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LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

A. V. Flowers made a business trip to Roswell Monday.

Mrs. Richmond Hams was a visitor in Hagerman Saturday.

Mrs. K. A. Bivens and son were shopping in Artesia Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Spence were transacting business in Artesia Monday.

Miss Ruby Smith spent the week-end in Carlsbad visiting with Mrs. I. R. Funk.

Rev. C. F. Schmid of Albuquerque was a guest at the home of D. Ohlenbusch Tuesday.

A. V. Flowers and E. C. Jackson made a business trip to Artesia Saturday morning.

Miss Gale Sharp of Dexter was a visitor in the A. V. Flowers home for several days last week.

Will Sharp and daughter, Gayle of Dexter visited in the A. V. Flowers home Wednesday evening.

On last Friday the Lake Arthur post graduates and their guests enjoyed a picnic at the Washington ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Latta and family of Cottonwood spent Sunday afternoon at the home of D. Ohlenbusch.

Mrs. Merle Porter was spent last week with her sister, Mrs. D. A. Goode, returned to her home in Dexter Sunday.

Mrs. Frankie Davis of Hagerman is visiting her mother, Mrs. Richmond Hams and grand-children, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hams.

Remember prayer meeting to-night at the Methodist church. The lesson will be, "Acts—Chapter 9." Rev. J. W. Slade will be the leader.

Rev. C. F. Schmid of Albuquerque, pastor of the Lutheran church held his regular service at the home of D. Ohlenbusch Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Luke Alexander and children left last Thursday for Lindsay, Oklahoma, where they intend to spend the summer with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Murphy of Hope, spent the week-end with Mrs. J. R. Spence. From here she went to Artesia where she expects to hold a revival meeting.

Saturday night the Freshman class was entertained with a social at the home of Rev. J. W. Slade. A good time was reported by all. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served.

The Ladies District Missionary conference will convene at Lovington, May 11th. The date was changed from the 5th on account of the rainy weather.

Monday the Home Makers club and the 4-H club met at the home of Mrs. C. B. Crook. The 4-H members put on an exhibit of the articles they have made.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meadows

WINTER WHEAT PROSPECTS GOOD IN STATE--REPORT

New Mexico winter wheat is placed at 5,500,000 bushels for 1931, by the Federal Reserve monthly, or a bumper crop far in excess of last year's production and the 10-year average.

The 1930 winter wheat crop was 1,361,000 bushels and the 10-year average is 2,383,000 bushels.

Gross petroleum on March 31, 1931, was 1,238,000 barrels an increase from 303,000 barrels in March 1930.

Coal decreased from 130,000 tons in March 1930, to 119,000 tons in March 1931.

Bank clearings at Albuquerque, the only point designated, decreased from \$11,154,000 on April 1, 1930, to \$9,698,000 on April 1, 1931.

Life insurance tumbled from \$1,240,000 in March 1930, to \$988,000 for March, 1931.

In Albuquerque, the only point designated, building permits in March 1931, totaled 59 with construction costs of \$78,871, while

were visiting their daughter, Fannie Meadows of Artesia, Friday, who has been confined to her bed for several days with the mumps.

The eighth grade exercises will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock in the high school auditorium. The graduating class include: Tressie Huff, Dean Crawford, Rosemary Warren, John Raymond Flowers, Melvin Bivens and Francis Tice.

The special service Sunday evening at the Methodist church was very much appreciated by those who attended. The addresses delivered by Mrs. Ham and Mrs. J. R. Spence were very fine. The service was closed with a pageant which served as a suitable climax for the program.

The home economic girls served a "Una Merienda" Wednesday to the wives of the school board and the members of the Senior class. They received abundant praise from their guests. On Thursday they closed their cooking work with a luncheon and are now busy preparing for finals. Several of the boys have expressed the desire to enroll for this course, the girls advised them that dish washing was a necessary evil that follows in the art of cooking.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

The Commencement exercises will be held at the high school auditorium Thursday evening, May 14th, at eight o'clock. Dr. Kent of the State College will deliver the address. The class roll follows: Wayne Norris, Alma Bradley, Minnie Lee Smith, Bertha Ewing and Ruby Waldrip.

CAPT. WELLS LECTURES AT BAPTIST CHURCH

A number of men gathered at the Baptist church, Tuesday night to hear Capt. Wells of Los Angeles, California give his 4,867th lecture on the subject: "Jerusalem Under the Turks." Capt. Wells who spent more than 100 days in the ancient city, gave an interesting description of the Holy Land and of Jerusalem, telling of the people and their customs. He dwelled at length on the religion of Mohammed and how it has affected the followers of Mohammed. Last night, Capt. Wells gave his lecture to the ladies.

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in March 1930, there were 1,010 permits totaling \$267,175.

Serial Number 043636 Department of the Interior United States Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, April 29, 1931.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR POTASH LEASES

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the act of Congress approved February 7, 1927, The United States Potash Company, whose post-office address is 598 Madison Avenue, New York, N. Y., and Box 818, Carlsbad, New Mexico, has made application for potash leases covering the following described lands:

LEASE "A"—Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14, and 15, of section 6, Township 21 South, Range 30 East. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Section 1, Township 21 South, Range 29 East. S 1/2 of Section 35; and S 1/2 and NE 1/4 of Section 25, Township 20 South, Range 30 East. W 1/2 and W 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Section 30; N 1/2 and the SW 1/4 and the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of

Section 31, Township 20 South, Range 31 East, containing 2,524.08 acres, more or less.

LEASE "B"—NE 1/4 and E 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Section 30; All Sections 28 and 29; N 1/2 and SE 1/4 and E 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Section 33, Township 20 South, Range 31 East. Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13 and 14 and the NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 Section 3, Township 21 South, Range 30 East. Lots 9, 15 and 16 of Section 4, Township 21 South, Range 30 East, containing 2,551.66 acres, more or less.

LEASE "C"—SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 14, Township 21 South, Range

29 East; N 1/2 of N 1/2 of Section 22; N 1/2 of N 1/2 of Section 23; N 1/2 of NW 1/4 and W 1/2 of NE 1/4 and SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 24, Township 21 South, Range 29 East. Lots 3, 4, and SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 and NE 1/4 of Section 19; N 1/2 of N 1/2 of Section 20; S 1/2 and E 1/2 of NE 1/4 and SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 17; S 1/2 of Section 18, Township 21 South, Range 30 East. E 1/2 and S 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Section 9; W 1/2 of Section 10; SE 1/4 of Section 4; S 1/2 of SW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section 3, Township 21 South, Range 30 East, containing

2,532.85 acres, more or less. Said application will be submitted to the Commissioner of the General Land Office within 30 days from May 1, 1931, and any and all persons claiming adversely any of the described lands are required to file their claims in this office on or before said date, otherwise their claims will be disregarded in the granting of said lease. Other applications for lease of the described lands may be filed at any time prior to said date, in which case all applications so filed will be considered as prescribed by section 15 of the potash regulations. V. B. MAY, Register.

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Social Activities

MAY DAY PARTY

The second charming spring-time party was given by Mesdames Will Linell, Frank Seale and Aubrey Watson at the Linell home on last Friday afternoon. The May Day motif provided the inspiration for the floral decorations and the menu. Green, pink, yellow and red were the prevailing color notes and appeared in the May basket nut cups, the tomato may baskets that held the salad course and the ice cream and cake. Tulips, yellow poppies, a variety of spring flowers, including the lovely yellow wild flowers, combined to give charming springlike atmosphere to this delightful party. First prize in playing was won by Mrs. Howard Gissler. Mrs. Flint won a prize for a grand slam. No other grand slam was won and three prizes for this feature were placed in a May basket grab bag and drawn out by Mesdames Berry, Swift and Stanley Blocker, who were lucky enough to draw numbers entitling them to grab. The guest list included Mesdames Joe Hamann, Mary Grimm, Howard Gissler, Jim Berry, Sidney Woods, Albert Richards, Lewis Story, John Lanning, Jack Clady, Alta Linell, Boone Barnett, Lloyd Simon of Maljamar, Dick Attebery, Stanley Blocker, C. R. Blocker, Stephen Lanning, Elza Swift, Carl Joiner, W. E. Flint, Landis Feather, Leslie Martin and Fred Brainard and Misses Catherine Clarke and Violet Robertson.

SAMPLE SUPPER PLEASING AFFAIR

Approximately \$113.00 was realized from the sample supper and dance, staged by the American Legion Auxiliary, in the garage of the Artesia Auto Co., Thursday evening. The sum, less expenses will be applied to the state convention fund. Each guest present received a shopping bag which he filled with samples and, which in many instances were worth as much as the admission to the supper. It was one time where a number of the Artesia husbands were seen carrying a shopping bag. The supper served after the shopping tour was finished consisted of ham sandwiches, coffee, milk, pie, cake, pickles Dr. Pepper and Coca Cola. A carnival dance concluded the evening's entertainment.

MEN'S CLASS ENTERTAINS

The Baptist Men's Bible class entertained the members of the T. E. L. and Dorcas classes at a party in the church last Thursday evening. As hosts the men seem to have carried off the palm for they certainly put on a fine entertainment. There were no idle moments from the time the ladies arrived on the scene until they left for home. A supper course was served by the younger men early in the evening and consisted of cheese sandwiches, water and toothpicks. Various contests and games had been arranged and the time passed merrily until after ten, when the real supper was served and this time of sandwiches, pickles, cocoa, ice cream and cake was brought in. This was the finishing touch to an evening of unalloyed pleasure, which proved that the evening planned and managed entirely by the men set a pace in entertaining for the ladies.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

Mrs. F. G. Hartell's Methodist Sunday school class drove out Monday afternoon after school to the big reservoir, southwest of town, and had a picnic, with a big fire and marshmallow roast, accompanied by active games and a general good time. Those who enjoyed the outing were the teacher and pupils, Mary Ann Miller, Elsie Jernigan, Clementine Cobble, D. C. Stuart, Charles Denton and Robert French. Lillie Mae Miller, Juanita Perry, Martin Yates, Jr., and Roy Garrison helped to convey the class and the "eats" to the picnic and made themselves useful in promoting a good time.

BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. Les Barnes was hostess to two tables of bridge last Thursday afternoon, serving light refreshments. High score was won by Mrs. Clewell and low score, by Mrs. Herman Gray. The guest list at this pleasant afternoon party included Mesdames Kay Lydia, Clewell, Reed McCaw, Gilispie, S. B. Barnett, Cecil House, Gray and Watkins.

ATTENTION MASONS

Regular communication of Artesia Lodge No. 28, A. F. & A. M. at the Masonic hall at 7:30 p. m. this evening. Members are urged, and visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.

FIRST BRIDGE CLUB

The club was entertained on Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. S. E. Ferree, who served light refreshments. There were four substitutes, Mesdames Rowan, Hartell, Aubrey Watson and Chester Dentler.

Social Calendar

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FRIDAY

Women's Christian Temperance Union meeting at the Presbyterian church at 3:00 p. m.

The Past Noble Grands' club will meet with Mrs. C. Bert Smith at 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY

The Legion Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. H. A. Stroup at 2:30 p. m., with Mrs. John Simons and Mrs. John McCann as assisting hostesses.

TUESDAY

The Fortnightly Bridge club will be entertained by Mrs. Charley Martin at the home of her mother, Mrs. "Col" Williams for one o'clock luncheon.

The Second Bridge club will meet with Mrs. R. D. Compton for one o'clock luncheon.

The Pastime club will meet with Mrs. John Dunn at 2:30 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The Susannah Wesley class will have its monthly business and social meeting at the home of Mrs. Wykes on West Washington avenue at 2:30 p. m.

THE P. E. O. SISTERHOOD

The P. E. O. Sisterhood held its final meeting of the year at the home of Miss Emma Clark last Friday afternoon. There was no program the afternoon being given over to business and a social hour, during which Miss Clark served delicious refreshments.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

A happy birthday party was held last Saturday at the Presbyterian manse when Clara Sinclair celebrated her 11th birthday. Both outdoor and indoor games were played with much gusto. Clara's history was outlined by photographs from babyhood.

Dorothy Gilmore won the prize for modeling the best cat with chewing gum. The color scheme was pink and white with May baskets as favors. Those present were: Helen Meredith Gates, R. Lee Reno, Dorothy Reno, Margaret Mahone, Irene Gillespie, Harry Goodell, Nina Mae McLean, Lela Bess Mann, Dorothy Gilmore, Betty Jo Brainard, Jessie Lee Cunningham, and Clara's brothers and sisters.

Announcement Cards, blank or printed—The Advocate.

SIX O'CLOCK SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cole were hosts at six o'clock supper Tuesday evening their guests being Capt. Wells, who delivered lectures at the Baptist church Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, and Rev. Dew, pastor of the church, and his young son, James.

SIXTH NATIONAL MUSIC WEEK IS OBSERVED

The Sixth National Music Week was fittingly observed with an appropriate program at Roswell Sunday with a program by the valley grade school chorus and valley orchestra, under the direction of Prof. E. L. Harp.

The program: Invocation Orchestra—Sacred Fantasia, "The Angelus," Buys. Chorus—The Homeland of the Free, Brackett. Orchestra—Selected. Clarinet Solo—Polonaise Brilliant Gebhart, Miss Thelma McCaw. Orchestra—Festal March, Cadman. Chorus—Hail to America, Huffer Orchestra—Grand Sacred Pot pourri, "Joy to the World," Barnhouse. Benediction.

THE NEVIN CLUB

The Nevin club met at the home of its teacher, Mrs. G. U. McCrary last Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, with fifteen present. A program of twelve numbers was given as a rehearsal for a recital, which will be given at the close of school. The club was also given a lesson on chords. The hostess served light refreshments.

DIST. MISSIONARY MEETING POSTPONED

The Roswell District Missionary conference, which was scheduled to be held in Lovington Tuesday was postponed until next Wednesday, the 13th. The president, Mrs. J. C. Jones of Clovis, notified the local society that the prevalence of rain and mud made it unadvisable to try to hold the conference this week.

TYPEWRITERS
New Woodstocks, Coronas, and Remingtons, Rebuilt in all other makes at The Advocate.

FIRST NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB

The First Night Bridge club met at the Martin Yates home last Thursday evening for its regular cafeteria supper and evening of bridge. There were two substitutes, Mrs. M. A. Corbin and Richard Wheatley.

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IDLEWHILES BRIDGE CLUB

The Idlewhiles Bridge club met with Mrs. J. H. Jackson for one o'clock luncheon which was served in three courses. Mesdames J. B. Attkeson, R. D. Compton and G. U. McCrary were substitutes and Mrs. Ellen Francis of McAllen, Texas was a special guest.

"CHEVIE SIX" BRIDGE CLUB

The "Chevie Six" Bridge club had its postponed meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Martin, on the ranch southeast of town, last Monday evening. All members and two guests, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Jones, were present. The customary light refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Geo. Johnson.

Calling Cards, 100 for \$1.75, on best grade paneled or plain stock.—The Advocate.

THE FINAL WOMEN'S MEETING OF YEAR

The final Women's club meeting of the year was a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. R. D. Compton, chairman of the entertainment committee, yesterday. The juniors joined with the senior club in the luncheon and remained for the business meeting, which followed.

There was a good attendance and all seemed to enjoy the fellowship, which accompanied the delicious repast, a splendid feeling of comradeship being manifested. Routine business and the reports of the recent convention occupied considerable time, the reports developing much interest, especially in the conservation and appreciation of our country's natural attractions. This subject is being stressed by the general federation and the state and district organizations are joining in the movement to conserve resources and especially to sell New Mexico to New Mexicans as well as to strangers. A special subject of discussion was our state flower, the splendid yucca, a specimen of which adorned the table at the luncheon and was the object of much attention and enthusiasm on the part of the visitors. Powder box penny banks for raising money for the local club and general federation were distributed to those who did not receive them at the convention.

luncheon. Two new members for next year, Mrs. Skelt Williams and Mrs. Roy Hurd, were admitted at this time. The year just past has been a pleasant and successful one and there appeared to be a feeling of anticipation that the year to come would be even better and would probably see the beginning of a club house.

The retiring president, Mrs. H. A. Stroup, who has headed the organization for over two years, briefly expressed her appreciation of the splendid co-operation of the members and introduced the new president, Mrs. F. G. Hartell, who announced the personnel of the Yard and Garden contest committee as follows: Mrs. J. M. Story, Mrs. C. R. Blocker, and Mrs. S. E. Ferree.

The meeting closed with the singing of the chorus of "O, Fair New Mexico."

Carl Joiner left yesterday for Gladwater, Texas to accept his old position with the Illinois Pipe Line Co. Other former employees of the Illinois may be transferred to Gladwater, including T. F. McBride, it was learned. Allen Perry accompanied Mr. Joiner.

Jack Cunningham who has been in the Tucumcari and Clovis section, arrived Tuesday to spend a few days with his family.

Mrs. Les Barnes and Mrs. Margaret Ellis went up to Weed yesterday to visit Mrs. Barnes' sister, Mrs. Lawrence Wilde, until tomorrow.

Dr. Brown of Edmond visited his daughter, Mrs. and Mr. Ward yesterday.

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Other Shoes of new styles and colors...\$2.95 to \$10.00

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Ballard Recalls Early Days In And Fort Sumner

Early days con- development of o history Bal- Charles Bal- pioneer cowman sevel's Rough possible ex- Coe brothers, doso Junction, ly remembers New Mexico, fence was a other resident



W. H. Ballard is shown with his mother, Mrs. A. J. Ballard, Jim Ballard, the youngest son is seen in the back ground.

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of New Mex- vely free from althrough raids which the In- settlers horses. seen bands of ht of Roswell, s now Roswell, ht between the cow punchers, our Lakes, near only one barb- this whole sec- d this was a pple orchard on swell.

Window st thrilling in- day life was was blown thru Ballard resi-

dence at Fort Sumner. The Bal- lards' lived in an adobe dwelling the front of which had once been used as a store room. One day a Jew peddler with his wife and daughter came to the Ballard house and was displaying his wares. The Jew made a mistake of selling whiskey to a bunch of cow punchers gathered to look over the various articles for sale. It was not long before the sowboys began to warm up and demand more whiskey, which the Jew refused to sell, barring the door to keep out the intruders. The gang laid siege to the store room and began firing into the room. Among the peddlers wares were two five gallon cans of black powder. In some way, which was never accounted for, the shots ignited the powder and an explosion followed wrecking the building and burying the Jew, his wife and daughter under the dirt roof. Things were taking place in the rear part of the house also. While Mrs. Ballard and children were trying to collect themselves, Char- ley was taking an inventory just outside of the window. The force of the explosion had blown him thru the window, but he managed to escape without injury except for a few bruises. The Jew, wife and daughter were buried under the fallen roof and later extracted in fair order except for a few cuts and bruises. Capt. Ballard, who was away from home at the time of the incident, soon returned and followed the gang north, overtaking them and collecting damages for the broken furniture. The Kid and his crowd were present, but took no part in the mele. The family had moved to White Oaks in the year 1881, when Billy the Kid was killed at Fort Sumner. The boys however, got first hand knowledge from the killing from various sources.

Organized Squadron Rough Riders

Mr. Ballard was active in re- cruiting cowpunchers for the Span- ish American War and organized the nucleus of the New Mexico squadron of Rough Riders, under command of Col. Roosevelt. A state organization was later formed at Santa Fe and Mr. Ballard made lieutenant colonel.

before this date. The officers of the board are Sister Mary Lawrence of St. Joseph's San- atorium, Albuquerque, president; and Miss Ella J. Bartlett, 1601 East Silver, Albuquerque, secre- tary-treasurer.

New Mexico State Board of Nurse Examiners.
ELLA J. BARTLETT,
Secretary-Treasurer.

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CHEVROLET ADDS LANDAU PHAETON AS NEWEST SIX CYLINDER

Announcement was made this week by H. J. Klingler, vice-pres- ident in charge of sales of the Chevrolet Motor Company, of the introduction of the new landau phaeton, priced at \$650, f. o. b. Flint, the latest addition to the Chevrolet line of six-cylinder pas- senger cars.

Although the landau phaeton made its first appearance at the New York automobile show earlier in the year, national distribution of the new model was not started until recently. This modish and smart new body type, which is having an unusual vogue in Europe, is now available thru all Chevrolet dealers in this coun- try.

The new car offers unusual combination of beauty and utility. With the top raised it becomes a comfortable closed sedan. With the top lowered it is a smart, fleet open phaeton. The collaps- ible top, which is quickly and easily operated, is attractively tailored with the best grade of heavy texture material.

This folding top is supported by chromium finished braces which are completely removable. There are two windows and one door on each side of the body. The windows lower completely into the body so that, with the braces removed, and the windshield fold- ed forward over the hood, the car has all the advantages of a phaeton for open air driving.

The front seating arrangement is similar to the coach model, and the rear seat accommodates three people. The backs and cushions of both front and rear seats are upholstered with a fine grade of durable leather. The rear com- partment is provided with arm rests and ash trays on each side, and a pocket in the right hand door.

A package compartment in the rear carries the top braces when not in use. Five wire wheels, with the spare in the rear, coil lamps and radiator grille are standard equipment.

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- Bill Heads
- Bills of Fare
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- Blank Books
- Books and Booklets
- Brief Cases
- Business Announcements
- Business Cards
- Business Stationery
- Calendars
- Calling Cards
- Catalogues
- Christmas Cards
- Checks and Drafts
- Circulars
- Commercial Stationery
- Concert Programs
- Correspondence Stationery
- Coupon Books
- Dance Programs
- Dance Tickets
- Deposit Slips
- Desk Pens
- Directories
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- Duplicate Blanks
- Envelopes
- Filing Cards
- Financial Statements
- Gummed Labels
- Hand Bills
- Hotel Note Heads
- Index Cards
- Inks, Pens, Pencils
- Invitations
- Invoices
- Invoice Files
- Leather Tabs
- Ledger Leaves
- Legal Blanks
- Letter Heads
- Letter Files
- Library Paste
- Linen Tags
- Loose Leaf Devices
- Loose Leaf Note Books
- Loose Leaf Recipe Books
- Manuscript Covers
- Meal Tickets
- Menus
- Monthly Account Sheets
- Notes, Promissory
- Notices, Collection
- Office Equipment
- Order Blanks
- Pamphlets
- Paper Clips
- Pencil Sharpeners
- Placards
- Pocket Bill Folds
- Prescription Blanks
- Recital Programs
- Receipts
- Reception Cards
- Remittance Cards
- Rubber Bands
- Rubber Stamps
- Ruled Stationery
- Show Cards
- Stamp Pads
- Store Counter Pads
- Store Sale Bills
- Shipping Tags
- Tag Envelopes
- Telephone Directories
- Thumb Tacks
- Tickets
- Typewriter Supplies
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LOCALS

F. M. Privett was a visitor in Carlsbad Monday.

S. E. Ferree was in Carlsbad Monday, attending to legal bus- iness.

Col. A. T. Woods and S. W. Hale were El Paso visitors over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blake left Monday for Scipio, Indiana, where they will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Roberts, of Roswell, spent the week-end here guests at the home of his brother, Cecil Roberts.

Miss Kathleen Newman returned last week from Dulce, this state, where she has been teaching the past nine months.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Compton drove to Roswell Monday afternoon to see their son, Kenneth, a student at the Military Insti- tute.

Tom Batton became ill last week and was taken to the Eddy county hospital. According to an early report his condition was re- garded as serious.

T. H. Flint returned Monday from an extended business visit to his former home at San An- tonio, Texas. The return of Mr. Flint was delayed somewhat on account of heavy rains.

ROBERT STARKEY IS KILLED IN AIRPLANE CRASH THURSDAY

Friends of the Keinath family will regret to learn of the un- timely death of Robert Starkey, 26, son-in-law of A. C. Keinath, former Artesia resident. Starkey a test pilot of the Kinner Air- plane and Motor Co., met his death Thursday morning at Bur- bank, California, while he was testing a plane. While taking the plane thru a number of maneu- vers, the machine suddenly start- ed downward, striking the rear end of a truck and demolishing the truck. Continuing on its mad flight the plane struck a large oak tree, reducing the machine to kindling wood. Starkey was thrown about fifty feet from the wreckage, falling in a plowed field. He was still alive when first aid reached him, but died en route to a hospital.

Starkey it is said had about eight years experience in flying and at one time served as a pilot into Mexico.

He is survived by a widow, Mrs. Grace Starkey and his parents, all of Burbank.

TYPEWRITERS
New Woodstocks, Coronas, and Remingtons, Rebuilt in all other makes at The Advocate.

An Emporia (Kansas) woman motorist lost control of her car and drove right thru a plate glass window into a confectionery store. As soon as the car was pushed back into the street and the brok- en glass cleared away, the pro- prietor of the store hung this sign: "Honk for service, but don't drive in."

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Have Money For Mother

THE things you do for Mother give her great hap- piness. But Mother's greatest happiness is seeing her children succeed. Sons and husbands can show "Mother" their love in no better way than by giving her a bank account and steadily increasing her balance.

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CITIZENS STATE BANK
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Next to Your Head Comes Your Feet. Let Us Keep Your Shoes Shined
Quality work for ladies and gentlemen. Shoe dyeing our specialty.

NEW STATE SHINE PARLOR
Five Doors East of Post Office
MILTON KELLY, Prop.

Chevrolet has struck a popular new note in motor-car styling

Many factors have contributed to the remarkably widespread popularity of the new Chevrolet Six. But no feature has been more strikingly evident in the enthusiastic public reception of the car than its smart new style.

Fisher Body craftsmen, with their background of fine-car designing, have made this new Chevrolet an exceptionally attractive automobile.

The long hood, low-swung body lines, sweeping fenders and massive wire wheels strikingly suggest the car's fleetness and power. And the appeal of Chevrolet's beauty is made more pronounced by the fact that all models are available in a variety of color combinations.

Interiors, too, are unusual in every way. The upholstery is carefully tailored. Seats are roomy, deeply-cushioned and invitingly soft. And the tasteful interior fittings lend a final note of charm.

In fact, the new Chevrolet Six is such a thoroughly fine-looking auto- mobile that it has become a very popular choice with every type of buyer. You find it not only the smart family car, but the smart personal car as well—a worthy companion to the expensive automobiles of the two-and three-car household.

The New Chevrolet Convertible Cabriolet

New Low Prices—Roadster, \$475; Sport Roadster (with rumble seat), \$495; Phaeton, \$510; Standard Coupe, \$535; Coach, \$545; Standard Five-Window Coupe, \$545; Sport Coupe (with rumble seat), \$575; Five-Passenger Coupe, \$595; Convertible Cabriolet, \$615; Standard Sedan, \$635; Special Sedan, \$650; Convertible Landau Phaeton, \$650. Special equipment extra. Chevrolet truck chassis, \$355 to \$590. Low delivered prices and easy terms. All prices f. o. b. Flint, Mich.

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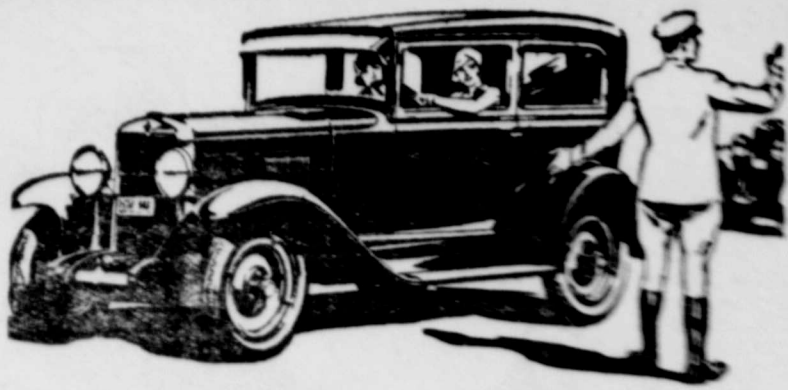
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NATURAL GAS
No one ever enjoyed cooking over a stove that heats the kitchen like an oven. It may have been necessary once upon a time—but with Natural Gas it is needless drudgery. With a modern gas range you have the heat where it belongs under the cooking vessels. The Gas oven may be insulated, so that oven-cookery does not heat the kitchen, and whole meals are cooked in the oven at one time. Before you face the long summer, see the new model gas ranges at your appliance dealer's. They can be purchased on easy terms, and everyone can afford Natural Gas.

With Heat — You Can Do It Better With Gas

NATURAL GAS

ECOS VALLEY GAS CO.



Paint Like New
'29 MODEL CHEVROLET
COACH

Carefully driven, low mileage. Needless to say this outstanding value is attractively priced. We promised you bargains in this sale. Good tires, good motor, its like your neighbor's Chevrolet.

\$319

New Biege
'26 MODEL BUICK
Sedan

A wonderful car value, with low mileage. Just the car for your family's second car. Good upholstery, fair tires, A-1 Motor.

\$188

Moleskin—Orange Wheels
LATE '29 MODEL "A" FORD
Standard Coupe

Its like buying a new car. A-1 motor condition, 5 good tires, driven carefully less than 13,000 miles. Here's where you get full value for your money.

\$286

Blue Black
'28 MODEL CHEVROLET
Panel Delivery

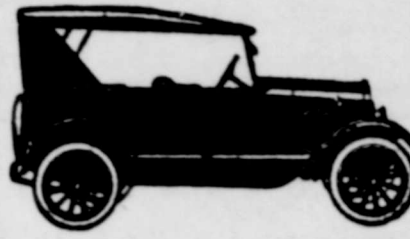
This commercial car, priced low to move quickly. Good tires, reconditioned motor. A bargain.

\$138

Bright Green—Red Wheels
'27 MODEL CHEVROLET
Roadster

If you'd like your neighbor to know you like Chevrolet. Good motor, good tires. Drive this one home.

\$74

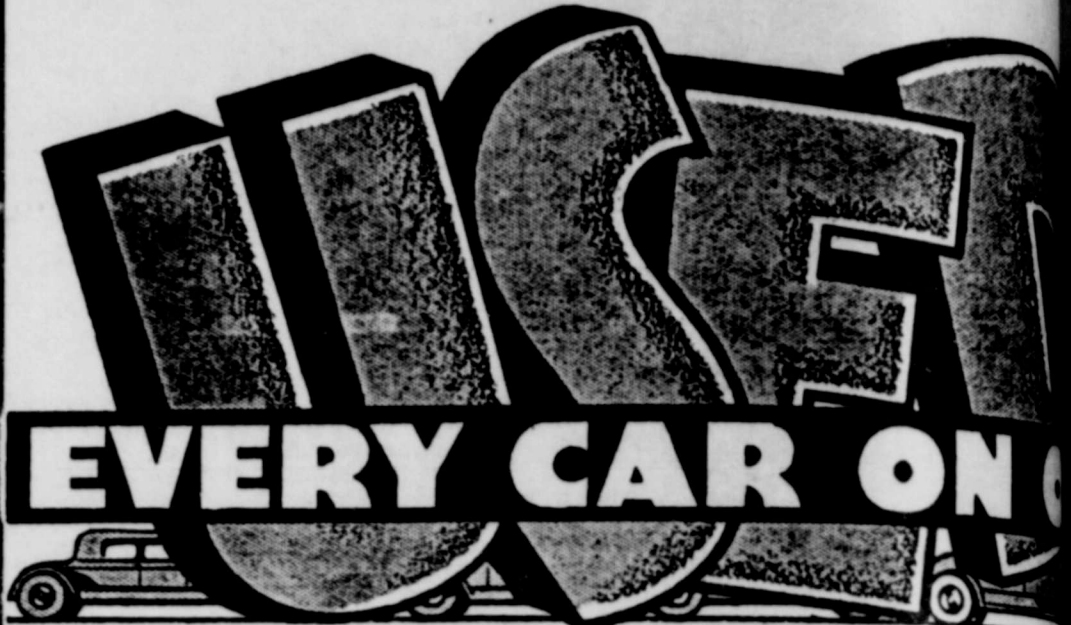


Yellow—Maroon Wheels
'26 CHEVROLET
Touring

Don't be alarmed, don't go away. It needs no fixing, its a good Chevrolet.

\$39

RENEWED



Pigskin Brown
LATE '28 MODEL "A" FORD
Standard Coupe

New seat covers, new tires, driven carefully and kept serviced well, low mileage, hot battery, motor A-1. When you buy this car feel assured of satisfactory service for years.

\$187

WHY NO

J. R. (Dick) Attebery, Manager of that your friend Dick Attebery as never before will flock to this ed in the State. Many of them rainbow. Motor-wise buyers the same fundamental principles that be maintained every day of this for easy terms. All sale cars will until sale opens. (DON'T FAIL! AUTO COMPANY SHOW ROOM

EASY TERMS CAN BE



Stake Body
'26 MODEL "T" FORD
Truck

Plenty of Used Cars, easy terms can be arranged on any of them. . . . it will pay you to be in line first. Demoralizing high prices.

\$37

Bright Red—Green Wheels
'27 MODEL STAR
Coupster

Never in your life have you had opportunity like this. Just another wonderful buy! Motor good and five good tires!

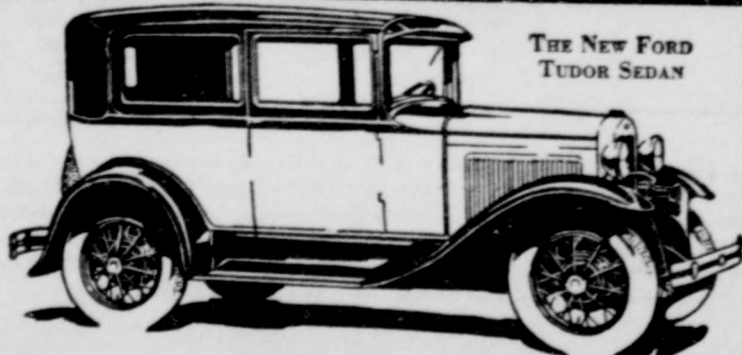
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CASH IF YOU HAVE IT!

Dark Blue—Cream Wheels
LATE '28 MODEL "A" FORD
STANDARD COUPE

New and good tires, perfect motor condition. We accept trade-ins the same as cash. Every car on our floor must go. It will pay you to come to this sale for 100 miles around.

\$238



Chicle-Drab Finish
'30 MODEL "A" FORD
TUDOR

Motor brand new reconditioned. This car has had general overhauling throughout. New seat covers. Drop your work, no matter how important! Come to this sale, because savings here are enormous!

\$388

New Black—Red Wheels
'29 MODEL "A" FORD
Tudor Sedan

Four brand new tires, new seat covers, A-1 motor mechanically, low mileage. You will be proud to own this car. Best and lowest priced, its quality is outstanding.

\$298

FREE
Five Quarts of Oil.

IN EVERY CAR—CHECKED
DIFFERENTIAL—TRANSMISSION

Original Finish
'29 MODEL CHEVROLET
Touring

We promised you Used Car Bargains! If you'd like to own a Chevrolet, you should be proud of this one. First we beat the price when we make the price. Every Used Car in this sale guaranteed. Good tires and perfect motor.

\$253

Brand New Paint
'29 MODEL "A" FORD
Open cab Pick-up

It has side curtains, good tires and good motor. In fact runs like a deer. How can you do without this car on your ranch?

\$164

New Green-Red Wheels
'27 MODEL "T" FORD
Coupe

Another knockout . . . its far above the average, hot battery, new seat covers. Back in the Model "T" days you would have come 300 miles for this bargain. Good motor, good tires.

\$69

SALE STARTS **Sale Op**
TUESDAY

Free

Visit, Ford Motor Co's. Road Show Monday, May 11th from 2 to 10 P. M. Talking pictures, cut-away motor showing all working parts—its like a trip through Ford's great plants.

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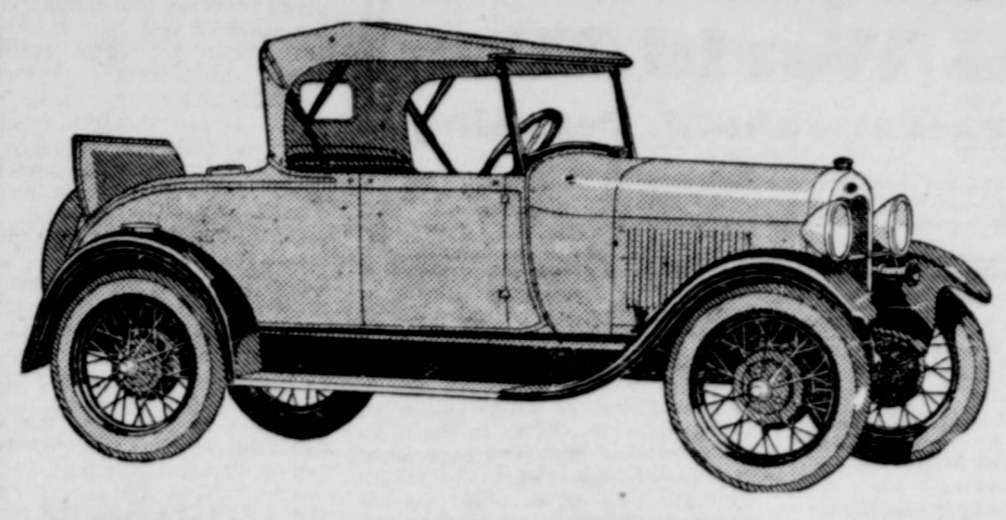
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 no introduction, except to say Used Car in this sale. Crowds and lowest priced ever offered, painted, in every color of the sale expecting bargains. The day, to its present standing will make arrangements in advance May 11th. None will be sold HOW MONDAY AT ARTESIA A. M. TUESDAY, MAY 12th.

Lite Blue—Straw Wheels
 '28 MODEL "A" FORD
Coupe
 Compare our long record for selling good Used Cars that are perfect. Let nothing keep you from this Used Car Sale. Motor A-1, good tires absolutely new top, new seat covers.

\$179

Whoopie!
 '26 MODEL FORD
Roadster
 Many astounding values as ne'er before! You can't expect greater savings! \$10 check good on this one too!

\$11



FREE---5 DAYS' TRIAL---FREE

IF FOR ANY REASON YOU ARE NOT PLEASED WITH YOUR PURCHASE IN THIS SALE ALL WE ASK IS THAT YOU JUST RETURN THE CAR TO US WITHIN FIVE DAYS AND APPLY FULL PURCHASE PRICE ON ANY NEW OR USED CAR WE HAVE, PROVIDED THE PURCHASED CAR HAS NOT BEEN DAMAGED. THIS IS OUR USED CAR VALUE GUARANTEE.

Running Wild!
 '25 MODEL "T" FORD
Coupe
 Automobile prices that demand your attention . . . priced so low, we don't dare sell one of them before opening day.

\$14



New Green
 '27 MODEL "T" FORD
Touring
 New top, new seat covers. Transportation running wild. 5 good tires, good motor.

\$68

New Finish
 LATE '29 MODEL "A" FORD
Roadster

A stroke of good fortune is your! It's another wonderful opportunity, if ever in your life you expect to buy a real bargain. Get here early. Motor perfect, good tires.

\$279

Good Paint
 '26 CHEVROLET
Touring

The most breath taking event of the year! You can afford to come 100 miles to save \$100. It will pay you \$1 per mile to get here first.

\$47

ON ANY USED CAR

Brand New Maroon—Red Wheels
 LATE '29 MODEL "A" FORD
STANDARD COUPE
 Brand new seat covers, brand new tires, perfect motor, with exacting low mileage. Get here early by all means. Will take your trade-in same as cash.

\$238

Original Paint
 '29 MODEL "A" FORD
CLOSED CAB PICK-UP
 Absolutely a real bargain in a commercial car! Its hard to tell you of its value in cold hard type. 5 good tires, fender well with side mount, motor perfect mechanically.

\$298

Brand New Paint
 '29 MODEL "A" FORD
Closed Cab Pick-Up
 Motor A-1 mechanically, good tires, with good spare and extra wheel, body and cab tight, with low mileage. This commercial car will refund your investment! Ready for delivery.

\$328

SAVINGS YOU NEVER DREAMED OF

Sport Color Paint
 '26 MODEL "T" FORD
Roadster
 New top, new paint, no-nox A-1 motor, good tires. You will enjoy a gillion miles driving this car. Get here early!

\$58

Platform Body
 '26 MODEL "T" FORD
Truck
 Warford transmission, good tires, good motor. Here's another real bargain that will make all sit up and take notice. You'll say that's a good one too!

\$43

10 A.M. SALE STARTS MAY 12th

FREE Five Gallons of Gas.

IN EVERY CAR OVER \$100 —OUT THEY GO—

CREDIT IF YOU WANT IT!

UNTIL SALE OPENS



Wait

Don't buy a car until this sale opens! Inspect Monday, the fine display of Renewed Used Cars. They are the best, lowest priced cars offered in this state. Read our guarantee.

New Dark Green
 '29 MODEL CHEVROLET
Heavy Duty Truck

Closed cab, platform body. You have said the Chevrolet truck is best, possibly because you have used no other. We now attempt to favor you with a real bargain. Good heavy-duty truck tires, good motor.

\$289

Dark Green—Red Wheels
 '26 MODEL CHEVROLET
COACH

Its like finding this car parked, with a sign on it, "Take me home." Savings are great, when you protect your new car with an inexpensive family's second car. Good motor, good tires.

\$73

of the Model "A" Ford

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New Dark Green
 LATE '29 MODEL 'A' FORD
Closed cab pick-up

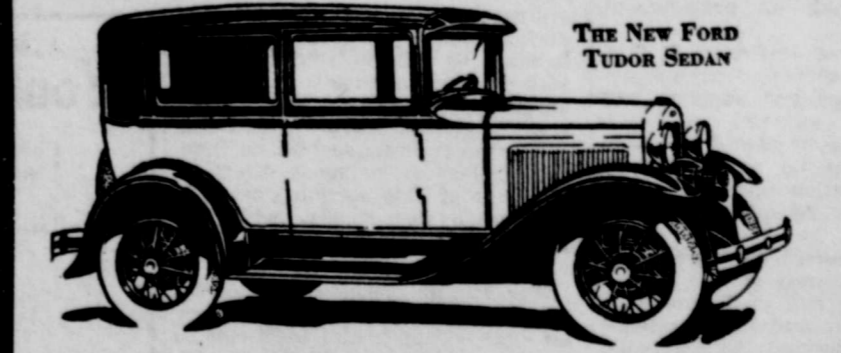
Perfect motor mechanically, 6 good tires, 6 steel wheels, 2 well-fenders with 2 side mounts. In fact as good as new . . . its a bargain!

\$349

Grab This Quickly
 '26 MODEL CHEVROLET
Box Pick-up

Bring the check of The Artesia Auto Company—\$10 PAID-IN-CASH. Good on any Used Car in this sale. Get in the race!

\$24



Brand New Finish
 LATE '29 MODEL "A" FORD
TUDOR

It is a profitable investment to own the family's second car. Cash if you have it! Credit if you want it! Four tires like new, good spare, mounted on side. A-1 motor.

\$283

My Experiences in the World War

By General John J. Pershing

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W. N. U. Service

CHAPTER XII

In view of the gravity of our transportation situation, it was highly important that it be brought speedily to the attention of the allies, agencies of the approaching inter-allied conference on shipping, I called Washington August 23, 1917, in part as follows: "The British and, especially, the French have reached absolute limit of man power and any augmentation their military forces cannot be expected, imperative bases our organization and training so that we will have the troops contemplated your project in Europe for active service by May or June."

"Military activities of allies on land should be strongly reinforced by combined armies and destruction of coast bases accomplished if possible. High British army officers consistently condemn waiting policy British admiralty. In view of gravity of shipping question recommended our government insist upon aggressive policy by combined British and American navies."

"Our position in this war very strong. Allies now fully recognize dependence upon our cooperation and we need not hesitate issued both aggressive naval policy and full share commercial shipping. Recommended American representative shipping conference be instructed accordingly."

"Numbers of officers of all armies but very strongly that to check the losses by submarines the two navies should take some risk and attempt to destroy the bases from which these boats operated. It is not known whether any steps were ever taken to convey this suggestion to the combined navies."

"Meanwhile, a study by a joint French and American commission of the question of production of powders and explosives in France showed that the greater part of the raw materials must be imported and that, due to the shipping situation, France in December would produce only about half of the current output. It was apparent, therefore, that to avoid calamity the United States must not only furnish powder and explosives for all of its own forces, but must supply about half the French requirements, and the War department was so advised."

"By this arrangement a large saving of tonnage would be effected, the weight of raw materials was less than twenty times that of the finished product. As nitrate for the manufacture of powder and explosives had to be imported from Chile, the hazard to shipping would be reduced by avoiding the long haul to France. Millions of dollars were expended in the construction of plants at home in an attempt to produce nitrate, but none had been turned out before the end of the war."

"Navies Made Supply Chief. In view of the impossibility of obtaining more than a limited amount of ocean tonnage it was natural that we should procure abroad as large a proportion of supplies as possible, and our supply departments began at once to make inquiries to meet the demands for construction material, subsistence stores and engineering equipment. Many sources of general supply had been developed by the French and we soon found ourselves not only in competition with them and the British but our different departments also began to bid against each other."

"To my mind the solution seemed to be merely a matter of co-ordination. Therefore, I established a purchasing board to consist of one more representative of each service making purchases of any part, including the Red Cross and I. M. C. A."

"Lieut. Col. Charles E. Dawes, prominent engineer, well known as a man of large business experience, was appointed as the head of this board, the members of which were to meet together and make down their respective needs and see agree among themselves as to where and by which department such purchase was to be made, thus mutually assisting instead of competing with each other. Under the arrangement co-operation with the French was established and the agency became increasingly effective in handling our procurement activities."

"Couldn't Depend on French R. R. The use of railways for the movement of troops and supplies had never before attained any such proportions as in the World War and there was no service except sea transportation upon which we placed greater dependence for our success."

"It was apparent that we could not depend entirely on the French without great risk of failure at a critical moment and it was evident that if we expected the maximum efficiency in this service we must provide our own personnel as well as additional locomotives and cars, all to be as far as practicable under American management."

"With this plan in view commendable progress had been made toward both procurement and organization by Colonel Taylor, and complete estimates for rolling stock and construction for ports, terminals and yards, including an accurate survey of building and equipment requirements, had been made under his direction by Maj. W. J. Wilgus, formerly vice president of the New York Central; afterward a colonel, who had been a member of the Parsons board. These estimates without change served as a permanent guide for railway construction plans and material."

Creation of Transportation Corps
As co-ordinate with the procurement and maintenance of material and equipment we were confronted with the vital question of organization for operation and management, but we had no officers in the regular service of sufficient experience in railway management to insure success. Therefore the evident course to pursue, to which the precedent of both British and French pointed the way, was to create a



Gen. W. W. Atterbury.

transportation corps immediately under the direction of some man of outstanding reputation in the railroad world, in accordance with the principle of obtaining the most competent men for important positions the following cable was sent July 29:

"Have made thorough study of railroad situation and am convinced that operation of railroads must be under man with large experience in managing commercial railroads at home. Successful handling our railroad lines so important that ablest men in country should be selected. After almost disastrous results with inexperienced military men running railroads British selected ablest man could find to have charge transportation."

"Question here mainly one of physical operation and management in intimate relation with French, who retain general control, which is necessary to handle ordinary commercial traffic. Question of railroad transportation of course involves equipment, maintenance and new construction at front as army advances, and should be practically independent department, although nominally under engineers. Railman chosen should be sent here without delay, together with three or four able assistants of his own selection. Later on it is believed these men should be given appropriate military rank."

"In reply, the War department recommended W. W. Atterbury, then general manager and now president of the Pennsylvania railroad, for the place, and I immediately requested that he be sent to France."

CHAPTER XIII

The most important question that confronted us in the preparation of our forces of citizen soldiery for efficient service was training. Except for the Spanish-American war nearly twenty years before, actual combat experience of the regular army had been limited to the independent action of minor commands in the Philippines and to two expeditions into Mexico, each with forces smaller than a modern American division."

"The World War involved the handling of masses where even a division was relatively a small unit. It was one thing to call 1,000,000 or 2,000,000 men to the colors, and quite another thing to transform them into an organized, instructed army capable of meeting and holding its own in battle against the best trained forces in Europe with three years' actual war experience in its credit."

"A general scheme of schools for the A. E. F. was prepared by the operations and training section, but in order that this instruction should be as complete and uniform as possible and at the same time be co-ordinated with other activities, I declared that training should be handled by officers who could devote their entire time to it. An additional section of the headquarters staff therefore was established, called the training section, in function under my personal direction. As chief of this section Col. Paul E. Malone was chosen, with Col. H. E. Fluke as his assistant."

"Appeal in British Methods. The British methods of teaching trench warfare appealed to me very strongly. They taught their men to be aggressive and undertook to perfect them in hand-to-hand fighting with bayonet, grenade and dagger. A certain amount of this kind of training was necessary to stimulate the morale of troops by giving them confidence in their own personal prowess."

"Through the kindness of Sir Douglas Haig we were fortunate early in our experience to have assigned to us Lieut. Gen. R. H. K. Butler and other officers of the British army to assist in this individual training."

"Later on several French and British officers also came to lecture at a number of our schools."

"Differ on War Principles. We found difficulty, however, in using these allied instructors in that the French and, to a large extent, the British had practically

settled down to the conviction that developments since 1914 had changed the principles of warfare. Both held that new conditions imposed by trench fighting had rendered previous conceptions of training more or less obsolete and that preparation for open warfare no longer was necessary. French publications and manuals were generally in accord with this theory."

"If the French doctrine had prevailed our instruction would have been limited to a brief period of training for trench fighting. A new army brought up entirely on such principles would have been seriously handicapped without the protection of the trenches. It would probably have lacked the aggressiveness to break through the enemy's lines and the knowledge of how to carry on thereafter."

"It was evident that the victory could not be won by the costly process of attrition, but that we should have to drive the enemy out into the open and engage him in a war of movement. Instruction in open warfare was based upon individual and group initiative, resourcefulness and tactical judgment, which were of equal advantage in trench warfare."

"Therefore, we took decided issue with the allies, and, without neglecting thorough preparations for trench warfare, undertook to train mainly for open warfare, with the object from the start of vigorously forcing the offensive."

"Rifle Practice Urged. Intimately connected with the question of training for open warfare was the matter of rifle practice. The earliest of my cablegrams on this subject was in August, in which it was urged that thorough instruction in rifle practice should be carried on at home because of the difficulty of giving it in France."

"Study here shows value and desirability of retaining our existing small arms target practice course. In view of great difficulty in securing range in France due to density of the population and cultivation, recommend as fast as practicable the complete course be given in the United States before troops embark. Special emphasis should be placed on rapid fire."

"My view was that the rifle and bayonet still remained the essential weapons of infantry, and my cable stressing the fact that the basic principles of warfare had not changed, were sent in an endeavor to influence the courses of training at home. Unfortunately, however, no fixed policy of instruction in the various arms, under a single authority, ever was carried out there."

"Insensible to advice, the inclination was to accept the views of French specialists and limit training to the narrow field of trench warfare. Therefore, in large measure, the fundamentals so thoroughly taught at West Point for a century were more or less neglected."

"The responsibility for the failure of the War department to take positive action on my recommendations in such matters must fall upon the military head of the department, which was the general staff."

"Military Police Provided. The maintenance of good order among our troops under the peculiar conditions of service in France was most important, and for this purpose a military police was essential. Such a force, under the control of provost marshal general, corresponded to the police department in a well-organized city, except that its jurisdiction included only those in the military service. The British, whose situation was similar to our own, gave us helpful information regarding their system, which, with a slight modification, was adopted for our armies."

"In our previous wars, the provost guard, so called, usually consisted of troops of the line detailed for the purpose, but without any special training for such duty. Col. Hanson Ely was selected to organize the police corps and made a good beginning in laying the foundation, but, at his own request, he was shortly relieved and sent to regimental duty. His successor, Col. W. H. Allaire, became provost marshal general until the following July, when he was relieved by Col. J. C. Groome."

"Brig. Gen. H. H. Bandholtz, on account of his special fitness for such work from his experience as chief of constabulary in the Philippine islands, became the permanent head of the corps in September, 1918."

"Due credit must be given to each of these officers, but particularly to Bandholtz, for the smart appearance and the high efficiency of this force."

(Continued next week)

Typewriters for rent at Advocate

SOUND PICTURE SHOWS HOW FORD PRODUCTS ARE MADE

A sound motion picture graphically portraying the story of the Ford Motor Company and its widespread activities will be exhibited free of charge in a special Ford exhibit to be held at Artesia Auto Co. show room on Monday, May 11. The show will be open to the public from 2:00 to 10:00 p. m.

The picture, entitled "A Tour Thru the Ford Factory," will show the gathering of raw materials, their arrival at the Rouge plant in Dearborn, Michigan and the numerous interesting stages thru which they pass in the process of making Ford cars and trucks. It is, in short, an education in the extent and meaning of modern volume production."

While an unseen voice explains each scene, the audience is taken on a tour of the plant, thru the great blast furnace building where ore is converted into iron; into the open hearth building where the iron becomes steel and is poured, a white hot liquid, into moulds; into the blooming mill where the steel ingots are made into bars; and into the rolling mill in which the long bars of white hot steel are reduced to definite sizes. Forty kinds of steel, each of a composition to serve a definite purpose, are used in the Ford car and truck."

The picture shows also the manufacture of glass in an endless unbroken strip, a process developed by Ford engineers; the machine shops in which parts for the cars are manufactured; the pressed steel building with its gigantic presses; and the coke ovens and other units in which by-products are recovered to the extent of

millions of dollars annually. Throughout the picture one sees literally miles and miles of conveyors which take much of the manual labor off the backs of men. There are conveyors carrying newly arrived materials into the plant, others taking parts from one building to another, and of course, the final assembly line, that famous conveyor on which the parts are put together to form the completed car."

In addition to the picture, there will be a representative line of Ford cars and trucks and display boards containing car and truck parts.

The cars alone are well worth a visit to the show for they include body types to suit any taste and to meet any occasion. Particularly attractive are the deluxe cars in which upholstery appointments are of a kind and quality found only in more expensive automobiles."

All the body types are featured by the Ford's new beauty of line and color. The deep radiator, the wide generous fenders, and the graceful sweeping lines of the bodies contribute to a pleasing whole. The cars may be obtained in a variety of color combinations."

DRY FORCE INCREASED

The New Mexico prohibition force consisting of six men will be increased to twelve on July 1st, Deputy Administrator H. C. Stearns of Albuquerque said last week.

AT GRADUATION
Your Friends Expect Your Photograph
RODDEN STUDIO
"Have It Taken Now!"

Graduation Time Will Soon Be Here

Nothing would please your son, daughter or friend better than a Wrist Watch or Diamond.

Novelty Jewelry, a Pen or Pencil Set also makes an expressive but inexpensive gift.



WHY RISK

The health of your family with poor milk when a few cents more will buy the best. Observe Health Day May 1st, and make every day health day by giving the kiddies more pure Grade A Milk

Two Deliveries Daily
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Your Plumbing and Tin Work

Plumbing has kept step with modern improvements. This spring would be a splendid time to modernize the plumbing of your home. In Tin Work we make pretty near anything but a tin lizzy.

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Artesia Auto Co. Show Room
Monday, May 11th
2:00 TO 10:00 P. M.

ADMISSION FREE

SEE and HEAR The Talking Picture

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Special Showing of Latest Ford Cars and Many Trucks

Thousands of people from all over the world visit the Ford plant every year. Now this vast industrial organization is brought direct to you by an intensely interesting Talking Motion Picture. Come and see where and how America's most popular motor car is built. Only when you see and hear how efficiency and craftsmanship have been put into volume production can you realize how so much extra value can be given in the Ford car without increase in price.

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Artesia, New Mexico



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Teacher: "William, how many bones have you in your body?"
William: "Nine hundred."
Teacher: "That's a great many more than I have."
William: "But teacher, I had sardines for lunch."

We know of some fishermen, who fish that the other fellow catches. But when a fellow has the proper fishing equipment, he can sorter act independent. Whether your wife gardens or whether you do, you'll find everything you need here at way of Garden Tools.

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MAJESTIC -- SUNDAY AND MONDAY, MAY 10 AND 11

CHARLES FARRELL AND ELLISA LANDI

"BODY and SOUL"

MATINEE SUNDAY AT 2:30—NITE SHOW AT 7:30—ADDED SHORT FEATURES

EARLY SALE OF GAS DEBENTURES STOPPED BY STATE TREASURER

Early sale of any part of the "gas" debentures, recently authorized to be issued by the state highway commission struck a snag Friday and the commission, now sorely pressed for ready cash, probably will have to get by as best it can for a while.

State Treasurer Warren R. Graham, it was announced at his office, will not buy the debentures until the new motor vehicle registration and refund laws are adjudicated, although he believed that these acts, if found to be valid, will not impair the state's credit.

It was planned to get the state treasurer to take up \$500,000 of the debentures. That would do away with the necessity of advertising for bids, save time and make the money speedily available for highway work. In the light of the stand of the treasurer's office, made known Friday, however, this plan is apparently stranded "high and dry."

The test suits, suggested by the treasurer, would, of course, take more time than the advertisement.

FISHING BADGES NOT NECESSARY

SANTA FE—Non wearing of the badges to be issued with fishing licenses will not constitute a violation of law, under regulations adopted this week-end by the New Mexico Game and Fish Commission.

The badges are issued with licenses and persons are urged to wear them, the commission decided. Persons wearing badges and not possessing the corresponding fishing license, however, will be prosecuted.

ing glories or bind weed and similar weeds.

By the use of this spray or dust, the chemical gets into the circulatory system of the plant thru the pores and moves down into the root. This action often takes quite a length of time, this the full effects of the chemical are not seen immediately, several months sometimes elapsing before the sub-surface growth is thoroughly killed.

LOCALS

Hugh Burch was a Carlsbad visitor yesterday.

Miss Luella Martin attended a dance at Carlsbad Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Williams of Hope were shopping in Artesia Tuesday.

Miss Elaine Feemster spent the week-end with a friend at Big Spring, Texas.

W. T. Young of Acala, Texas, Acala cotton seed breeder was a business visitor here Tuesday.

A. W. Jones, of Clovis, was here the first of the week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jones.

Mrs. Nancy Eipper and granddaughter, Natalie Filbert and Mrs. Sid Cox motored to Roswell Saturday.

Ray Bartlett returned Tuesday from El Paso, where he had been at Beaumont Military hospital for a short time.

Senator and Mrs. Z. B. Moon are spending a few days visiting the Senator's parents Rev. and Mrs. Moon of Rosedale, Texas.

Mrs. Turner Smith and little son, of Clovis, spent Saturday and Sunday here with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Otis Brown, and family.

Mrs. Ed Watson returned last week from the St. Francis hospital at Carlsbad, where she underwent an operation and is reported to be convalescing nicely.

Frank Brooks, of Dallas, Texas is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. E. J. Brooks who has been ill for sometime. The condition of Mrs. Brooks remains about the same.

Rev. Henry, former pastor of the Nazarene church, passed thru here Saturday with his family, en route from Yuma, Arizona to Ohio, where they will visit relatives. The climate of Yuma was hot and unfavorable to Mrs. Henry's rapidly failing health, which caused the minister to resign his charge and take her back home.

COWBOY COMPOSER WILL BROADCAST IN NEXT CONOCO HOUR

David Guion, famous as America's "cowboy composer," will be the guest artist on the next broadcast of the Conoco Listener's Hour. He is also noted as a pianist and will play some of his own compositions.

Guion, a native of Texas, is equally at home in the saddle and on a piano bench. He is believed to be the only composer who is a cowboy by avocation. His compositions reflect his love for the open and he is, perhaps, best known for his concert transcriptions of cowboys' and old fiddlers' tunes.

Peggy and Pat—the listeners' representatives—will direct the program as usual. The Conoco orchestra and the "Rondoliers" will also be heard during the broadcast in requested musical numbers.

The program will go on the air next Thursday evening (May 14), broadcast in this territory by station KYW, Chicago, at 7:30—KOB, Las Cruces, at 8—WBBZ, Ponca City, at 8—WDAF, Kansas City, at 8:30—KMOX, St. Louis, at 9:30.

The Old Gardener Says:

MANY climbing roses thrive when grown on their own roots, and can be propagated readily from cuttings. This is such a simple plan that any garden maker can increase his stock if he has a single plant. Dorothy Perkins can be multiplied easily by laying down the canes that are near the ground and covering them with a little soil. This plan may be followed with other free growing kinds but with most varieties it is better to make cuttings—short sturdy pieces of half ripened wood, cut off just below a joint and inserted three-quarters of their depth in sand or sandy soil in a sheltered position.

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THE CHURCHES

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9:45 a. m. Bible school. C. O. Brown superintendent.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ARTESIA
Rev. F. B. Howden, Jr., Rector.

Services held every Sunday evening except the First Sunday in the month at 7:30 p. m.

The church school meets at 7:00 p. m., preceding evening prayer. Holy communion, second Monday of each month, and at other times as announced.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
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Rev. A. Davis, Pastor.

10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. morning worship.
6:45 p. m. Christ's Ambassadors.
6:45 p. m. Bible study for adults.
8:00 p. m. evening worship.

Tuesday evening, prayer meeting.
Friday evening young people's services.
Everyone welcome, we invite you to come and worship with us.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
613 W. Main Street

Sunday services at 11:00 a. m.
Wednesday services at 7:30 p. m.

Subject for Sunda, May 10, 1931 is: "Adam and Fallen Man." In this lesson the following scriptural selection is found: "If a man think himself to be something, when he is nothing, he deceiveth himself." (Gal. 6:3).

Also the following citation from Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, page 476: "Jesus said, 'The kingdom of God is within you; that is, truth and love reign in

the real man, showing that man is God's image is unfallen and eternal."
Visitors always welcome.

LOCALS

John Day was in from the ranch at Queen Monday.

Paris Damewood left Tuesday for his home at Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stuart Tuesday morning, the 5th inst., a daughter.

Miss Ethel Lewis returned Sunday from a short visit with her sister, Mrs. Ben Harrison of Amarillo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis were down from the ranch near Pinon, Tuesday and after attending the production of "East Lynne," drove on to Roswell, expecting to return home yesterday.

Lord "in spirit and in truth." Of those who do this it may truly be said "Her children shall rise up and call her blessed."

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In the Frank Miller building, one door west of The Artesia Advocate.

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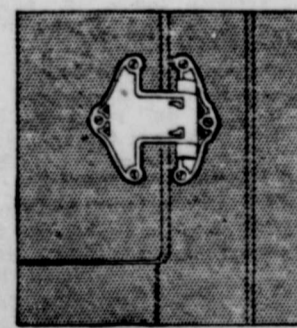
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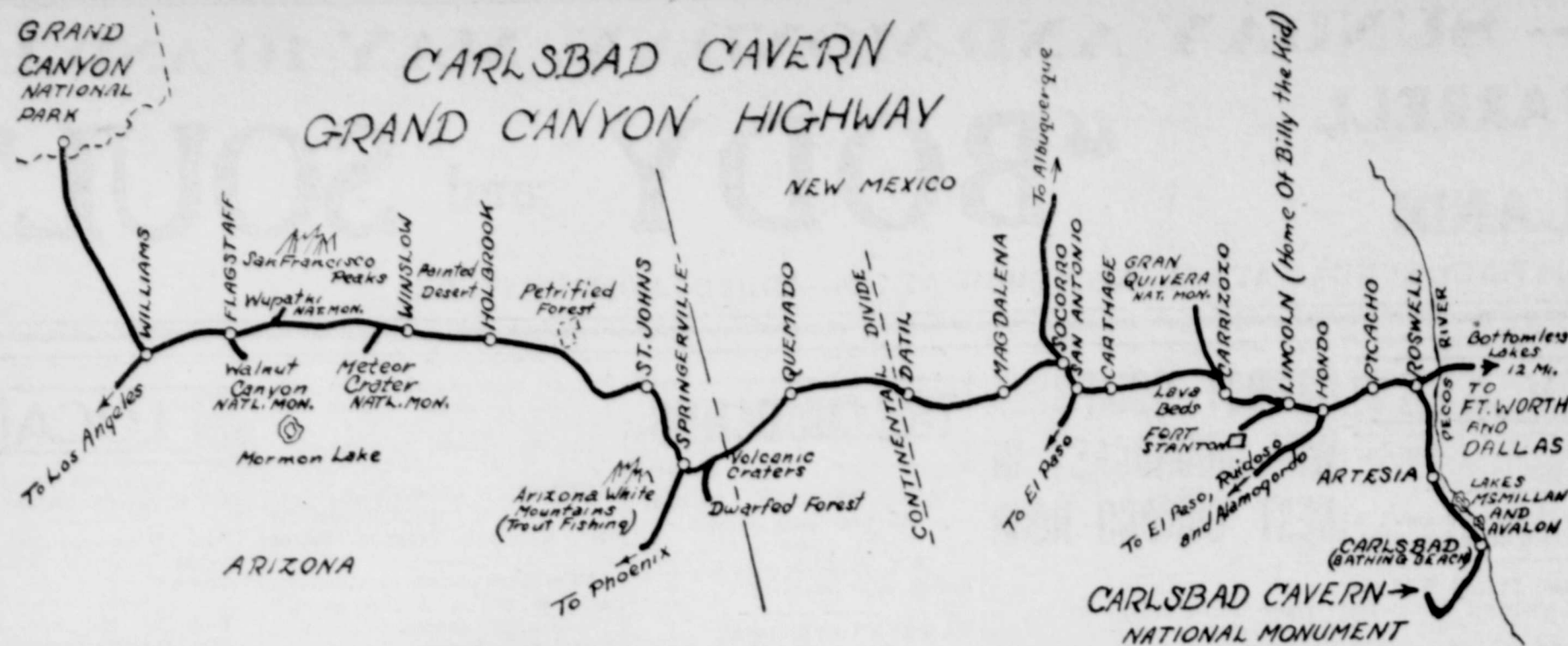


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TERMS WILL BE ARRANGED TO SUIT THE PURCHASER

Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company



Four states will be represented at the annual convention of the Carlsbad Cavern-Petrified Forest-Grand Canyon Highway Association which will be held in Roswell, Monday May 11th. In addition to prominent citizens and state officials in Arizona and New Mexico thru which the highway officially passes, Texas and Colorado will also be represented because of the interest in this highway in those states.

An elaborate entertainment program for men and women in addition to the business session has been arranged starting with a review of the cadet regiment at the New Mexico Military Institute in the morning and closing with a dinner and dance at which all the visitors will be guests of the Roswell Chamber of Commerce and Roswell Automobile club. Many of the visitors plan to see the Carlsbad Cavern

on May 12th. Plans for further advertising the highway will be discussed at the business session according to R. M. Edwards, of Socorro, president of the association. Twenty thousand folders beautifully illustrating the scenic attractions along this route have been distributed throughout the United States during the past year, and these together with the active cooperation of Carlsbad, Roswell, Carrizozo,

Socorro, Magdalena, New Mexico and Springerville, Holbrook, Winslow, Flagstaff, and Williams, Arizona, and intermediate points have resulted in a heavy increase in travel between the two national parks—the Carlsbad Cavern and the Grand Canyon. Start of construction on the Boulder Dam is also stimulating travel on this highway which is the logical route to the dam from the south and east.

Delegations of both men and women from all the communities along the route are expected at the meeting. In addition to the state officials of New Mexico and Arizona, Thomas Boles, superintendent of the Carlsbad Cavern, M. R. Tillotson, superintendent of the Grand Canyon and Charles Smith, superintendent of the Petrified Forest and their wives will attend the convention at Roswell.

Therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico within one year from date of said appointment, as provided by law, or the same will be barred.
ELIZABETH R. SCOGGIN,
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Administratrix.

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The lovely complexions seen in women old and young are the result of proper care. Attention to diet and general health are important, but careful treatment of the skin itself is necessary. Try this method, sponsored by the beauty specialists of the Dorothy Perkins Company and used by thousands of women. Remember always to pat and tone gently—do not rub or massage. Mornings: Cleanse the skin with Dorothy Perkins Cream of Roses. Then apply Dorothy Perkins Rose Balm freely all over face and neck. Remove with soft gauze and apply Dorothy Perkins Liquid Powder Base to protect the skin. Complete the

toilet with Dorothy Perkins Face Powder and Rouge. Evenings: Cleanse the skin with Cream of Roses, patting in gently to remove dust, powder, and rouge. Then pat in Cream Delight to revive tired tissues. Pat in for five minutes and remove with gauze. Always cleanse the skin at night. Even if a show or a dance has kept you up late, just remember that the cleansing process will take only three minutes of your time. And results are worth it. Come in for your copy of the Dorothy Perkins booklet on beauty methods and sample of face powder. McAdoo Drug Co. 21-1tc

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MARTHA E. PRIVETT, Deceased. No. 622.

NOTICE OF HEARING UPON FINAL ACCOUNT AND DEPORT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO: F. M. Privett and to whom it may concern: You are hereby notified that the executor, F. M. Privett, has filed his final account and report here in and the Probate Court of said County has fixed and appointed July 6, 1931, at the office of the Probate Court in the Court House in the city of Carlsbad, New Mexico, as the time and place for hearing objections, if any, to said final account and report, and for determining the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of her said estate, and the interest of each respective claimant thereto, or therein, and the persons en-

titled to the distribution thereof; the name of the attorney for said executor is George L. Reese, and his Post Office address is Roswell, New Mexico.

All persons having any objections to said final account and report, or to the proceedings to be had in said estate at said time should file such objections, or appear in said cause on or before said date fixed for such hearings. WITNESS my hand and seal of said court on this 2nd day of April, 1931. (SEAL) RUTH S. NYE, Probate Clerk. By: M. E. WALLER, Deputy.

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLES EDDY SCOGGIN, Deceased. No. 659.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATRIX

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 24th day of April, 1931 appointed Administratrix of the Estate of Charles Eddy Scoggin, deceased, by Honorable M. O. Grantham, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mex-

CARLSBAD HIGH WINS SECOND VICTORY IN STATE TRACK MEET

The Cavemen of Carlsbad high school ran away with the state track and field championship Saturday in Albuquerque. Carlsbad scored 45 points to 15% for Ranchvale, the second team in the meet. The other scores were: Las Cruces, 14%; Albuquerque, 12%; Mena, 10%; Roy, 9 5/8; House, 6; Silver City, Santa Fe, Albuquerque Indians and Springer, 5 each. By the victory Carlsbad retained the state track and field championship won last year. Omar Allen of Carlsbad, with 26 1/2 points, was high point man of the meet. Three new state high school records were set, two of them by Carlsbad entrants. Allen threw the discus 123 feet 3 inches, to break the 117 1/2 foot mark of Langford of Springer, set in 1919; Frank Bowman of Carlsbad leaped his way to a 26:6 mark in the 220-yard low hurdles, cutting two tenths from the record set by Austin of Roswell in 1918; and Ed Arellano of Springer ran the miles in 4:41.6, breaking the 4:53.1 record of Glen Simpson of Albuquerque, made in 1925. Orville Raper of House high school tied a state record by dashing the hundred in 10.2.

HOPE ITEMS (J. W. Reed)

Earl Brooks has accepted a position in the Coats Brothers garage. Will Riley, Hope mechanic has been called to Carlsbad to repair an airplane. Miss Lane of Lake Arthur, one of our new teachers, was visiting here the first of the week. Lyle Johnson and Frank Runyan of the Lower Penasco community were Roswell visitors on Monday. Mrs. Richard Attebery of Artesia spent a short time here Monday with her mother, Mrs. N. L. Johnson. Henry Jernigan of Pinon, who was en route to Artesia Tuesday, reports the loss of 135 head of goats in the recent hail storm. Mrs. Harvey Snyder, left for her home in Portsmouth, Virginia, last week, after a visit with her mother, Mrs. W. S. Medcalf. Mrs. Jordan is completely recovered from injuries sustained last week when she fell thru a trap door of a cellar and fractured her skull. Miss Florence Conner, accompanied by a friend, Charles Alsop, was here from Clovis to eat Sunday dinner with her homefolks, Ed Conner, and family. Clarence Conner and wife were also present at the family dinner. Miss Conner has been bookkeeper for the last few years for the Fox Drug Store in Clovis, of which George Sasser, former Artesian, is proprietor and manager.

COTTONWOOD ITEMS Ruby Waldrip, Reporter

H. B. Worley is recovering from the mumps. Miss Hortense Gallentine spent Tuesday at the Waldrip home. Misses Lee and Bertie Chandlers spent Sunday at the Ray home. W. W. Burke motored to Hagerman Friday to attend to business. Mrs. Backman's brother-in-law, was visiting on Cottonwood Saturday. Miss Ruth Mahan spent Tuesday night at the home of Miss Lois Huff. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Funk motored to Roswell Saturday to attend to business matters. Jasper Whitlock of Texas is visiting his brother, Bud Whitlock and family on the Malone farm. R. L. Vermillion and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen were visiting at the Waldrip home Monday night. H. B. Worley and Clarence Pearson motored to El Paso, Texas last week to attend to business matters there. Mrs. L. Perry, Miss Amy Williams, and Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon visited Miss Ruby Jenkins in the Oil Field Sunday. Misses Ruby and Lucile Waldrip motored to Hagerman Saturday, where Ruby Waldrip had some dental work done. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pearson gave a dance Wednesday night. A pleasant evening was spent and at a late hour refreshments of cake, sandwiches, and coffee were served. The Upper Cottonwood school and community were well represented at the Eddy County Junior high track meet at Loving Friday the 1st. The school was represented in every event except the shuttle relay and that team was unable to participate on account of the illness of several of the members. The following entrants placed in the events of the day: Marjorie Bell Funk, first in 60 yard dash, second place in baseball throw, and second place in 30 yard dash, in division one; Truman Howard, first place in high jump, division one; Ernest Malone, second in running broad jump, division one; Gilbert Munoz, third place in running broad jump, division two. Among those who motored to Loving Friday to attend the track meet, were Mr. and Mrs. Malone and children, Mr. and Mrs. Parker, Mr. Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry and family, John Norris and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Funk, Mr. and Mrs. Howard and family, Joe Backman, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Buck, Y. E. Munoz and family and I. Burgess. Everyone enjoyed the hospitality of the Loving school.

THE GASOLINE TAXES DECREASE IN APRIL

For the second consecutive month gasoline tax collections dropped below the corresponding period for the 1930. The April collections totaled \$189,832. For April 1930, they totaled \$197,457.

Calling Cards, 100 for \$1.75, on best grade paneled or plain stock.

—The Advocate.



Of course you'll want to remember one of the most important events in the life of your son, daughter or friend. Whether you are seeking an inexpensive or an elaborate gift, we shall be glad to have you look over our assortment of suggestive gifts. Or if what to give is a problem, perhaps we can help you with a suggestion.

And don't forget mother, on Mother's Day. She never forgot you. Candies, Mother's Day Cards, Fountain Pen and Pencil Sets, Kodaks, Stationery, Toilet Sets are among the appropriate gifts . . . but we have more. Come see.

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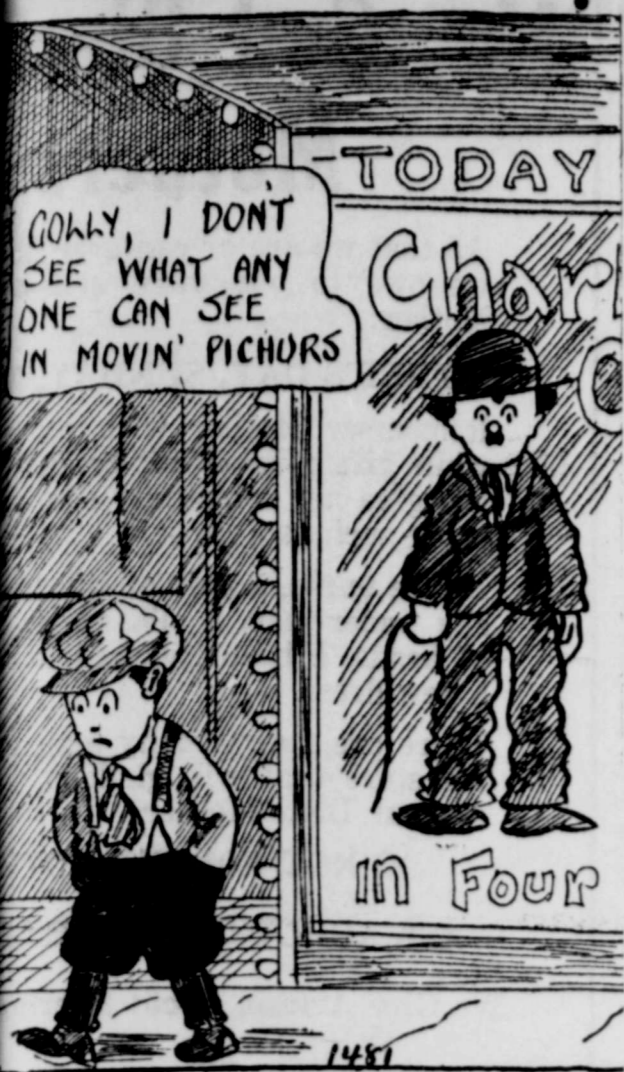
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4:75x19	8.60	11.70	7.65	9.65	
5:00x19	9.45	12.85	8.60	11.15	
5:00x20	9.70	13.25	8.90	11.55	
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4:50x20	5.00	6.25	31x4	6.60	
4:50x21	5.05	6.35	32x4	6.90	
4:75x19	5.90	7.40	32x4 1/2	9.90	
5:00x19	6.20	7.75	30x5 8 ply	15.55	
5:00x20	6.35	7.95	32x6 10 ply	27.25	
5:25x21	7.75	9.45	Double Blue Pennant Commercial Truck Tires Heavy Duty		
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			30x5	\$20.17	
			32x6 10 ply	33.49	

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SENSATIONAL RUN IS MADE BY A CHRYLER EIGHT RECENTLY

A sensational run was made recently in a Chrysler Imperial eight close-coupled sedan from Los Angeles to Houston, via San Antonio, according to information furnished Chrysler officials by O. A. Wilson of the Emberton Motor Co., San Antonio Chrysler distributors.

FARM HINTS

Someone has said that "Thrifty is telling your money where to go, while shiftlessness is asking yourself where it went." The beginning of any month is a good time to start a budget.

Try strawberry pie or tart made with a baked shell filled with fresh ripe strawberries, over which is poured a sauce made from a cupful of extra juice thickened with 1 1/2 tablespoons of cornstarch, sweetened to taste.

Before washing a sweater, measure it and write down the dimensions. After it is washed and rinsed, spread it, back down, with sleeves outstretched on several thicknesses of clean, soft material. Shape it according to the original dimensions. Turn occasionally until dry.

Cake icing can always be made successfully by using a double boiler and a Dover egg beater. Into the top of a double boiler put 1 cup of granulated sugar, 4 tablespoons water until the mixture looks like ordinary boiled frosting and is almost thick enough. Take from the stove, add 1/2 teaspoon vanilla, and continue beating until right for spreading. If too thin the icing can be cooked a little longer; if too stiff water may be added and the whole recooked. If chocolate frosting is wanted, add 2 1/2 squares of melted unsweetened chocolate when taking the icing from the stove. For caramel icing make caramel sirup and substitute 2 tablespoons of it for 2 of water and make the icing the usual way.

SALE OF OIL AND GAS LEASES, Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Las Cruces, New Mexico. Notice is hereby given that the following described land in Eddy County, New Mexico, is offered for lease under Section 17, of the act of February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437), at the customary royalty schedule in the standard lease form, and subject to the following conditions: 1. Unit No. 1: T. 18-S., R. 27-E., N. M. P. M.—Sec. 8, NE 1/4, NE 1/4 NW 1/4—200 acres. 2. The lessee shall agree to unite with others in adopting and operating under a cooperative or unit plan of development or operation of said field whenever determined and certified by the Secretary of the Interior to be necessary or advisable in the public interest, and 3. The lessor consents that, if the oil and gas resources of said land can be recovered adequately by means of wells drilled, or to be drilled on adjacent lands, in lieu of drilling and producing wells on the leasehold, the lessee may pay a sum estimated to reimburse the United States for current loss of royalty, such sum, unless determined under a cooperative or unit plan of operation approved by the Secretary of the Interior, to be fixed monthly by the supervisor of oil and gas operations, subject to approval by the Secretary of the Interior whose decision shall be final. Said lease will be offered for sale at public auction in the United States Land Office, Las Cruces, New Mexico, at 10 o'clock A. M., on May 23, 1931 to the highest qualified bidder on the terms specified. The successful bidder must deposit on the date of sale with the officer in charge of the sale, a certified check on a solvent bank, or cash, for one-fifth of the amount bid by him and file the showing of qualifications to receive a lease required by Section 15 of the said regulations. Bidders are warned against violations of the provisions of Section 59, U. S. Criminal Code, approved March 4, 1909, prohibiting unlawful combination or intimidation of bidders. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids in the discretion of

ANDREWS HEADS ROTARY

Charles J. Andrews of El Paso was nominated governor of the 2nd District of Rotary International at the annual conference of the district at El Paso. Election will take place at international in Vienna in June. The Las Cruces club won a prize for bringing the largest percentage of members to the conference and the Roswell club a prize for traveling the most miles.

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WORTH A LAKE MAGMILLIAN MILLION ARE MAY BE OPENED TO SHOOTING OF BIRDS

Regulations fixing the game and fish seasons are to be taken up by the state game commission at a special meeting scheduled for August 1, State Game Warden Elliott announced at Santa Fe Saturday.

Heretofore the seasons, bag limits and other regulations have been written into the law. On August 1, however, under an act of the 1931 legislature, the regulatory powers with respect to the time and length of the seasons bag limits and other matters are placed in the hands of the commission.

Hunting and fishing license fees will still be fixed by the law.

Before making any changes, the commission, made up of Judge Colin Neblett of the federal court; J. B. McGhee of Roswell and Gilbert Espinosa of Albuquerque, wants to hear from the sportsmen. The meeting of August 1 will be open to the public and the commission is anxious to hear from any hunter, fisherman or conservationist who is interested in the question. Each local game protective association is to be invited to send a representative.

Under the new law all hunting and fishing seasons are closed automatically on August 1, giving the commission a free hand to make any changes it determines to see fit. The law includes the fishing season. In view of this, and to permit the anglers to go ahead with their sport while the authorities are considering the regulations to be promulgated under the new law, the commission adopted a resolution fixing the trout season within the present limits, beginning May 30, until further order of the commission.

Four regular meetings are to be held annually by the new commission, on the last Saturday in February, May, August and November.

The commission also recommended that part of Lake McMillan, a federal bird refuge, be opened to shooting.

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A husband's own true story of how his wife and his mother—living under a single roof—loving him with equal fierceness—succeeded only in dragging his soul through hell

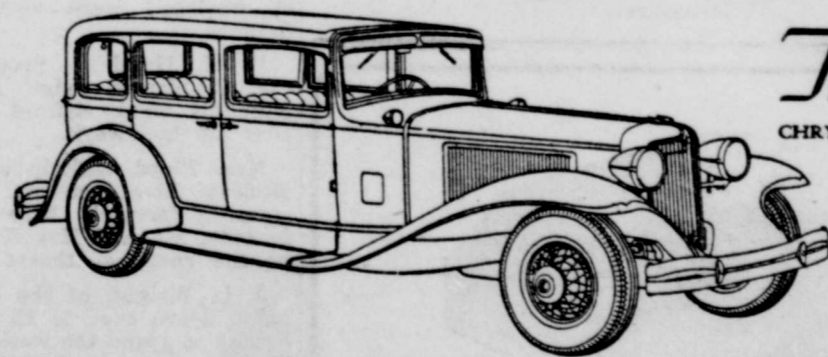
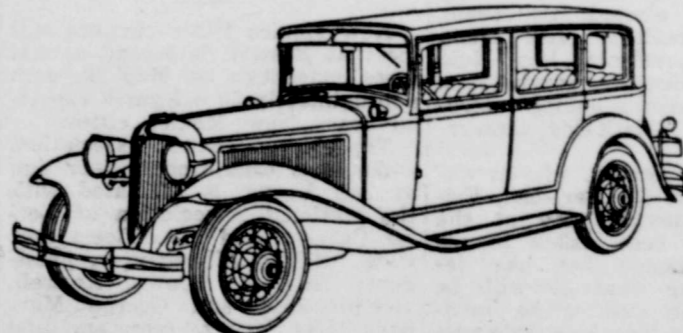
Which woman did Eddie choose? His poor old widowed mother whom he loved, worshipped—or his beautiful wife whose embraces he craved like dope? You simply must read for yourself MY MOTHER AND MY WIFE—a helpless husband's own true story of how his wife and mother—loving him with equal fierceness—dragged his soul through hell and how he finally solved this terrible domestic tangle, the like of which has wrecked a million homes. Read MY MOTHER AND MY WIFE and nearly a score of other astounding real-life stories—all in June TRUE STORY MAGAZINE. Get your copy—read it today!

That day Ma broke a pitcher—trivial thing—a molehill that flared into a mountain. "Get out—out of my home, and swinging on me—" This roof's too small—she's got to go, Eddie—or out I go—this minute!"

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B. & P. W. CLUB
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music has been arranged by Miss Deter with Miss Catherine Clarke at the piano. Mrs. C. R. Blocker will serve as toastmistress of the banquet. Song leader for the occasion will be Dr. Van Duesen.

As this is written it is indicated that there will be a large representation of the local business men with their wives in attendance.

At a meeting with Miss Ethel Bullock last night the following officers were elected: Dr. Seale, re-elected president; Miss Linna McCaw, vice-president; Miss Nola Naylor, recording secretary; Mrs. Hilda Pier, corresponding secretary and Mrs. Lois Kiddy, treasurer.

Governor Seligman, who is expected to start for Carlsbad, Friday, for governor's day at the Caverns, has been asked to attend the banquet, but has declined, stating that it will be impossible for him to be present, owing to previous arrangements.

home of Lela Bess Mann, yesterday afternoon, where the treasure, a box of candy, was found. Bountiful refreshments of punch, cake, sandwiches and lolly pops were provided for the children, who ate them with the keen zest of childhood. Miss LaRue Mann assisted Miss Stuart in entertaining the little company, which numbered twenty-two.

NEW MEXICO CARRIERS TO MEET AT ROSWELL

New Mexico letter carriers will meet at Roswell in second annual state convention on May 30, with approximately 50 delegates expected from New Mexico cities.

The New Mexico association, which was organized a year ago at Las Vegas, is affiliated with the National Association of Letter Carriers and the officers are: C. E. Miller, Albuquerque, president; Neal A. Brown, Roswell, vice-president and George Marquez, Las Vegas, secretary and treasurer.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. John Prude and Johnnie Prude, were in town from Hope yesterday.

Howell Gage and Tommy Spivey were El Paso visitors last week returning Sunday.

Jim Nellis came in from Jal Tuesday to spend a few days with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Attebery and Miss Dorothy Stiew spent the week end in El Paso.

Mrs. J. E. Smith of Malden, Missouri, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Walker and family.

Mrs. Luvena Beck and Mrs. Walter Douglas of the Atoka school, were Carlsbad visitors Saturday.

Eugene Stevenson, Robert Pond, Roy Davidson, and Jess Wheeler of Carlsbad were visitors here Sunday.

B. M. Hutchins, proprietor of the Cloudercroft lodge and Mrs. Hutchins were visitors here the first of the week.

Mrs. Floyd Waltrip arrived on Monday from Houston, Texas to spend a fortnight here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Flint on the ranch southeast of town.

J. L. Wright, of the Gas Company, drove over to El Paso last Friday to spend the week-end with his wife, who is a hospital patient there. Mrs. E. D. Jones drove over to El Paso with him.

Mrs. Nancy Brown returned on Tuesday from a two weeks' visit to her son, Wm. Brown and family on the Joyce ranch west of Carlsbad. Her son and family brought her home and remained until yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Polk arrived Sunday from Abilene, Texas, being called here by the serious illness of Mr. Polk's father, Tex Polk, who had taken violently ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Skelt Williams, last Thursday evening.

PICKED UP ON MAIN

Ross Conner, deputy sheriff, was off duty the first of the week, playing with his "Whoopee Bag." Mayor Dick Clowe, has asked for a three day leave of absence from the Kemp Lumber Co., after Ross promised the ball to the mayor.

Jack Cunningham says the daylight saving plan is useless, as the way business conditions are the average man has too much time to kill now.

Chet Dexter, wild flower specialist and botanist, is experimenting with a number of weeds in his back yard, this spring. Chet has been working now for several days on a plan to kill the tumble weeds without work.

Henry Terpening has been taking great care of his feet and washing them regularly since the rains for fear that he may develop the dread disease of web-foot, prevalent among local farmers lately.

The First Baptist church faces the possibility of being kicked out of the Southern Baptist convention, since the entire membership led by Uncle Charley Mann and Harve Muncy pulled a drunken party Thursday evening at the church. Both of the above men got a great kick out of trying to "set," in the women's laps.



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TREASURE HUNT

The Junior B. Y. P. U. with Miss Irene Stuart as leader, had a merry time with a treasure hunt beginning and ending at the

BIG EGG

C. M. Cole has just brought in a very large egg, weighing five and three quarter ounces and measuring seven and a quarter inches around one way and eight and a quarter the other way. This is the sixth big egg that has come from the Cole folk of Rhode Island reds.

RURAL TRACK MEET AT LOVING FRIDAY

Otis took first place in the class, rural county track and field meet held at Loving, Friday with 57 points. Loving finished second with 23 points, Lakewood won third with 19 points, Upper Cottonwood won 11 points, Lower Cottonwood 2, Malaga 2 and Oil Field 1.

Loving won first place in class 2, with 80 points. Other schools finished in the following order: Lower Cottonwood 26; Otis 17; Malaga 16; Lakewood 10; Upper Cottonwood 1. Oilfield 0. Class 1 was composed of pupils 12 years of age and under. Class 2 of boys over 12 years.

There were 500 to 600 spectators in attendance. At noon a barbecue was served to the crowd.

FOR SALE OR TRADE — My residence on West Main street. Apply to Frank Miller. 21-tfc

FOR RENT — Rooms for light housekeeping. Gas, lights and water furnished. Banner Rooms, over Peoples Mercantile. 21-tfc

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RAINS AND HAIL FALL OVER WIDE SCOPE ROADS ARE DAMAGED

Lateral roads are badly washed in places as result of heavy rains, which have fallen over this section for more than two weeks. Principal highways, however, have not suffered seriously from the excessive moisture. Travelers have not been inconvenienced on the main highways except in spots where the roads were not surfaced. Motorists coming in from the east have negotiated the portion of highway 83 without serious difficulty. Travel on top of the Cap Rock has been slow in places, but is rapidly improving in dry weather.

Scattering showers have brot a great deal of rainfall and some hail. Arthur Horner reports that his ranch west of town was visited by a hail storm that covered the ground Monday. Little damage was done by the hail, he says, to vegetation. A fairly heavy hail storm also fell south of Hope on the same date, drifting in piles. So far as could be learned no livestock was lost as result of the hail.

The Roswell vicinity experienced a severe electrical storm Monday, also and some portions of the town were without light and phone service for several hours. A severe dust storm swept over Artesia during the same period.

COX PRELIMINARY MAY 11th

District Attorney J. Benson Newell of Las Cruces, said at Santa Fe Monday night that he had subpoenaed witnesses and officers to appear in Alamogordo Monday, May 11, for the preliminary hearing of Breezy Cox, rodeo performer and cowboy who is being held in connection with the robbery of the First State Bank of Tularosa.

Mr. Newell said that no new developments had arisen and that Sheriff Danley and his deputies were still searching for the remaining two of the three bandits who are alleged to have secured \$11,244 when they forced the cashier, assistant cashier and one customer in the bank to lie down on the floor during the robbery.

Attorneys for Cox have indicated that he will enter a plea of not guilty when given his preliminary hearing next Monday.

WILD BURNING WELL BLOWN OUT BY BLAST

The Sinclair No. 1 Cole, burning oil well near Gladewater, Texas was extinguished by a shot of nitro glycerin late yesterday, after an eight day rampage that cost the lives of nine men.

The strong explosive jarred the countryside for miles around. Reports from Kilgore said the tremor was plainly felt there, and was accompanied by a rumble as of distant thunder. Kilgore is about ten miles from the well.

Workmen immediately began to skid a new derrick over the well. The job was expected to be completed before morning. Then will come the fight to shut off the oil flow. If everything went well workers were expected to get the well in leash sometime today.

POMROY-BIVINS

Announcement of the approaching marriage of Henry Bivins, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bivins of the oil field, was made at an announcement party given by a friend of the bride to be, Miss Naomi Pomeroy, at Mesa, Arizona last week. The wedding was to take place this week at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Serena Pomeroy, in Mesa.

DISTRICT CONVENTION DISCUSSED AT ROTARY

The recent district convention of Rotary International, held in El Paso, Texas, was the principal topic discussed at the Tuesday luncheon of the Artesia Rotary club. Talks covering the various phases of the convention were made by Dick Clowe, Willis Morgan and George Frisch.

Capt. Wells, lecturer, was a special guest of the club and touched on some of his travels and lectures. Frank Markl was the only visiting Rotarian. Fred Cole, city was also a guest.

FARMERS BUSY

Artesia has been practically deserted by the farmers during the past two days. Cotton growers have been busy replanting and cultivating cotton. Corn and feed stuff is doing well and prospects are ideal for a quick growth of cotton. Fields have been well stirred and are free from weeds.

I. P. Davis, a former teacher in the Artesia schools, arrived the last of the week and plans to spend part of the summer here. He has been teaching on the cutoff the past year or so. He is a guest at the A. M. Tarbet home.

F. G. Hartell has received news that his seven years old grandchild, Wm. Hartell, Jr., had been seriously injured in an auto accident at Wichita, Kansas, Saturday and was dangerously ill in a hospital there. The child, son of Wm. Hartell, was riding with an uncle in a new car, when it was smashed into by another car and completely demolished. The uncle and the driver of the other car escaped injury, but the child had seven gashes on his head, fractured skull and concussion of the brain and forty stitches had to be taken. His recovery would seem to be doubtful.

May God Bless Mothers

All that we are or can ever hope to be owe to our dear, self-sacrificing Mother.

MOTHER'S DAY, SUNDAY, MAY 11th

Remember Mother with some thoughtful gift, it need not be extravagant but give her something she will appreciate using such as:

A nice purse, a pair of silk hose, silk underwear, a silk scarf, a set of beads, a beautiful handkerchief, a new dress.

There are many, many articles in the big store that will gladden the heart of your Dear Mother.

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LOCALS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Robinson, north of town, Tuesday a son.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Kaiser were in from the ranch east of Dayton Tuesday.

Mrs. L. N. Kremer and Mrs. H. S. Williams motored to Roswell Tuesday morning.

Mrs. George Dungan and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Green were Roswell visitors Monday.

Dick Vandagriff left Tuesday to enter Beaumont military hospital at El Paso for inspection.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Paton and Mrs. Fay Culbreath were business visitors to Roswell yesterday.

Judge G. U. McCrary went to Roswell Monday and remained until Tuesday, guest of his son, Keith.

Albert Smith has resigned his position with Lowrey Keyes Auto Co., to accept a similar position at Hobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Evans spent Sunday in Roswell with their son, Glenn, a student at the Military Institute.

Harve Widney of Roswell, a former resident of Artesia spent a short time here Tuesday afternoon visiting among old friends.

Tex Polk who has been very ill the past week, is improving. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Polk returned to their home at Abilene, Texas Tuesday afternoon.

L. P. Evans, returned Monday from Temple, Texas, where Mrs. Evans underwent a successful operation at the Scott White hospital last week. Mrs. Evans is convalescing nicely.

Mrs. Ellen Francis arrived from McAllen, Texas last Sunday and has been visiting at the home of Mrs. J. H. Jackson this week. She plans to stay for some time, combining a business with a pleasure trip.

Mrs. Luther Kitchell, who has been ill with flu at the home of her sister, Mrs. Calvin Dunn, is improving and able to be about the house. Mr. Kitchell is expected from Gallup Saturday and they will return to their home on Sunday or Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nevil Muncy and daughter, Florine, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brookshier, in Roswell Saturday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Muncy's brother, Boucher Brookshier and a friend, who remained until Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Brown, who have been visiting their daughter, and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McCann since January, left Tuesday for their home at Coleman, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. McCann drove there over and expect to return next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Beck, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. E. C. Ashton, all of Dexter, were here Monday visiting their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Luvena Beck. They brought home their two grandsons, Richard and Earl, who had spent the week-end with them.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Humphries drove over from Jal Tuesday with their nephew, Ira Stuart, who came to see his new daughter, born that day at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Stuart. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Dinwiddie, of Kermit, Texas, parents of the new mother, came also to see their grandchild. The Humphries returned home yesterday and Ira Stuart returned today to Jal, where he has employment, going with Mr. Dinwiddie. Mrs. Dinwiddie will remain for the present.

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