were all that saved a Ford coupe, belonging to Fred Cole, standing on the bank corner.

The flag pole almost a hundred feet in length struck the telephone wires with such force that it broke the supporting telephone pole and fifteen or twenty wires. Manager Gail Hamilton of the Mountain States Telephone Co., called three telephone men from Roswell Tuesday and repaired the damage.

The truck which was driven behind the Fredell Construction Company and sustained a bent axle, a damaged radiator and a bent crank case. It was carried to a near by garage for a general overhauling.

DANCING PARTY.

Miss Lucile James was hostess at a dance, which occurred at her home last Friday evening. An orchestra composed of Clint Rice, R. Sipple, P. James with Miss James at the piano, furnished the music. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Those present were the Misses Morris, Jackson, Lorita Linell, Ethel Bullock and Mary Lou Graham and Messrs. Aubrey Watson, John Richards, Oscar Samelson, Luther Caraway, Guy Stephenson, Garland Rideout and "Rusty" Armstrong.

GEO. W. O'BANNON FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

Geo. W. O'Bannon announces this week as a candidate for re-election for the office of Representative 19th district. Mr. O'Bannon has served for sometime in the legislature and has made a satisfactory Representative. This fact is evidenced by a request from a number of the voters that he again make the race.

Mr. O'Bannon is at present living on a farm on the Cottonwood. He is a tax payer and a property owner in the county. He will appreciate a consideration from every voter.

Basket Ball Tourney Starts at Roswell Today

Below is a schedule of the basket ball tourney to be held in Roswell starting Friday and continuing over Saturday. The schedule was obtained from the Roswell News.

Coach H. J. Kaiser announced that both boys teams of the Artesia High school would participate and expressed confidence in the ability of his teams to win. A number of Artesia people will go to Roswell Saturday to see the finals. The following is the schedule:

Captain T. B. Plummer this morning made the first official announcement regarding the basket ball tournament which will start in Roswell next Friday, continuing over Saturday, in which nineteen boys and fourteen girls teams will be matched for the regional championships.

There will be three periods each day, from 8 to 12 in the morning, from 1 to 6 in the afternoon and from 7 to ten at night.

The girls will play at the High School and the boys at the Armory except that all of the semi-finals and finals will be at the Armory.

A small admission fee will be charged to all the games.

The first matches are for the boys.

Clovis vs. Rogers, Friday 8 a. m.

Lovington vs. Taiban, Friday 9 a. m.

Floyd vs. Roswell, Friday 10 a. m.

Carrizozo vs. Tatum, Friday 11 a. m.

Ranchvale vs. Carlsbad, Friday 1 p. m.

Dexter vs. Hagerman, Friday 2 p. m.

Richland vs. Artesia, Friday 3 p. m.

Texico vs. Portales, Friday 4 p. m.

Pleasant Hill, vs. Grady, Friday 5 p. m.

Institute vs. Canyon Normal, Friday and Saturday 8 p. m.

GIRLS GAMES:—

Lovington vs. Taiban, Friday 3 p. m.

Hagerman vs. Dexter, Friday 4 p. m.

Hope vs. Carrizozo, Friday 5 p. m.

Richland vs. Artesia, Friday 6 p. m.

Floyd vs. Portales, Friday 7 p. m.

Roswell vs. Corona, Friday 8 p. m.

Pleasant Hill vs. Melrose, Friday 9 p. m.

Luncheon at the Mess Hall at 12:30 p. m., Saturday will be limited to one faculty representative to each school. At this time there will be a special meeting called by Prof. E. T. Danlap, Vice-Pres. of the N. M. H. S. A. A. to consider matters of special interest and importance to the schools of this district. Be certain to be there.

The Institute Swimming pool will be open for the use of visiting boys' teams while in Roswell.

A tea will be given Friday afternoon by the Woman's Club for visiting girls' teams. The time and place will be announced later.

Arrangements have been made with the local Radio Station to Broadcast all games of the tournament play by play.

ROTARIAN LUNCHEON TUESDAY

The Rotarians had almost full attendance at the last Rotarian luncheon. Much enthusiasm was manifested at this meeting. Several important committees which have been appointed will report at the next luncheon.

J. E. Robertson, who discussed the sixth Rotarian code of ethics astounded his fellow members by a soaring flight of oratory. Not only was his oratory noticeable, but he presented the discussion in a masterful style.

Tuesday's guests were: H. J. Cohn, with the Fox Film Corporation of Denver, Colo., and Miss Alma Givins, city superintendent of schools. After a few words by Mr. Cohn Miss Givins made a short talk on the progress of the schools.

Choice alfalfa hay, 80 cts. per bale. WILSON & ANDERSON, Phone 24.

QUEER COSTUMES OF SIAM.

Mrs. Margaret Mathes Fuller has been having some unusual experiences since the arrival of herself and husband in Bangkok, Siam a few months ago. The following excerpt from letter describing a cremation will be of interest to friends here.

Tuesday was very interesting on account of the cremation of the King's half-sister. She's been dead for some months, but they have a series of cremations at one time. I hope I can go to the one next Friday and really get in to see better. Men must wear full dress suits and ladies dress completely in black. We "dolled up" so last time, but didn't get there on time, or we could have gone inside and had a seat. As it was we had to stand up outside and look in. It takes place in the afternoon. There is a long parade to the palace grounds—formations of soldiers in blue uniforms with fancy hats. Then a group in red uniforms with black feathered hats then the priest (in yellow robe) being carried high up with golden canopies over him. The band plays the "Dead March" from "Saul" and they all walk in slow step. Then a hundred men, dressed in bright red, pulled the golden barge and on the top of this is a huge urn that contains the body. The Siamese band drums every few minutes. Following the body were about one hundred girls, in white said to be relatives. It is really very effective—the tress, blue sky, brilliant colors and the barge, canopies and temple roofs glittering and sparkling in the sun, then the hush over everything and the mournful band music.

There are special temples and pavilion, all built especially for the cremations. They are temporary structures, but they look pretty and they set out complete lawns, plants, lights and etc. They told us that they save no expense whatever, because the more they spend the more merit they gain.

I saw the king twice that afternoon and his queen. He is a little stout fat fellow, getting quite bald. I can see what a hold the Buddhist religion would have on the Siamese. It is so strongly connected with the government.

Upon reaching the appointed place, after ceremonies, the urn is taken from the barge and placed on a platform. It is then carried on men's shoulders three times around the temple. Then more ceremonies and the chanting of priests and then the king goes up, sheltered by a golden umbrella, and starts a light under the urn. After the royalty other people follow in the order of rank, each having been given a siver of wood, which they light and place underneath the urn. There is a vast difference between the royalty and the mob outside.

Mrs. Fuller writes that the big evangelist, Bidewull and Miss Grace Saxe, also the great evangelistic singer, Rodenhaver, who are touring the Orient, have held a great meeting in Bangkok. Also that Mrs. Jessie Wilson Sayer, second daughter of the late Ex-President, often attends the meetings at the mission. Mrs. Sayer's husband is an advisor to the king of Siam.

MAN INJURED BY FALL.

Clint Nail who was working with a drilling crew on the Cottonwood was severely injured Tuesday morning when he fell off of a tower about twenty-two feet high according to reports. He was carried to Roswell and is now in a hospital there. At the last report it was stated that the was resting fairly well and would recover unless complications set in.

REGISTERED AT THE HARDWICK THIS WEEK

February 26th

Ed M. Neer, Roswell, Jerry Ratcliff, Amarillo Texas, R. C. Hamilton Clovis, W. P. Miller El Paso Texas, C. F. Gyser and wife Roswell, C. Y. Rascoe Montebello Calif., P. G. Kidd Roswell Le Baron Peck Roswell, B. R. Hammond Los Angeles Calif., W. G. Head Clovis, G. B. Armstrong

February 27th

Wm. R. Blair, El Paso Texas, Le Baron Peck Roswell, D. P. Ward Amarillo Texas, G. B. Armstrong Roswell, Z. B. Moon Hope.

February 28th

J. A. Judson, Dallas Texas, Ed Toner Carlsbad, Mary Lou Graham City, Jewell Jackson City.

Will Rogers says his wife is always trying to get him to act like a gentleman. She says—"Will, I do wish you'd quit saying ain't." Willsays—"Well, old lady, we AIN'T never starved yet, have we?"

Artesia is coming forward. We now have a beautiful parlor which is doing a land office business—right from the start.

COMMERCIAL CLUB HAD GOOD MEETING

The Chamber of Commerce had another good meeting, Monday night, the first to be held in their new quarters in the Ferriman building. Various matters of town and community interest were taken up for discussion, and plans made for near future action.

One of the various matters talked over and generally approved was the Valley-Mountain Loop highway, revived by the recent visit of the West Texas boosters. It seemed to be the sense of the meeting that such a desirable proposition must be carried out by co-operation of all the towns of the Valley and the mountain towns, that Roswell, Artesia and Carlsbad should co-operate to secure this road. As pointed out by members of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce such a highway linking up the Valley towns and mountain resorts would be a fine thing not only for the people of the Valley, but most desirable for bringing in tourists, homeseekers, investors and others. West Texas people (and there are many of them) would especially find pleasure in visiting our mountain summer resorts over well-graded roads. The mountain streams, and general scenic attractions would draw many from the plains country and further east. It is the intention, expressed in the meeting, to take steps to carry out this proposition provided the towns can come together upon a general plan.

Secretary Clarke proposed a novel plan of town and community advertising by correspondence, bringing in the various business, social and fraternal organizations, under a follow-up system of letters to prospective settlers, business men or others interested in the country. By the method advocated the prospective new comer would get a sidelight upon every point of advantage in a business, industrial social religious and educational way. His plan was readily adopted and committees were appointed to work it up.

Improving the road to the Pecos River bridge, three miles east, was strongly advocated by several present. Messrs Geo. Frisch and Ben F. Pior told of the urgent need of putting this road in good repair. Being a part of the route to the oil field, it was strongly represented that Artesia take steps to make it fit for travel. In this practically all agreed. Action was deferred pending further investigation.

Mr. W. E. Ragsdale favored getting out some up-to-date descriptive literature with illustrations and including an account of our new oil and gas developments. He showed some sample work got out by a Hereford, Texas, man, and thought Artesia could afford to make a similar effort with good results. Mr. Ragsdale also announced as a member of the committee on tax-delinquent real estate reported that the matter was now in the hands of the county commissioners and presumably making routine progress.

Upon invitation of the Roswell Chamber of Commerce the Artesia body will send representatives to a banquet at that city March 3rd.

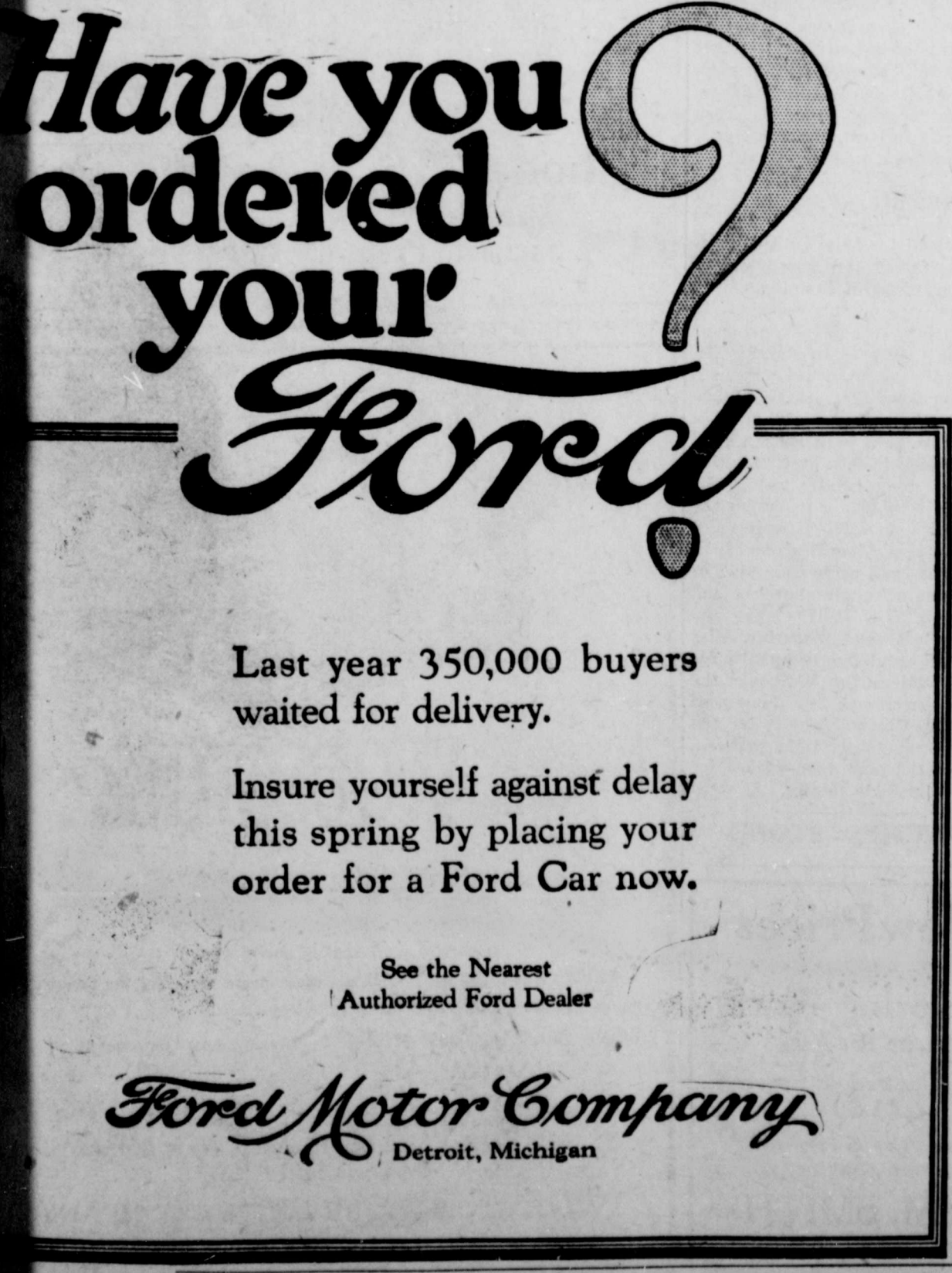
CRITICISM AND COMMENT.

The money derived from the Woman's Club play "Neighbors" will be used to purchase a modern painting of one of our own southwestern artists to be presented to the school. This is indeed a most important precedent to establish and exactly the sort of a thing that crubs everywhere ought to do. In the city of Santa Fe and Albuquerque banks and hotels and important business houses buy pictures as they buy office furniture. The most beautiful picture house in the southwest—the Onate is found in Santa Fe with mural decorations by no less an artist than Gerald Cassidy picturing the arrival of the Conquistadores on New Mexico soil.

If banks, schools and other institutions should purchase a good picture each year, it would add immeasurably to the cultural standard of the town and by and by a collection would be the result. The day will come, let us hope when every town will have a small group of good paintings for the sake of art lovers and the education of the children.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED.

The pupils of the Fourth Grade celebrated their teachers birthday Tuesday. Miss Lucey received several nice gifts from the pupils. They presented her with a large devil's food cake, with several candles on it.



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The eyes danced. So did the smiling little feet of Moonyeen.

And Moonyeen, whenever she comes before the camera, wears a sort of golden haze (cast upon her by moonlight and mist—and a clever director) that should surround every woman in love.

Even the little picture of herself that she whimsically sends her lover catches some of this glamour.

Fragrant as roses is "Smilin' Through"—and from the play that simplicity was born to become a great picture.

And the mist is not all in the eyes of the camera, as those who see Norma Talmage in her latest and best First National starring vehicle at the Majestic Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday.

MAH JONG PARTY.

Complimentary to her guests, the Misses Shirley Feather and Esther Morgan of Roswell, Mrs. Landis Feather entertained with a Mah Jong party last Saturday afternoon. Four tables played and Chinese refreshments, consisting of a rice dish, tea and wafers decorated with Mah Jong characters, were served. Those present, besides the guests of honor, were the Mesdames John Lanning, Louis Story, Will Linell and Walter Ferriman, and Floy Hartsfield and the Misses Ethel Bullock, Velma Smith, Nila Wingfield, Dora Russell, Mary Sands, Jean McCaleb and Hazel Morris.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Anderson last Saturday night.

Jim Higdon, who has been employed in the work on the State road south of town, has been transferred by the company to Clovis and left for that place Tuesday night. Mrs. Higdon and baby will stay with Mrs. Onnemus at the hospital until Mr. Higdon arranges for their removal to Clovis.

MORE ABOUT HOMESEEKERS RATES.

More information about the home seekers rates granted the Pecos Valley was obtained this week from Dr. J. J. Clarke, Secretary of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce. Dr. Clarke conferred with the Santa Fe officials about this matter on their recent visit to Artesia when they attended the banquet given on February 11th. Dr. Clarke reports that the officials are very enthusiastic over the outlook and they have expressed themselves as willing to co-operate in any way possible.

This will probably mean a large number of visitors for the Pecos Valley towns both winter and summer. The fare will be a one way ticket plus two dollars. The rates are granted to a party of five or more. The ticket will be on sale the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays in each month, effective the following month.

The Artesia Chamber of Commerce it was announced here will be glad to co-operate with any prospective home seeker and will furnish any information desired. Descriptive literature may be obtained from either the President or Secretary.

CALL FOR REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

A delegate convention of the Republicans of Eddy County is hereby called to meet at Carlsbad, New Mexico on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1924, at 2:00 P. M. in the Court House for the purpose of selecting five delegates to the State Convention of the Republican Party to be held in Santa Fe on March 20th, A. D. 1924.

The different precincts shall be entitled, in the county convention, to one delegate for every one hundred votes or fraction over fifty votes cast for the republican candidate for Congressman in the election held in November 1922.

The County Central Committee for the ensuing two years will be created in this convention and such other business will be attended to as may properly come before said convention.

W. L. McILVAIN, Chairman.
R. L. HALLEY, Secretary.
2-29-3-14.

WALTER CRAFT ANNOUNCES FOR COMMISSIONER.

Walter Craft of Carlsbad announces this week as a candidate for commissioner district No. 1. Mr. Craft has served as commissioner for some time and is familiar with the duties of the office. He has been connected with the Peoples Mercantile Co., and also the Shelby Grocery Co. Previous to his entrance into the mercantile business he was a farmer. He is at present assistant manager of the Otis Gin & Warehouse Co., and has held this position since 1919.

Mr. Craft has lived in Eddy County for a number of years and is well known in the south end of the county. We are told that Mr. Craft is a splendid business man. This qualification enables him to render a service to the county that the voters can not afford to overlook.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEERS OFFICE.

Number of Application 1615.
Santa Fe, N. M. January 21, 1924.
Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of January, 1924, in accordance with section 26, chapter 49, irrigation laws of 1907, T. J. Terry of Artesia, county of Eddy, state of New Mexico, made formal application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the public waters of the State of New Mexico.

Such appropriation is to be made from flood waters of Walnut Draw at a point which bears S. 66degrees 30' W., 2260 feet distant from the NE corner Sec. 28, T. 15 N., of R. 25 E., N. M. P. M., being in the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of said Section 28, by means of ditch opening on level of creek bottom without headgate and 258 acre feet is to be conveyed to 16 acres in SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 22 40 acres in NW 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 27; 30 acres in NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 27, all in T. 15 S. of R. 25 E., N. M. P. M. by means of main canal and laterals and there used for irrigation of above described 86 acres and domestic purposes.

Any person, firm, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application would be truly detrimental to their rights in the water of said stream system shall file a complete statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and serve a copy on applicant on or before the 17th day of April, 1924, the date set for the Engineers to take this application up for final consideration unless protested. In case of protested applications all parties will be given a reasonable length of time in which to submit their evidence in detail or arrange a date convenient for a hearing or appoint a referee satisfactory to all to take testimony. Appearance is not necessary unless advised officially by letter from the State Engineer.

JAMES A. FRENCH,
State Engineer.

Feb. 29-Mch. 21st.

THE COOKERY COLUMN.

The following receipts are prepared Mrs. K. K. Kaiser of Artesia, who comes to us highly recommended and who has had years of experience with culinary work. Mrs. Kaiser formerly prepared these receipts for the newspapers at Brownwood, Texas and other places. We would like to know what the ladies think of this column and these receipts. If they are useful to you phone up and tell us about it. Our telephone is number 7.

This column cost us money and we would like to know whether it will be useful to you, otherwise we will take it that it is useless expense. We therefore request you to tell us if you think they are good.

1. CREAM OF TOMATO SOUP.

1 pint of tomatoes, 1 tablespoon sugar, 3 cups whole milk, 1 tablespoon flour, 1 tablespoon butter, 1 teaspoon salt. A dash of pepper. Heat tomatoes, mix flour, sugar, salt and pepper with milk. Pour over tomatoes. Let boil 10 minutes. Serve with crackers or toast.

2. TOMATO AND PEPPER SALAD

Cut tomatoes and green peppers in fine pieces, sprinkle with salt and pepper. Mix and serve with vegetables or meat.

3. CREAMED CELERY.

1 stalk celery, 1 tablespoon flour, 1 cup of cream, or whole milk, 1/4 teaspoon salt, a dash of pepper. Cut celery into butter and stew in enough water to cover with salt until tender. Then drain and pour over cream, flour and salt. Let boil and serve with crackers or toast.

4. EGG NOODLES WITH TOMATOES.

1 egg, flour, 1 tablespoon butter, 1/4 spoon salt, 1 can tomatoes. Beat egg slightly add salt and flour enough to roll. Roll thin and cut in long strips and put in boiling water and boil 15 minutes. Drain, open tomatoes and pour over noodles, butter and a dash of pepper. Let boil 15 minutes and serve.

5. HOT POT.

2 lbs. beef, for stewing, 4 onions, 1 tablespoon salt, cut beef into pieces for serving. Roll in flour, mix with salt and pepper. Peel potatoes, slice in thick slices. Peel onion, slice thin. Put a layer of potatoes in a deep pan, a few slices of onion, then a layer of meat until all has been used. Let the top of the potatoes be covered with stock or water and bake. This may be served in the dish it was baked in.

6. PEACH PUDDING.

1 egg, 1 teaspoon baking powder, sifted with 2 cups of flour, 1 cup of tablespoon salt, cut beef into pieces for ing, quart of peaches. Put in cream, butter and sugar. Beat in egg and flavoring, pour over milk and sift flour and baking powder. Mix thoroughly. Let the peaches boil in pudding sugar, 1 cup of milk, 1 teaspoon flavor and bake in slow oven. Serve with cream and sugar.

7. FRUIT SALAD.

3 apples, 1 cup nuts, 2 oranges, 1 cup cocoanut, 1 1/2 cups thick cream or pan. Then pour butter over peaches whole milk. Shiver apples fine, chip nuts into small pieces, slice oranges. Have fresh cocoanut ground as fresh cocoanut, mix in bowl, sweeten cream and pour cocoanut and serve.

A FAREWELL SERVICE.

The Methodist, Christian and Baptist people joined the Presbyterians last Sunday night in compliment to Dr. Mathes, who on this occasion delivered his last sermon as pastor of the Artesia Presbyterian church. The doctor, as always, preached an excellent sermon from the text, "Come Thou with Us, and we will do thee good" for the Lord hath spoken good concerning Israel. The music for this service was exceptionally good, the special music being a number by the Rotary Club quartette, "The Rose of Sharon," anthem, "The Pilgrims of the Night," sung by a choir composed of singers from different churches and a vocal duet, "His Will," sung by Mesdames Gates and Wheatley. Miss Dora Russell acted as accompanist for all three selections. Rev Walker of the Methodist church and Rev. Jensen, of the Christian Church, joined in the service and gave short talks expressing appreciation and good wishes for Dr. Mathes and his family.

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DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE TO MEET MARCH TENTH.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Eddy County Democratic Central Committee is called for the 10th day of March, 1924, at 2 o'clock, P. M. to be held at the Court House in Carlsbad, Eddy county, New Mexico. The object of the meeting of said Committee being to fix the time for holding the Primary Election for the nomination of candidates for county and District offices to be filled at the general election to be held in November, 1924, and for such other business as may be brought before the committee.

S. D. STENNIS, Jr., Chairman.
MRS. A. E. LUSK, Secretary.

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LOIN PORK ROAST	POUND 23c
VEAL ROAST	POUND 22c and 25c
LEG OF LAMB	POUND 35c
SHOULDER OF LAMB	POUND 30c
PURE PORK SAUSAGE	POUND 25c
BEST HAMBURGER	POUND 20c

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, on the 20th day of February, 1924, a resolution was duly adopted, providing for the election of a Mayor and Trustees for the Town of Artesia, New Mexico, to be held on the 20th day of April, 1924.

THEREFORE, I, M. H. FERRIMAN, Mayor of the Town of Artesia, do hereby PROCLAIM That Election will be held at the time and place as designated in the said resolution, and in accordance with the provisions of law pertaining there-

M. H. FERRIMAN, Mayor of the Town of Artesia, New Mexico.

EDWARD STONE, Town Clerk.

PROCLAMATION AND NOTICE OF ELECTION.

WHEREAS, at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Artesia, New Mexico, held on the 20th day of February, 1924, a Resolution was duly adopted providing for the election of a Mayor and Trustees for the Town of Artesia, New Mexico, to be held on the 20th day of April, 1924.

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and placed upon the said books (6) six days after the posting of said registration list, or the name of any person who, within (6) six days, may be discovered not to be a legal voter may be stricken from the list by any member of the Board of Registration.

Section 2. That the following voting place in said town is hereby named and the following persons are hereby appointed by said Board of Trustees of said Town, as judges and clerks, to conduct said election at said voting place in all respects as required by law.

Voting place at Chamber of Commerce room—Ferriman building.

Judges: J. T. Collins, Thomas S. Cox, S. E. Ferree.

Clerks: J. L. Truitt, Frank Robertson.

The Mayor and town clerk are hereby ordered to give notice of the appointment of the Board of Registration, Judges and Clerks of election by publication as herein provided for.

This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage.

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at which will be submitted to a vote of such qualified electors residing within said town as have paid a property tax therein during the preceding year, the question of issuing negotiable coupon bonds of said town as follows:

1. Bonds in the sum of \$15,000.00 for the purpose of enlarging, improving and extending the system of supplying water for said town.

2. All of said bonds to be payable not to exceed thirty years after date but redeemable at the option of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Artesia at any time after twenty years after their date, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent. (6) per annum, interest payable semi-annually.

The form of ballot to be used at said election is to be substantially as follows:

Water Bond Election for the Town of Artesia, New Mexico, April 1, 1924.

INSTRUCTIONS:

If you desire to vote in favor of the bonds place an X in the (square) below, opposite the words "For Water Works Issue".

If you desire to vote against the bonds place an X in the (square) opposite the words "Against Water Works Issue".

QUESTION SUBMITTED

Shall the Town of Artesia issue its negotiable coupon bonds in the sum of \$15,000.00 for the purpose of enlarging, improving and extending the system of supplying water for said town, said bonds to be payable not more than 30 nor less than 20 years after date, and to bear interest at not more than six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually?

For Water Works Issue (square)

Against Water Works Issue (square)

Said election will be held at the Chamber of Commerce building of Artesia, N. M. The polls will be open from 9 o'clock A. M. to 6 o'clock P. M. on April 1, 1924. The judges and clerks at said election will be the same judges and clerks holding the regular election for town officers at said time and place, and the ballots insaid bond shall be deposited in a separate ballot box from that which the ballots for town officers are deposited, and the vote upon each of the said questions shall be separately canvassed in the same manner as other municipal elections, and the Clerk of the Town shall make out a separate certificate as to the result thereof, and cause the same to be spread upon the minutes of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Artesia.

This the 20th day of February, 1924.

M. H. FERRIMAN, Mayor.

Attest: EDWARD STONE, Town Clerk.

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TYPEWRITER RIBBONS.

We have just received a new shipment of typewriter ribbons for the following machines: Woodstock, Royal, Underwood, Oliver, Remington. These are good ribbons made of silk, color black. Call on us.

THE ADVOCATE office.

Political Announcements

WE ARE AUTHORIZED TO ANNOUNCE THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES, SUBJECT TO THE ACTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY, TO BE HELD IN 1924.

For State Senator
Z. B. MOON
of Hope

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE

I hereby announce as a candidate for Judge of the Fifth Judicial District of New Mexico, subject to the will of the Democratic voters of said District.

If elected I shall stand for Efficiency, Expedition, Economy and enforcement of the law in the transaction of court business.

JOHN T. MCCLURE.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for re-election to the office of District Judge, 5th Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary when it shall be held.

C. R. BRICE.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of District Attorney of the Fifth Judicial District of New Mexico, subject to the action of the Democratic party. My platform:—Law enforcement with justice and fairness alike to all.

DILLARD WYATT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of District Attorney of the Fifth Judicial District of New Mexico, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Your support will be appreciated.

O. E. LITTLE.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR.

I hereby announce as a candidate for the office of Assessor of Eddy County, New Mexico, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries when held.

B. J. (Ben) ROTEN,
Carlsbad, N. M.

I hereby authorize my name to be placed before the voters of Eddy County, New Mexico, as a candidate for the office of County Assessor, subject to their will as expressed at the Democratic primaries when same is held.

FRED LECK,
Carlsbad, N. M.

I hereby announce my candidacy for Tax Assessor of Eddy County subject to the action of the Democratic primary when same shall be held.

J. D. JOSEY.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Tax Assessor of Eddy County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary when same shall be held.

RICHARD H. WESTAWAY.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk, Eddy County, subject to the will of the voters as expressed at the Democratic Primaries, when same shall be held.

G. W. SHEPHERD.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

G. R. Brainard, of Artesia, announces his candidacy for Commissioner of the 2nd District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary when same shall be held.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic primary when same shall be held.

C. N. (Nib.) JONES.

I hereby announce myself for re-election to the office of sheriff of Eddy County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries when the same shall be held.

E. S. SHATTUCK.

FOR PROBATE JUDGE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Probate Judge of Eddy County, subject to the will of the voters as expressed by the Democratic Primaries when held.

ERNEST K. NEUMAN,
Carlsbad, N. M.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for a second term as Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries

J. M. DILLARD.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Representative, 19th district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary when same shall be held.

GEO. W. O'BANNON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I take this method of placing my name before the voters as a candidate for the office of county commissioner for Eddy county, New Mexico, from District No. 3, subject to the decision of the voters as expressed in the Democratic primaries when held.

RICH E. CARTER,
Loving, New Mexico.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Commissioner District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic primary when same shall be held.

WALTER CRAFT.

STOP THAT ITCHING

Use Blue Star Remedy for Eczema, Itch, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Ring Worms, Chapped Face, Poison Oak, Sunburns, Old Sores or Sores on Children. It relieves all forms of Sore Feet.

For sale by

Palace Drug Store

Have you read the program at the Majestic Theatre for next week?

Change now to the brand that never changes and you'll never change again.



LUCKY STRIKE
IT'S TOASTED

Don't Let 'em Die Like Flies




50 out of Every 100 Chicks Die (U. S. Government figures)

You should raise 95 out of every 100 Chicks if you use Purina Chick Startena. This figure is based on the experience of thousands of poultry raisers the country over.

Purina Chick Startena contains butter milk and the other ingredients that are suited to the tender digestive organs of the baby chick.

Don't Let Them Die!

Order Chick Startena of us to-day.



WILSON & ANDERSON
Highest Market Price Paid for Poultry, Eggs, Cream, Hides and Pelts

Dr. Loucks Says:

If you have no car troubles and have no time to call, just toot your horn as you go by to show a friendly spirit.

He also says he has for sale some Used Tires in good condition, 32x4, 30x3 1-2 and 30x3.

"Dress Event Sale"

JUST ARRIVED THURSDAY FROM NEW YORK—THE LATEST CREATIONS. WE ARE PLACING THESE NEW ARRIVALS ON SALE FOR ONE WEEK ONLY—THEIR VALUE IS APPARENT EVEN AT OUR REGULAR PRICES. THE HALF IS NOT TOLD UNTIL YOU HAVE SEEN THEM!

Lot No. 1	Lot No. 2
SILK CREPE DECHINE AND CANTON CREPE IN ALL SIZES. REGULAR \$12.50 TO \$15.00 VALUE PRICED TO SELL \$9.98	SILK CANTON CREPE AND FLAT CREPE IN ALL SIZES. REGULAR VALUES FROM \$15.00 TO \$20.00 PRICE TO SELL \$14.98

BE THE FIRST IN TO GET YOUR CHOICE. YOU WILL MISS SOMETHING IF YOU DO NOT SEE OUR NEW LINE OF SPRING PIECE GOODS — JUST ARRIVED — NEW ELYSIAN CREPE, PRINTED CANTON CREPE — ALL OVER EMBROIDERED VOILE—ORGANDIES—SUE GINGHAMS — OUR PRICES ARE LOWER

REMEMBER:—"THE One Place to Stop."

Golden Rule Variety Store

WHAT ABOUT YOUR SPRING HAT? WE HAVE ONE FOR YOU.

Free Lecture Every Day This Week by Mr. Jeff Hightower

Subject: "The Many Merits of 'P. & O.' Plows and Planters"

Brainard-Corbin Hdw. Co.
ARTESIA

FOR **GOOD BLACKSMITHING**

HORSESHOEING AND WOOD WORK

SEE **OHNEMUS & SON**

AT RICHARDS' BLACKSMITH SHOP.

WE GUARANTEE ALL WORK

Artesia Advocate

W. C. MARTIN, Owner.

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LOOKING FORWARD.

Probably most of our readers know that the Advocate management has installed a Linotype that cost several thousand dollars. While we have never felt inclined to boast about the improvement, we feel that you should know we are striving to get out a better sheet and will appreciate our efforts toward making a decided bigger step. We want you to know too, that we do not intend to stop here, but contemplate spending several hundred dollars additional in the job department.

Despite the fact that we have constantly striven for an improvement, we have made mistakes. We will therefore not attempt to direct any remarks to the person who never makes any mistakes because it would be useless, he's dead. Neither would we counsel with the fellow who tell us all about how to run our business, because he's been so busy trying to tell the other fellow how to run his business he has never had time to attend to his own and therefore a failure. But to the person who is endowed with good common horse sense and who is unselfish enough that he can view both sides of the question, we hope to find a sympathetic listener. The message we would bring you is that you accord us the same treatment that you accord the other business men of your town.

Let us impress you that it STILL TAKES MONEY to PUBLISH A first class newspaper. A certain amount of space must be sold each week to cover the cost of publication and we can not get out a paper that you will be pleased with if we must publish a lot of free items each week that should be paid for. This many times puts us in an embarrassing position because we oftentimes dig down in our jeans in addition to giving free publicity. We have no reference to news items, let that be clearly understood. But sometimes things you ask us to publish items that are classed as commercial, you would feel a hesitancy in asking the merchants for a donation on the same basis. We are not complaining, but we feel that you should know our position in the matter.

We are free to serve the needs of community. We have never considered the financial end of the business except that it will help us to serve you better. Despite the fact that we would like to accommodate the people whenever possible, we have bills that have to be met each week and each month. We never have expected to accumulate riches in the publication of a weekly paper, but do want a part in helping to build the community; that in itself it is of far more value than massing a fortune.

W.C.MARTIN, Editor-Owner.

ISN'T IT STRANGE?
THAT A MAN WHO THINKS HE IS A BUSINESS MAN
Will get up in the morning
From an advertised mattress,
Shave with an advertised razor,
And put on advertised underwear,
Advertised hose, shirt, collar, tie and shoes,
Seat himself at the table and
Eat advertised breakfast food,
Drink advertised coffee or substitute,
Put on an advertised hat,
Light an advertised cigar,
Go to his place of business and
TURN DOWN ADVERTISING ON THE GROUND
THAT ADVERTISING DOESN'T PAY.

LEGAL BLANKS.

Check over your supply of legal blanks and see if you need any of the following:
Oil and gas lease blanks, 3 forms.
Warranty deeds.
Chattel mortgages.
Bill of sale.
Agreement and contract of sale.
Assignment of oil and gas lease.
Placer claim blanks.
Mortgage deeds.
Quit Claim deeds.
Assignment of mortgage.
Assignment of chattel mortgage.
Real estate agents listing contract.
Criminal warrants.
Application for prospecting oil and gas lands.
Notice of oil and gas placer location.

THE ADVOCATE OFFICE.

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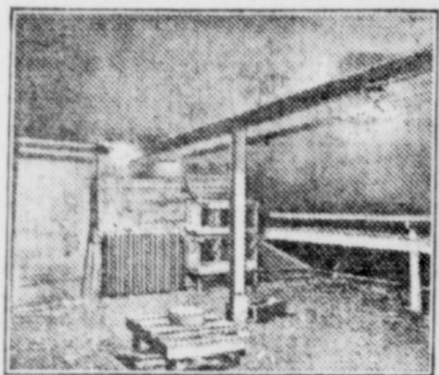
THE ADVOCATE office.

HENS GET BOTH HEAT AND LIGHT

Jersey Poultryman Reaps Practical Benefit From Modern Luxuries for His Chicks.

Comfort for the hens! And, although they probably don't realize it, an inducement to scratch harder, exercise more, lay a larger number of eggs in the dull season of the year.

This is what has been accomplished on the Maplewood Poultry Farm of Henry M. Reeve, at Maplewood, N. J., by the use of electric lights and steam heat in the hen house. The hen house is 20 by 20 feet and provided with a steam radiator for use during the



Electric Lights and Steam Radiator in Scratch Pen

early spring brooding period. This prevents the newly hatched chicks from catching cold before they have begun to approach maturity.

Mr. Reeve does not contend that by using electric lights the egg yield of each hen is increased per year, although this may be the case, but he does find that the egg yield is more evenly distributed throughout the year, so that at no season is he short of eggs. The lights are turned on beginning about October 1 and are continued every evening until about the middle of March.

He keeps the hens on a regular twelve hour schedule by means of the electric lights. Whatever period of time the natural day lacks of being twelve hours he makes up with the electric lights. If there are only ten hours of natural light he turns on the electric lights for two hours. If daylight lasts eleven hours, then he turns on the lights for one hour.

The effect of the lights, he has found, is apparently to shorten the moulting period of the hens and thus prolong the egg laying period. Chickens which would ordinarily be in a heavy moult by October 1 have continued laying eggs through December if placed in a hen house lighted by electric lights.

Before making use of electric lights Mr. Reeve estimated his egg yield on January 1 of each year as about 33 1/3 per cent. With the aid of electric lights he estimates that his egg yield on November 1 is now about 40 per cent, which continues throughout the winter season, when normal production would be low. If the egg yield in the summer remains normal, he secures a certain increase in production for the year and also a steady rate of production, the egg yield in the winter tending to approach that of the summer.

The lights in the scratch pen consist of two fifty-watt Mazda lamps with shallow dome porcelain enamel reflectors.

MINNESOTA EXPERIMENT

Trial Power Line at Red Wing Is Working, With Many Uses for Electricity.

Engineers, educators and agricultural workers who are backing the experimental farm transmission line extending from Red Wing, Minn., five miles into the country, are planning an exceedingly broad program of electrical applications to farming, which will be studied by means of this transmission line. The line itself is now in operation, and the investigation which it makes possible has just begun.

Several distinct phases of electricity on the farm are being worked out under the leadership of Prof. E. A. Stewart, project director of the University of Minnesota Agricultural College. The application to be made of electricity to poultry raising is typical as to thoroughness.

The investigators will attempt to demonstrate electrical poultry raising by means of the electric incubator, electric brooder, electrically-lighted henhouse and electric refrigerator. The program includes the application of electricity to preparing the ground planting the grain and raising the feed for the chickens, as well as the harvesting of the crops and preparations of the grains after harvesting.

The Northern States Power Company, which has built the experimental line, has now built a second line in South Dakota under a similar arrangement and for the same general purpose. The South Dakota co-operative committee in charge consists of J. W. Batcheller, president, South Dakota Farmers' Union; C. W. Pugsley, president, South Dakota College of Agriculture, Brookings; E. W. Anderson, farmer, Clark county; John Frieberg, farmer, Clay county; Dr. J. T. E. Dinwoadie, editor, Dakota Farmer; Ben Mekvold, farmer, Minnehaha county; O. A. Rofelty, manager, Sioux Falls Division of Northern States Power Company.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

FOR SALE:—Complete Fairbanks Morse pumping plant in good condition. 25-horse P. F. M. engine No. 7 F. M. pump and all connections including ten inch belt. C. N. MOORE, 3 miles south and 1 mile west of Dexter. 9-3t.

FOR SALE:—Blue Bird Cafe opposite station in Roswell at East 5th St. Must sell in next ten days. A bargain plenty of room for small family and cheap rent. Communicate with Mrs. Dorothy Phillips, Roswell. 3t.

FOR SALE:—A one ton Ford Truck at Dr. Loucks.

FOR SALE:—Two Colonies of Bees, one John Deere two-row corn and cotton planter. See A. C. Bishop, 9-1t.

FOR RENT.
Suit of rooms in Sipple Building, steam heat and electric lights.
J. H. Jackson, Agent.

FOR SALE.
Well improved ten acre tract just out of town. Bargain for quick sale. Owner will furnish price and terms. Box 85, Artesia, New Mexico.

FOR SALE.
Single Comb dark Brown Leghorns, thoroughbred strain, hatching eggs, \$1.25 per setting or \$6.50 per 100. Also a few pullets for sale. W. E. McIlhane, 2 miles south of Lake Arthur. 2t-7-2.

FOR SALE:—Hatching eggs from high bred Barred Rocks. Roosters for sale. Also setting hens. O. S. Mattheson, East Main St.

FOR SALE:—GOOD Jersey cow—fresh. Ed. Stone.

HONEY—In ten pound pails or by the case.
H. & H. Exchange

BLUE PRINT map of Eddy County oil field brought up to date, by mail or on sale at our office. 50cts. per copy.
H. & H. EXCHANGE.

FOR SALE or LEASE: Land near the Brown well, a few miles south of Artesia. J. M. Mason 2274 Russell, Kansas City, Kansas.

FOR SALE:—Fumed Oak Globe Wernecke took case and one oak library table. Mrs. D. E. Bryant. 7-t

Sheep, cattle, cotton, wheat lands \$25. Easy terms. Jas. Bush, Amarillo, Texas.

WANTED:—A man with cash as a partner in the Laundry Business. The machinery we have is all new, doing good business but need more machinery to care for business. Write box 119, Carlsbad, N. M.

GEE-ESCO-SILVER-PLATE, the silverware with a lifetime guarantee. For sale by A. F. Roselle.

Watch and Jewelry repairing that will give real service, GUARANTEED A. F. Roselle.

PIANO TEACHING—By graduate of School of Music. Classes in all grades of piano.
Ray Bartlett
Majestic Theatre.

Choice alfalfa hay, 80 cts. per bale.
WILSON & ANDERSON, Phone 24.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday school a 9:45. Geo. Frisch Supt. The attendance was not so large last Sunday on account of the snow. We hope to get back to our normal attendance next Sunday. Also hope to see some new pupils.

Preaching services at 11 a. m. "Christ and the impossible" will be the sermon theme. Special music. The service will be concluded with the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Epworth Leagues each meet at 6 p. m. Interesting programs are arranged for each meeting. All our young people are urged to attend these meetings.

Evening worship at 7 p. m. Sermon by the pastor. A timely subject will be discussed. Good music.

Mid week prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 7 p. m. The special meeting of this month have proved a success. Some have become interested who were not before these special meetings.

A most cordial invitation to all to attend our services. Visitors, strangers and others having no church engagement are extended a special invitation to be with us in our services.
JAMES H. WALKER, Pastor.

Wish to have a Public Sale?
W. E. Ragsdale, Auctioneer.

Today's best buy!



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Quality and the new price combined make fresh Tuxedo the outstanding value in pipe tobacco.

Guaranteed by The American Tobacco Co.

The sad news has reached here of the death at Huntington Park, Calif., of Edward Phillips, an old-time resident of Artesia. Mr. Phillips, who was a prominent business man of Huntington Park, committed suicide in his furniture store one morning last week. The business was in a satisfactory condition and the only explanation of his tragic act seems to be that he took his life in a fit of depression over his health, which had not been good lately. The deceased leaves a wife and two sons, who have the sympathy of many old friends here in their great grief.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.
W. C. Marable, Plaintiff.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.
Lorena Crouch and Lorena Crouch, Administratrix of the estate of Hart Crouch, deceased, Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will at the hour of 4:00 P. M., on the 31st day of March, 1924, at the front door of the First National Bank of Artesia, New Mexico, offer for sale at public vendue and sell to the highest bidder for cash all of the right, title and interest of the defendants, Lorena Crouch and the estate of Hart Crouch, deceased, in and to lots two, four, six and eight, in block nine in the Original Town of Artesia, New Mexico.

The said sale will be held pursuant to the provisions of the final decree entered in the above entitled cause on the 23rd day of January, 1924, the said suit being a cause to foreclose a certain mortgage on the above described real estate given by the defendant, Lorena Crouch and Hart Crouch, deceased, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note there mentioned, and the said decree providing for the recovery by means of said sale the following amounts:

\$885.71 and interest from date of decree at 10 per cent per annum, \$88.57, attorneys fee and interest from date of decree at therate of 6 per cent per annum, and \$12.00 cost of suit, and \$11.04, cost of sale, and \$10.00 Special Master's fee.

The foregoing amounts with interest and costs to date of sale will amount to the sum of \$1022.96, that being the sum for which the said real estate will be sold on said date.

The undersigned has been designated by said decree to make such sale and the said decree provides that the plaintiff may be a bidder at said sale and shall be entitled to credit against his bid the amount due him as set out herein.

Witness my hand this 26th day of February, 1924.

C. E. MANN,
Special Master.

Several "Real Bargains" in improved city property.

W. E. Ragsdale.

Let the H. & H. Exchange look after your city property.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.
No. 3846
J. C. Mings, Assignee, Plaintiff.
vs.
W. A. Mount, Rosa B. Mount and H. L. Muncy, Defendants.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO.
To W. A. Mount and Rosa B. Mount, the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, No. 3846 on the Civil Docket of the said District Court, wherein J. C. Mings is plaintiff, and W. A. Mount, Rosa B. Mount and H. L. Muncy are Defendants.

The general nature and objects of said suit are to obtain Judgment against you, W. A. Mount and Rosa B. Mount in favor of the plaintiff in the following amounts, to-wit: \$3179.47 as principal and interest due upon two promissory notes, executed by you to your co-defendant, H. L. Muncy and now owned by the Plaintiff, with interest from February 6, 1924 until paid and the further sum of \$318.00 as attorney's fees with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 6th day of February, 1924 and for the further sum of \$309.40 for taxes against said mortgage premises paid by the Plaintiff, with interest thereon at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from January 21, 1924 until paid and costs of suit, and you, W. A. Mount and Rosa B. Mount and H. L. Muncy are further notified that the further object of Plaintiff's suit is to foreclose a mortgage deed, executed by the Defendants, W. A. Mount and Rosa B. Mount to H. L. Muncy, conveying to the said H. L. Muncy certain real estate situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, and more particularly described as the N 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Section 17, Township 16 South and Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., together with a one-half interest in an artesian well, and the water flowing therefrom, situated near the NW corner of said Land, which mortgage deed is of record in Book 14 at Page 101-102 of the Records of Mortgages of Eddy County, New Mexico, and you, W. A. Mount, Rosa B. Mount and H. L. Muncy are further notified that unless you enter your appearance and plead in said cause in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico at Carlsbad, on or before Monday, April 7th, 1924 Judgment will be taken against you, W. A. Mount and Rosa B. Mount for the sum of \$3179.47 as principal and interest, with interest at the rate of 10 per cent from the 6th day of February, 1924 and for the further sum of \$318.00 as Attorney's fees, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent from the 6th day of February, 1924 and for the further sum of 309.40 for taxes paid by the plaintiff, with interest at the rate of 12 per cent, per annum from January 21, 1924, and you are further notified that an order of default will be entered against you and each of you, and that said cause will proceed exparte to Final Judgment and Decree of foreclosure, as

above mentioned.
You are further notified that Plaintiff's Attorney is J. H. Jaffa and that his business address is Artesia, New Mexico.
(Seal) G. W. SHEPHERD, County Clerk.
Feb. 15-Mch 7.

STATE LAND SELECTIONS.
Department of the Interior and United States Land Office.
Roswell, New Mexico present we January 3, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of Acts of Congress, has through this office, the following lands:
Serial 051802. List No. SW 1/4 NE 1/4, S 1/2 NW 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 29, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Lot 3, Section T. 18 S. R. 29 E. N. M. P. M. Protests or contests against or all of such selections must be filed in this office at any time before approval.
JAFFA MILLER, Administrator.

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING.
Notice is hereby given that J. H. McClay, the duly appointed administrator in the estate of B. Wynne, deceased, have filed final report in the said estate, at the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico has set the 3rd day of March, that is, the 17th of March, 1924, for a final hearing that if there be any objections said report they may be presented to the consideration of the Court at that time.
Done this the 20th day of February, 1924.
2-22-3-14. OWEN McCLAY, Administrator.

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PERSONAL

R. L. Paris has been on the sick list the past week.

Mayor Ferriman is able to be out again after a days' illness.

Judge Atkeson and son, Lloyd, are in Roswell today on legal business.

Vernon George and Miss Effie McCaw drove to Roswell Wednesday.

Eldridge Solomon and wife are moving into the Mathes house this week.

Miss Beatrice Dunlap of Roswell spent the week end with Lucille Denton, on Cottonwood.

Miss Ethel Olson accompanied by her father made a business trip to Carlsbad Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Denton were unexpectedly called away when Mrs. Denton's sister of Ft. Worth passed away.

Mrs. Wille Choate is here from Hope for medical treatment and is staying at the home of Wallace Merchant.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Nelson, on the Cottonwood, are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter Thursday morning, the 28th.

Miss Ermenia Grandi, of Carlsbad, is expected tonight for a week-end visit with her aunt, Mrs. Fran's Omnemus, and family.

Dr. and Mrs. Mathes and son, Donald, were dinner guests of the Welton's Monday evening and of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Gates on Tuesday evening.

J. D. Cantrell and family are new arrivals in Artesia this week, coming from Mansfield, Arkansas, and will occupy the Fay Linell house on west Grand Avenue.

Miss Mercedes Harmon came from Oklahoma Monday to join her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Harmon, who who lately moved here from Norman, and are living upon the Winans place.

Mrs. T. Spivey is expected home today from a two weeks' visit in Texas. Miss Velma Spivey, who has just completed her course at Business College is returning home with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Gates expect to leave Sunday for southern California for the benefit of Mrs. Gates' health. Mr. and Mrs. Turner, of Hope, will occupy their house during their absence.

Mrs. Leon Meeks entertained a house party of girl friends for the week-end. Her guests were the Misses Oriol Curtis and Ellen Thompson of Roswell and Miss Grace Harvey of Lake Arthur.

E. M. Smith and family and Mr. Stanley, who have been living in the Lindsey cottages on Quay street, moved this week to the Muncy house at the corner of Roselawn and Richardson avenues.

Mrs. D. S. Martin, Mrs. Jim Berry, Mrs. Charley Martin and Mrs. Bernard Cleve spent Wednesday in Roswell. Mrs. Cleve is here from Elk visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Martin, and the other relatives.

Norine Long, the little niece of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Humphrey, who has been ill for some time, is lying at the point of death. Mrs. Cal. Crozier, a friend from Lakewood, is here assisting Mrs. Humphrey in caring for her.

E. B. Spitzer, a banker of Medina, Ohio, was here last week visiting his old friend, Mayor Ferriman, and Mrs. Ferriman. This was Mr. Spitzer's first visit to New Mexico and he expressed himself as very favorably impressed with Artesia and vicinity.

Miss Grace Langston left Monday night for Birmingham, Ala., where she has accepted an important position with a coal company there. She will join her sister there, who is temporarily stationed at Birmingham by the Ridpath Horner Chautauqua.

Mrs. E. J. Brooks left last week for New Orleans, where she will visit her son, Frank, and wife, and see the Mardi Gras festivities. From there she will go to El Paso, where she will meet her son, Fred, and family March 22nd, and accompany them to Los Angeles. At the latter place she will visit a sister for some time.

Dr. Mathes, wife and son, Donald, moved this week to Clovis, where the doctor will assume his duties as pastor of the Presbyterian church. The Mathes family has been identified with Artesia during much of its history, the doctor having served the Presbyterian church, as pastor, in two incumbencies, for more than twelve years. The good wishes of a host of friends go with them to their new field of labor.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association, March 4th, 1924, beginning at 10 a. m. prompt. Every member should be present. Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association.

DOROTHY DALTON COMING.

Paramount Star Has Feature Role in "Moran of the Lady Letty."

With Dorothy Dalton in the feathered role, George Melford's big Paramount production, "Moran of the Lady Letty," an adaptation of the novel by the late Frank Norris, will be shown at the Majestic Theatre next Monday and Tuesday. Rodolph Valentino, who was featured with Agnes Ayers in "The Sheik," Mr. Melford's preceding production, has the role of Ramon Laredo. Charles Brinley is Capt. Sterensen; Emil Jorgensen plays the part of Nels Maude Wayne is Josephine Herrick; Cecil Holland is cast as Bill Trim; Walter Long plays Capt. Kitchell and George Kuwa is Charlie Wong. This is believed to be one of the strongest subjects for the screen that could be found.

The Methodist Missionary Society met with Mrs. Sarah Gray last Thursday afternoon, at which time the study of the "Life and Letters of Paul," was taken up. Under the direction of Mrs. R. O. Cowan the study proved very interesting.

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GLASSES--STONE

COMPARATIVE VALUE OF LIME SULPHUR AND RED ENGINE OIL AS SPRAYS.

As the time for spraying approaches, the question of the comparative value of lime sulphur and red engine oil as sprays arises. The biological department of the New Mexico College of Agriculture makes these suggestions relative to the use of both.

The principal disadvantage of lime sulphur is its harmful effect upon the skin. It is also difficult to make, although lime sulphur may be purchased already made up, except for the addition of water. The advantage is that it will, if properly applied and made, control the San Jose Scale in this and so far as is known, no harmful after effects are noted.

Red engine oil was used to some extent in the Pecos Valley last year, but the county agent reports that it is not as effective as the lime sulphur. Specimens of twigs, which have been sprayed with red engine oil emulsion were submitted to the college, and found to contain a heavy per cent of live scale. The red engine oil depends for its killing power upon the volatile substances it contains, and upon the film which is supposed to cover the membrane through which the insect breathes. In this climate, the volatile substances are almost immediately evaporated from the oil, so the oil upon the scale, unless it covers the breathing membrane, will not kill.

Another object to oils of any kind is that if continually applied, year in and year out, the residue after the evaporation of the volatile portions tends to kill the plant. Unless the emulsion is constantly agitated the oil tends to rise to the top. Few farmers have the equipment necessary to keep the emulsion in constant agitation so that it is difficult to obtain a uniform product. These emulsions must also be made of soft water, or some substance must be put into the water to break it. The advantages of oil are obvious it does not harm the skin, it is somewhat cheaper; it is easier of application.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., January 30, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Minnie B. Drake, of Milwaukee, Oregon who, on March 27th, 1919, made Additional Homestead, No. 036885, for West Half, Section 11, Twp. 18-S, R. 25-East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, claimant's before Fred A. Miller, County Clerk at Oregon City, Oregon, witnesses testimony before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, Artesia, New Mexico, on the 22nd day of March, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: Leonard G. Stephens, Artesia, N. M., Arthur H. Horner, of Artesia, N. M., Ernest Horner, of Artesia, N. M., Joe Stephens, of Artesia, N. M. JAFFA MILLER, Register. Feb. 15 to Mch. 14, 1924.

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Bible Thoughts for the Week

Sunday.
THE FRIEND OF SINNERS.—Their scribes and Pharisees murmured against his disciples, saying, Why do ye eat and drink with publicans and sinners? And Jesus answering said unto them, They that are whole need not a physician; but they that are sick. I came not to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance.—Luke 5:30-32.

Monday.
IN SPIRIT AND IN TRUTH.—God is a spirit; and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth.—John 4:24.

Tuesday.
THE KINGDOM WITHIN.—Neither shall they say, Lo here! or lo there for, behold the kingdom of God is within you.—Luke 17:21.

Wednesday.
CHRISTIAN CONFIDENCE.—This is the confidence that we have in him, that if we ask anything according to his will, he heareth us.—1 John 5:14.

Thursday.
THE ONLY GOD.—Hear, O Israel: the Lord our God is one Lord.—Deuteronomy 6:4.

Friday.
MAN'S APPEAL.—O Lord, revive thy work in the midst of the years.—Habakkuk 3:2.

Saturday.
CONDITIONS OF FORGIVENESS.—Put on therefore, bowels of mercies, kindness, humbleness of mind, meekness, long suffering; forbearing one another, and forgiving one another, if any man have a quarrel against any: even as Christ forgave you, so also do ye.—Colossians, 3:12, 13.

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 - Quit Claim deeds.
 - Assignment of mortgage.
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 - Real estate agents listing contract.
 - Criminal warrants.
 - Application for prospecting oil and gas lands.
 - Notice of oil and gas placer location.
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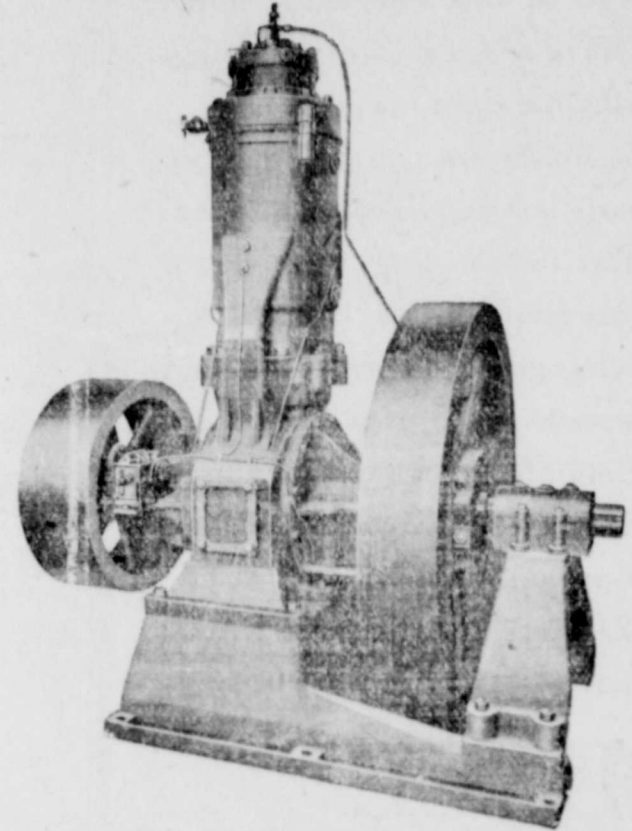
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DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE TO MEET MARCH TENTH.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Eddy County Democratic Central Committee is called for the 10th day of March, 1924, at 2 o'clock, P. M. to be held at the Court House in Carlsbad, Eddy county, New Mexico. The object of the meeting of said Committee being to fix the time for holding the Primary Election for the nomination of candidates for county and District offices to be filled at the general election to be held in November, 1924, and for such other business as may be brought before the committee.

S. D. STENNIS, Jr., Chairman.
MRS. A. E. LUSK, Secretary.

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SUPERANNUATE ENDOWMENT FOR ARTESIA.

The Artesia Station of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Rev. James H. Walker, pastor, has accepted \$233.30 as a minimum quota to raise within five years for the cause of Superannuate Endowment of that denomination. The goal for the entire church of this movement is \$10,000,000 the income from which is to be used for the support of the aged and infirm ministers and widows and orphans of ministers.

The campaign for the fund is being directed by the Board of Finance of the Southern Methodist Church, St. Louis, Mo, Bishop W. F. McMurray, chairman, and Dr. Luther E. Todd, secretary. The latter has issued and sent all pastors a booklet, "The Call of the Forgotten Man", which tells the pathetic story of the great need, asks the church to remember him with substantial giving and outlines plans for raising the sum sought.

According to reports received by the board, over 2,000 pastoral charges have up to this time accepted minimum quotas asked of them and many of them have voluntarily increased the amounts. Several large individuals gifts have already been announced and others are expected.

There are over 900 of the old preachers, many of them pioneer circuit riders who rode through storm and sunshine, winter and summer, day and night, to serve humanity and the church, 1,300 widows and 600 orphans, many of whom are living in little better than poverty. They never forgot duty and the church for a single moment, and there is now evidence on all sides that the church is at last thoroughly awake to its belated duty to its forgotten servants.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

The blinding snow storm last Lord's day lowered our attendance somewhat yet we had more people present, then might be expected under such conditions. All seem determined to reach the high mark for next Sunday, and we are planning for more extensive work. The Bible School is a soul training institution which lends a helping hand to all who will come. And no one can afford to live a life without soul culture. It leads to the abundant life, of which our Savior spoke, and we are glad that our Master hath declared that who-so-ever may come, and partake of the waters of life freely.

A number of our people attended the closing services at the Presbyterian Church as was announced last week in honor of Brother and Sister Mathes to be held Sunday evening. The singing was fine especially the special renderings. The Sermon by Brother Mathes should have been heard by every person living in this vicinity. It sounded a note of truth and love which pointed to the Lamb of God which taketh away the sins of the world.

Remember our services for the coming week, beginning March 2.

Bible school at 9:45 A. M.

Subject:—"God's Mercy to Backsliders".

Christian Endeavor at 2:30 p. m.

Evening services at 7:30 p. m.

Subject:—"The Good Samaritan".

Mexican Mission Monday evening 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30 p. m.

All are welcome to these services.

PETER JENSEN, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Having been called to the pastorate of the First Baptist Church of Artesia I will preach my first sermon Sunday at eleven o'clock. I extend to every one a cordial invitation who loves the old time gospel to come and worship with us.

There will be no new scientific gospel preached in my pulpit while I am pastor.

If you believe in the old story of salvation by grace, through faith in Jesus Christ the son of God, come and hear us.

We are making an effort to organize a Men's Bible Class that I will teach and urge every man who is not attending Sunday school elsewhere to be with us Sunday morning.

Beginning with Sunday evening I shall deliver a series of sermons on "Ownership and Stewardship". If you are interested in these great doctrines come and worship with us.

Sunday School 9:45.

Preaching at 11 o'clock. Subject, "The Necessity of a Separation."

B. Y. P. U. 6:30.

Preaching 7:30. Subject, "Who is the Ownership".

REV. L. R. SIMMONS, Pastor.

LEGION SOCIAL MEETING.

The ladies of the Legion Auxiliary entertained the members of Clarence Kepple Post at the Chamber of Commerce last Friday evening. The organizations have been rather inactive for some time and the social was an evidence of a revival of interest. The ladies served delicious refreshments of coffee, cake and sandwiches and the occasion was thoroughly enjoyed by those present.

THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

No. 3841

R. L. Malone, Plaintiff,

Vs.

William H. Rhodes, Rosa Andrew, Fay Haynes, Homer H. Rhodes, for himself and as one of the Executors of the last will and testament of William Rhodes, deceased, C. M. Water, as one of the Executors of the last will and testament of William Rhodes, deceased, and as one of the Trustees under said will, Charles McMain and C. R. Nichol as Trustees under the last will and testament of William Rhodes, deceased, and all unknown claimants of interest adverse to the plaintiff in the W½ NE¼ and E½ NW¼ of Sec. 33, Twp. 18 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., in Eddy County, New Mexico, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SUIT.

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO
O May Rhodes, Haynes, Homer H. Rhodes, for himself and as one of the Executors of the last will and testament of William Rhodes, deceased, C. R. Nichol, as Trustee under the last will and testament of William Rhodes, deceased, and all unknown claimants of interest adverse to the plaintiff in the W½ NE¼ and E½ NW¼ of Sec. 33, Twp. 18 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., in Eddy County New Mexico, defendants, greeting:

You are hereby notified that the above entitled suit has been filed and is now pending against you and each of you and that unless you enter our appearance in said cause on or before the 21st day of March, 1924, judgement by default will be rendered against you and the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint. The general object of said suit is to quiet the title of the plaintiff in and to the W½ NE¼ and E½ NW¼ of Sec. 33, Twp. 18 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., in Eddy County, New Mexico against each and all of you and to establish the estate of the plaintiff in said land and against the adverse claims of each and all of you.

Plaintiff's attorney is J. D. Atwood and his Post Office address is Roswell, New Mexico.

Witness the hand of the Clerk of the said Court and the seal thereof at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this 7th day of February, 1924.

SEAL) G. W. SHEPHERD,
County Clerk.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., January 22nd, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Los Gentry, of Artesia, New Mexico, who, on January 2nd, 1923, made Homestead Entry, No. 050956, for SE½ NW¼, NE¼, SW¼, Section 19, Township 17-S., Range 27-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make commutation final proof to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 6th day of March, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: Perry C. Logan, of Artesia, N. M., George W. Lewis, of Artesia, N. M., Carl A. Daniel, of Artesia, N. M., Nat Camp, of Artesia, N. M., JAFFA MILLER, Register.

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

In the Matter of the Estate of Elizabeth Woodard Solomon, No. 477.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR.

Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of January, 1924, I, Eldridge Solomon, of Artesia, New Mexico, on a regular day of the January, 1924, term thereof, was duly appointed Executor of the Estate of Elizabeth Woodard Solomon, Deceased, and that I have duly qualified as such Executor.

All persons holding claims against said Estate are hereby notified to file same with me, as Executor of said Estate, within the time required by law, and all claims not so filed will be forever barred.

Dated this 8th day of January, 1924.

ELDRIDGE SOLOMON,
Executor.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., January 18th, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Holly C. Shuler, of Artesia, N. M., who, on August 30th, 1921, and July 7, 1922, made Homestead Entry No. 049443 and Additional Homestead Entry No. 049444, for South half of section 5 North half Section 5, Township 18-S., Range 29-East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three year final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 6th day of March, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: Charley P. Riley, of Artesia, N. M., Carl C. Millman, of Lakewood, N. M., Basel B. Kimbrough, of Artesia, N. M., Edgar J. Shuler, of Artesia, N. M., JAFFA MILLER, Register.

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Cousin Buys Tract and Presents It to Audubon Societies.

New York.—Eleven and a half acres of wild land which surround the grave of Theodore Roosevelt at Oyster Bay has been purchased by his cousin, W. Emil Roosevelt, New York capitalist, and presented to the National Association of Audubon societies for a wild bird sanctuary and shrine for bird lovers.

The gift has been accepted and plans made for the expenditure of thousands of dollars in carrying out the donor's ideas. This announcement was made in connection with the association's convention at the American Museum of Natural History.

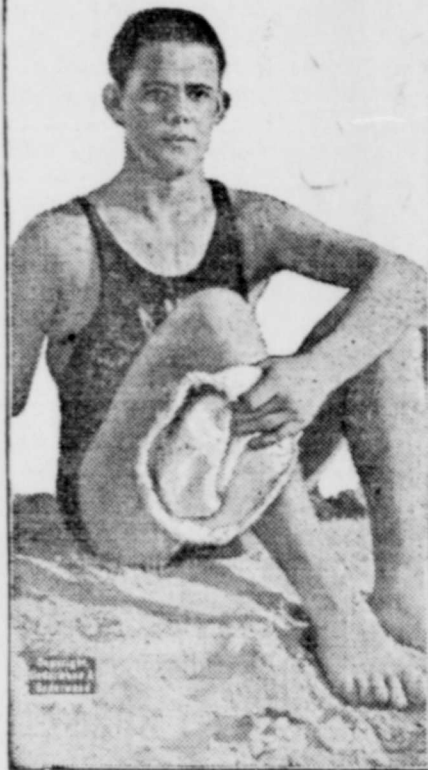
Mr. Roosevelt, whose estate adjoins the late president's home at Sagamore Hill, has turned over to the Audubon societies "a veritable jungle, an ideal home for wild fowl, and a fitting memorial to Mr. Roosevelt's love for wild things," said Mr. Pearson.

The tract surrounds the Roosevelt tomb in Young's cemetery. A ten-room building nearby has been leased for ten years and will be converted into a bird museum and library for students and pilgrims to Roosevelt's grave.

Trees, shrubs and vines which bear fruits birds like best to feed on will be planted on the grounds, although the existing "jungle" will be preserved so far as possible. Bird-feeding grounds, fountains, baths and shelters will be installed in natural settings.

A catproof fence was built around the property before it was deeded to the Audubon societies.

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NOTICE.

State Engineer's Office.
Number of Application 1474.
Santa Fe, N. M., January 17, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of January, 1924, in accordance with Section 26, Chapter 49, Irrigation Laws of 1907, T. J. Terry, of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made formal application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change the place of use of water from Cottonwood Creek, for the reasons set forth in the statement accompanying this application; the right to the use of the water being as granted under Permit No. 1474, approved on the 13th day of April, 1922, transferring 237 acre feet of water from 79 acres in the W 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 13, T. 16 S. of R. 25 E., N. M. P. M. to 79 acres in the W 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 7, T. 16 S. of R. 26 E., N. M. P. M.

Any person, firm, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application would be truly detrimental to their rights in the water of said stream system shall file a complete statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and serve a copy on applicant on or before the 14th day of April, 1924, the date set for the Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested. In case of protested applications all parties will be given a reasonable length of time in which to submit their evidence in detail or arrange a date convenient for a hearing or appoint a referee satisfactory to all to take testimony. Appearance is not necessary unless advised officially by letter from the State Engineer.

JAMES A. FRENCH,
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