

# Artesia Advocate

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WEDNESDAY TWENTY-FOUR

## Scene of Play Soon

Gas Flow in Texas Well Returns After Being Cleaned.

Generally has been reworked in this section, due largely to improved conditions which have manifested over the oil areas, resulting from the oil flood that has menaced the Mid-Continent area for two months. Major and minor operators alike feel encouraged over the situation and the drilling of additional wells is being pushed forward with further impetus. In improved conditions have had effect with the result that production for two important wells has been announced this week. A greater activity in the area of the Texas production is being reported, due to the Robinson permit, during the past ten days. However, in the Artesia section, the flow is still slow. F. W. & Y. No. 50 in sec. 3-18-28, is expected to be in the sand today. A new well in progress below and the pay is expected to be good.

Production Co., Rhodes No. 22-26-37, has reported original gas flow in the well to be two million cubic feet per day. The well is 3040 feet and are being reamed to set 8 inch casing. The Dunken No. 1 of the Texas Production Co., 29-17-18 is also reported to be producing a second flow of sulphate gas, estimated at half million feet at 4390 feet.

Production Co., are producing materials for their Lucy No. 2, in the NW SW 1/4 and expect to spud in the same area of the Pueblo No. 1. The well is being moved materials for a Gessert permit in the sec. 1-17-31. This well is in Lea county, a mile and south of the Texas gas-

Rock Oil and Gas Co., sec. 11-16-32, are drilling a well passing up an oil show. Indications continue in the Donnelly well on permit, in sec. 24-17-27, early part of the week, was encountered in this well. According to one report, the well blew the tools up in

Texmore Oil Co., in the NW NE 1/4, are reported to have oil around 2160 feet, but it is of a commercial nature is not known.

well of Henderson, Dexline, in section 34-17-33, has passed the first test and drilling is progressing 5365 feet.

Y's GAME GOES EXTRA INNING CAVEMEN WIN

lost another hard-fought game to the Cavemen from today, score 8 to 5. The game was forced into extra innings by the locals put on a great performance. In the ninth, the Cavemen tied the count, five runs, three hits and one error. The Cavemen got to the eleventh frame and were leading 11 to 5. In order in their half of the inning.

should have been a tie between Purtle and the Cavemen. Both hurlers received a report in the field. McArthur, in the first Carlsbad frame and Feather made costly errors, which resulted in more runs for Carlsbad. The Cavemen were run in the eighth frame. The Cavemen turned it with interest in the ninth, Fessler's last page, column 4)

## CAR PAINTER ARRESTED

Frank Bemus, a car painter, who worked at the Auto Wrecking shop here for about two weeks was arrested last week in Roswell on charge of wife abandonment. Bemus' arrest followed after local officers received a communication from Lake County, Illinois, stating that Bemus was wanted there for wife abandonment. L. A. Doolittle, of Waukegan, Illinois sheriff of Lake County arrived here Monday and after a few hours stay left for Roswell, where he took Bemus from the Chaves county jail and on to Waukegan.

## COTTON PRODUCTION IN VALLEY FOR 1927 PLACED AT 30,000 B'LS

Local Estimates, However, Are More Conservative—Total Acreage is 44,000—Average Yield is Three-Fourths of a Bale.

Estimates recently sent out from Roswell state that the Pecos valley will produce approximately 30,000 bales of cotton this year from 44,000 acres. Of the 30,000 bale estimate, Eddy county will produce approximately 18,000 bales while Chaves county will produce about 12,000 bales. These figures were compiled after a careful survey of the crop conditions in both counties. Local estimates made here recently are even more conservative and place the yield of the two counties at slightly less than 30,000. Last year at the same period, the valley's cotton production was placed at 35,000 bales, however, the cotton acreage has been reduced for 1927 more than 10 per cent over 1926. It is believed that the average yield for the current season will exceed that of last year in most sections and is placed at three quarters of a bale to the acre.

So far cotton has been free from pests and is about two weeks earlier in all sections. Picking will be in full blast within thirty days. Owing to a greater rain fall, it is believed that the cotton in the Cottonwood area will make a larger yield per acre than the farming section south and east of town.

Some farmers are starting the fourth cutting of hay, although the cutting season appears to be slightly later on the Cottonwood and it is likely that hay growers of that area will not get the fifth cutting before the close of the hay season.

## CITY TAX LEVY ANNOUNCED

The city tax levy for the coming year, made at a recent meeting of the City Council, has been proved by the State Tax Commission. The rate for the coming year is .00893 and represents a substantial reduction over the past year. The reduction in rate, which has been made annually for the past four or five years should be very gratifying to the tax payers and bespeaks well for the present administration. Over this period the rate has been cut from 16 1/2 mills to less than 9 mills or .00893.

It is also learned that the City will pay interest on all water bonds from the water rent revenue during the past year.

## REV. SIMMONS RESIGNS

Rev. L. R. Simmons, who has served as pastor of the Baptist church here for the past three years has tendered his resignation to take effect immediately. Rev. Simmons contemplates accepting work in a new field, but has made no announcement as to where he will locate.

Rev. Simmons is regarded as one of the most able men to serve the Artesia church and a number of his friends will regret to learn of his decision to locate elsewhere.

## RAINS

Heavy rains, covering practically the entire state for the past two weeks, have missed this section, except for light showers. Roswell reports a good shower the first of the week and some rain fell in the Cavern section, south of Carlsbad. Artesia received a light sprinkle from a cloud coming over from the east last evening. The rain apparently fell harder east of the river in last night's precipitation. A rain, covering a strip of territory two miles wide, south of the Artesia oil field, fell in that section yesterday.

W. N. Johnson was here from Lovington over the week-end, guest of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ossie Conson.

## EX-GOVENOR HANNETT IS SUSPENDED BY BAR COMMISSION FOR YEAR

Santa Fe—Former Governor Arthur T. Hannett was Tuesday suspended from the state bar of New Mexico by the State Board of Bar Commissioners. The suspension is to take effect at once and is to be of one year's duration. The ex-governor was suspended because of his newspaper attacks on the integrity of District Judge Reed Holloman after a nine days hearing which was concluded late Saturday.

With regard to Judge Holloman, the board make no comment in its judgement, holding that the attacks of Mr. Hannett were leveled at the jurist as a district judge and not as an attorney and that in any event, separate charges would have to be filed.

It is understood that Commissioners A. H. Hudspeth and T. E. Mears dissented from the opinion of the other seven members. Beyond the bare decision that Governor Hannett was suspended for a period of one year and that in its judgement the commission took no action relative to Judge Holloman, no further announcement was made and the findings of the case was held up until Wednesday. Secretary Jose Sena of the commission, announced shortly after one p. m., that because the papers were not complete, the full decision could not be released until they were.

It was indicated by members of the commission although not definitely stated that although no action was taken with regards to Judge Holloman in the judgement of the decision, the findings might perhaps take the form of some kind of reprimand. It was held by the commission, according to E. C. Cramp-ton, chairman, that Judge Holloman was not a party to the affair, that the charges were made against him as a judge that in the event any action should be taken it would have to be done by the state legislature. He stated that the decision says that charges of disbarment would not have any effect on his judicial status as the legislature is the only body that can remove a judge from office and that in any event separate charges would have to be filed.

## KILLS DOG CUTTING HAY

While out cutting alfalfa hay, Monday A. D. Hill, Jr., accidentally cut his dog so severely that the dog later had to be shot. It appears that the dog was lying in the alfalfa while A. D., Jr. was running the mower and the cycle struck the dog before he was aware of the danger and injured him so badly that he was beyond aid, he did however, manage to hobble to the irrigation ditch, where a kindly neighbor sent him on to dog heaven.

## GASOLINE BURNS

Young Kemp, son of Nat Kemp, was badly burned the last of the week by spilling gasoline on one of his shoulders. The gas was accidentally ignited burning him painfully. The accident occurred while he was at work in the Illinois Camp.

## BALL GAME HERE SUNDAY

The Artesia Oilers will meet the Roswell Giants in a ball game here Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p. m. on the East Main diamond. Roswell is coming with a revamped line-up and a fast game is expected. The following Sunday, Artesia will journey to Roswell for a return game.

## NEW BOOKS IN THE LIBRARY

A recent shipment of new books received at the library included thirty odd juvenile books and a number of popular books for adult readers. Among the latter are "God and Groceryman," by Harold Bell Wright, and "The Comings of Ann," by Emma Speed Sampson.

## LAWRENCE RANCH SOLD

A deal was completed Monday, whereby the Lawrence ranch, near Lake Arthur was traded to the Karakauer-Zork Investment Co., of El Paso for El Paso property. The trade was consummated jointly through M. W. Evans of this city and the W. K. Ramsey Co., of El Paso. The Lawrence ranch is one of the pioneer operating concerns of the valley, having been established some twenty years ago. It includes 2240 acres of farm land. The total consideration involved in the trade was reported to be \$575,000.00.

The new owners will take possession November 1st, this year.

## FRANK M. ROBINSON DIES SUNDAY EVENING AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Frank M. Robinson, age 37 years, died at the family residence on south second street here, Sunday evening at 8 p. m., following an extended illness. Hopes were held for his recovery until a few weeks ago, when it became known that his condition became critical and that his life slowly ebbed away.

Mr. Robinson came to Artesia with his family, from Kansas City in 1920 and resided here some eight months, then returning to Kansas City, where he lived for a short time before coming back to Artesia in 1922. He made his home here continuously since the latter date. He followed various occupations as his health would permit during his early residence here, but was confined to his home some eight or nine months previous to his last illness. His wife, Mrs. Anna Robinson has been an employee of the Advocate since 1923 and was made linotype operator at this office, which position she very efficiently and faithfully held since the installation of the present machine some three years ago.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the Methodist church yesterday afternoon, Rev. C. C. Higbee, officiating. Interment was made in the Woodbine cemetery. The deceased is survived by a widow, Mrs. Anna Robinson, a daughter, Wilma, a mother Mrs. Lucy Robinson, a brother at Wayne Nebraska and a sister, of this city, Mrs. Batterson.

## STORES WILL CLOSE ONE DAY FOR RODEO.

Wm. Coates, manager of the Hope Rodeo, was in the Advocate office yesterday states that arrangements have been made for all business places here to close one day during the Rodeo. The stores will close from 10 a. m., throughout the remainder of the day, September first.

## STANDARD TRAINING SCHOOL FACULTY CHANGE

Telegraphic information just received is to the effect that on account of the serious illness of Rev. H. M. Barton, husband of Mrs. Barton, who was scheduled to teach "training juniors in worship" in the standard training school which begins at the Artesia Methodist church next Monday evening, a course on "intermediate-senior organization and administration" will be offered instead. This latter course will deal with boys and girls twelve to seventeen and will be taught by Mrs. J. C. Jones of Marfa, Texas. This is a most critical time in the development of our youth and Mrs. Jones is eminently qualified to offer excellent counsel to teachers and parents who deal with this age group. Those planning on taking the "junior" course are privileged to exchange their work and take the latter course or may select any of the other courses which will be offered in the school.

## OPERATIONS DECLINE IN MID-CONTINENT FIELD.

The Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and New Mexico areas of the Mid-Continent field the past fiscal week revealed a total of 3,063 operations, 140 less than the previous week. All four states showed losses.

The greatest decline was in Texas, a loss of 81 being shown to a total of 590 operations. Oklahoma fell off four operations, and but for the Seminole area its losses would have equaled those of Texas. Kansas lost six and New Mexico one.

## WORK TO START SEPT. 5th ON NEW HOME OF THE SMOKE HOUSE

Tom Hefflin, has recently been awarded a contract to build a new home for the Smokehouse, according to announcements made Tuesday by the owner, H. Q. Haley. The new structure will occupy the present site of the Smokehouse, back to the former quarters of the Smokehouse Barber Shop, which space is to be used by Mr. Haley to operate his newspaper and magazine business, during the construction of the new building.

The new structure is to be a one story brick, 25 by 55 feet, with tile floors of the latest patterns. New fixtures will be installed throughout to match the finished interior.

Work on the building proper will start Monday September 5th. The contract is expected to be completed within sixty days from the start of the building operations.

Advocate want ads get results.

## VISITORS AT THE ROTARY CLUB

A number of the members of the Roswell Rotary Club, again visited the Artesia club at Tuesday's luncheon. Among the Roswellites attending Tuesday's luncheon were: Ed Williams, H. B. Smyrle, Fred Miller and John Cauhope. Ed Sisk of Albuquerque was present and gave a resume of the International Rotary convention held at Ostend Belgium some time ago. A. L. Allinger and Rev. John P. Sinclair of Artesia were also numbered among the visitors.

The program on Tuesday was in charge of the committee on classification.

## ROAD BOND ELECTION ORDERED FOR SEPT. 15 TO BUILD WEST HIWAY

## El Paso and Hudspeth Co's. Will Attempt To Create Road District for Purpose of Financing an Eastern Highway Program.

According to the news dispatches in the El Paso Times, the El Paso County commissioners recently met and formulated plans for laying out a road district in the direction of the lower valley for the purpose of financing the building of a highway to the Carlsbad Caverns and a branch road, which is designated to meet the Hope-Artesia highway, forty miles of which has been constructed.

If the present plans are carried out the construction of a highway in the direction of Artesia and Carlsbad will be a joint effort of the counties of El Paso and Hudspeth. An election has been called in these two counties, to be held on September 15th, for the purpose of creating a road district in both counties. If a favorable vote is given the project, the highway will be built to the Caverns and a spur constructed on the Artesia road for a distance of fifteen miles. The remainder of the work necessary to connect with the Artesia-Hope highway toward the Pass City will be financed by private subscription. This distance amounts to approximately forty miles, it is understood.

The Artesia-Hope end of the highway has been completed and is now being maintained by a road crew. Further work on the highway in the Maljamar area east of the city, which forms an important connecting link in the Fort Worth El Paso highway, will likely be held up pending the outcome of the road district election.

## GOVERNMENT EXPENSES TO BE HEAVIER COMING YEAR

Rapid City, S. D.—An increase in government expenditures next year above first estimates was put up to President Coolidge today by Director Lord of the budget who came into the Black Hills Friday night with a tentative budget.

Various special items have contributed to swell the tentative estimate \$125,000,000 above the limit of \$3,300,000,000 set by the President last June for government expenditures in the coming year.

Whatever comes of these special appropriations which are before the President, Lord gave assurance that next year's budget would carry funds for the first year's work on the additional cruisers authorized by congress. A year ago the budget director and the President proposed to withhold money for starting work on three of the eight cruisers which had been authorized by congress, but after a bitter fight congress over ruled the administration and insisted upon appropriating money for these other three for which plans are now being drafted.

It is not considered likely that even if the President does approve the \$125,000,000 in extra appropriations for next year that it will have a material effect on the prospective tax reduction.

Mr. Colidge also was interested Saturday in receiving a report on farm conditions in the far west and middle west from Eugene Meyer newly appointed chairman of the Federal Farm Loan Board. Mr. Meyer has been on a trip through the west.

The Kinder, Keller and Hively families enjoyed a picnic at the Oasis last evening. The outing was arranged as a compliment to the Hivelys, who are making a change. Mrs. Hively expects to leave next Tuesday to spend some time in Farmington and the Hively boys, who have been spending the summer here, will return to their grandparents in Kansas, their father going as far as Clovis with them.

## Natural Gas for Artesia Now Seems a Probability

## Representative of Texas Co. Spends Two Days Here in A Survey of the Field, Is Well Pleased With Prospects of Region.

Those who have given considerable thought to the problems connected with piping natural gas from the oil field into the various valley towns believe that this possibility is nearer at hand today than ever before and that the next few weeks will see definite action in the formulation of plans.

This announcement was made yesterday after it became known that a representative of the natural gas department of the Texas Company spent two days here the past week in a survey of the field. So well pleased was he of the possibilities offered that he will recommend the project to his company. The survey not only included the oil fields, but the various towns of the valley north as far as Roswell and the farm lands adjacent. Should the project be acted on favorably this company will be in a position to supply a cheap fuel to the pumping plants and cotton gins enroute to the north valley town.

The Texas Company is the second major company to become interested in supplying natural gas to the valley towns. Another major company representative visited this section shortly after the Texas Production Co., blew in a gasser on their Robinson No. 1 well, but the results of his findings have not been learned, so far as known.

According to press reports representatives of two separate utility companies have recently spent several days in the valley, gathering data and information, relative to the feasibility of supplying the valley towns with natural gas, which would serve the towns of Artesia, Lake Arthur, Hagerman, Dexter and Roswell.

## INFANT SON OF MR. AND MRS. WATSON DIES FRIDAY

News was received here Friday of the death of little Jack Watson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Watson, which occurred forty miles out of Portales, while the little one was being rushed to a hospital near by. The announcement came as a distinct shock to friends of the family here, as it was not known that the condition of the little one was serious. Mr. and Mrs. Watson were former residents of Artesia, having recently moved from here to Portales, where Mr. Watson entered the drug business.

Funeral services were held at Portales Saturday morning and burial was made in the Portales cemetery. A number of relatives and friends from this section attended the funeral.

## ROSWELL DEFEATED BY OILERS HERE THURSDAY BY SCORE OF 15 TO 5

The Oilers had little trouble subduing the Roswell Giants here last Thursday, to the tune of 15-5. Practically all local business houses closed for the game and the players showed their appreciation by playing a good brand of baseball.

The heavy artillery of Artesia's batting order soon found the range of the Roswell pitchers and shelled their offerings to all corners of the lot, piling up twenty three safe hits for the day's battle. Martin and Boren contributed home runs to the local cause, Anderson of Roswell also hit for four bases during the game.

Purtle started the game on the mound for the Oilers and had things well in hand when he retired in the sixth, so as to be in shape for the Carlsbad contest Sunday. Martin finished the game in good style.

Score by innings.

R H E  
Roswell ..... 100 020 200—5 9 4  
Artesia ..... 240 300 06x—15 23 3  
Batteries: Raynolds, Whitenburg and Harris; Purtle, Martin and Kyle, McCutcheon.

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TELEPHONE NO. 7

"Talent is developed in quietude;  
character in the turmoil of the  
world."—Goethe.

A business man recently made a  
very good suggestion for the im-  
provement in the appearance of the  
town, which would not only be bene-  
ficial so far as looks go, but would  
be an important factor in the preser-  
vation of the general health. The  
suggestion was to the effect that  
the weeds and rubbish be cleaned  
from the vacant lots on Main street  
and from curbing between the side  
walks and the pavement.

### IT'S A LONG WAIT

Oil operations in a wild cat ter-  
ritory often times appear to be a  
long drawn process to the layman.  
Along with the delays there are  
many disappointments. But such is  
the history of the industry.

A ray of hope serves to cheer the  
wild catter along the darkest cor-  
ners, although it some times takes  
an optimist to see the ray. Despite  
the fact that developments have not  
progressed as rapidly as we had  
hoped for in this section, the opera-  
tors are feeling more confident.  
This restoration of confidence has  
been due in a large measure to the  
fact that the oil flood, caused prin-  
cipally by the over production in  
the Seminole, Oklahoma Field is  
slowing up. Whether the decline in  
the Seminole field is natural or due  
to the recent shut down has not  
been determined, but production over  
the entire nation has shown a de-  
cline for the past two weeks. This  
condition, however has undoubtedly  
had its effect on the renewal of interest  
in the drilling campaign.

### CONGRATULATIONS

President William Green, of the  
American Federation of Labor, is  
entitled to the thanks of the coun-  
try for his vigorous denunciation,  
in the recent congress of the Pan-  
American Federation of Labor, held  
at Washington, of the socialist and  
communist extremists from Latin-  
American countries, who had set out  
to capture this convention and use it  
for a vehicle of denunciation of the  
United States. Under communist  
and socialist inspiration, the purpose  
of these windy fire-eaters was to  
turn this conference into a "pan"  
America wordfest.

President Green warned these rad-  
icals that they could better serve the  
cause of labor in their respective  
countries by promoting amity with  
the United States than by preaching  
hatred of America and misrepresent-  
ing the motives of the American gov-  
ernment and people.

He reminded a Venezuelan dele-  
gate, who had been denouncing the  
Monroe Doctrine as a device of  
American "imperialism," that but for  
this doctrine Venezuela would long  
ago have become a European depend-  
ency.

It was shown that one of the  
noisiest radicals in this conference  
was a former employe of President  
Calles, of Mexico, and a professional  
anti-American fire-brand.

Through the influence of the  
American delegation to this confer-  
ence the intended biter was bitten by  
resolutions strongly denouncing the  
Moscow dictatorship for its effort to  
establish its despotic sway over labor  
in the western hemisphere. These  
resolutions declared the bitter emity  
of American labor toward the mar-  
plots seeking to use labor in Latin-  
America and in the United States  
as a means of overthrowing free  
government throughout the world.

The significance of the attacks  
made upon the American government  
in Nicaragua, Mexico and other  
Latin-American countries is becom-  
ing increasingly apparent. The wis-  
dom of the firm and consistent  
policy followed by the American gov-

## PANKEY HOLDS SALE OF STATE OIL AND GAS LEASES AT ROSWELL

State Land Commissioner Ben F.  
Pankey held a state land sale of  
state oil and gas leases at the court-  
house Friday morning at 10 o'clock.  
At this sale a total of 1,282 acres,  
located for the most part in Chaves  
county were sold, the big price be-  
ing 35 cents an acre. The name of  
the purchaser was not made public.  
Commissioner Pankey went to  
Lovington Saturday where he con-  
ducted another sale of state oil and  
gas leases, all of which are located  
in Lea county. This block of leases  
totals 40,000 acres being in four 10,-  
000 acre blocks.

Commissioner Pankey was accom-  
panied by his wife, Mrs. A. B. Hens-  
ley, clerk of the state land office.  
Mrs. Mary Griffin, chief of the oil  
department of the state land office  
and Mrs. Mabel Hunsaker, chief of  
the land and sales department.

From Lovington the party went  
to Carlsbad Saturday night and took  
a trip through the Carlsbad caverns  
on Sunday, thence returning to Santa  
Fe Monday.

### FATS AND OILS

It takes a lot of fat and oil to run  
this country of ours, and despite the  
fact that figures are dull it is worth  
while to cogitate a little on statis-  
tics of fats and oil.

The factory production of oils dur-  
ing the past year, was as follows:  
Vegetable oils, 487,200,695 pounds;  
fish oils, 7,008, 433 pounds; animal  
fats, 593,333,175 pounds; and grease,  
102,615,614 pounds, a total of 1,180,-  
157,917 pounds. Of the several kinds  
of fats and oils covered by this in-  
quiry, the greatest production, 458,-  
802,329 pounds appears for lard.  
Next in order is cottonseed oil with  
204, 902, 851 pounds; linseed 71,031,-  
662 pounds; and corn oil with 27,-  
779,405 pounds.

The production of refined oils dur-  
ing the period was as follows: Cot-  
tonseed 273,120,362 pounds, coconut,  
63,838,821 pounds, peanut, 1,485,101  
pounds; corn, 18,112,611 pounds;  
soya-bean, 647,962 pounds; and palm-  
kernel, 389,730 pounds. The quantity  
of crude oil used in the production  
of each of these refined oils is in-  
cluded in the figurers of crude con-  
sumed.

### STEW FAR—STEW FAR

Prof. (giving a lecture)—"I don't  
mind if a student looks at his  
watch once in a while, but what gets  
me is to see someone take out his  
watch, shake it a few times, and  
then put it up to his ear."

ernment is equally apparent. No  
good is intended by such agitation  
either to the United States or to the  
United States or to the governments  
and people of Latin-America. Amer-  
ican labor is awake to the fact that  
it would have nothing to gain and  
everything to lose by maintaining a  
partnership with the forces which  
wage war on civilization under the  
red banner of bolshevism.—Optic.

### NEED A LASTING DOSE OF DISCIPLINE

The Italian friends of Sacco and  
Vanzetti, sentenced to be executed in  
Massachusetts for a brutal murder,  
while they were staging a hold-up,  
are protesting against the conviction  
and sentence in such a manner which  
merits them attention in a disciplin-  
ary and impressive way.

In protest they have bombed the  
subway in New York in two places,  
injuring a score or more of people,  
bombed the home of the mayor of  
Baltimore, and, for protection, forced  
the mayors of a number of large  
eastern cities to employ extra num-  
bers of officers.

This newspaper is no believer in  
mob law, but there are times when  
it seems essential to the welfare of  
the country as a whole, and this is  
one of the instances.

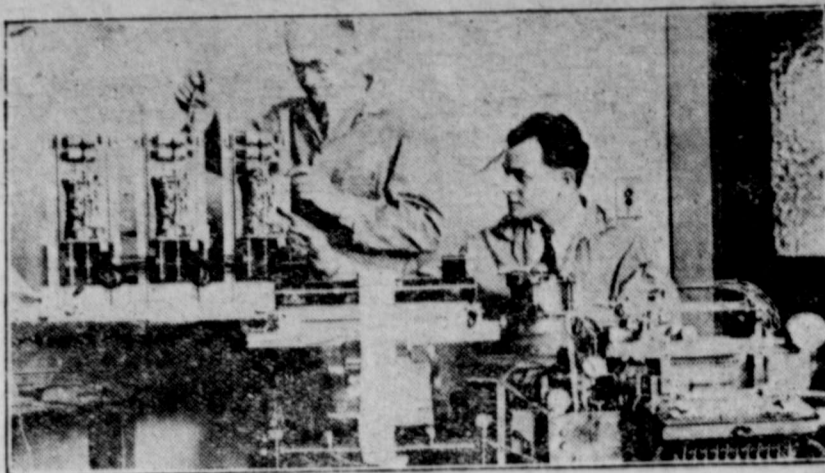
Old-timers will recall two in-  
stances of like nature, occurring in  
Denver and New Orleans. The courts  
of the two cities either through polit-  
ics, or being unwilling or from fear,  
failed or refused to convict a number  
of Italians for various crimes com-  
mitted—among them a number of  
murders.

The law loving and justice loving  
people of the two cities stood it un-  
til patience was broken, then took  
the law in their own hand, rounded  
up a number of the cowardly bucks,  
and hung them to the cross-arms of  
telegraph poles in the business dis-  
tricts of the cities.

Since that time, if one cares to  
examine the records of the courts in  
the two cities named, it will be  
found there has been less lawless-  
ness on the part of the Italians than  
on the part of any other nationality.

The tough element, which thought  
it was immune from the law, was  
taught its little lesson—the fear of  
outraged American manhood was im-  
bedded into its mind and heart, and  
since observance of the law has been  
marked on the part of the Italians  
in the two cities.

A few lynchings of the bukoos re-  
sponsible for the bombings in the  
East will give those inclined to fol-  
low in their footsteps a much needed  
dose of discipline.—Tucumcari News.



YOUNG MEN MAKE MILLION FROM NEW BUSINESS  
INVENTION

Boston, Mass.—L. Frank Woodruff, professor of electrical engineering  
at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (left), and Edward Rogal,  
a former Tech instructor, are shown making final tests on a new electri-  
cal control machine which will do the work of 60 per cent of the clerks,  
auditors and messengers now employed in department stores and factor-  
ies.

## INSIDE INFORMATION

Try eggs baked in tomato sauce  
in a shallow baking dish for lunch  
or dinner.

If you need help with dressmaking  
problems, send for Farmers' Bulle-  
tin 1530-F, "Fitting Dresses and  
Blouses."

Cream for whipping should be 24  
hours old, and should be very cold.  
The bowl and beater should be chil-  
ed in order to have successful re-  
sults. Add sugar and flavor when  
the desired whip is reached.

Waxing or varnishing is said to  
improve the appearance of linoleum  
and to make it last longer. Wax  
should be used on the inlaid and  
plain kinds and varnish on the print-  
ed ones, for wax sometimes tends  
to soften the printed surface.

Many of the troublesome house-  
hold insects feed on crumbs, scraps  
and other exposed food. So keep  
your food supplies in tight metal  
or glass containers. Clean up  
promptly any food crumbs that may  
be scattered about. Don't leave any  
food uncovered.

A chance bedbug is no disgrace,  
but a family of them is an indica-  
tion of relaxed vigilance on the part  
of the housekeeper. If you discover  
any, force kerosene, gasoline, or ben-  
zine into cracks or crevices of the  
bedstead and along the moldings and  
baseboards of the room. Successive  
application should be made every 3  
or 4 days for about 2 weeks to kill  
any bugs hatched in the intervening  
periods.

To get rid of rats and mice begin  
by closing up all openings through  
which they are likely to get into the  
house. Store all supplies in tight  
metal or glass containers. Dispose  
of waste and garbage in tightly cov-  
ered receptacles, regularly emptied.  
Set traps. Get some barium carbon-  
ate, a poison, and distribute it ac-  
cording to the directions given on  
the package, by mixing it with food  
frequently eaten by rats and mice,  
and placing it where it will be eaten.

Apples appear on the table in  
many forms during the early fall,  
for there are sure to be windfalls  
and imperfect apples which must be  
cooked to be saved. Some of these  
should be canned as apple sauce or  
pie apples, of course. In addition to  
pie and dumplings, some may be  
used for apple betty, apple cobbler,  
apple snow, Dutch apple cake, up-  
side down apple cake, apple fritters,  
baked and steamed apples; others  
may be put into fruit salad or fruit  
cup; with the meat course one may  
have fried apples, sweet potatoes  
and apples, or cabbage and apples.  
Stuffed baked apples are also sug-  
gested.

Children get the habit of eating  
unsuitable food because the busy  
mother has not time to plan and  
prepare two separate menus. It is  
relatively easy, however, to plan  
menus composed of foods which are  
suitable for children to eat, or to  
adapt the foods in the grown-up

## LARGE SCALE HEALTH DEMONSTRATION

Consolidating the health accom-  
plishments of the American Red  
Cross which moved forward in step  
with the emergency relief work that  
affected nearly 600,000 sufferers in  
the flood of the Mississippi Valley,  
the Red Cross and co-operating ag-  
encies instituted a 30-day follow-up  
health program. As the emergency  
relief period came to a close in each  
area down the valley, this program  
was inaugurated in each county. It  
embraced immunization, purification  
of water supplies adequate disposal  
of sewage, the disposal of animal  
carcasses, oil spraying, and screen-  
ing against the mosquito pest.

From the beginning of the emer-  
gency work, the health program has  
more than justified itself. There  
has been no serious outbreak of dis-  
ease in any part of the flooded valley.  
On the contrary, the incidence  
of sickness among the refugees has  
actually been less than experienced  
normally in the same areas.

There has been organized to carry  
out this follow-up program a mili-  
tary force of 267 physicians, health  
officers, sanitarians, sanitary in-  
spectors and nurses. This force will  
be engaged in the five states of Ar-  
kansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Mis-  
souri and Tennessee. It is composed  
of forty five physicians, forty nine  
health officers, twenty sanitarians,  
fifty sanitary inspectors, 103 nurses.  
The sanitary inspectors are local ex-  
perts in the various communities.  
The U. S. Public Health Service pro-  
vided the major part of the remain-  
ing personnel, except the nurses, who  
were assigned to duty by the Ameri-  
can Red Cross.

The supplies required in carrying  
out this 30-day program include  
2,480 barrels of spraying oil, 44 bar-  
rels of crude oil, 139 spraying cans,  
318,180 cans of chloride of lime,  
1,40 barrels of hydrated lime, 19,-  
975,000 grains of quinine, 210,750  
yards of mosquito netting, seven  
tons of dynamite for use in burial  
of animals, and approximately 100-  
000 mosquito bars furnished by the  
communities themselves, beside mat-  
erial for screen doors and window  
screening. The estimated expendi-  
ture for the 30-day period of health  
work is a little more than \$310,000.

The immunization of flood refu-  
gees against typhoid fever has  
established a record, both for extent  
and time. As this part of the health  
program neared completion, it was  
conservatively estimated that more  
than a half million persons will have  
had this anti-typhoid treatment.  
Ninety per cent of the refugees in  
the camps who received the treat-  
ment had been persistently followed  
up in towns and villages and on the  
plantations among those who were  
scattered all over the valley out-  
side of the camps. And it will have  
been done in the space of little more  
than ten weeks. In addition, very  
close to 200,000 persons were vac-  
cinated against smallpox. (Red Cross  
Courier)

menu so that the children can eat  
them. For example, high flavoring  
and rich sauces may be omitted,  
fruits used instead of pastry, and  
milk dessert given frequently.

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**LOST**

Coat and hat folded envelope, probably lost last Thursday. Reward. C. E. Brown. 34-2tp

**FOR RECORD IN CLERK'S OFFICE**

1927.  
Deed.  
Huchison et al, et al, R. A. Huchison vs. Jay Bird No. 7 in 19-20 S. R. 31 (58-52)

Deed.  
Culpepper vs. M. B. Culpepper 1 & 3 Block 21 Orig. (57-89)

Court.  
Bill in Equity, Martha M. W. H. Crockett SE 1/4 25-17-32

Suit to Revive Judgment P. Ragsdale vs. E. H. Atty for Plt. 1927.

Santa Fe Pacific Railroad 8-19-26 (B-548)

Attorney.  
Haley vs. H. G. Haley (2-257)

Deed.  
Oscar Samelson vs. 1 Blk 9 Orig. Artesia; in Brick wall on West 3 and East side of Lot 9; (58-53)

Deed.  
Haley vs. H. Q. Haley as above (58-55)

Deed.  
Haley Trust Co. to L. E. 1000 Lot 12 Blk 88 Lowe Carlsbad (50-96)

Court.  
In the Matter of the Estate of M. Beatty, Dec., Lot 1 La Huerta.

Court.  
Lis Pendens, Joe Petska vs. Pullen, et al, NWNE; 22-27 W. R. 1927.

Court.  
In the matter of the last testament of A. Rayroux 1927.

Deed.  
to E. J. Breen \$105.00 8 Malaga; also tr. 24 (58-56)

Deed.  
to G. K. Richardson 1 & 3 Block 75 Lowe Carlsbad (57-34)

Court.  
Matter of the Estate of Application for Let-administration. (2-84)

**DRILLING REPORT**

The only newspaper in New Mexico carrying first hand information on the important test wells drilling in southeastern New Mexico. If interested in this section read The Advocate. We give this information a week to ten days ahead of any other paper published in the state.

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**Eddy County.**

Clark and Grimm, Daugherty No. 1, NE SW sec. 3-17-27; Shut down at 1100 feet.

R. D. Compton Well No. 4, Mann permit, in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 sec. 4-18-27; Drilling below 300 feet.

Donnley et al., McClay permit, SE corner SW 1/4 sec. 24-17-27; Drilling below 1200 feet.

Empire Gas and Fuel Co., Russell 3A, SE SW sec. 35-17-27; No report.

F. W. & Y. Oil Co., well No. 50, in NE corner NW SW sec. 3-18-28; Drilling below 2375 feet.

George F. Getty, Inc., Rawson-Mesa No. 1 in the SE 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 14-20-29; Fishing for bit.

Getty Oil Co., No. 1, NW corner sec. 33-22-27; Drilling below 1600 feet.

Hammond Oil Co., NW SE SW sec. 15-16-25; Shut down at 1203 feet.

Kelly et al., Jim Berry permit, No. 1, NW NW sec. 27-17-27; Drilling below 600 feet.

Manhattan Oil Co., No. 1, Cronin permit, SE NE sec. 1-18-27; Shut down.

Midwest Oil Co., Terry No. 1 SW corner NW 1/4 sec. 15-18-28; Drilling around 3100 feet.

Operators Oil Co.-Texmore Oil and Gas Corp., No. 16 state in the NW corner of the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 sec. 34-17-28; Drilling below 2170 feet.

Pueblo Oil Co., Yates No. 2, SE sec. 33-17-28; Location.

W. A. Stone Oil Co., No. 1, Hnuilik, SW corner NW NW sec. 25-17-26; Drilling below 2805 feet.

Skelly Oil Co., Lynch permit, sec. 22-17-31; Plugging to shoot pipe.

Texas Production Co., No. 1 Robinson, NE SW sec. 25-16-31; Separator operating.

Texas Production Co., Robinson No. 2, NW SW sec. 25-16-31; Moving materials.

**Chaves County.**

Arena Oil Co., NE 1/4 sec 18-13-31; Set 12 1/2 inch casing at 412, Preparing to set 10-inch casing to 600 feet.

Buffalo Roswell, in sec. 24-11-27; Shut down.

Etz, De Vito et al., NW SE sec. 24-11-25; Preparing to start up under new management.

Gibson Oil Corp., Forsyth No. 1, center NE 1/4 sec. 8-11-23; S. D. at 672 feet.

Sparrow and Drake, Fahrlander No. 1, sec. 11-6-27; S. D. at 60 feet.

Texas Company No. 1, Dunken Dome, SW 1/4 sec. 29-17-18; Drilling below 4500 feet.

**Lea County.**

Cap Rock Oil and Gas Co., Leonard and Levers well No. 1, SE 1/4 sec. 11-16-32; Drilling below 4770 feet, oil show at 4725 feet.

Covert et al., No. 1, NE NE sec. 15-21-33; Reported plugging at 4434 feet.

Exploration Company, well No. 1, in the NE 1/4 sec. 25-19-35; S. D. at 3540 feet.

Henderson-Dexter-Blair, Wyatt No. 1, SW SW sec. 34-17-33; Drilling below 5365 feet.

Inglefield & Bridges, sec. 4-17-34; Shut down waiting for repairs.

A. D. Morton well No. 1, in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 28-11-38; Shut down.

Malamar Oil and Gas Corp., Beardsley No. 2, NE corner SE NE sec. 15-17-32; Underreaming at 840 feet.

Pueblo Oil Co., Gessert No. 1, in the N NW sec. 1-17-31; Moving materials.

Texas Production Co., Jackson No. 1, in the SE corner sec. 4-20-34; Underreaming to set 10 inch at 1450 feet.

Texas Production Co., Rhodes No. 1, NW 1/4 sec. 22-26-37; Straight reaming at 2960 to set 8.

Texas Production Co., No. 1 Lockhart, in sec. 5-22-38; Underreaming 10 inch.

**Curry County.**

Frio Oil Co., Saunders No. 2, in sec. 11, twp. 5N, 35 E.; Drilling below 1230 feet.

Hasson Petroleum Co., Arthur Laird No. 1, sec. 22-8-36; Shut down.

Steinberger et al., No. 1, in the center of the NE 1/4 sec. 21, twp. 3 N., 35 E.; Shut down for 30 days.

**Quay County.**

Argo Oil Co., sec. 5-7-31;

**STANDARD TRAINING BEGINS AT THE METHODIST CHURCH**

Everything points to an auspicious beginning of the Standard Training school which begins a five-day session Monday at the Artesia Methodist church. The minimum requirement of fifty pupils has been more than attained. Included in the enrollment of people from other churches in the city and several from our neighboring cities.

Rev. C. C. Higbee, pastor of the Artesia Methodist church, will drive to Roswell Saturday and bring the entire faculty to Artesia. Prof. M. C. Davis, professor of bible in Lyddia Patterson Institute, El Paso, Texas, will occupy the pulpit Sunday morning, the 21st. The community will find it a treat to hear the message which Prof. Davis will bring.

At eight o'clock Sunday evening, the entire faculty will be introduced. Each will give a brief statement of the nature of the course which he will teach in the training school and make definite assignments for the opening session Monday evening. It is suggested that those who cannot be at the service Sunday evening prepare the first two chapters of the text.

The recitations will be held from 7:00 to 9:00 p. m. from Monday, the 22nd to and including Friday, the 26th. There will be two recitations of one hour each. A brief recess will be given between the two class periods during which the pupils may shift about so as to avoid weariness. The requirements of a standard school do not permit absence of more than one recitation.

Pupils will be graded on written work each day instead of a final examination. Those making a grade of at least seventy will be given a certificate of credit of one unit toward the standard training school diploma. Arrangements have been made through the International Sunday school Association whereby these credits apply in any of the different churches.

We cannot speak too highly of the faculty which will offer the various courses. Each has had a collegiate foundation; has been required to obtain through technical training in his particular subject, and has had years of practical experience in the field covered by his study. This is the first opportunity of this kind offered in Artesia and one which we cannot afford to miss.

C. C. HIGBEE

S. D. at 3500 feet. Gibson Oil Co., NW 1/4 sec. 25-8-32; S. D. contract completed to 3500 feet.

Midwest Refining Co., Rhodes No. 1, sec. 30-6-31; Shut down.

Ohio Oil Co., sec. 24, twp 7 N, rg. 29 E.; Shut down, will set 5 1/2 inch at 3530.

**DeBaca County.**

McAdoo Petroleum Corp., State No. 1, sec. 16-1-27; No report.

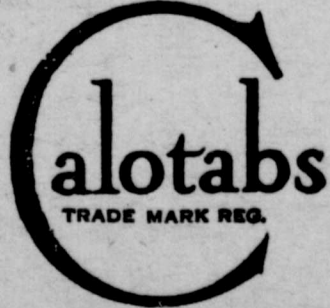
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**DAYTON ITEMS**  
(Mrs. W. H. Rambo, Reporter)

Miss Cornilla Horner spent the week end with Artesia friends.

John Fanning is still in the Hospital at Roswell with and injured eye.

Van Smith and R. C. Horner were transacting business in Artesia Tuesday.

Mrs. W. D. Eads and son Billie Bob motored to Artesia Tuesday morning.

Miss Frankie Wailes spent a few days last week with relatives and friends at Carlsbad.

J. Houston and son of Lovington formally of Dayton were visiting with Dayton friends Saturday.

Mrs. Myrtle Reaves who has been visiting at the Harrison home returned to the Moon Ranch Tuesday.

Bob Gushua and family motored to Carlsbad where Dr. Culpepper removed the tonsils of two of their children.

P. O. Brown and family, relatives of R. C. Horner, who have been visiting at Dayton returned to their home at Wichita Falls Texas Thursday.

Miss Velma Owens with Mrs. Hoyt Owen's three children left for Carlsbad Friday and will remain there until Mrs. Owens is able to return home.

Bob Floyd and son of Lakewood passed through Dayton Tuesday morning enroute to the Diamond A ranch on the Hondo to visit his son, Robert Floyd Jr. and family.

Monday morning Will and Bobbie Sterling with Mrs. Ollie Sterling and children left for Albuquerque where Ollie will visit a few days at the Sterling home before going on to the White Pine Lumber Co., Camp to join her husband, Gordon Sterling.

A home gathering was held at the home of Wm. Sterling Sunday. Those present were: Will and Bobbie Sterling of Albuquerque, Mrs. Ollie Sterling and daughters of Lakewood. Mrs. Jessie Thomas and family of Carlsbad, Mrs. W. D. Eads and sons and Wm. Sterling and wife.

A family reunion is being held at the Rev. J. D. Terry home. Those present are four sons and families and two daughters. The sons are Witt Terry, wife and one daughter, Lucy Herring Terry and friend, Miss Nadine Gosselin, of Enid Okla. Mark Terry and two sons, Tom Witt and Marks Jr. of Englewood Kansas, Tom Terry and family of Cottonwood, and Paul Terry and family of Artesia, the daughters are Mrs. Mamie Stroud of Altus Okla. and Mrs. Florance Miller of Los Angeles California. There is still one son and one

daughter who will be here later and then all will tour the mountains for a couple of weeks, then return here for a short visit.

The ancient French French-Canadian city of Quebec was gay with flags as the Prince of Wales, his brother, Prince George, and Premier Stanley Baldwin and Mrs. Baldwin arrived on board the S. S. Empress of Australia to attend the Dominion's diamond jubilee celebration.

**YES—YES INDEED**

Gerald—How long is it since you were abroad?  
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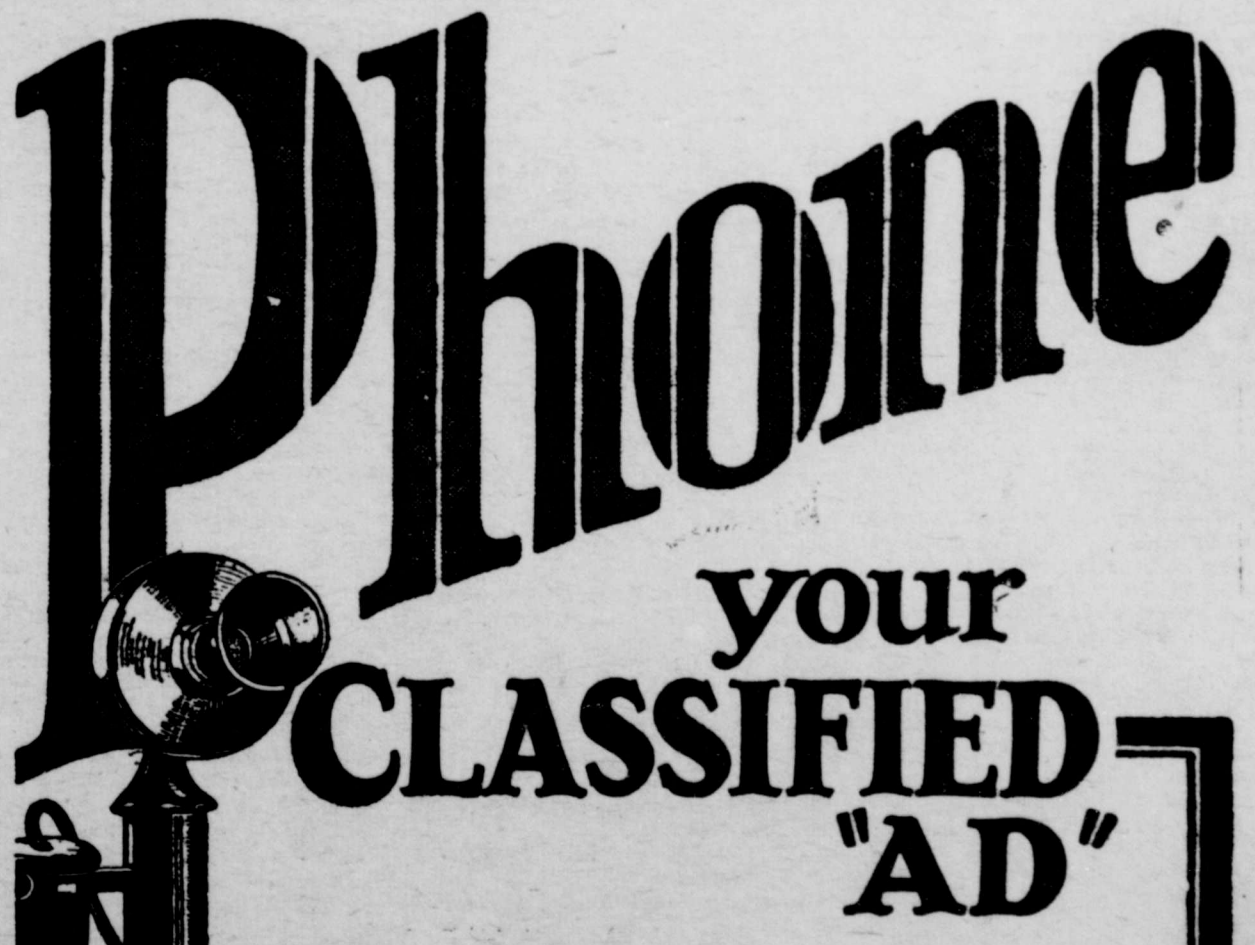
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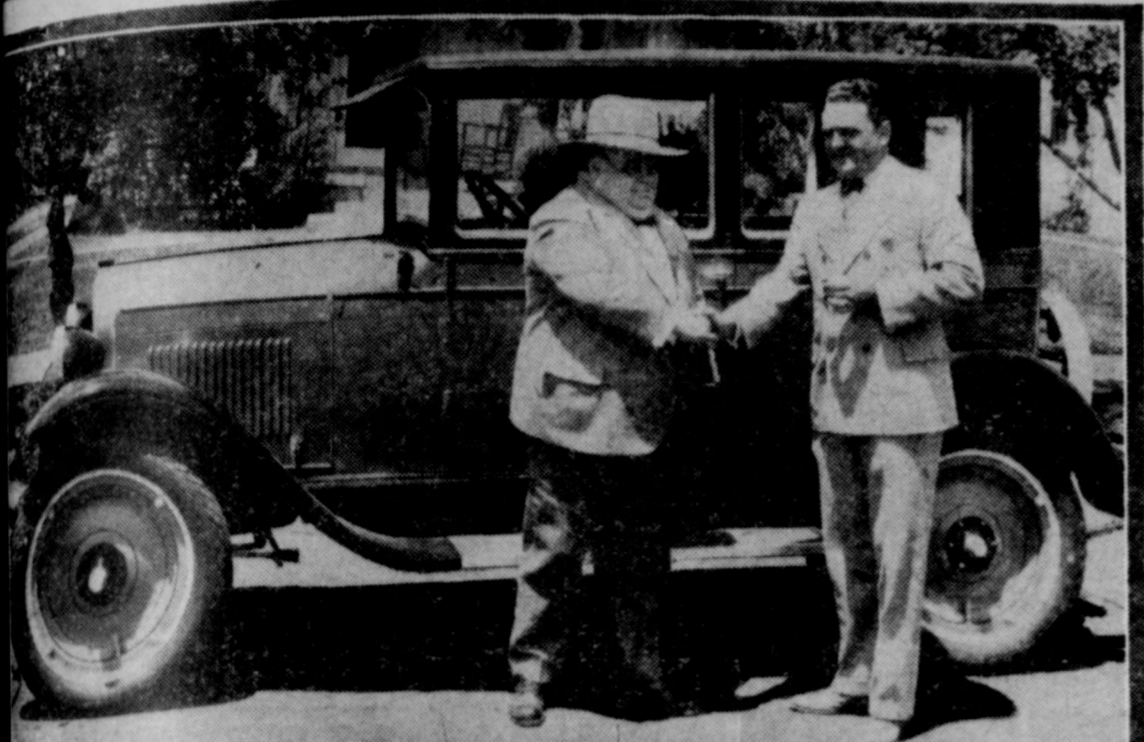


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## POUNDER FINDS COMFORT IN THE CHEVROLET COACH

Matraw, who weighs 300 pounds, has had a host of difficulties because of his unusual weight. Recently he has found an answer to one of his most difficult problems—how to find an automobile in which he can travel comfortably. The Chevrolet coach fills his needs, he declares, and he is above congratulating Warren, who is Chevrolet's Hollywood, on selling a car with such unusual room.



Scott Matraw, a small gentleman of 300 pounds weight, takes delivery of new Chevrolet coach, which he drives with comfort despite his rather unusual proportions.

He was manager of a theater for many years, as is the habit of many people, ate a heavy meal each night, and that his weight increased to over 300 pounds. He still wears only a number 34, his waist has grown to 54 inches. He wears a twenty and a seven and a half

hat. He eats no more than a normal person and has perfect health. Despite his weight, Matraw does anything a normal man can do—he can run, ride, dance and do an array of trick falls. He is an actor of ability and has recently finished parts with Billie Dove in "The Stolen Bride" a first national picture; has played in a whole series

of Universal comedies; and appeared in "Venus of Venice" with Constance Talmadge and Tony Moreno. "The car problem was one of my greatest until I discovered the new Chevrolet coach," Matraw told Warren. "The roominess of the car is nothing short of marvelous and I believe that no car is more beautiful."

### POTASH TESTS

The potash tests being made by the government in southeast New Mexico appear to be satisfactory, according to Dr. Geo. R. Mansfield of the geological survey. He says: "Although the investigation has not progressed far enough to determine whether commercial production of potash is feasible under present conditions, enough has been done for national defense purposes in case of war."

Government officials are enthusiastic over the analysis of samples taken from two wells being drilled on public land in Eddy County, New Mexico, as a test to determine if the potash exists in sufficient quantities to make it commercially useful. For the first time in the history of American mining, deposits of carnalite, the potassium salt from which Germany and France derive most of their potash, has been discovered in commercial quantities in the wells.

The discovery of potash in the Southwest will break Europe's stranglehold on the world's supply of this important mineral.—Southwest Review.

### POWER OF HEALTH OFFICER ABSOLUTE UNDER STATE LAW

"Since some question has been raised as to the powers of the county health officer to declare quarantines in epidemics and enforce whatever regulations he may deem necessary for the public health, Dr. N. D. Frazin has secured from District Attorney W. B. Walton an opinion under the existing state statute, as to his authority in placing a quarantine in Grant county on all dogs as a result of the recent outbreak of rabies. Dog owners should accordingly take heed; inasmuch as failure to obey the regulations put into effect will result in prosecution in the courts."—Silver City Independent.

Prompt action on the part of Dr. Frazin, Grant county health officer, has suppressed what threatened to be a dangerous outbreak of rabies at Santa Rita. Every dog in the town is now wearing a muzzle and a tag showing that it is vaccinated against the disease. The muzzle was an additional safeguard, since an unknown number had been bitten before vaccination was begun. A large number of ownerless strays have been relieved of their earthly miseries.

When last heard from, Dr. Frazin was heading for Tyrone to hold a dog-vaccination party. All pets were to be brought to the plaza and treated at one time. Those that did not appear were to be disposed of.

This is a good piece of preventive work for which Dr. Frazin has earned the gratitude of Grant county citizens.

He calls his former girl friend grapefruit, because when he squeezed her, she hit him in the eye.

**HOW "NOSE PRINTS" ARE USED TO IDENTIFY ANIMALS.**  
The loss of some valuable pedigreed live stock caused the owner to work out a plan of identification that has since been adopted by insurance companies as a measure of protection. It is the system of taking nose prints.

On several occasions thieves have made away with cattle, and have later tried brazenly to resell them in the vicinity of their original homes. And it has been found impossible to prove the correct ownership by ordinary methods of identification. With nose prints, however, positive proof of identity can now be given. For it has been found that the design on the nose of a cow or bull do not change, but merely increase in size. And it has been proved that no two animals have the same markings.

In order to obtain a nose print, it is necessary to hold the animal's head firmly under one arm. Then wipe the nose well with a soft piece of flannel or rag. Then take an ordinary office stamping pad, rubbing it over the nose until the ridges are well inked. Next take a piece of nonenameled paper that has been securely fastened to a board and press it firmly against the nose, beginning with the lower part, and press it in a rolling fashion gradually upwards.

An insurance company recently used this method with success in connection with a claim.

### How Temperature Is Affected by Trees

In a discussion of the effect of trees on temperature, Mr. W. B. Leach, city forester of New York, points out that if American streets and parks are well supplied with vigorous trees the summers would be cooler and the winters warmer. He gives as his chief reason for this theory the fact that the temperature of a tree never varies, in summer or in winter, from 54 degrees Fahrenheit. "If we cross one of the avenues on a hot day," states Mr. Leach, "when the temperature is 100 degrees Fahrenheit, and pass under the shade of a tree, we are refreshed by the cool air that meets us. What makes the change? Not the shade alone, but chiefly the fact that we are in the presence of a body that has a fixed temperature of 54 degrees Fahrenheit, or 46 degrees cooler than the street temperature." Likewise, on a cold winter day, in passing from the zero temperature of the street into a group of trees, the warmth experienced is due not only to the shelter afforded by the trees but to the warmth of the trees themselves.

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## CHANGE IN ROUTE TO MAIDEN'S HEART

### Writer Points to Rise of "New Sex Democracy."

The judgment of time has been that it is an exceedingly difficult problem for men and women to understand each other. The male has on innumerable occasions acknowledged his inability to fathom the workings of the female mind, and this doubtful compliment has in many instances been returned. No longer, it is said, is this sentiment mutual. The modern girl understands men.

This disclosure comes from the pen of Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, who in a magazine article considers the changes that have transformed the romantic period into the flapper age. Chief among these causes, she says, is that men are no longer able to fool girls. The day of flattery, she believes, has passed, and dashing cavaliers "tall, dark and handsome," no longer fill the heroic role in a young maid's fancy.

Instead, the writer finds a "new sex democracy," which has brought an era of comradeship in which young people "take each other as they are and not as they believe they are," and girls no longer fall in love with the image, only to come eventually to the day of great disillusionment.

A girl now has some hand in the choice of her husband, if she does not determine upon the man and then proceed to make him hers.

There will be men who will not agree readily with the author. Many there are who will be loath to abandon the soft-turned phrase on the road to a maiden's heart. The language of lovers dates too far back to be lightly dismissed when spring is in the air, the moon is full and two young hearts register a mutual impulse. The day's outward show is more brusque than demonstrative, but it does not tell the whole story.

Nor will all men and women agree that the day has just arrived when the maid refuses to sit idly by as the man for whom her heart has waited finally comes into her orbit. Maybe today the chase is more direct and impetuous, but there were ways in other days, and who knows but they were more effective. The "way of a man with a maid" is no more puzzling than the way of a maid with a man from the beginning of time.

### No Women Gourmets

The discussion in Paris as to what is a gourmet has resulted in the claim of one well-known writer that no woman ever was one. In defining a gourmet, he says: "A gourmet is not a person, who, as some think, over-eats or overdrinks merely for the sake of eating and drinking.—No, he is too particular for that. Gourmets are rarely or never 'gormandisers'—they are too particular about those two twin temples of their devotion—the stomach and the brain—real gourmets partake of but one serious meal a day. People who are always nibbling are the very opposite of gourmets, and there is no habit so unsocial or deleterious as pecking at food when sitting down. That is why there may be women painters, musicians, barristers and voters, but never a woman gourmet."

### Odd Toy Balloons

Toy balloons shaped like such familiar figures as Santa Claus or the Easter rabbit, as well as scores of fanciful and grotesque animals, birds and people have created a new field for inflated rubber toys. Queer cats, with a squawker concealed in them, emit plaintive howls. Another improvement on the old-time balloons is the addition of a simple valve which does away with the trouble of tying the balloon with string after inflating. The toys, which appear simple enough, are the product of complicated manufacturing processes. Sheets of special high-grade rubber are cut out by dies, one for each side of the toy, the two parts are then joined at the edges to form an airtight balloon, the designs are stamped on in colors and finally the valve is added.

### Bureau Supplies Fighters

If you need the services of a first-class pugilist just ring up a bureau in Bethnal Green, England, which makes a business of supplying professional fighting men, who are as meek to masters and ferocious to his foes as a police dog. The emporium of swatters, although naturally not advertised, is being well patronized, especially by rich men's sons who had gotten into trouble and fear being blackmailed. Bookmakers also are good patrons and at general election time the firm is busy. The fees run from \$5 upward, and the men who do the job are guaranteed to be not bullies, but simply strong young men who know how to use their fists.

### Ready Money Always Best

I like to pay my debts promptly; not for a noble reason, but because I hear deadbeats abused so much. For fifty years and more I have heard collectors growl viciously at deadbeats; so I like to pay promptly. I not only clean up every debt I owe at the end of the month, but when possible, I prefer to pay cash as I go. No one's credit is actually as good as his money. I know hundreds of men who are being injured because collectors "talk" about them. Most of these men finally pay in full. If a man intends to finally pay his bills, it is extremely foolish to be slow about it.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

## OUTLOOK FOR CATTLE INDUSTRY FAVORABLE SAYS GOV'T REPORT

Washington, D. C.—Prospects for the cattle industry during the next year or 18 months appear decidedly favorable, the department of agriculture said Saturday in its August cattle outlook report, but do not justify expansion in breeding herds.

"Market receipts of cattle and calves during the fall of 1927 are expected to be the smallest for any corresponding period in the past five years," said the report. "The number of cattle on farms and ranges has decreased about 10,000,000 head during that period, most of the reduction being in cattle kept primarily for beef production."

Favorable feed and pasture conditions in most of the range states and the "general optimism" pervading the industry, the report said, are expected to result in holding back considerable numbers of breeding cattle and young stock, curtailing market receipts.

### CAL BECKETT WRITES

Flagstaff, Ariz. Aug. 7th, 1927.

Mr. Walter Martin

Artesia, N. M.

Dear Sir:

Am writing you in regard to our new address, we have missed several copies of The Artesia Advocate, and am getting so anxious to be reading it again.

We don't feel right without our home paper, and we would like very much for you to send it to me at Owensmouth California No. 251. We are leaving here the 10th to make our home there, we would like to receive a copy of next week's issue.

Thanking you very much for your trouble

Respt.

H. C. BECKETT

Owensmouth, Calif., No. 251.

The sweet young thing was saying her prayers: "Dear Lord," she cooed, "I don't ask for anything for myself, only give Mother a son-in-law."—Bison.

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### Artesia Advocate

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### "THAT SETTLES IT"

Absolute knowledge have I none. But my Aunt's washerwoman's son Heard a policeman on his beat Say to a laborer on the street That he had a letter just last week Hand written in the inest Greek From a Chinese coolie in Timbuctoo Who said that a son in Cuba knew Of a colored gent in a Texas town Who got it right from a circus clown That a man in Klondyke got the news From a gang of smooth American Jews About some feller in Borneo Who knew a man who claimed to know A hermit who lived beside a lake Whose mother-in-law will undertake To prove a friend's sister's niece Has stated in a nicely written piece That she has a son who knows about The date the new Ford Car comes out.

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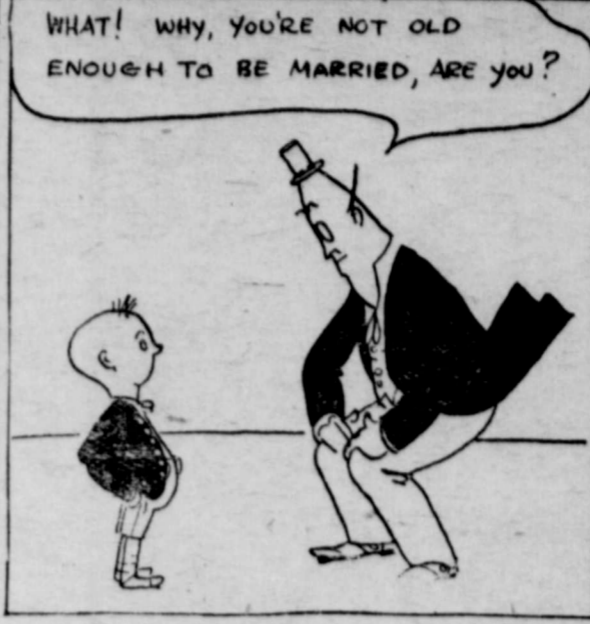
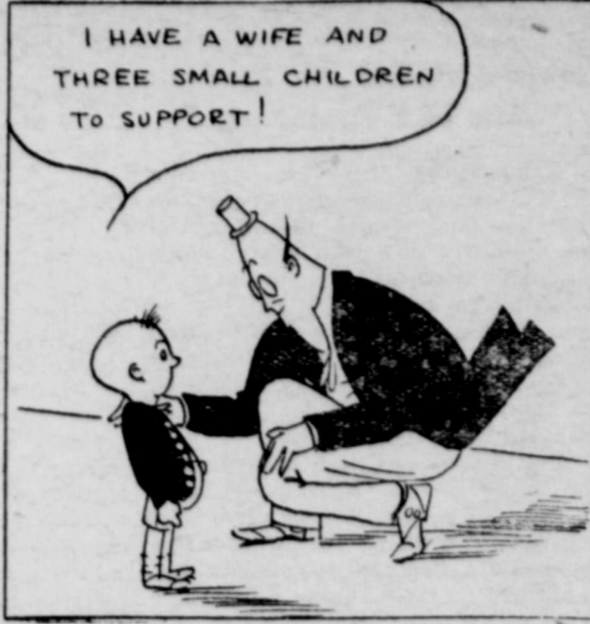
"The Bank of Personal Service"

C. E. MANN, Cashier

# The Judge ~



# Help Wanted



# By M.B.



## CROP CONDITIONS OVER U. S. AND N. M. AS OF AUGUST 1, 1927

For New Mexico all crops are late as a result of drought. Many of them were not planted until the latter part of July, and the yields produced will depend upon August and September rains, and the lateness of the frosts.

**CORN**—The United States corn crop has improved 1.3 points over last month, but the production is indicated at 262 million bushels less than was produced last year. In New Mexico an increase of 738,000 bu. is indicated over last month, but the yield is still indicated at 1,400,000 bu. below last year.

**WHEAT**—The preliminary estimate of production of winter wheat is 26 million bu. below the July forecast, and 74 million bu. below last year's production. For New Mexico the estimated production is 150,000 bu., compared with 4,876,000 bu. harvested last year.

The spring wheat production for the United States is indicated at 24 million bu. above last month's indication and 93 million bu. above last year's harvest. For New Mexico, 35,000 bu. less is indicated this month, and 422,000 bu. below last year's production.

The total production of wheat in 21 countries of the Northern Hemisphere, excluding Russia, is estimated at 2,473,000,000 bu., or the same as last year's production. The world production, excluding Russia and China, was estimated at 3,414,000,000 bu. The crop in Canada is indicated as good or better than last year. The European crop is estimated at 75 million bu. above last year. This is exclusive of Russia, where the crop is still uncertain. The African crop, which is largely durum, is reported at 10 million bu. above last year, but this is offset by a reduction in the Italian durum crop. The Chinese and Turkish crops are reported good. The acreage in the Argentine was not materially reduced by drought and moisture has apparently been sufficient for the growing crop. Drought caused some reduction in Australia, but it is not known how much the deficiency is.

**OATS**—The oat crop for the United States is indicated at 71 million bu. lower than for last month, but 28 million bu. above last year's production. The New Mexico crop is indicated at 859,000 bu. below last year's production.

**BEANS**—The condition of the bean crop in the United States has improved and 800,000 bu. more is indicated than on July 1. This is 1,600,000 bu. in excess of last year's production. In New Mexico, 366,000 bu. more is indicated than was produced last year.

**GRAIN SORGHUM**—The acreage of this crop in the United States is estimated at 7,418,000 acres. This compares with 4,410,000 acres reported as harvested last year. However, the figure for 1927 is the total acreage of this crop, including that to be harvested for forage, while the 1926 acreage here given includes only that part of the crop harvested for grain. The acreage for New Mexico is estimated at 197,000, compared with 233,000 acres harvested last year. The 1926 acreage for New Mexico includes 114,000 acres harvested for forage. The 1927 production forecast for both the United States and New Mexico is calculated from the total acreage, including that part likely to be harvested for forage.

**COTTON**—Based on a 10-year average abandonment, the acreage of cotton on August 1, for the United States would amount to 41,139,000, compared with 47,087,000 acres harvested the crop on August 1, was 69.5 per cent, compared with 69.8 per cent on August 1, last year and is 2.2 per cent above the 10-year average condition on this date. This condition forecasts 156.8 lbs per acre, or 13,492,000 bales compared with a yield of 181.9 lbs per acre, or 17,911,000 bales ginned last year. On August 1, this year, 162,678 bales had been ginned, compared with 47,770 bales ginned on August 1, 1926. The acreage in New Mexico is estimated at 106,000, compared with 120,000 acres harvested in 1926. Last year's production amounted to 75,000 bales.

**BROOMCORN**—An increase of 3,

## ELBERT H. GARY HEAD OF U. S. STEEL CORP. DIES AT N. Y. HOME

New York.—Elbert H. Gary, for twenty five years executive head of the United States Steel Corporation, died at his Fifth Avenue home Monday. He was 80 years old.

Death, which followed an illness of a month and from which only two weeks ago he was reported to be recovering, occurred at 3:40 A. M. but was not officially announced until mid-forenoon.

It was believed in Wall Street that the intention had been to withhold news of Mr. Gary's death until after the close of the stock market lest there should be a break in prices, but when persistent rumors at last brought official confirmation there was only a slight flurry of selling.

First definite announcement of Mr. Gary's death gave only the time, the place and the cause—chronic myocarditis.

Interest was centered on the contents of this statement because of the possibility that it might indicate who would succeed Mr. Gary as chairman of the board of directors one of the largest corporations in the world.

**DIGGING UP PAST IN STREETS OF DEMING**

After finding the skeleton of a mule and a burro, and later a jug of whiskey, it seemed like the workmen who are plowing up the streets in the business district of Deming had about run the limit. But that did not prove to be the case. Last Monday they started plowing up Pine street. By Wednesday, after the dirt had been removed to the depth of a foot or more, when the scraper, which was pulled by four mules, suddenly uncovered what appeared to be the top of a cave. The driver stopped his team and was looking down in the hole, which was more than a foot in diameter. Then several other men came and looked. One of them struck a match and held it at arms' length into the hole, when it was found to be only about six feet deep and five feet in diameter. One of the more courageous of the men dropped himself down into it to investigate. He found remnants of several old candles, a small wooden box which evidently had been used for a stool, a deck of cards and two empty whiskey bottles, one of which had evidently been used for a candle holder. Near the bottom of the cave there was a small tunnel leading toward one of the buildings on that street, but the man who went down did not have enough courage to crawl through, to see where it lead to, especially after seeing two large centipedes moving along the bottom of it. He held up his hands and a couple of men pulled him out. That ended the exploring. A few scrapers of dirt soon filled the cave up. Some of the old-timers here think the cave might have been the hiding place of Billy the Kid when he was hard pressed by the officers, and that he gained entrance by using the little tunnel from the cellar of one of the nearby buildings.

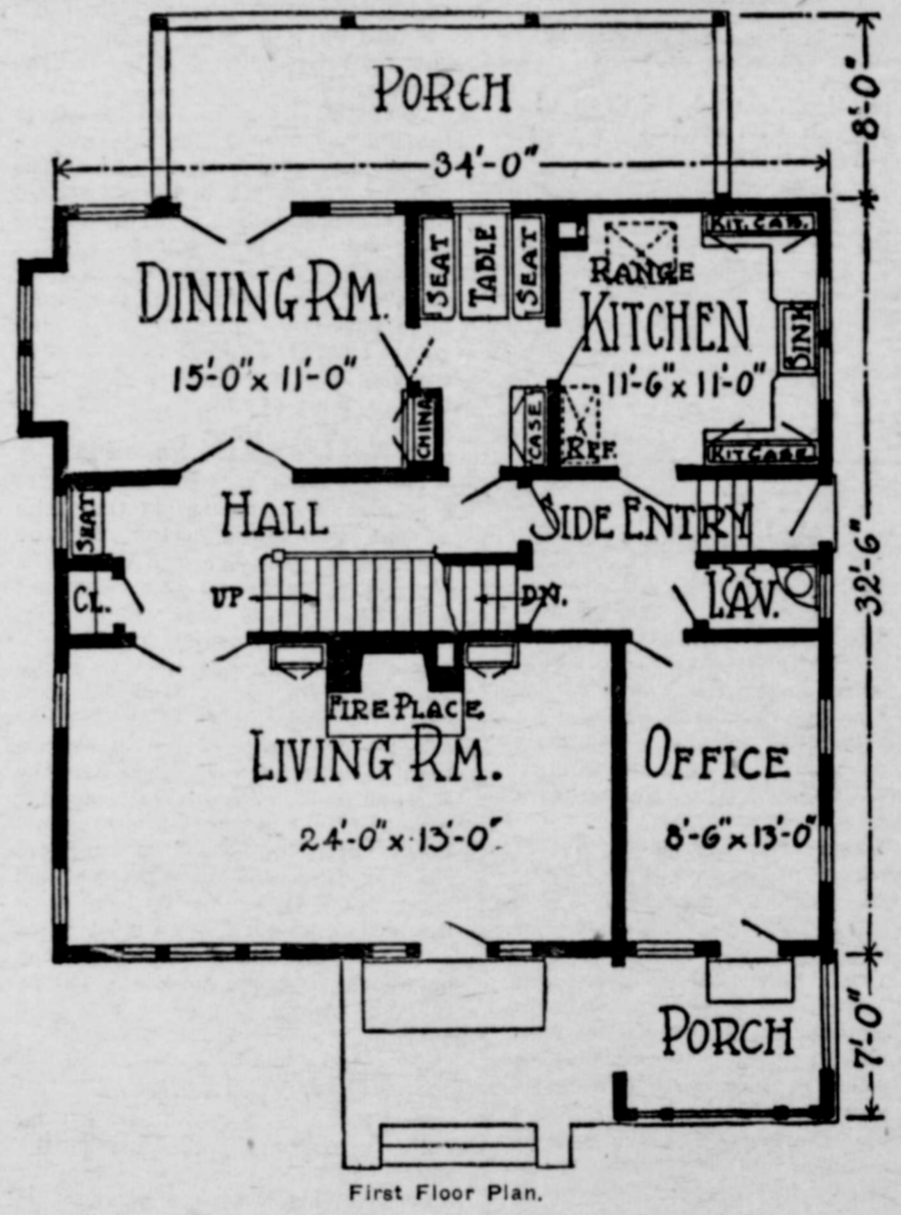
Wedding Invitations and Announcements, engraved or printed—The Advocate.

500 tons for the United States is indicated over the July 1, forecast, but the crop is still forecasted at 13,100 tons below last year's production. Some improvement is indicated in the New Mexico crop, but the condition still indicates a crop slightly below that of last year.

**HAY**—The time hay crop for the United States is indicated at 15,800,000 tons above last year. For New Mexico the crop is indicated at 19,000 tons less than last year.

**APPLES**—The total apple crop for both the United States and New Mexico is indicated at only about half of last year's harvest. The commercial crop, however, is indicated at 24,800,000 barrels for the United States, compared with 39,400,000 barrels harvested in 1926. For New Mexico the commercial crop is indicated at 139,000 barrels, compared with 191,000 barrels in 1926.

## House With Small Office Designed Especially for Professional Man



By WILLIAM A. RADFORD  
Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to practical home building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as editor, author and manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie Avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose two-cent stamp for reply.

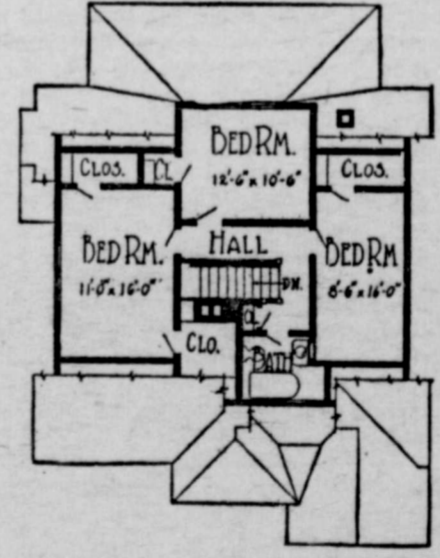
Doctors from necessity and many other business and professional men from choice, carry on no small part of their activities in their homes. And this is made much more pleasant and practical when the home is so designed that clients and patients may be interviewed without disturbing the routine of the household.

This home, which provides ample space for a convenient office, also has all of the features which make the separate dwelling worth while. The office is so situated that it interferes very little with the arrangement of the rest of the house.

The exterior has all of the charm of the cozy small home, which is so hard to duplicate in more pretentious dwellings. And its apparent size is deceptive, for the exterior gives little indication that it covers six comfortable rooms.

The office has its private entrance off the front porch with a lavatory convenient. It is reached from the home proper through a door off the hall to the side entry.

Another door from the terrace opens into the living room of the home, which has its fireplace, flanked by built-in bookcases as its central feature. The wall spaces of this room



offer particularly happy possibilities for the grouping of furniture.

The kitchen and dining room units of the home are entirely separated from the living room by a hall which houses the stairway to the upper floor. The dining room is cheerfully lighted from two sides and is of a convenient size. Between the dining room and the efficient kitchen is a charming breakfast nook. The kitchen is arranged to be a very convenient work-room.

The grouping of the three bedrooms on the second floor is pleasing and makes for the best utilization of the space under the roof. Each bedroom is provided with a closet.

The house is 34 feet wide and 32½ feet deep.

**EXPERIENCE SPEAKS**  
"Sister," asked Tommy, "do fairy tales always begin with 'Once upon a time?'"  
"No, Tommy, not always. They sometimes begin with 'There's something about you.'"  
Advocate want ads get results.

**A DEAD LOSS**  
Undertaker (to Pat): "Are you one of the family or one of the mourners?"  
Pat: "Be gad, I guess I'm one of the mourners, because the corpse owes be \$5.00."  
Legal Blanks—Advocate

## GENUINE AND FAKE JEWELRY

The principal jewelers of the United States have arranged to send their representatives to Washington in October to confer with the Federal Trade Commission regarding various trade practices which exist in the manufacturing and selling of jewelry. It is indicated that these alleged unfair practices have to do with the proper labeling of jewelry offered for sale especially in the discrimination between genuine articles and imitations.

**VOLUME OF BUSINESS**  
Government reports show that the volume of business for the last week of July was greater than it was a year ago. Wholesale prices have recently advanced but are consider-

ably lower than they were time last year. Loans and from banks throughout the little; iron and steel are not; coal shows no change; lumber registers an in output; building contracts awarded in larger number they were earlier in the last year.

## UNUSUAL

The man or woman who does not carry protection in the form of life insurance is an exception now days. If you doubt the wisdom of such move, ask your banker.

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**CHILDREN SHOULD KNOW**

THE CIRCUS

The circus in the United States was first opened in 1780. General Washington and his staff patronized the circus in Philadelphia.

The first big circus was the one that came to the city of Philadelphia in 1780. It was a small affair, but it was the beginning of a great industry.

The circus has since grown to be one of the most popular forms of entertainment in the world. It is a great source of pleasure for all ages, and it is a great source of information for the young.



### TRY THIS ONE ON YOUR PIANO

Some people may have the idea that they can get out a little country paper like The Messenger with any kind of junk. In fact we have an idea that some printers entertain that same view.

Not having had time to give The Messenger office a real cleaning, it has been some job to turn out a paper. For instance, the linotype mats and magazine are so dirty that they make operating a night mare.

As a sample of the work the machine does, here is the way the mats fall with careful operating, and it has been like this all day. And there are a lot of other things just bad and some worse and some a—sight badder. It is enough to make a preacher say bad words to a baby automobile—Hagerman Messenger.

### EX-EDITOR PAYS RESPECTS

Robert M. Kellahin, a former editor of the Messenger, was in Hagerman last week and made his way to the sanctum sanctorum and paid his deepest respects to the present management, and also chucked in a few words of sympathy along with his said respects.

Bob is now hibernating at Washington at public expense his excuse for taking his salary being that he holds the honorable position of Editor of the Congressional Directory, one of the useless publications issued by the government at public expense. However, it is a very pretentious publication, and how would we know all about the great men in congress if it were not for the Congressional Directory? And we can't hold it against Bob anyway, for it is one of the old established institutions of the capitol.

If the Congressional Directory must be published, there is no reason why Bob should not edit it. In fact his training and experience on The Messenger eminently fitted him for that job as no one pays any attention to what they read in either publication.—Hagerman Messenger.

Mr. Kellahin was a printer on the Advocate a short two years ago and is well known in the valley.

Mother: "Johnny what are you doing?"  
Johnny: "Helping daddy stir the mash!"  
Mother: "Come up stairs this minute; it's time to get dressed for Sunday school."  
Johnny: "Leave your kodak rolls at Rodden's. In at 9 a. m., out at 5 p. m."

### MISS SEARCY HELPS DISTRIBUTE DOLLS

Thousands of dolls were sent by the children of this country to Japan during the early part of this year. They arrived in time to take part in the famous Festival of Dolls on March 3. The significance of this annual occasion is unique; at this time the families of Japan bring out their treasure dolls, and for three days the little girls celebrate the festival in honor of home training and household ideals. The plan of enlisting the children of America in the Festival of Dolls this year was instituted and carried forward by the Federal Council of Churches. Each doll carried a tiny passport, giving her name and the name of the child or group that had dressed her and prepared her for her journey, and also a message of good will written by the children themselves. It is greatly hoped that projects like these among the children of both countries may lay foundations for future peace and good will.

We give below an extract from a letter by Miss Mary Searcy, one of our missionaries in Japan. Miss Searcy had a first-hand contact with the project on the other side.

"It has been my privilege to speak at two welcome meetings for the Friendship Dolls in the past week. Kure received twenty dolls, one for each kindergarten and primary school in the city. Although it is quite a task for me to speak in Japanese, I was delighted to do so at these times, because there is such a strong antiforeign feeling in Kure, and I hope that in this way I was able to help break down at least a part of that feeling. I am so happy that we received some of the dolls, because Kure surely needs something to help her people to feel a little more friendly toward us. The dolls have been given a hearty welcome wherever they have gone."  
—Methodist Missionary Bulletin.

Note:—The local Methodist Junior Missionary Society of Artesia had one doll in the above shipment.

### INFANTILE PARALYSIS RAPIDLY DISAPPEARING

The outbreak of infantile paralysis in New Mexico is declining rapidly. Last week, only nine cases were reported for the entire state, while there had been sixteen cases in the previous week and twenty two the week before. Up to noon Tuesday, only three cases have been reported for the present week, and no new counties affected. There are probably not more than fifteen cases now under quarantine. In the Pecos Valley and in Union county, where the outbreak was most severe, the greatest improvement has been shown.

Reports from Washington indicate some increase of the disease in Oklahoma and Texas, as well as in several eastern states. California reports a slight decrease. Fort Worth had ten cases reported last week.

If you are not already a subscriber to The Advocate write or telephone us this week. Get on the list and receive the "Newsy" newspaper regularly.

### DISEASES REPORTED FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 6, 1927 BY COUNTIES

Cancer:	
Bernalillo	1
San Juan	1
Diphtheria:	
Catron	3
Chaves	1
Colfax	8
German Measles:	
Colfax	1
Gonorrhea:	
Bernalillo	4
Chaves	3
Colfax	1
Mora	1
Malaria:	
Dona Ana	2
Measles:	
Bernalillo	1
Dona Ana	9
Eddy	1
Luna	1
Otero	1
Quay	1
Mumps:	
Chaves	1
Eddy	1
Grant	1
Scarlet Fever:	
Chaves	1
Grant	1
Luna	1
Mora	2
Otero	1
Sandoval	2
San Juan	2
San Miguel	1
Santa Fe	1
Tuberculosis:	
Bernalillo	14
Grant	6
Otero	1
Santa Fe	3
Typhoid:	
Catron	1
Dona Ana	6
San Miguel	1
Vincent's Angina:	
Eddy	1
Whooping Cough:	
Bernalillo	1
Union	1
Poliomyelitis (Infantile Paralysis):	
Bernalillo	1
Chaves	2
De Baca	1
Eddy	1
Lea	1
Otero	2
San Miguel	1

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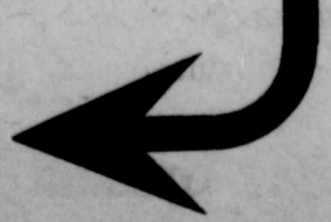
"Have a Camel!"



## The Sign of Good Milk

ARTESIA DAIRY

Phone 219



WYOMING, KANSAS, TO ENGLAND, AFOOT

Edlyn White, a journalist of the University of Wyoming, married Miss Sue Moody, a young woman who had just returned from a honeymoon abroad. The honeymoon was spent in England, Kansas, for Mrs. Sue Moody carried the following message to the road: "I have to walk." "I have to walk," read the sign which Mrs. Moody carried. "I have to walk," read the sign which Mrs. Moody carried. "I have to walk," read the sign which Mrs. Moody carried.

**LOCALS**

Mrs. Ethel Lewis spent the weekend in Roswell.

Paul Bomar was a business visitor from Roswell Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Donnley and little son have returned from a visit to relatives in Ft. Worth.

M. H. Ferriman and Walter Ferriman spent Sunday with their families on the Ruidoso.

Postmaster Hannah is spending a week's vacation with his family in the Sacramento Camp.

W. A. Hamilton of the Lake Arthur community was attending to business matters here Monday.

Miss Irene Earl McClellan of San Antonio, Texas, arrived Monday to visit her friend, Miss "Jack" Hightower.

Rube Dunn and family are spending this week in the Santa Fe and Chama regions on a fishing and sightseeing trip.

F. B. Van Horn returned from Albuquerque Friday morning, where he spent a few days attending to business matters.

C. C. Tebbits and family left Sunday morning for a two weeks outing. The route and destination of Mr. Tebbits could not be learned.

R. H. Dunnett, of Kansas City, who is connected with the Operators Oil Co., was here the first of the week, looking after business interests.

Leonard Jernigan and Melvin Jernigan accompanied Miss Blanche Lanewood Stevenson of Clovis on a trip through the Carlsbad cavern Tuesday.

G. R. Brainard and Mrs. E. J. Brooks, who had been spending several days with Mrs. Brainard in her cabin on the Ruidoso, returned home Tuesday.

J. S. Human of Los Angeles California, with the land department of Henderson, Dexter, Blair Inc., is spending a few days here looking after business interests.

Mrs. Lucille Hare arrived Tuesday evening to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Ward, who with the family, are spending the summer on their ranch, the Flying X.

Miss Lois Ann Rutledge returned yesterday from Cananea, Mexico, where she has been visiting, for a visit with Mrs. Joe Hamann before going on to her home in Missouri.

Rev. S. C. Williamson and family, who have been visiting his father, W. J. Williamson, and other relatives for the past three weeks, left Monday for their home in St. Joseph, Mo.

W. C. Kneale, geologist for the Texas Production Co., underwent an operation for appendicitis at Roswell Monday morning. Late reports state that Mr. Kneale is convalescing very nicely.

Mrs. John Runyan and children have been in from the Runyan ranch and Mrs. Skelt Williams and baby son, from the Williams ranch this week visiting their mother, Mrs. Tex Polk.

Claud Eaker, popular drug clerk at the Star Pharmacy at Carlsbad, was an Artesia visitor Saturday, on his way to the home of his parents on the Cottonwood to spend a few days.

Mrs. G. M. Winans was expected home this morning from Rochester, Minnesota, where she spent most of the past three months at Mayo's, after a short stay at Excelsior Springs, Mo.

E. T. Jernigan returned last Saturday morning from a trip to Denver. He was accompanied home by his son, Leonard, who had come on from Salt Lake, Utah and met his father there.

Mrs. Joy Rowe, who has been here for some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Reser, has gone to El Paso to accept a position with her brother-in-law, Mr. Gibbs, in the office of the El Paso stage line.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bullock and daughter drove over to the Ruidoso and spent Sunday with Rev. Thos. S. Barkus and family of Orange Texas, who came over for a few days stay at the Barkus cabin.

A number of Artesians attended the big ball at the Navajo lodge on the Ruidoso Saturday evening. Of those who went we learned the following names-Fritz Ward, Genn Bish, Pat O'Reilly, Bob Raines and George Davis.

The Mustang, a semi monthly publication of the New Mexico State Teachers College at Silver City reached our desk this week. This is the first copy of the Mustang we have seen, but judging from the general make up it is a very creditable college paper and should have the support of the institution it serves.



ARCHDUKE LEOPOLD OF AUSTRIA IS A MOTION PICTURE "EXTRA"

He's working for the first time in his life; trying, it is said, to raise funds to go to Europe and fight a duel with Count Szechenyi, Hungarian ambassador to the United States, who is now on the continent. The count is alleged to have called the archduke "factless" and thus precipitated a challenge. Leopold is playing the part of a handsome German captain in a military drama, and is constantly attended by his faithful friend, Captain Von Hartman, who will be his second in the contemplated duel.

**SACCO AND VANZETTI CASE GOES TO FULL BENCH OF MASS. COURT**

Boston, Mass.—Arguments for and against exceptions to decisions of the state supreme court and Judge Webster Thayer of the superior court in the Sacco-Vanzetti case were heard Tuesday by four justices of the supreme court sitting as the full bench. Court sat in the Suffolk county courthouse, which was heavily guarded as a precaution against possible disturbance.

Arthur D. Hill, chief defense counsel, argued that prejudice on the part of Judge Thayer, who presided at the trial of Nicola Sacco and Bartolomeo Vanzetti for murder, had been clearly shown and was sufficient to warrant a writ of error and a new trial. Attorney General Arthur K. Reading took the ground that no evidence of prejudice sufficient to require Justice Sanderson to issue a writ of error had been presented.

Boston, Mass.—Nicola Sacco and Bartolomeo Vanzetti, radicals convicted of two murders in a holdup, Tuesday had less than a week to live unless court proceedings in their behalf should succeed or there should be executive clemency or further delay.

Their legal forces were marshalled for another court hearing Tuesday on the seven-year old case which has become known around the world.

Should Sacco go to the electric chair early next Tuesday morning he will have greater strength than on the night of August 10 when the governor's respite saved him within an hour of the time appointed for death. Yesterday he broke the fast he had maintained for 30 days and while he took only liquids, his diet will be built up fast as his body can accommodate itself to digestion once more.

Four justices of the state supreme court, sitting as a full bench, were assigned to hear exceptions filed by the defense to the denial by supreme court justice Sanderson of a writ of error. This writ was sought on the ground that Judge Webster Thayer who presided at the trial of the two men, was prejudiced. The ruling of Judge Thayer that he had no jurisdiction to hear a motion for a new trial was also involved.

ed with increasing tension.

It came after Gov. Alvan T. Fuller, who once before had respited the condemned men and who only last Wednesday had turned down a plea for clemency after a long investigation, had presented to his council new reasons for delay.

Those reasons, in brief, were the contention of Arthur D. Hill, of defense counsel that a few more days were needed to prosecute his eleventh hour fight through the remaining legal channels, and the decision of Justice Sanderson to defer until today announcement of his decision whether to permit the defense to appeal to the high court, exceptions taken to his earlier denial of a writ of error in favor of the condemned men.

**CHRONOLOGY OF SACCO-VANZETTI CASE**

Important dates in the Sacco-Vanzetti case are:

April 15, 1920.—Murder of Frederick A. Parmenter, paymaster of Slater and Morrill company, shoe manufacturers, and his guard, Alexander Berardelli, at South Braintree Mass.

May 5, 1920.—Bartolomeo Vanzetti and Nicola Sacco arrested in Brocton.

September 11, 1920.—Sacco and Vanzetti indicted.

May 13, 1921.—Trial starts at Dedham.

July 14, 1921.—Both found guilty of first degree murder.

December 24, 1921.—Judge Thayer denies new trial motion.

March 27, 1923.—Alienists declare Sacco sane.

April 9, 1924.—Vanzetti declared sane.

January 10, 1926.—Celestino Madeiros made statement saying "Morelli gang" killed Parmenter and Berardelli.

April 25, 1927.—Judge Thayer denies new trial on Madeiros statement and other new evidence.

August 9, 1927.—Sacco, and Vanzetti sentenced to die week of July 10.

June 29, 1927.—Governor Fuller, having begun investigation of case, postpones death of Madeiros, Vanzetti and Sacco to and including August 10.

July 17, 1927.—Sacco and Vanzetti begin hunger strike.

July 22, 1927.—Governor Fuller interviews Sacco and Vanzetti in prison.

August 3, 1927.—Governor Fuller gives decision refusing clemency.

August 10, 1927.—Gov. Fuller granted respite to August 22 inclusive.

August 11, 1927.—Justice George A. Sanderson allowed an appeal to full bench of the court on his denial of writ of error.

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No preaching service owing to the pastor being away attending the Synod of New Mexico and Presbyterian conference in the Sandios mountains, Albuquerque.

Presbyterian members and adherents are urged to take advantage of the training school in the Methodist church from the 21st to 26th of August.

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In the District Court of Eddy County, State of New Mexico.

RUTH MCGINN, Administratrix of the Estate of Wm. McGinn, Deceased, Plaintiff.

The unknown Heirs of Wm. McGinn, Deceased.

No. 4467.

You and each of you are hereby notified that the above named plaintiff has filed her petition in the above named court, praying that said court grant an order for the sale of certain real estate in said petition described belonging to the estate of Wm. McGinn, Deceased, to-wit:

New Mexico state oil and gas leases:  
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for the purpose of paying the debts standing against said estate, and the cost and expense of administration; and you are further notified that unless you answer, or otherwise show cause why said petition should not be granted on or before the 20th day of September, 1927, judgment will be rendered against you by default, and the order of sale prayed for and all other necessary and proper orders in said matter will be granted by the said court.

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Tiling farm land will not always correct the evils of poor drainage. Open ditches sometimes will prove beneficial on soils when tile may be ineffective. This is true of those soil types which have subsoils consisting of dense, impervious clay which closes around the tile, sealing them as with paraffin or wax.

At least \$20,000,000 worth of farm property is destroyed by lightning in this country every year. That's the estimate of the farm fire protection committee of the National Fire Association. The committee points out that lightning rods, good, bad, and indifferent, cut losses 85 per cent, as compared with unrodded buildings.

The simplest plan to provide a more or less permanent pasture of sweet clover is to permit the crop to go to seed. After several years the surface soil becomes so full of sweet clover seed that a volunteer crop appears each year. Fields of this kind, which have been in sweet clover continuously for 10 or more years, are not uncommon.

Soil surveys help farmers to determine what crops and cultural practices are adapted to their lands. Furthermore, an acquaintance with the important soil types of their locality together with their correct designations assists farmers in understanding the best use of fertilizer, and the cultural and crop-variety tests carried on by the experiment stations of the country.

The soybean has within the last ten years become a crop of major importance in the United States. The plant that can be raised successfully in any climate suitable to corn or cotton. It is grown regularly for hay, grain, and pasture, and with corn as silage. During the past few years oil mills in the corn belt and in some of the southern states have crushed fairly large quantities of domestic beans, and found ready market for the oil and oil meal. Soybeans are also used to a limited extent for manufacturing breakfast foods, crackers, wafers, soy sauce, bean curd, soy flour, and special flour preparations.

Dairymen commonly feed skim milk to their calves until about six months of age. The time of weaning usually depends upon the condition of the calf and the availability of milk. When is fed in abundance it furnishes the greater part of the protein necessary for the growth of the calf. If the feeding of milk is discontinued the necessary protein must be supplied by some other feed. Probably this can be done most economically by some legume, such as alfalfa, clover, soy bean, or cowpea hay. When hay of this sort is not available it is necessary that the grain mixture fed should be high in protein. During summer, when good pasture is available, the heifer needs no supplementary feed, providing she is growing normally. A little hay and grain are sometimes advisable late in the season when the pastures are dry or short to insure steady growth.

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Santa Fe—The tax levy for state purposes extended against the value of all property assessed on the tax rolls for this year will be .007800, the State Tax Commission announces. The levy for this year is higher than that of last year.

The state purposes levy is divided as follows:  
State purposes .004500.  
State current school fund, .000500.  
Institutions and building fund .000500.  
State interest and sinking fund, .000800.  
State road fund .001500.

Special levies, on specific classes of property, were fixed as follows:

Cattle indemnity fund (on all cattle and horses), .003500; sheep sanitary fund, (on all sheep and goats), .006000; hog cholera fund, (on all swine), .003500.

## LITTLE FRENCH BOY WRITES

The French as a whole may hate the Americans, but there is one class of the people, who do not join in the ill feeling. And that is the war orphans, who were adopted by Americans, in the fall of 1918 and their mothers. A photograph was received recently in Artesia from a little French boy, who was one of these "Fatherless Children," whose father had sacrificed his life in defense of his country. Accompanying the picture was a letter from the little chap, expressing his great good will and appreciation of the kindness extended him long ago. It may be interesting to some to know that during all the years since the war letters, photographs and Christmas cards have come at intervals from the mother and child showing that they had not forgotten the kindness shown them in those tragic times.

## COLD FACT

Goldstein: "Wherever in the world you go, you'll find us Jews are the leading people."  
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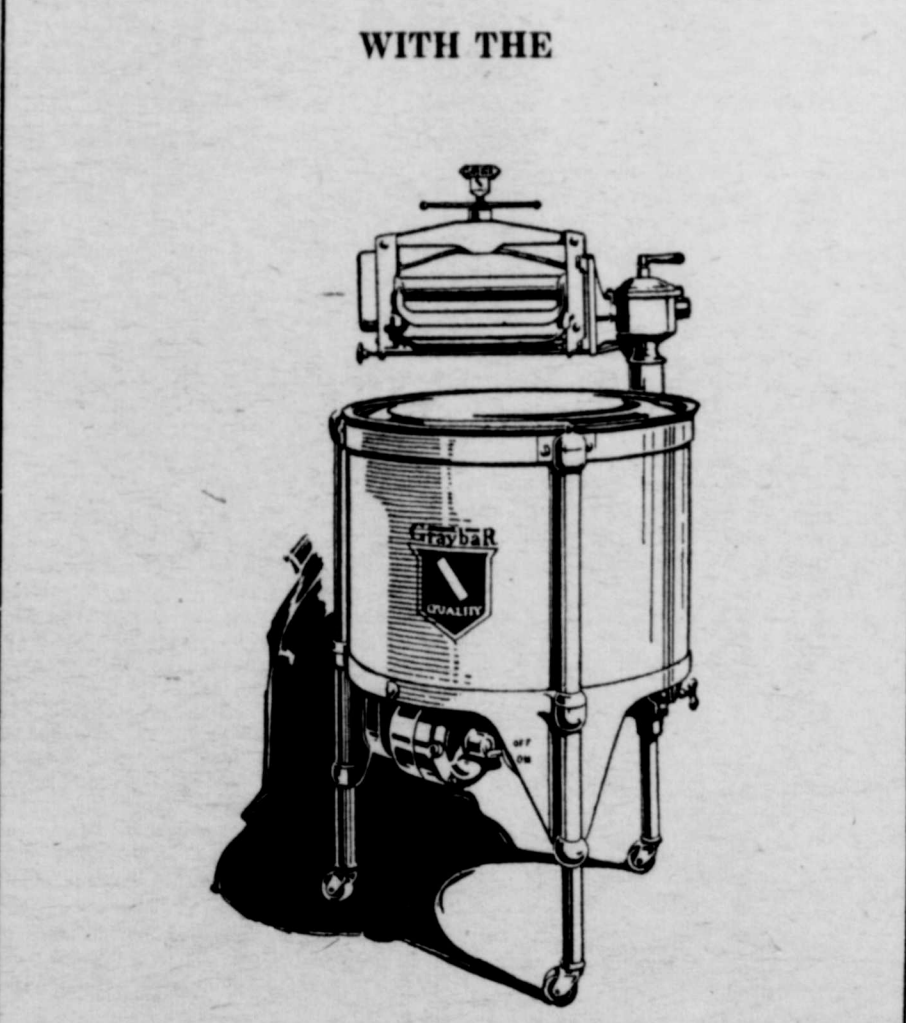
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### NOTICE OF THE CREATION OF A HERD LAW DISTRICT.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 68 of the Session Laws of the State of New Mexico for 1927, to-wit: "An act providing for the Creation and Dissolution of Herd Law Districts by Boards of County Commissioners; Giving Action for Damages caused by Trespassing Livestock and Lien for Enforcement; Providing for the Construction of Legal Fences along Exterior Boundaries of Herd Law Districts; Providing for Run-Ways, Cattle Guards and Gates where Fences cross Public Highways; Making the Failure to close such Gates a Misdemeanor and Providing Penalty therefor; Prohibiting Livestock from running at large on Public Road within Herd Law District, and providing for penalty therefor; and Repealing Section 49, New Mexico Statutes, Codification of 1915," the persons who are the owners, holders under lease and contract purchasers of a majority of the acres of contiguous tracts of land aggregating more than three thousand eight hundred and forty acres, filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Eddy County, New Mexico, in which County said lands are situated, a petition in writing, signed and acknowledged in the same manner as conveyances of deeds to real estate, accurately defining such tracts of land and setting forth the correct acreage in each tract, requesting said Board of County Commissioners to declare said tracts of land a Herd Law District within the meaning of said Act, the boundaries of said proposed district being as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the SW corner of Section 26; thence north to the SE corner of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 27; thence west parallel to the southern boundary of Section 27 to the SW corner of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 28; thence north to the NW corner of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 28; thence west to the NW corner of the SW 1/4 of Section 28; thence south following the section line to the NE corner of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 29; thence west parallel to the south line of Section 29 to the point in intersection of the west boundary of Section 29; thence north following the western boundary lines of Sections 29, 20 and 17 to the NW corner of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 17; thence East to the NW corner of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 16; thence north to the NW corner of Section 16; thence east to the SW corner of the SE 1/4 of Section 9; thence north to the NW corner of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 9; thence east to the NE corner of the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 9; thence south to the NE corner of the SE 1/4 of Section 9; thence east to the NE corner

of the SE 1/4 of Section 10; thence north following the section line to the NW corner of the SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of section 11; thence one-half mile east to the NE corner of the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 11; thence south to the NW corner of the SE 1/4 of Section 11; thence one-half mile east to the NE corner of the SE 1/4 of Section 11; thence one-half mile south to the SE corner of Section 11; thence west one-half mile to the NE corner of the NW 1/4 of Section 14; thence south to the SE corner of the NW 1/4 of Section 14; thence east to the NE corner of the SE 1/4 of Section 14; thence south following the eastern boundary of sections 14 and 23 to the SE corner of Section 23; thence west one-fourth mile to the NW corner of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 26; thence south one-fourth mile to the SW corner of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 26; thence east to NE corner of the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 26; thence south to the SE corner of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 26; thence west to the place of beginning.

That the said Board of County Commissioners thereafter fixed the 16th day of August, 1927 at ten o'clock A. M., as the time and its office in the Court House in Carlsbad, New Mexico as the place for a hearing on said Petition, and gave notice thereof as required by said Act, at which hearing it found the said Petition complied with the provisions of said Act and entered an Order that all of said tracts of land embraced in said proposed district from and after thirty days from the date of said Order to be a Herd Law District within the meaning of said Act.

Notice is hereby given that said district, which includes all the land embraced in the above defined boundaries, shall be a Herd Law District within the meaning of said Act from and after the 17th day of September, 1927.

(Seal)  
**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**  
 By H. G. WATSON,  
 Chairman Pro Tem.

Attest:  
**THELMA T. LUSK,**  
 Clerk.  
 35-2t

Mr. and Mrs. Eben Coll arrived this morning from Cambridge, Illinois, to visit his relatives here. They will spend the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Wm. Coll, and sister, Miss Addie Coll, who are staying in the Max Coll cabin on the Ruidoso, and then all will return here the first of the week.

### LOCALS

Mrs. A. H. Crandall is severely ill. R. L. Paris will ship a car of cattle to market at Kansas City, Saturday.

The second Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Harvey next Tuesday afternoon.

Bert Shipp has bought the house on the corner of Fourth and Dallas, known as the Stone bungalow.

Miss Bertha Richards has been employed as teacher in the schools at San Juan, near Tucumcari.

Tex Polk came in last evening from Midland Texas, and will visit home folks here for a few days.

W. E. Ragsdale and son, Wilmer, and J. M. Jackson are expected home tomorrow from a visit to Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brown returned Monday after spending the week-end with their daughters in Clovis.

Will Linell and family have returned after a ten days' vacation spent in the Artesia-Sacramento camp.

The Misses Burnham and Shipp, of Lovington, visited Mrs. A. C. Kimbrough Monday on their way to the Ruidoso.

Keith Hoffman and Lowell Hoffman are expected from Alamogordo, Sunday to visit the Stroup boys and other friends.

Miss Blanche Lanewood Stevenson, after a ten days' visit to Miss "Jack" Hightower, returned yesterday to her home in Clovis.

R. L. Carr, manager for the New Mexico Glycerin Co., at Borger, Texas, is spending a few days here, attending to business matters.

Miss Miriam McMahon, who taught in the Central school here last year, will be principal of the schools at Weed this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Chunn are expected from Wellington, Texas, Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Chunn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Frisch.

Charles Stevenson, who is temporarily acting as cashier for the Ohio Oil Co., has brought his family from Tucumcari to remain while he is here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Howard returned Saturday after a fortnight visit to Mrs. Howard's mother, Mrs. Bertrand, and other relatives in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Olsie Coalson returned last Wednesday from the eastern markets after purchasing a stock of goods for the People's dry goods department.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Reser are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Reser's sister, Mrs. Legue and the latter's daughter, Mrs. Frederick, from Houston, Texas.

Ben Pate has returned to Artesia from Odessa Texas, where he has been working at the carpenters trade and will spend days here visiting friends.

Prof. Reid and family are expected home in a few days from Las Vegas, where the professor was an instructor in the summer school at Montezuma College.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Perry have returned from Estes Park, Colorado, where they were called by the illness of their daughter, Mrs. Louise Grosbrenner.

Little Martha Carter, of Carlsbad, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stagner, while her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Will Ed Carter, are on a sightseeing trip in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bert Smith, accompanied by Mrs. John Lanning and little daughter, Bettynelle, left Sunday morning for a week's vacation at Flagstaff Arizona, and Hot Springs, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Cumpston and baby have returned from a month's visit in Wyoming. They were accompanied by a young sister of Mrs. Cumpston, who will spend the winter with them and attend school here.

Miss Mildred Doss left Monday for Urbana Illinois, where after a month's visit with relatives, she expects to enter the University of Illinois and will complete the course leading to a master's degree.

Mrs. Joe Clayton and Mrs. Howell Gage drove to Hagerman Tuesday to visit Mrs. Oscar Walters, who is the sister of Mrs. Clayton and the mother of Mrs. Gage. Mrs. Walters joined them in a trip to Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hall have been here the past week from Leedy, Oklahoma, visiting Mr. Hall's aunt, Mrs. Preston Dunn, and other relatives. Calvin Dunn accompanied them on a trip through the Caverns Tuesday.

CALENDARS—Call and see samples before you buy—Advocate.

### IN SOCIETY

The Past Noble Grand's Club will meet this evening at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Harve Muncy.

The Sunshine class will meet at the home of Mrs. J. W. Berry, Friday afternoon at 2:30. A full attendance is especially desired.

**FIRST BRIDGE CLUB**  
 More substitutes than members were present at the meeting of the club at the home of Mrs. Ferree yesterday afternoon. Elegant refreshments were served in two courses. Substituting were Mesdames Albert Richards, Rowan, Hightower, Hartell, Kennedy and McRag and Miss Katharine Clarke.

**DINNER PARTY FOR MISS McCLELLAN.**  
 Miss "Jack" Hightower entertained at dinner Monday evening, covers being laid for her house guests, Miss Irene McClellan of San Antonio, Texas, Miss Blanche Lanewood Stevenson of Clovis, Stanley Blocker, Leonard Jernigan, Mrs. Hightower, and the hostess.

**ROSSELL DEFEATED**  
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 fumble and wild throw playing a prominent part in Artesia's four markers.

Purtle pitched a nice game for the locals and knocked in two runs in the ninth, tying the score. McCutcheon was the only local batter to register two safeties, which summed up amounted to a third of Artesia's total of hits. Sackett, imported from El Paso for Sunday's affair by Carlsbad, pitched a strong game for the Cavemen and was never in serious trouble, except the ninth frame. Nichols, with four hits out of six attempts was the best hitter for the visitors.

The Score:  
 Artesia: A B R H P O A E  
 Feather, cf 3 0 0 0 0 2  
 Martin, cf 2 0 0 0 0 0  
 Manda, 3b 5 0 1 2 5 0  
 Kite, lf 5 0 0 0 0 0  
 Kyle, 2b, 1b 5 0 1 10 2 1  
 Boren, rf 4 1 0 1 0 0  
 Fee, c 5 1 0 12 0 0  
 McCutcheon, 1b 2b 2 2 6 0 4  
 Harvey, ss 5 1 1 1 4 0  
 Purtle, p 4 0 1 1 4 0

Totals 42 5 6 33 15 7

**Carlsbad:**  
 Fessler, 2b 5 3 3 1 6 1  
 Farris, 3b 5 2 2 0 1  
 Fellows, lb 5 0 0 9 1 1  
 Welpton, ss 6 1 2 2 3 1  
 Brown, lf 5 1 1 1 0 0  
 Nichols, lf 6 1 4 1 0 0  
 Nunez, cf 4 0 0 1 0 0  
 Nymeyer, c 5 0 2 14 1 0  
 Sackett, p 5 0 0 2 3 0

Totals 46 8 14 33 14 4

Two base hit—Kyle. Sacrifice hits—Nunez 2, Farris. Stolen bases—McCutcheon, Farris, Nymeyer. Double play—Harvey to Kyle by McCutcheon. Hit by pitcher—Purtle 1; by Sackett 1. Wild pitches—Purtle 3. Passed balls—Fee, 5. Struck out—by Purtle 12, by Sackett 15. Base on balls—off Purtle, 2 off Sackett, 1. Umpires—Bartlett and Ohnemus. Time of game—2:40.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wade of Eden, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Lockett of San Angelo, Texas, spent the week end here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Coalson. While in this section Messrs. and Mesdames Wade and Lockett visited the Carlsbad Caverns.

Mrs. J. J. Schnoor and daughters expect to leave Artesia Saturday for Emporia Kansas, where Miss Laverne will enter the State College of Music. Mrs. Schnoor will remain at Emporia until the close of the school term, next spring.

Mrs. Anna Hadley, a former resident of Artesia, is spending this week with Mrs. Coll and Miss Addie Coll on the Ruidoso. Mrs. Hadley is making an extended trip, which included various points in Colorado, and her old home in El Paso.

C. E. Litchfield, wife and two children are expected today from El Paso for a short visit with Mrs. Litchfield's sister, Mrs. Ben Pior, and family. The latter are planning to take them through the Caverns tomorrow and on Saturday they will leave for their home in Wichita Falls, Texas.

Mrs. Harold Walker arrived here recently from Mobile, Alabama and will spend some time here with her aunt, Mrs. Ira Reser, and Mr. Reser for the benefit of her health. Another aunt, Mrs. Winnie Atwood, has gone from here to Mobile to stay with Mr. Walker while Mrs. Walker is here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Anderson and baby returned Tuesday after a two weeks' vacation trip, which they spent principally in Colorado. They drove to Windsor, Colorado, where they were joined by Mrs. Anderson's mother and brother-in-law and sister. Together they visited Cheyenne, Wyoming, Estes Park, Colorado Springs and other points in Colorado. En route home the Andersons visited Amarillo, Texas and Las Vegas, this state. At Vaughn they saw Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hunton, who have recently located there, Harry having bought a drug store there.

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Prof. Dixon and family are here from Arizona this week visiting Mrs. Dixon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stagner. They will leave here Sunday for Mormon Lake, Arizona, a resort where they have been spending the summer in their cabin, and remain a couple of weeks before going to Phoenix, where Prof. Dixon is teaching in the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tarbet are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Tarbet's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wilson of Jefferson, Oklahoma. Last week they made a trip to the Carlsbad Caverns, Myron Bruning being a member of the party. Monday and Tuesday they all took in Cloudercroft, the popular resort in the Sacramentos.

The R. C. Withers and M. R. Jones families enjoyed a visit during the past week with Mesdames Jones and Withers father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. George and brother, C. J. George and family all of Blackwell Texas. The Jones and Withers families accompanied their relatives to Ruidoso, where they spent the week end. E. J. George and family returned to their home Tuesday after a weeks visit here. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. George will remain for a longer stay.

### POLICE CO

Los Gentry was arraigned by jury Tuesday of the theft of one cow.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 We wish to thank friends and neighbors, who offered their assistance in illness and death of our wife, Mrs. Frank Robinson. Also for the beautiful flowers, both during his life ward.  
 Mrs. Frank Robinson  
 Wilma Robinson,  
 Mrs. Lucy Robinson  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gray.

Joseph Zeleny, one of valley's most energetic farmers, reports that he had just threshing his alfalfa. From 38 acres he secured 10 feet. He reported 1100 bushels of alfalfa. He reported 1100 bushels of alfalfa. He reported 1100 bushels of alfalfa.

Clarence Bewley and Yates, two Artesia lads, hiking through the north have fared well thus far to letters recently received. Dr. J. D. Bewley received yesterday from his son, who states that they are on their way back to New Mexico, Chicago, where they will be for the opening of school.

Smart Fireman: What does an engine have? Simple Shiekess (trim nails): Silly! Engines do ears.  
 S. F. (combining his locks): they do! They have engines.




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