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Reopening Proposal Stabilizes Local Bank

T. H. Flint, Local Rancher Has Arranged To Supply More Than Half Of The Outside Money Needed.

Despite the many reverses suffered since the national bank moratorium, prospects are brighter for an early reopening of the First National Bank. The position of the bank has been materially strengthened with the announcement of T. H. Flint, owner of the Flint ranch southeast of town and former lumberman and real estate man of San Antonio, Texas that he was in position to supply over fifty per cent of the \$50,000 outside money demanded by the treasury department before the First National Bank would be permitted to resume normal business. Under the present set up, Mr. Flint will be permitted to assume charge of the bank, in the event the reopening license is issued under this plan.

Mr. Flint with Hollis Watson, conservator plan to leave for Washington tomorrow, going by way of Dallas, Texas in order that Mr. Flint may meet officials of the Dallas federal reserve district. R. A. Shugart will leave for Washington Sunday and plans to take a plane from Amarillo, Texas arriving in Washington Monday evening, while Messrs. Flint and Watson expect to arrive at the Capitol early Tuesday morning. The new plan will be submitted to the officials of the treasury department and it is possible that the \$50,000 will be secured and final details arranged before the local delegation leave for home. Expense of the trip will be borne by the individuals making it.

In the meantime the cash position of the First National Bank continues to be increased thru a number of wool sales and the bills payable have also been reduced at a corresponding rate thru the payment of a number of wool and sheep loans. The holiday accounts carried by the bank have also been boosted and the total sum of these accounts runs in the neighborhood of \$60,000.

GOVERNMENT TO BUILD ROADS IN STATE \$150,000

Announcement of federal road projects to be undertaken in New Mexico costing about \$150,000 has been released by the government for previously planned construction in the state.

The money, it was explained at the highway department, is that which was held in abeyance by executive order of the president some time ago. It was the balance as of March 22.

ORGANIZATION OF NEW MEXICO ROAD OIL CO. ANNOUNCED

The New Mexico Road Oil Co., has been organized and plans have been made to start the manufacture of road oil at an early date, possibly this week, it was announced here recently. The incorporators of the company are: J. H. Jackson, Miss Lillian Phelps and J. C. Jackson. Permission to incorporate has been applied for and the company has taken over the Dayton refinery at Dayton for the purpose of manufacturing road oil to be sold to the highway department.

It is understood this company will supply road oil to the New Mexico State Highway Department from the lease of the Getty Oil Co., east of Lakewood. The oil will be transported to the Dayton Refinery, formerly known as the Sullivan refinery, and refined.

A crew of workmen have been making the necessary repairs to start refining operations.

FINDS NEW FUEL



A new fuel which promises to revolutionize the transportation of the world has been extracted by T. H. Kruttschnitt, son of the late railroad magnate, Julius Kruttschnitt, from natural gas. It is made from butane gas which has either been ignored by engineers and chemists or used only to help in refining gasoline.

LITTLE MONEY FOR HEALTH WORK MORE FOR THE LIVESTOCK

SANTA FE—New Mexico raises \$126,644.42 annually for protection of cattle, sheep and hogs. The state raises only \$99,250 for it public health units, according to figures compiled by Dr. J. R. Earp, director of the bureau of public health.

"We raise nearly \$28,000 more for protection of our livestock than we raise for protection of our children," Dr. Earp said, in speaking of health protection only.

Dr. Earp is hopeful that the director of the federal relief funds will make an outright grant to New Mexico. Such a grant would offset the loss of \$7,200 from the federal bureau of public health. This loss is in fact a \$10,500 loss, since the state used \$3,300 of public health funds raised by a state levy to match a portion of the federal money.

There are at present no funds to match the state money, and unless it can be matched it can't be used.

The money raised for livestock protection is a direct assessment on the livestock and is paid only by the owners themselves.

Rio Arriba county which raises only \$1,100 for public health work raises \$18,975 for protection of livestock and Catron county raises \$780 for health work and \$4,280 for livestock protection.

Mrs. Nancy Eipper drove up to the Ruidoso with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Glasser who were her guests for several days. Mrs. Eipper will spend the summer at her cabin.

A HOPE BOY ALMOST LOSES AN EYE IN AN ACCIDENT RECENTLY

Marshall Puckett, nineteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Puckett of Hope is suffering from an injured eye, hurt Wednesday of last week when he ran a barb from a barb wire into the eye lid above his eye. The wound was not thought to be serious at first, but later became infected and Sunday he went totally blind in the eye. His uncle, Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health officer took him to Roswell Monday, where an eye specialist was consulted.

Young Puckett was found to be suffering from a hemorrhage of the eye ball, the vision of which has gradually returned and the chances are good that complete vision will return it was said here yesterday.

CONTINUES HEALTH WORK UNTIL CLOSE OF MONTH

Dr. O. E. Puckett will continue full time work in the Eddy county health department until the end of the month, despite the loss of income from the U. S. public health bureau it was announced at Carlsbad last week.

Efforts are being made to secure funds from another source. Mrs. W. E. Flint and Miss Emily Woods were guests of Mrs. Floyd Childress of Roswell last Thursday when she entertained with a bridge luncheon.

WALLACE ANNOUNCES OPTION PLANS FOR COTTON GROWERS

The Schedule Worked Out Calls For Payment Of 6¢ Per Pound For the Government Cotton Or Cash Benefits.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The full schedule of payments worked out by Secretary Wallace for cotton acreage reduction under the two alternative plans which will be made available to growers follows:

Yield per acre	Benefit Payment in pounds	Per acre with option
100-124	-----	\$ 6
125-149	-----	7
150-174	-----	8
175-224	-----	10
225-274	-----	12

In all of these cases the amount of cotton on which the grower will be entitled to obtain an option will be equal to the yield of the land he retires from production. The yield of his land will be determined on the basis of past production of the land and the appearance of his crop this year and its general condition.

The plan providing for cash benefits without options calls for the following:

Yield per acre	Without option	Payment per acre
100-124 pounds	-----	\$ 7
125-149	-----	9
150-174	-----	11
175-224	-----	14
225-274	-----	17
275 and over	-----	20

The offers by growers will be worked out in co-operation with county committees to be established in every state. The county agricultural agent will be a member or agent.

When the producers sign a voluntary agreement it will constitute an irrevocable offer for a limited specified period during which the secretary may accept or reject it.

After the offers have been acted upon by Wallace and his aides a formal notice will be issued to those whose signed agreements have been accepted.

It then will be the duty of each to take out of production the acreage covered by destroying it. Re-planting of the land to crops which would be moved off the farm will not be permitted but feed for livestock may be produced.

SANITARY INSPECTION MADE HERE TUESDAY

Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health officer and J. M. Jackson, marshal Tuesday completed an inspection of the cow lots over town and found fifty cows west of the railroad tracks in addition to the dairy cattle. Some lots were clean others were found to be very unsanitary and attracting swarms of flies. Cow lots should be cleaned at least once a week, according to Dr. Puckett and the sanitary ordinance will be rigidly enforced with Marshal Jackson making a weekly inspection at all cow lots. Attention of cow owners is also called to the fact that all milk cows should be tuberculin tested by a competent veterinarian.

Several filthy garbage cans were also found over town, while the officers were making the inspection of the cow pens and lots. The open garbage can should be eliminated to comply with the law.

HOPE MEN IN \$20,000 DAMAGE SUIT FILED IN EDDY DIST. COURT

The alleged alienation of affection of a mother of nine children forms the basis of a suit filed in district court yesterday at Carlsbad in which \$10,000 actual and \$10,000 punitive damages are asked.

The plaintiff is J. D. Briscoe of Hope, who alleges that he has suffered to the extent of \$20,000 by the acts of W. M. Coats of Hope, against whom the suit was brought.

The wife is Allie Briscoe who according to the complaint, was married to Briscoe in November 1910.

The suit was one of six filed in district court yesterday.

475,000 POUNDS WOOL SOLD AT ROSWELL IN THE BIGGEST SALE

The second big wool sale of the season for the Roswell area was held at Roswell Saturday when 475,000 pounds was offered to the highest bidder. The total amount of wool sold at Roswell to Saturday aggregated 836,000 pounds. Twenty-six clips were among the lots offered, the highest price paid was 22½ cents and the biggest clip sold was that of Leon Gozoles amounting to 34,000 pounds.

ASKS RECEIVERSHIP FOR LOCAL GAS CO.

Suit was filed in district court at Carlsbad against the Pecos Valley Gas Co., by Harry C. Carter, a stockholder, yesterday, containing a request for a motion to show cause, on the part of the defendant, why they should not be thrown into receivership.

A complete accounting of transactions of the company particularly with the Southern Union Gas Co., and with the Consumers Natural Gas Co., is asked. The suit also asks that officers be enjoined from diverting the assets of the company except for necessary operating expenses pursuant to the order of the court.

The suit also asks that the receiver be instructed to institute proceedings to determine the validity of an issue of seven per cent gold debentures in the amount of \$350,000 and procure an accounting of the issuance and disposition of the proceeds of the sale of these debentures.

It is further requested that an official of the company be required under oath, by the court, to file answers to a series of questions contained in the complaint.

Inquiry is made in this list of questions, as to the gross operating revenue and costs from January 1, 1931, to May 1, 1933, together with the cost of gas to the company during specified times during this period.

The cost of supervision charged by the Southern Union Gas Co., and paid by the Pecos Valley Gas Co., is asked. Another question inquires as to whether the company hold any oil and gas leases on New Mexico land, and if so where these are situated.

The questions also inquire as to interest payments on the \$350,000 debentures issues and for the minutes of the board of directors of the company authorizing the issue. Another question asks to whom the issues were sold and as to whether cash, credit or property was received as well as benefits accruing to the Pecos Valley Gas Co., from the issuance of these debentures.

Inquiry is made as to whether the company has paid county taxes in Chaves and Eddy county for the year 1932 and if not, why these taxes were not paid.

J. O. Seth of Santa Fe is the attorney for the plaintiff.

ALMOST A RECORD

Howell Gage, of Carlsbad, deputy sheriff and former resident of Artesia has a rambouillet ewe that sheared 25 pounds of wool, a near record for the valley, according to reports.

NO FARM LOANS YET

Bryant Williams, agent for the federal emergency farm loan association returned yesterday from Kansas City, Missouri. En route home he stopped at Wichita, Kansas for a talk with officials of the federal loan bank relative to making loans in the artesian basin of the Pecos valley. Mr. Williams was informed that the land bank was not yet ready to make loans in this section, but that officials were highly pleased with the conservation work which has been done in the artesian basin. Under the present conditions it is possible that loans will be granted to local farmers within a short time. Federal engineers who have recently made a preliminary survey of the basin and the conservation work undertaken are much impressed with the results, but until all doubts are removed relative to the stability of the water level, loans will not be granted.

Incidentally Mr. Williams who shipped 800 lambs and ewes to the Kansas City, Market topped the lamb market with a price of \$7.00.

CRUDE OIL BOOSTED FIFTEEN CENTS PER BARREL HERE MON.

New Posted Price Here Is 35¢, While Price At Hobbs Only 30¢ — Retail Gasoline Hikes 3½¢ Today.

An increase of fifteen cents per barrel was posted the first of the week for Eddy and Lea county crude oil, bringing the total per barrel price up to thirty-five cents without regard to gravity. The Malco Refineries announced Saturday afternoon that a new price of thirty-five cents would be posted effective Monday. The Continental Refinery announced Tuesday an increase of fifteen cents per barrel effective Monday morning. A flat price of twenty cents per barrel had been in effect over the southeastern area for several weeks previous to the new order Monday. There is no differential made in the price of eastern Eddy, western Lea and Artesia crude under the present schedule.

A thirty-five cents per barrel price was also effective at Hobbs Monday it was understood here. Several big purchasing companies joined in raising the price of east Texas and midcontinent crude on Monday. A price of fifty cents per barrel was posted for east Texas Monday. North and central Texas fields also received a new schedule of from 28 to 52 cents per barrel for 29 to 40 gravity oil.

The tank wagon price of gasoline was also increased here. Monday a half a cent a gallon raise was made to take care of the new federal tax and Tuesday the tank wagon gasoline advanced another cent, making a retail price of 14½ cents per gallon.

The report that Hobbs crude has been increased fifteen cents proved to be erroneous, it was learned here this morning. The increase was only ten cents, making the new posted price 30 cents per barrel.

Retail Gas Hiked
Retail gasoline was hiked three and a half cents per gallon at practically all filling stations and garages here this morning. The price was boosted from 14½¢ to 18¢ per gallon.

Miss LaRue Mann was the house guest of Miss Shirley Atwood at Roswell over the weekend.

WOOL MOVEMENT IS SLOWER AFTER SALE

Seventy-eight thousand eight hundred and eighty-three pounds of wool was moved from the Bullock warehouse Monday, in the second largest wool sale of the season. Two clips or a total of 18,750 pounds was consigned to the R. A. C. C. at Boston, Massachusetts, while 60,133 pounds was sold outright to the highest bidder. The wool which is of better quality than some of the former clips sold here brought from 17½¢ to 20½¢ per pound. Some of the largest of the nine clips sold to the highest bidder included the J. W. Hardin clip of 15,677 pounds the Buck Wilburn clip of 14,976 pounds and the clip of the Bunting Brothers weighing 14,440 pounds.

There is no immediate prospect of another wool sale here before July 1st, it was said this morning. The Bullock warehouse has been practically cleaned, but shearing has started on a few large clips, which will begin to arrive the latter part of the week.

32.8% OF 1932 TAXES WERE STILL DUE ON 12th OF THIS MONTH

The amount of state and county taxes paid to June 12th, at the county treasurer's office at Carlsbad amounted to \$59,440.05, it was learned this morning after County Treasurer Joe Johns had closed his books. There is 32.8 per cent of the 1932 taxes still due. Interest and penalty will be added to all taxes paid after June 12th.

Mrs. Helen Sage, who taught school at San Diego, California the past year arrived Sunday to spend the summer at the home of her uncle, T. F. Wilson.

FOLLOWING UNCLE



Raymond F. ("Bobby") Coombs, nephew of Jack Coombs, former star pitcher of the Philadelphia Athletics and now coach of the Duke university baseball team, who has joined the Athletics' pitching staff. "Bobby" has just graduated from Duke university.

SCATTERING RAINS CONTINUE OVER THE SOUTHEASTERN AREA

Light to heavy rains have fallen over the southeastern section of New Mexico during the past week. Rains here the first of the week were rather light. Sunday afternoon the precipitation amounted to .12 inches and .05 fell Monday afternoon. Heavy showers fell in spots Monday. Between here and the bridge over Eagle Draw to the west, the moisture amounted to almost an inch in many places. The clouds skirted the Cottonwood country with an inch of rain reported in the Upper Cottonwood community and extending east as far as the Hill ranch. A heavy shower also fell in the Grayburg area in the oil field on the same afternoon. West of Roswell a hard rain fell in the Hondo section and blocked traffic for a time on the west highway. The rain was rather light at Hope but south and west, streams were running and water holes were filled.

The weather here for the past two weeks has been very pleasant, in fact the period has been the most moderate experienced in June in several years. The average maximum temperature has been from 85 to 92 while the minimum has run from 55 to 65 degrees.

DAILY REFINERY RUNS

Daily runs of the two local refineries will average approximately 1,850 barrels during the month of June. Estimated runs given in the last week's issue of The Advocate were about 200 barrels under actual runs.

TWO STILLS FOUND IN A SEARCH FOR STOLEN PROPERTY

Officers Carl Gordon and Roy Vermillion raided the premises of B. F. Laney living on Dagger Draw east of Hope Friday and while looking for stolen property located two copper stills. The stills, one about twenty gallons in size and one of thirty gallons capacity were found in a hole, dug for a cistern. Three gallons of whiskey was found on the premises, but the stills were not in operation. Arthur Larmor the only person found about the place was arrested and brought here. Later he was lodged in the county jail at Carlsbad.

Laney who was absent from home at the time the raid occurred is still at large so far as known.

ED. SWOPE CHOSEN NEW PARTY CHAIRMAN

Warden Ed. Swope of the state penitentiary was chosen unanimously as state chairman of the democratic central committee at Santa Fe, succeeding W. J. Barker, who resigned to accept the position of United States district attorney. Selection of Swope was made at a meeting of the central committee at Santa Fe Friday.

Mrs. Gladys McDermond and two small daughters of Portales came down Sunday for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ben Dunn. Mrs. McDermond returned the same day, the children remaining for a longer visit.

Support Of The Dollar Is Withheld At London

Witholds Stabilization Of Dollar Until Further Guarantees Are Made—German Delegates Go To Berlin.

LONDON—The American delegation in the light of new instructions received from President Roosevelt decided last night to withhold dollar stabilization until it obtains satisfactory guarantees that the United States is going to get what it wants out of the world economic conference.

While Cordell Hull, secretary of state, and his American colleagues were discussing the new orders from Washington in a long session last night, Prime Minister MacDonald, chairman of the conference, was understood to be formulating a plan to eliminate for the time being any treatment of the bitterly controversial monetary issue in the international conclave.

The Americans now propose to use dollar stabilization as a bargaining weapon for obtaining realization of the Washington program in conference.

Meanwhile, Foreign Minister Baron Von Neurath and eight other members of the German delegation left London for Berlin unexpectedly and without giving any definite assurance of an early return to the London assembly.

The Germans were hissed and booed by a large anti-nazi crowd at the railway station.

A standoff attitude was adopted by the gold bloc as the backstage scenery of the world economic conference shifted with amazing rapidity.

Representatives of France, Italy, Belgium, Holland and Switzerland, the principal countries on the gold standard, decided, it was understood on good authority, to defend the thesis that dollar stabilization must be realized before the parley can proceed constructively.

These five countries have been engaging in frequent conversations among their own delegations during the past two days.

A proposal to let monetary problems drop at least temporarily and to go ahead with the economic discussion ran through the corridors late yesterday afternoon, but met with stubborn opposition from the gold bloc.

NEW YORK—Raymond Moley, assistant secretary of state and close adviser to President Roosevelt, sailed for London yesterday to act as a link between the administration and the American delegation to the world economic conference, from which he predicted. (Continued on last page, column 2)

PIONEER WOMAN OF COTTONWOOD PASSES ON TUES. AFTERNOON

Mrs. Louise Jane Powell, age 70, Cottonwood resident died at the home of her son, Charles Powell, Saturday afternoon following a brief illness. Mrs. Powell suffered a cerebral hemorrhage on the 13th and never regained consciousness. The end was peaceful.

Mrs. Powell came to this section twenty-three years ago. She was born and reared in Mississippi and lived about a year in Texas before coming here. She made her home with her son, Charles, since the death of her husband, a few years ago.

She leaves to mourn her loss, a son, Charles of the Upper Cottonwood community and two daughters, Mrs. H. J. Grundemeir and Mrs. Bryce Brownlee, both of Waverly, Missouri. Mrs. Grundemeir and small daughter were the only out of town relatives present at the funeral services which were conducted at the graveside in the Woodbine cemetery by the Rev. F. C. Rowland, Baptist pastor Sunday afternoon.

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COST OF GOVERNMENT

The Alexander Hamilton Institute of New York, in its latest bulletin, estimates that the cost of federal, state and local governments in 1932 exceeded \$15,000,000,000 and amounted to 40.6 per cent of the total income of the people of the United States for the year. The figures compare with a \$13,000,000,000 government expenditure, or 15.3 per cent of total income in 1929. And going back 20 years, total government expenditures in 1913 were \$2,919,000,000, or only 8.5 per cent of total income of the people that year.

The bulletin estimates that the dollar value of national wealth in 1932 was \$239,000,000,000, the lowest figure since 1916, and \$41,000,000,000 below the official government estimate in 1922, though it is \$53,000,000,000 more than the official estimate of 1912.

Dollar value of the country's wealth in 1929 at the height of the stock market boom probably was double that of 1932 yet the actual physical property which constitutes wealth, undoubtedly increases every year, and is actually greater now than ever before despite the great depreciation in dollar value that has occurred.

A SOCIAL PROBLEM

The problems of the social workers are not going to be over with the passing of the depression. The worst feature of the pressing times we have gone thru is the habit of loafing and looking for charity by many people, who were formerly responsible citizens. Jobless people have in many instances become drifters. The professional bum and hobo has taken advantage of the economic situation to subsist on public subscription. They are not looking for work and often have been known to curiously refuse gainful employment.

The habit of drifting is hard to break once it has become part of the nature of the individual. When a man finds that he can live on the kindness of good people in the various communities thru which he passes, there is a temptation to follow the line of least resistance and subsist with the least effort.

Many of the jobless will welcome an opportunity to work. Others will find the idea distasteful. What to do with those who don't choose to work will be the problem of the social worker.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

A local Thomas Jefferson democrat thinks the term "democratic" in state politics has been sadly abused. He says if some of the great party leaders, who were responsible in former years for placing the affairs of the party into the hands of the people, were alive today, they would undoubtedly demand an apology from the state political machine for usurping a word that has meant so much to the common people in the years passed. "With Ed Swope manipulating the party strings from back stage as party chairman, the decent people will never have a peep at the inner workings of the party organization, nor a voice in what the party does," he said. "The party threatens to become so rotten that the voter will have to hold his nose with a clothes pin every time the wind blows from Santa Fe," he remarked.

Henry Ford was more than half right when he recommended the elimination of the reconstruction finance corporation as the quickest way to rid the country of the dole and possibly a lot of misery. Except to the big guns, the aid offered thru this organization has been bitterly disappointing. There is something radically wrong with an organization which in the past offered to aid individuals, banks and corporations to stave off a wholesale foreclosure and then change the policy of operation after an individual or corporation has paid more than half the borrowed money back as in the case of the First National Bank, and says the institution owes too much money.

Except where local borrowers are in rather destitute circumstances, those who have government loans will probably live to witness a sad experience in many instances, as the cowmen did in 1920 and 1921.

The mass of citizens who signed the petitions asking for the referendum on six measures passed by the last legislature were not solely concerned with the good or bad features of the laws thus attacked, but took the only method available of expressing protests against the high hand political maneuvering in the last legislature. Had the right of recall been opened for action, the people might have recalled a few of the politicians, as well as to invoke the right or referendum.

The political dopsters have been 100 per cent right thus far in predicting the various democratic party maneuvers. Now that Ed Swope has been made the state chairman of the democratic central committee, the political forecasters are going to be disappointed if Seligman does not appoint himself United States senator as the next major party move.

The forgotten man isn't confined to any one class. If we were to name any one class we'd say it was the creditors.

It will take several more \$2.00 "Williams" to balance our budget. How's your subscription?

No man ever knows it all, but it's difficult to convince some of them of the fact.

Callouses on hands are more honorable than those on a fellow's conscience.

It takes two to make a bargain, and sometimes a judge to break it.

Tax-exempt securities are another evil—but we're not guilty.

Odd—but TRUE

WHEN THE NORTHWESTERN 'BOB CAT' MAKES A KILL IT EATS ONLY THE LIVER AND HEART OF ITS PREY—THE REMOVAL OF THESE IS DONE WITH THE DEXTERITY OF A TRAINED SURGEON



THE ALIMONY BILL OF DIVORCED HUSBANDS IN THIS COUNTRY IS OVER \$17,000,000 PER YEAR



BECAUSE OF THEIR SPEECH IMPEDIMENT, PEOPLE WHO STAMMER HAVE 50% LARGER VOCABULARIES THAN THE AVERAGE PERSON

PICKED UP ON MAIN

Responsibility causes some people to grow, it causes other people to swell up.

A man who is a fast liver won't have the same kind of liver within a few years.

They tell us if one goes to the Century of Progress at Chicago, one should take along marked money to get it back in case the gangsters get too bold. Our's is always marked. It is marked by the Missus as soon as we draw it from the bank.

He tried to cross a railroad track, Before a rushing train; They put the pieces in a sack, But couldn't find the brain.

Pretty near every town has its "greasy spoon" where the flies are comfortable all winter long.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Beckett left Friday for an extended visit with relatives at Corona. From Corona they will go to Hot Springs to spend some time.

The Kentucky woman who dined at the White House several weeks ago with Mrs. Roosevelt says she has one other aim in life, to get to heaven. Republicans say she might have gotten off the right road.

We were never much afraid of the republican campaign prediction made last summer about grass growing in the streets. It's too much trouble to make it grow on the lawns.

Farmer Brown—Mr. Editor, you will just have to stop my paper. The depression has got me.

Editor—Why I had no idea you were so hard hit.

Farmer Brown—I sure am. I hate it mighty bad to have to give up the paper, but I can't afford it any longer. I have sent the wife back to her mother, put the kids in the orphanage, and if things don't pick up right soon, I'll be darned if I won't have to give up my automobile.—Tucumcari American.

Jene Keith Knows a girl who doesn't go in for necking... she goes out for it.

When a man reached for his hip in the good old days, it meant death. Now his intentions may be better, but the results are usually the same.

A local gentleman suffering from insomnia caused from drinking coffee at bridge parties is trying to find a coffee substitute so that he can give it up instead of coffee.

CONGRESS ADJOURNS UNTIL JANUARY 3

WASHINGTON, D. C.—For the first time in history congress meets next January, leaving the capitol without its accustomed oratorical accompaniment for the Christmas holidays.

Under the new twentieth, "lame duck" amendment to the constitution, both houses started on a six months' vacation Friday in the sine die adjournment.

That amendment provides that the new congress shall convene on January 3 instead of the first Monday in December.

GOV. WANTS FAIR WAGE

SANTA FE—Governor Arthur Seligman Tuesday busied himself with banking, relief and wages.

He said he was studying the Glass banking bill but so far has not found anything in the measure that will require a special session of the state legislature. He understood the bill prohibited interest in checking accounts, but found this was amended; had that provision remained, he said, it would have meant revamping the New Mexico banking laws.

At the same time he announced he was trying to get the county commissioners to double their indigent funds in order to match federal relief funds under terms of the new relief measure. The state has been allotted \$63,203, as one of the few states to qualify, according to a wire to the governor from Miss Margaret Reeves, director of child welfare in the state. She said this sum was for the first quarter starting July 1.

Then the governor declared himself in favor of a 50-cent wage per hour for common labor in the state, saying he would try and get this provision in new highway contracts to be let. At present, highway bids say to contractors regarding the law "50 cents minimum hour for skilled and 35 cents hourly minimum for unskilled labor."

EIGHT HOUR LAW INVALID

ALBUQUERQUE—Scarcely more than a few days old as an operative law the state's new 8 hour statute Monday was knocked down and bundled off to the state supreme court after having been declared invalid.

The fate of the laws was placed in the appellate court's hands Monday after District Judge Milton Helmick ruled them invalid because are arbitrarily regulated one form of industry without touching others. The ruling was made in the case of H. E. Henry, secretary of the state druggists association, who was charged with violating the laws by working an employe eight and one-half hours. Judge Helmick said "it was hard to see why hours of labor should be regulated in mercantile establishments and not in factories, laundries, foundries, dairies, bakeries, building trades, garages and the like." He upheld Defense Attorney John Simms' contention that the laws were unconstitutional because they arbitrarily regulated one industry and not all. An appeal will be taken to the supreme court.

THE REV. McCORRY CHOSEN MODERATOR

The Artesia delegates who returned Monday from the Sandia Young Peoples Conference, east of Bernalillo report a very successful conference.

There was a total attendance of about 150 and the principal speakers were: The Rev. Stewart Nye Hutchinson, D. D. of East Liberty Presbyterian church, of Pittsburgh; Dr. Burma, President of Trinity University and Dr. B. A. Hodges, both of Waxahachie, Texas; Dr. Weston Johnson of Japan and Dr. J. C. E. Walter of Tulsa.

The officers chosen to direct the state work for the coming year are: Mrs. B. J. Butts of Las Cruces, president of the Woman's work and The Rev. W. B. McCorry, moderator of the Synod of New Mexico.

WOOL PRICES HIGHER THAN LAST SEASON

Quotations for domestic wool on the Boston market the third week of May were 40 to 70 per cent above the March, 1933 low point and were 10 to 120 per cent above the low point of July, 1932, according to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. Under the stimulus of changes in monetary policy, increased buying activity and low spot supplies, wool prices made the sharpest advance in many years. The advance was led by rapid increases in the west. Prices in foreign markets have also advanced during the past month but the rise has been less marked than the United States and the difference between domestic and foreign prices has increased.

United States wool consumption and machinery activity was abnormally low in March due to the unsettled financial and industrial conditions of that month. Increased buying of wool in the Boston market, increased purchases of woolen textiles and reports of greater activity in textile manufacturing centers make it seem probable that consumption during April and early May did not follow the usual trend for that period which under normal conditions is downward.

CARLSBAD INSURANCE MAN DIES THURSDAY

C. C. Sikes, age 42, Carlsbad life insurance man and known to many people of this section died at the Sister's hospital in Carlsbad on the 15th at 8:00 o'clock. The death of Mr. Sikes was due to complications which set in after an operation. Funeral services were held at Carlsbad Friday afternoon. Several friends from Artesia attended the funeral services.

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Brick Buys a Kimono

By KATHLEEN MALLORY

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BRICK had first seen the kimono two weeks ago. It wasn't really a kimono. That was just Brick's appellation. It was really a gorgeous blue chiffon velvet peignoir. Mr. Bonner had brought it. It was late at night, and Brick had tiptoed to the kitchen for a drink of water.

Drinking the water, he had overheard Mr. Bonner talking to Mumsy. He liked Mr. Bonner. He never forgot to bring him something. It was always there on the breakfast table next morning. The most wonderful things. He was listening: "Jerry, you angel. . . It's too sweet of you for words, but I can't let you. You're a darling. . . the best friend a woman ever had. But it's impossible. . . I'll shut my eyes and pretend. . . forever after that it's mine, when I'm wearing that ragged, shabby old thing in a long!

Brick's breath expelled on a lone breath that was almost a sob. He peeked through the crack of the swinging door to the living room. His mother began folding it carefully back into its tissue wrappings. "Don't be absurd, Sylvia." Jerome Bonner was speaking, gruffly. "That's my birthday gift to you. I shall be away next month, and I wanted you to have it in time."

"Please, Jerry," Brick's mother said thickly, "don't. Bring me some little trinket that's inexpensive."

"Sylvia. . . let me take care of you. . . always! Please, dear. I love you so."

"Now, Jerry! You know how things are. I'm going to bring Brick up, first. My first duty is to him. And. . . why Jerry, I've a fine young man to take care of me. I want nothing in this world, beyond my home, here, and Brick!"

Brick had crept off to bed, shivering. Gosh. She had said he was enough.

Then he saw it again. Three days later. It was in a shop window, and there was nothing else there. Only the blue kimono. Some way, somehow, he must get that blue kimono for mumsy.

He went in and priced it. He nearly fell over when the lady said twenty-five dollars. She might as well have said twenty-five hundred. Gosh. That was the same price as the bicycle.

But now the bike was forgotten. Each night, when he was through peddling his papers, he went to stare, fascinated, at the blue kimono. Mumsy's birthday was next week, too.

Then several things happened. Mumsy was working in a store, part time, and he was alone one night. In the closet, looking for a book stored away he came across the picture. It was his father, he knew that. Mumsy had told him. Her eyes had looked all scrunchy when she told him. He never asked her any more about him. But he knew he was alive.

Then one day Brick's father bought a paper from him. Brick knew him instantly. The same face, only the hair was gray now. Expensive fur coat. Costly clothes. "A Post, sonny. Keep the change"—two dimes.

The day before mumsy's birthday, the man stopped again. It was cold. Brick's fingers were numb with cold. He dropped his papers, and his hat fell off. The man bit off an explanation. "My God," he said, "the same hair even!" Then hoarsely, "Here, Sonny. . . get yourself something. A bike. . . shoes!" Brick stared at the fifty-dollar bill, as the man jumped into a taxi and drove off. Only that noon he had seen the man's smiling face in the tabloids he had sold along State street. "Noted actor celebrates new hit by marrying leading lady."

He began to shiver, but not with cold. Frantically, he searched his paper bag and found the tabloid; the last remaining one. There it was, "State Street Theater," Brick started toward State street. He borrowed an envelope from the cashier. On it, he wrote his own name. It was also his father's. He knew that, now, from the tabloids. Rick Chandler, star of New Moon. Inside, he tucked the fifty-dollar bill. It was his defeated hope of ever owning the blue kimono or the new bike. But he did not falter, mumsy would want him to.

On the way he saw the sign. "We buy old bikes." Brick went in. He came out, minus his dilapidated old bike, but richer by ten dollars. He'd get another, some day. Now he'd get mumsy a birthday present. A blue kimono.

Brick raced to the shop. He nearly suffocated with joy. Marked down to nineteen fifty!

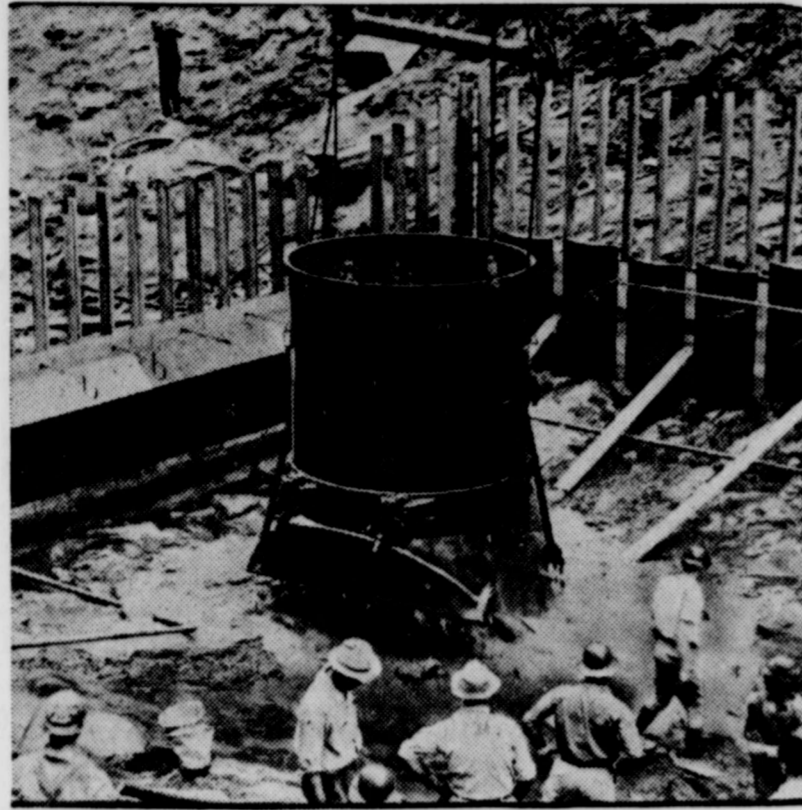
He stole into the house. In the hall, a glittering object arrested him. It was a new bike. It was the New Bike. But Brick didn't stop. He took the stairs on high.

"Hey, Mom! Hey, Looky! I bought you a present!" "Brick, you angel!" Sylvia held up the blue peignoir. Tears sparkled in her lashes. "Brick, it's the most divine thing! How did you dream I wanted one?" Brick swaggered. He strutted.

"Oh. . . girls like a kimono," he said nonchalantly.

Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate

Concrete Flow at Boulder Dam Starts



Pouring of concrete into the foundations of Boulder dam began with out ceremony. Although two years had been spent in completing work on what will be the world's largest dam and \$38,000,000 had been expended so that the actual building of the huge concrete wall could begin, the cheering of workmen was the only celebration to mark the momentous moment. The photograph shows workers pouring the first concrete.

LOWER LIVESTOCK RATE IS IN EFFECT

An order signed by Secretary Wallace on June 14th provides a new schedule of maximum livestock commission charges at the Kansas City Stockyards. (On the basis of 1931 business at this market, it is estimated the new rates will save livestock shippers approximately \$135,000 a year. The new schedule, (B. A. I. Docket No. 311) which went into effect July 14, is much simpler than that now in effect. The order is the first to establish rates on the consignment basis, rather than on the carload basis. The rates prescribed are graduated according to the number of animals in the consignment and are lower than either those contained in the present tariff No. 3 used by all the market agencies except the two co-operatives, or in the tariffs used by the co-operatives.

In the new schedule prescribed by the secretary's order no change has been made in the charges for consignments consisting of only one head. The per head charge for the first 20 head or fraction thereof in a consignment of calves has been reduced from 30c to 25c and the per head charge for each head over 20 in the consignment has been reduced from 25c to 15c. On yearlings or light cattle the corresponding reductions are from 60c to 45c and from 40c to 25c a head. While no change is made in the actual cents shown as the rates on stock pigs, the charge of 20c a head is made to apply to the first 40 in a consignment rather than the first 50, the result being that 15c per head is deducted from the charges on 10 head of pigs in each consignment of 50 or more. The rate of 10c for each hog over 40 in a consignment has been reduced to 5c.

With respect to sheep, the first 10 in each 300 head in a consignment pay 25c a head, the same rate as formerly, but the charge on the next 40 head is 15c whereas in tariff No. 3 it was 20c on the next 30 head. Similarly on the next 60 head above 50 the charge is 5c per head, whereas in tariff No. 3 a charge of 15c was maintained from the 41st to the 60th head. Also under the new tariff, the next 130 head above the first 120 head carry a charge of 2c and the next 50 head a charge of 1c, whereas in tariff No. 3, 4c per head is maintained from the 61st to the 300th head.

NO 4-H SCHOLARSHIPS

The following is a report of the meeting of the State College board of regents, held last month as communicated to W. A. Wunsch, county extension agent.

That because of the financial situation and financial needs of the institution the board deems it unwise and impossible for us to continue longer to grant 4-H club scholarships and therefore that beginning with the new fiscal year, July 1, 1933, the granting of scholarships on account of the completion of four years of club work will be discontinued until such time as this board or another board may take action in the future.

Those students now registered in the institution as 4-H club students and on scholarships will be allowed to complete the four years of college attendance allowed them on the basis of the scholarship granted.

Reporter: "To what do you attribute your great old age?" Old Duck: "Wa'll, I can't say yit; several of them testimonial fellers is dickerin' with me."

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Typewriters for rent—The Advocate.

MANY LEGIONNAIRES TO ATTEND MEETING

TUCUMCARI—Every American Legion post in New Mexico and a number from Colorado and Texas, will have a delegation present at the department of New Mexico annual convention, to be held here August 3, 4, 5, according to H. K. Grubbs, commander of the local post.

Raton, Clovis, Albuquerque and Santa Fe have written local Legion officials that each will send a delegation of approximately one hundred legionnaires and members of the auxiliary. Gallup, Raton, and Albuquerque are scheduled to bring their drum and bugle corps.

Many prominent speakers, including Governor Arthur Seligman, Senator Bronson Cutting, and Congressman Dennis Chavez, have been scheduled to address the convention.

National Commander Louis A. Johnson, Indianapolis, has been delivered a personal invitation to attend the convention. Other Legion officials who will probably be in attendance are: Colonel Wm. E. Easterwood, Dallas, national vice-commander; Frank E. Samuel, Indianapolis, national adjutant; and H. L. Plummer, Indianapolis, national assistant adjutant; W. F. Martins, Ed Carruth, Hugh Askew and Carl E. Nesbitt, department commanders of Arizona, Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas, respectively.

100,000,000 IN BUILDINGS BY OCTOBER 1, 1933

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The administration approved plans Friday to call for bids on \$25,000,000 of public building 45 days from now, in addition to a like amount on which bids are now being sought.

L. B. Robert, assistant secretary of the treasury, said detailed lists of the specific projects for which bids are to be asked had yet to be formulated.

Robert told reporters that in addition to the \$50,000,000 already certain to be spent on postoffices, federal buildings, court houses, immigration stations, etc., another \$50,000,000 would be thrown on the market in 90 days, assuring that the government would seek to have \$100,000,000 of new buildings under way before October.

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FORECASTS BIG PRAIRIE CHICKEN CROP THIS YEAR

A big crop of young prairie chickens is forecasted by J. Stockley Ligon, author of "Wild Life in New Mexico," and who has been employed by the state game department for the last six months. There has been no hail or heavy rain in the prairie chicken country and many nests will be unmolested by the kangaroo rats this year. Ligon has just made a survey of the prairie situation in Roosevelt county.

There are about 390 miles of prairie chicken country. The game department has entered into an arrangement with the biological survey and a large area has been treated with poison grain to destroy rodents, especially the kangaroo rats which destroy the eggs.

State Game Warden Elliott Barber said the prairie chickens have been accused of doing a lot of damage to the farmers' grain. However, he says, it has been proved that rodents do ten times as much damage. He believes the poisoning of the rodents will cause a decrease in the number of complaints.

MANY ROUGH FISH TAKEN

More than 12,500 pounds of rough fish — buffalo, carp and suckers—seined from various public waters of southeastern New Mexico were distributed to the needy of Chaves county thru various relief agencies, M. Stevenson, deputy state game warden who superintended the work of ridding various waters of these fish, said at Roswell Tuesday.

Total of 24,500 gar, shad and turtles were taken during the past several weeks from public waters of Chaves and Eddy counties, the report of M. Stevenson to the state game and fish department shows. These fish are not fit for food and are most damaging to various game species.

Of these 24,500 fish and turtles, there were 18,000 gar, 4,000 shad and 2,500 turtles. Many of the turtles were caught in specially constructed traps.

The work of ridding various waters of Chaves and Eddy counties has been concluded for this season.

These fish and turtles were taken from the Berrendo, Salt Creek, Hondo, Felix, Cottonwood, Lake Van and Lake McMillan, Clark Lake and the Pecos river.

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LOCALS

Jim and Tobe Sarvey underwent operations for the removal of their tonsils Tuesday.

Howard Byrd returned from a visit to Mississippi Saturday. Mrs. Byrd and children remained for a longer visit.

E. H. Brettmann of Wichita, Kansas, treasurer of the Big Jo Lumber Co., spent Saturday here attending to business matters.

Mrs. Landis Feather who was critically ill the first of last week is still confined to her bed, but very much improved at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Manda are expecting their sons, Harry Manda and wife and Perl Manda and wife the latter part of this week for a short visit.

Paul Clewell, local cashier of the Santa Fe railway has been transferred to Roswell and with his family left for Roswell yesterday. I. S. Spratt of Vaughn succeeds Mr. Clewell here.

W. F. Daugherty of Bell, California, one of the old timers of the Atoka community arrived here the first of the week to spend several days visiting old friends and attending to business matters.

Capt. A. W. Irby, head of the Roswell Salvation Army headquarters was a caller at The Advocate office Saturday while en route to Carlsbad. Capt. Irby who operates a soup kitchen in Roswell reports that the number of transients through Roswell are on the increase due to the warm weather and the tourist season.

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

THE HOBBS SCHOOL CERTIFICATES INVALID

Hobbs school certificates of indebtedness have been declared invalid by a court decision last week. The school certificates were issued during the early days of the Hobbs oil development.

NEW MEXICO'S SHARE

WASHINGTON, — New Mexico under the emergency relief grant fund will receive \$63,203.00 on the basis of one dollar federal money to three spent by the state.

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Although we created the automobile market we have never thought it was good for anyone to monopolize it. We have always believed that before business could be good for one, it must be good for all. Our discoveries and improvements have always been open to other manufacturers without patent restrictions.

Of course, there is one thing we cannot share—everyone must get it for himself—and that is experience. Money could duplicate our buildings and machines, but it cannot duplicate 40 years of experience. And it is experience that makes a motor car.

But the past does not especially concern me; it has all been a preparation for the future. For myself, I feel that I have just been gathering the tools to do something worth while, and that my real task is still ahead.

Great changes are upon the world. False ideas of every kind are vanishing in the general upheaval. Those who built truly on principle will survive—their service will carry over. Business integrity and commodity honor will be fully justified. And newer and better ways of living will appear.

That is the outlook for this young thirty-year old Company of ours.

Henry Ford

Social Activities

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

An all day meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society was held at the farm home of Mrs. Reed Brainard last Thursday. At ten o'clock a Bible lesson was given from the 27th Psalm by Mrs. John McCann, using Faith as her subject. The conference minutes were studied and reports were made by representative conference officers. At the noon hour a delicious covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by a large number of the membership. Mrs. R. L. Cowan assisted by Mrs. George Frisch conducted the literary meeting of the afternoon. This afternoon a social meeting is being held at the home of Mrs. J. E. Robertson which takes the place of the scheduled Fellowship luncheon. At the close of the afternoon session Mrs. Reed Brainard and Mrs. McCann were joint hostesses when they served ice cream and punch.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Mrs. Jess Truett and Mrs. H. W. Kiddy were joint hostesses to members of the Presbyterian Missionary Society at the home of Mrs. Truett last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Gail Hamilton as leader gave a lesson which was a study of the West Indies and Philippine Islands. A social hour followed the lesson period, at which time most delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE FOR MRS. A. C. DOUGLAS

Members of the Methodist Missionary Society met at the church Friday afternoon and at 3:00 o'clock went in a body to the parsonage surprising their pastor's wife, Mrs. A. C. Douglas whose birthday occurred on that day. Many useful and practical gifts were received by the honoree, a number of which were sent by members who were unable to be present. The afternoon which was spent visiting was thoroughly enjoyed by this busy group of women.

PAST NOBLE GRAND PARTY

Mrs. J. M. Story entertained the Past Noble Grand club at her home Friday evening with Mrs. Thomas as co-hostess. A business meeting was followed by a social hour with the following members present: Mmes. Nellie Cogdell, Mary Abbott, Ed Corner, Effie Wingfield, John McCann, W. H. Cobble, Walter Amstutz, Beulah Jones and Misses Ella Bauslin. Refreshments of cake and punch were served by the hostesses.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S ASS'N.

Members of the Christian Women's Association met at the home of Mrs. Jeff Hightower last Thursday afternoon with only a small number of the membership present. Mrs. Hattie Merchant as leader very ably presented the Bible lesson which was taken from the Book of Revelations.

BLACK CAT CLUB

Mrs. Emma Huey entertained members of the Black Cat club last Thursday. The evening was spent working on a flower garden quilt for the hostess while they visited. Mrs. Huey served refreshments of ice cream and cake at the close of the evening to her mother, Mrs. Briscoe, Misses Nola Naylor, Pearl Henderson, Hannah Briscoe and Mrs. Mary Stillwaugh.

COMPTON'S LEAVE FOR TROUT FISHING WED.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Compton, Kenneth and Miss Louise and Mr. and Mrs. William Compton left Wednesday morning for a three weeks' trout fishing trip. They will be joined in Taos by their son Stewart Compton and his bride. The party will fish in the Laganites Lakes in the Brazos Box and on the Conejos.

Light reflectors for your car to meet recent state requirements. See Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association. 25-11-31

Social Calendar

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FRIDAY

Friday Evening Bridge club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Morgan at 7:30 p. m.

Young Mothers club meets with Mrs. W. G. Cooke at 2:30 p. m. H20 Plus Bridge club meets with Miss Ruth Morgan at 2:00 p. m.

Bridge of the Month meets with Mrs. Joe Hamann at 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Idlewhites Bridge club postponed indefinitely.

First Afternoon Bridge club meets with Mrs. Martin Yates at 2:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Miercoles Bridge club meets with Mrs. Aubrey Watson at 2:00 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Executive meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society at Mrs. Roger Durand's at 3:00 p. m. All officers urged to be present.

H20 PLUS BRIDGE CLUB

Members of the H20 Plus club spent a most pleasant afternoon last Friday with Mrs. J. H. Jackson. Progressive contract bridge was studied and played with high score going to Mrs. Mark A. Corbin.

Very dainty and delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Jackson to Mrs. Corbin and Miss Esther Morgan who were club guests and to Mmes. Atkeson, Lowry, and Jessie Morgan and Dora Russell club members.

FORTNIGHTLY BRIDGE CLUB

Members of the Fortnightly Bridge club met with Mrs. C. R. Blocker Tuesday.

Luncheon was served at one o'clock and was followed by a session of auction bridge. Mrs. W. C. Martin held high score at the close of the games.

Club members present were: Mmes. J. B. Atkeson, Corbin, Wm. Linell, Flint, W. C. Martin, Albert Richards and Seale. Other guests were: Mmes. Roger Durand, H. G. Rowley, A. T. Woods, Howard Williams and Elza Swift.

JUNIORS ENTERTAINED AT BRIDGE PARTY

Irene Gillispie was hostess to a number of the Juniors when she entertained at bridge last Thursday afternoon at the home of her parents.

Seated at two tables of bridge were: Marion Coll, Elsie Jernigan, Lela Bess Mann, Rachel Adel Swift, Carolyn Seale, Florine Muncy, Dorothy Berry and Phyllis Bartlett.

High score prize was presented to Lela Bess Mann and consolation to Rachel Adel Swift. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Alf Coll was hostess to members of the Thursday Bridge club at her farm home last Thursday afternoon.

After a session of contract bridge high score prize went to Mrs. Lapsley and second high to Mrs. Charles Morgan.

Mrs. Lacy, mother of Mrs. Morgan was a club visitor and guest at the refreshment hour. At the conclusion of the games delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Coll.

ABNORMIS SAPIENS CLUB

Mrs. S. E. Ferree was hostess to members of the Abnormis Sapiens Bridge club at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Seated at two tables for a session of contract bridge were: Mmes. Thomas S. Cox, Rowan, Hightower, Jessie Morgan, Swift, Russell, Wallace Anderson and Ferree.

High score was made by Mrs. Cox. At the conclusion of the games delicious light refreshments were served by the hostess.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL FRIDAY Enjoy music and a social hour with the Methodist ladies at the park Friday evening. Home made ice cream and cake for everybody 10¢ per serving. 25-11-31

ENGRAVING—THE ADVOCATE

STROUD—GRAY WEDDING AT CARLSBAD SAT.

The marriage of W. A. (Frenchie) Gray to Miss Glenyce Stroud at Carlsbad Saturday will interest many local people. The following account of the wedding is taken from the Carlsbad Current-Argus:

Miss Glenyce Stroud became the bride of W. A. (Frenchie) Gray of Artesia Saturday night at eight o'clock when The Rev. C. S. Walker, pastor of the First Methodist church officiated at the impressive ring ceremony which was held at the Methodist parsonage. Attendants at the wedding included Miss Katherine Riley, Miss Alene Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weldon and Miss Marjorie Wingfield of Artesia.

Mrs. Gray is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Stroud of this city and until her marriage was an employe of the Southwestern Associated Telephone Co., office here.

Mr. Gray is connected with the State Oil Service Company of Artesia where they will make their home.

Immediately after the ceremony they left for Cloudford for a short honeymoon.

Before her marriage Mrs. Gray was complimented at a number of parties by her friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray are located in the Martin Yates apartments.

ROBERT FEEMSTER WEDS

Announcement of the marriage of Robert Feemster former Artesia resident to Miss Kaleta Gertrude King of Calvin, Oklahoma has been received here by Mr. Feemster's mother, Mrs. L. W. Feemster. The marriage ceremony was performed at Oklahoma city on the 14th. The marriage vows were read by The Rev. Edwin F. Bohmfalk at the St. Luke's Methodist parsonage, amid an array of garden flowers. Prof. James A. Cowan of Oklahoma City, former Artesia boy acted as best man for Mr. Feemster.

The wedding ceremony was followed by a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Feemster at 330 Southwest 24th street, Oklahoma City. Both Mr. and Mrs. Feemster were outstanding students at the University of Oklahoma, from which they graduated in 1932. Mrs. Feemster received a degree from the college of fine arts and was awarded the first letter medal for women during her senior year.

Mr. Feemster received his degree from the school of petroleum engineering. He was president of the senior class in 1932 and is a member of L. K. O. T. Sigma Tau and Tau Beta Pi. He is now an employe of the Phillips Petroleum Co.

TWIN BOYS HAVE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Charles Morgan entertained a large group of children on the eighth birthday anniversary of her twin sons, Don and Val, Tuesday afternoon.

The boys were elated with the many gifts which they received. Games on the lawn were enjoyed during the afternoon. A pink and green color scheme was carried out in the lovely refreshments, which consisted of two birthday cakes with eight candles each, ice cream and punch, and suckers for favors. Mrs. Morgan was assisted in serving by her mother, Mrs. Lacy and Mrs. D. I. Clowe.

Those who helped Don and Val celebrate on this occasion were: Margaret and Marjorie Clowe, Lowrey Williams, Bobby Morris, Helen Watson, Albert Linell, Shirley Watson, Guenivere Ellis, Roderick Watson, Georgia Lee Williams, J. C. Estes, Orlena Martin, Betty and Billie Sue Barnett, Joe Watson and Charles Clewell.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved—The Advocate.

SCOUTS ENJOY OUTING

Eleven Artesia Boy Scouts, including nine members of troop 8 and two members of troop 29, enjoyed an outing and camp fire program at Walnut Grove west of here over the week-end. R. G. Knoedler, troop 8 scoutmaster and Mr. and Mrs. George Gage accompanied the boys. Mr. and Mrs. Gage furnished the transportation and Mr. Knoedler supervised the camp fire activities.

MRS. CLEWELL HONORED

Members of the Dorcas class of the Baptist Sunday school complimented Mrs. Paul Clewell Wednesday evening with a lawn party at the city park. Mrs. Clewell is leaving today for Vaughn which is to be her new home.

A handkerchief shower in a unique form was given the honoree, who entertained the group for a period of time while she hunted the handkerchiefs which were found in trees and shrubs in the park. After a social hour refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

TYPEWRITERS New, second hand and factory rebuilt in portables and standards—See us before you buy. Artesia Advocate.

The Print of the Hand

By SIDNEY WALDO

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THE body lay close to the rows of corn, and the sheriff was bending over it. Then he straightened up slowly and turned to Will Grainger, the older of the murdered man's two nephews.

"You and Ruth and Tom Hathaway druv to church together in the car?"

"Yes."

"You left your brother, Dan, and your uncle at home here—arguin'?"

"They stayed home. Yes."

"Arguin'!" the sheriff insisted. "That can't be covered up, Will. Plenty people heard 'em, hot at it, as they went by to church. The winders was open."

"Yes, they was arguin'."

"And you three come home from church separate?"

"Yes, Separate."

For the first time the sheriff looked directly at Daniel. "And how about you, Dan?"

"We—got through arguin'; and I went for a walk in the woods."

The sheriff studied the lowered stubborn face of the twenty-year-old boy. Then he made a little gesture of distressed helplessness and began to lead the way toward the open shed door.

Once inside, the sheriff crossed the uneven plank floor to a broad wood-bench which ran along one side. Over part of the rough surface of the bench, smooth gray cardboard had been tacked. Cartridge boxes, powder cans, small tools and a set of scales were neatly arranged on this clean surface.

From his pocket the sheriff drew an empty brass shell. Taking a loaded cartridge from the nearest box, he compared the two. He did not make the obvious statement that the two matched.

Instead he turned to Tom Hathaway, the tall spare eldery hired man. "I reckon you knew the old miser, Tom, jest about as well as anybody livin'."

"I reckon," the other agreed.

"I guess there ain't hardly been one cussed meanness he's put on 'em you ain't know of, and tried to help 'em bear."

"I tried to help the boys just so fur as I could, sheriff," was the calm reply.

"I tried to show 'em the way of patience," Tom went on. "Especially Dan and Ruth after they'd fell in love, and was crazy to marry."

"And, this morning," the sheriff suddenly broke in, "their uncle told the boys—because of hard times—he'd have to cut down their triffin' pay. When they knew he had plenty, and more, hoarded in the bank. Money they wanted, now. Needed, now. Money, Dan had to have, now. Ain't that what his uncle and him was arguin' over?"

"That can't be denied," Tom said at last, and his expression became deeply thoughtful. "My mind was running along them same lines, too, sheriff, as I sat in church. It seemed to me Dan and Ruth ought to have that money, some way. While they could still be young and happy with it."

"Sittin' there, I took a good look back over my own life—which all lies behind me now, any way you figure it, and it come to me how different things would of been, if I'd had any kind of a start. So, all in all, I couldn't hardly blame Dan for the stand he took."

And, once more, the sheriff broke in abruptly. "That's just the point, Tom. Just what I've been leadin' to. We all know you'd like to ease things for Dan. But here's where you weren't able to help any—and can't. Certain things the law says neither man nor boy can do. About your only way to help Dan now, is counsel him to come along with me, peaceably."

But Tom Hathaway merely looked at the sheriff in feigned surprise. "How so, sheriff?" he asked. "You appear to of forgot somethin'. We all come home from church, separate. We got here, separate. Dan's gun was here, for any of us to use. We all hated the old man equal. How's the law going to tell—which of us to take along?"

"Just this way," the sheriff declared, with forced patience. "The gun's been cleaned and oiled. There'll be no finger prints on it, likely. That, I grant you. But it's a long reach, over the bench, to put it back on them pegs. A man would do it with his right hand. His left, he'd put flat on the bench—palm down—to steady his weight on. His hand would of been oily. There on the cardboard, is a clean fresh print of a man's whole hand."

The tense silence that followed this announcement was short. Dan sent a swift startled glance at his brother. Then he urged sharply: "Quick, Will! Rip that cardboard off. He can't stop us. Chuck it in the stove. Then they never can tell which of us it was."

It was Tom Hathaway, however, who moved, stepping forward to stand beside the sheriff. "No, Dan," he said. "The sheriff's right enough. Certain things neither boy nor man can do. Not without payin'. So leave the cardboard be. The print of the hand—is mine."

New York Gunmen Lose Their Weapons



New York city police dumping 3,886 deadly weapons, ranging from shotguns to silencers, from the deck of the city boat Macon. The weapons, representing one year's collection of seized arms, were dumped into the sea off Scotland Lightship. The accumulation consisted of 3,150 pistols, 476 rifles and 260 other deadly weapons.

NEW PARTY TO ORGANIZE

W. C. Thorpe, Clovis merchant, state organizer for the new labor party spent yesterday here in the interest of his party. The party is not yet named. Delegates to the state convention to be held on August 6th will be chosen at a later date. Mr. Thorpe made two speeches here yesterday and it is understood that an Eddy county unit of the new party will be organized.

WUNSCH TO LAS CRUCES

County Agent W. A. Wunsch was called to Las Cruces Wednesday to attend a meeting to discuss the new plan to reduce cotton acreage. From the information available at Carlsbad the first of the week, it was indicated that full details had been received by the State College officials.

DRIVES MILE WITHOUT ARM

SEMINOLE, Oklahoma — Raymond Hondo, 22, oil field worker fell upon a double-bladed axe Saturday severing his left arm. With his right hand he applied a tourniquet, drove his motor car a mile for aid, notified his employer by telephone and was taken to a Tulsa hospital.

ROTARIANS OBSERVE DAUGHTER'S DAY

Thirty daughters attended Daughter's Day observed by members of the Artesia Rotary club Tuesday at the luncheon hour. With the thirty daughters and four visitors the attendance was boosted to fifty-six.

Two music pupils of Mrs. Willis Morgan appeared on the program. Miss Irene Gage played a violin solo and Miss Shirley Watson a piano number. Miss Frances Knoedler gave a reading and the principal address of the occasion was given by The Rev. W. B. McCrory on the subject of "Faith." County Agent W. A. Wunsch talked for five minutes on the new cotton plan of the federal government.

Out of town visitors present included: Claude Simpson of Roswell, Dr. O. E. Puckett and W. A. Wunsch of Carlsbad and J. R. Ogden of Loving.

CHAVES COLLECTS 69.05 PERCENT OF TAXES

Chaves county had collected 69.05 per cent of the 1932 taxes up to June 12th, the last day of the tax moratorium, according to advices from Roswell.

Adding Machines For Sale or Rent—The Advocate.

LOCALS

Mrs. Dick Vandagriff and Mrs. Sadie Wilson were Roswell visitors yesterday.

Dr. J. J. Clarke is attending the state dental association in session at Santa Fe today.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kranz of Roswell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Floore over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vandagriff had as their guests last week friends from Las Cruces, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Pettigrew and two daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ellars.

Hollis Watson and family and his nephew, Hollis, of Atlanta, Georgia spent Sunday at Pecos, Texas visiting his mother, Mrs. J. F. Watson and his brother, Will Watson and family.

Elsewhere in this issue, an item with reference to the removal of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clewell from Artesia was erroneous. Mr. and Mrs. Clewell will leave today for Vaughn, instead of Roswell as was originally reported.

RAILROADS WORTH 21 BILLIONS IN U. S.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The nation's railroads were estimated to be worth at going prices approximately \$21,241,711,081.

This figure was computed from figures issued by the valuation bureau of the interstate commerce commission on which the commission is expected to base its decision in the rate study it now has underway.

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One Group White Elk Sandals, regular \$1.95 value, Special for **\$1.49** pair



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Large Group of Ladies Sport Ties, Pumps and Strap Slippers, regular \$2.95 values, special on above dates at— **\$2.49** pair

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Classified

TERMS:—A rate of ten cents per line will be charged for Classified Ads for the first insertion and five cents per line thereafter. No ad accepted for less than 50¢. An average of 5 words ordinarily constitute a line. Charges will be based on this average. Cash must accompany all ads sent by letter, otherwise they will not be inserted.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Four room, modern, furnished house, close in. Mrs. C. R. Blocker, phone 299 or inquire at Advocate office. 50-1f

FOR RENT—Furnished apartments, newly decorated. Water furnished. \$10.00 and \$15.00 per month. J. S. Ward, phone 173. 22-1fc

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Fresh milk cows, about 100 barred rock hens and fryers, and 100 turkey hens and young turkeys. See Chas. Powell, Upper Cottonwood. 25-1tp

WANTED

WANTED—To rent saddle horse for the summer. Phone 135. 25-1tc

WANTED—Small two or three room house in exchange for work of any kind. Box 642. 25-1tp

LOST

LOST—Leather jacket, rubber cushion, leather letter case, small black book containing index. Name of L. N. Perry in book and letter case. Reward if any or all articles are returned to J. S. Ward. No questions asked. 24-2tp

MISCELLANEOUS

WILL SWAP—8 foot Sampson windmill for Standard or Eclipse windmill. See Will Crockett at Joyce Fruit Co., grocery. 25-1tp

FIND 183 GOLD HOARDERS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Refusal of 183 persons to return \$1,148,945 of gold and gold certificates to the government Monday gave rise to indication the department of justice shortly would begin prosecution of one or more of them.

THE CHURCHES

COTTONWOOD CHURCH

REV. JOHN KLASSEN, Pastor.
Sunday school every Sunday at 10:00 a. m., I. H. Burgess, Superintendent.
Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
Everybody invited to attend, you will be welcome.

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 5:00 p. m.
Holy communion, second Monday of each month, and at other times as announced.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

9:45 a. m. Sunday school. C. O. Brown, superintendent.

DIST. MEET ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

The third annual camp meeting of Texaco district council of Assemblies of God will convene at Roswell on August 18th to 27th it was announced recently. The Texaco district comprises the entire state of New Mexico and western Texas.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

613 W. Main Street
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Sunday service.
"Christian Science" is the subject Sunday, June 25th. The golden text is from Isaiah: "The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light; they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined."
One of the scriptural selections in the lesson-sermon is taken from the 14th chapter of John, 1st verse, "Let not your heart be troubled; ye believe in God, believe also in me."
A correlative passage from the Christian Science textbook states: "Divine truth, life, and love gave Jesus authority over sin, sickness and death. His mission was to reveal the science of celestial being, to prove what God is and what He does for man."

BAPTIST REVIVAL IS GROWING IN INTEREST

The Frazier-Keating revival at the Baptist church is growing in interest and gaining in power. A number of conversions and restorations have already been reported. The Rev. Keating of the Baptist church of Alamogordo is bringing

CASE UNDULENT FEVER

Ed Hamm of the Queen section has been found to be suffering from undulant fever, Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health officer said last week.

This disease is one incurred from Angora goats which may be acquired by cows, and through the milk carried to human beings. The cow shows no sign of the disease except that high loss in the calf crop results.

The disease has symptoms somewhat similar to typhoid fever, Dr. Puckett said, but is of longer duration and is more tedious. Dr. Puckett stated that it is possible for the disease to be carried to the flats of the valley should heavy rains visit sections where the infected goats are found thus possibly giving it to cows. Pasteurization will prevent its being acquired by humans, he said.

PRELIMINARY FOR SPILLERS

A preliminary hearing for Chas. Spillers, Hope resident was held before the justice of the peace court at Hope Tuesday. Spillers who is charged with horse stealing has been in the county jail at Carlsbad since his arrest on June 9th. At the hearing Tuesday Spillers was represented by Caswell Neal, Carlsbad attorney and District Attorney George Reese, Jr., of Lovington represented the state. The defendant was bound over to the action of the grand jury and bond set at \$500.00 which he did not make.

ENGRAVING—THE ADVOCATE

gospel messages "in demonstration of the Holy Spirit and Power," each morning at 10:00 o'clock and 7:30 each evening. Mr. Frazier is conducting a large Booster band which is increasing in number. The following subjects will be discussed by the Rev. Keating: Thursday night—"Jesus or Barabuz?" Friday night—"The Father of the Prodigal." Saturday night—"Almost Persuaded." Sunday morning—"A special mother's service will be conducted and a prize given to the mother who has been a Christian the longest and the mother with the youngest baby. Sunday evening—"The Sinner Christ," this will be the Rev. Keating's farewell sermon and is his best one. You should hear this sermon! There will be a baptismal service at the close of the hour.
The public is urged to attend all these services.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

REV. W. B. McCORRY, Pastor.
9:55 a. m. Bible school.
10:50 a. m. morning worship.
Topic: "Conference Report."
7:00 p. m. Christian Endeavor.
No evening service.

Rural News

COTTONWOOD ITEMS • LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Grandmother Johnson, who was very ill last week is reported to be somewhat improved.

Miss Bonnie Bell Bradley of Roswell spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bradley.

Mmes. L. Hobbs and C. Hobbs of Justiceburg, Texas are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Monroe Howard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. August Nelson and family, have recently returned from Roswell to the Cottonwood where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Basel, who have been attending to business matters and visiting friends here left for their home at San Angelo, Texas Monday.

Benton Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reed left Sunday for San Angelo, Texas to spend the summer with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reed.

The Cottonwood Woman's club will meet with Mrs. A. F. Wittkopp on July 6th. The program will be cooking with honey. A demonstration under the supervision of Miss Veda Strong.

Mrs. H. J. Grundmeier of Waverly, Missouri, who was called here by the death of her mother, Mrs. Powell will remain for a short visit. Her brother Charles Powell will return home with her for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Vauchet and family of Roswell accompanied by Mrs. Vauchet's brother, Jimmie Cooper spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. E. P. Malone and Mr. Malone and family. Mr. Cooper will remain for a longer visit.

The Cottonwood Ladies Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. I. P. Johnson last Thursday. An enjoyable children's day program was given under the direction of Mrs. Glen Yarnell. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Yarnell on July 7th. Members are requested to bring a covered dish for the luncheon to be served picnic style at sundown.

TYPEWRITERS

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

LAKEWOOD ITEMS

Mrs. M. C. Lee, Reporter
Forrest Lee is loading out a car of second cutting of alfalfa.

Mrs. Jim King and son, Olan of Dayton visited at the R. L. House home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Price and baby came in from their ranch Sunday and attended the exercises and picnic.

Mrs. Ellis Hnulik and little daughter and Mr. Hnulik spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Norwood.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Webb and boys of Artesia were in Lakewood Sunday and partook of the picnic lunch with old friends.

Arthur Scarborough came home from the hospital Thursday and is recovering very rapidly from his operation about three weeks ago.

Mrs. Jess Plowman and children are making an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Millman at her ranch ten miles west of town.

A children's day exercise and outdoor picnic given Sunday by the Sunday school was very well attended and all had a very enjoyable time.

Baxter Heard came in Saturday from near Deming and spent a few hours with home folks before going to Wagon Mound, where he will work during the summer.

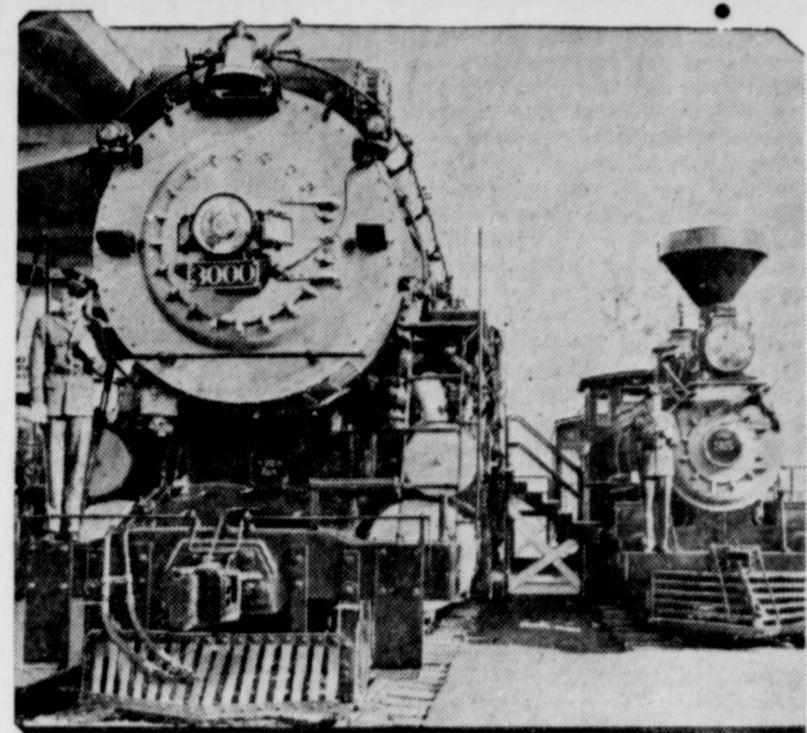
Mrs. Hunt of Dayton visited with her son, Joey and family Saturday. She left Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rowland of Atoka for a visit with a daughter in Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wicher Angell and daughter, Helen attended the children's day exercises and picnic Sunday. Their daughter, Elva May returning home with them after spending a week with the J. H. Angell family.

Light reflectors for your car to meet recent state requirements. See Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association. 25-1t-31

Loose Leaf Binders, Special Ruling and Stock Forms—The Advocate

New and Old at the World's Fair



Displayed at A Century of Progress in Chicago are a modern Burlington system locomotive 93 feet 2 inches long; and the engine of the eighties which pulled the first passenger train to Denver over the Burlington line.

DOLLAR WHEAT BY END '33

NEW YORK—Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas looks for dollar wheat by the end of 1933. Cheerfulness about the future was the keynote of an interview given by the republican senator, a veteran of the fight for remedial farm legislation. He said commodity prices should continue to rise, thus increasing employment and wages. Wheat that sold at 30 cents a bushel last year at this time now sells around 60 cents and he said that by the end of the year it will yield the farmer \$1.

FRANKLIN BABY DROWNS

Betty Franklin, year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Franklin of Roswell and grand niece of Mrs. J. C. Floore of Artesia was drowned in a swimming pool at Alamogordo last Thursday according to word reaching here Friday morning. The baby is thought to have fallen off a diving board and drowned in three feet of water.

BRATTON MAKES NO STATEMENTS ON RETURN

ALBUQUERQUE—U. S. Senator Sam Bratton, who returned to Albuquerque Sunday evening, declared Monday that he had no statement to make about when he intended to take the oath that will qualify him as a federal judge of the circuit court of appeals.

BARKER TAKES OVER NEW OFFICE

William J. Barker newly appointed United States attorney for New Mexico took over the office at Albuquerque Monday from Hugh B. Woodward, incumbent for the past four years. The exchange consisted of signing a receipt for furniture, books and supplies. Barker had not yet named his two assistants Monday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kindness and expressions of sympathy during the illness and death of our mother. We also wish to express our appreciation for the beautiful flowers.

MRS. H. J. GRUNDMEIER,
MRS. B. O. BROWNLEE,
CHARLES C. POWELL.
25-1tp

Advocate Want Ads Get Results

A MAN

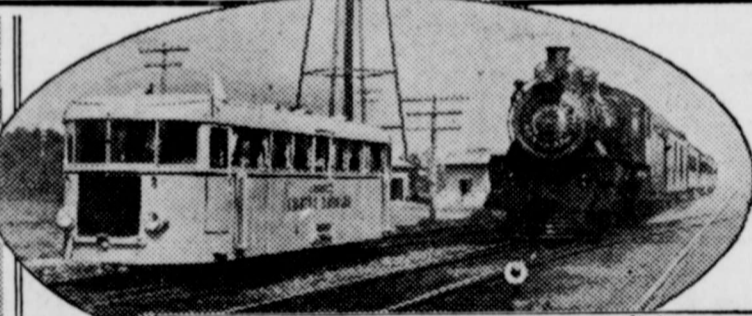
Stranded in a lonely spot with a dead battery might think of all the meanness he's done. This won't do—Try Willards and be safe.

Dr. Loucks Garage
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In The WEEK'S NEWS



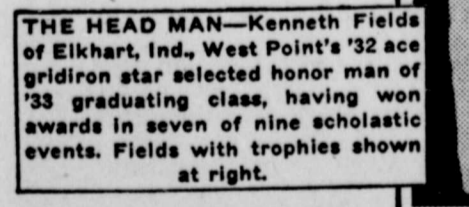
SPEED! Barney Oldfield, automobile speed king, eating one of those popular new World's Fair Sandwiches (made of bacon and mayonnaise) just before hopping to Chicago on one of the new United Air Line planes which make the trip in 5 hours.



TOMORROW'S RAILWAY? Latest in rail transportation, a 42-passenger gasoline-powered car, was tried out this week in Long Island. The rail-car, which is equipped with pneumatic tires and can make 90 miles an hour, is shown running beside crack steam train.



JACK SHOWS HIM HOW—Jack Dempsey, ex-champ and newly-arrived fight promoter, shows Primo Carnera, heavyweight contender, just where a right does the most damage. The Man-Mountain is in training for his championship fight with Jack Sharkey on June 29.



THE HEAD MAN—Kenneth Fields of Elkhart, Ind., West Point's '32 ace gridiron star selected honor man of '33 graduating class, having won awards in seven of nine scholastic events. Fields with trophies shown at right.



CAREERS OR BABIES? BOTH! Helen Twelvetrees, Jobyna Ralston, and Arline Judge (left to right) prove that they can be first-rate actresses and first-rate mothers at the same time. Photo shows Miss Twelvetrees' son, Jack Woody, Jr., Richard Arlen, aged three weeks and Miss Judge's baby, Charles Ruggles, Jr.



FAMILY SECRETS—Over a thousand domestic problems a day are submitted to the Voice of Experience, radio psychologist and problem adviser, for his advice and counsel. Photo shows the anonymous philanthropist's secretary sorting the day's mail for his perusal.

Plants Turning Yellow?

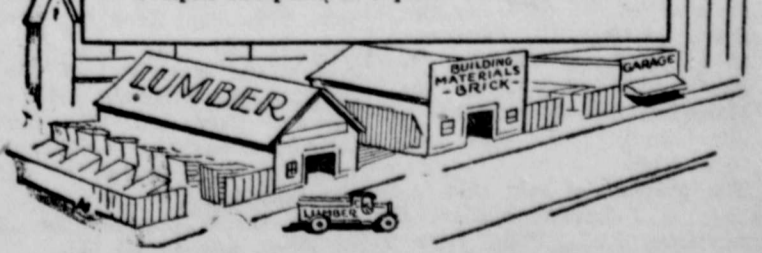
Spray them with SULPHATE OF IRON. We have it. We have the SPRAYERS, too . . . they pay for themselves many times over on farms; around the chicken house; in the garden; among the flowers; spraying as a fly repellent; and numerous other ways.

Artesia Alfalfa Growers Ass'n.



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WE THANK YOU

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, May 31, 1933.

NOTICE is hereby given that Allan L. Mann, of Artesia, New Mexico, who on June 26th, 1928, made Homestead Application No. 035621, for W 1/2 SW 1/4 Section 28 and W 1/2 NW 1/4 Section 35, Township 16-S., Range 26-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 13th day of July, 1933.

Claimant names as witnesses: Boblo R. Cowan, of Artesia, N. M., Arthur P. Rowland, of Artesia, N. M., P. P. Mann, of Artesia, N. M., Hilary Cochran, of Artesia, N. M.

V. B. MAY, Register. 23-5t

CALL FOR BIDS FOR PLUGGING ARTESIAN WELLS.

The Pecos Valley Conservancy District hereby calls for bids for plugging forty (40) abandoned artesian wells within the district.

Anyone desiring to submit a bid may obtain a copy of the specifications for the work, together with a list of the wells to be plugged, from J. H. Mullis, Secretary, Pecos Valley Artesian Conservancy District, Roswell, New Mexico. All bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope addressed to J. H. Mullis, Secretary, before July 1, 1933, and the Board will open and consider all bids made at a meeting of the Board to be held at Roswell at 10:00 o'clock A. M., July 1, 1933.

Proposals containing specifications and list of wells may also be obtained from George Frisch, at Artesia, New Mexico.

The District reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

DATED this the 8th day of June, 1933.

PECOS VALLEY ARTESIAN CONSERVANCY DISTRICT.

By J. H. MULLIS, Secretary. 24-2t

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

JOHN D. McCLURE, Assignee of ELLEN M. NELSON, Plaintiff.

Vs. J. L. POLK, DORA J. POLK, R. W. ELLIOTT, N. T. KELLY, J. L. FLANAGAN, EDDY COUNTY ABSTRACT COMPANY, A Corporation, MRS. THOMAS H. ARMSTRONG and H. W. POWELL, Defendants. No. 5335.

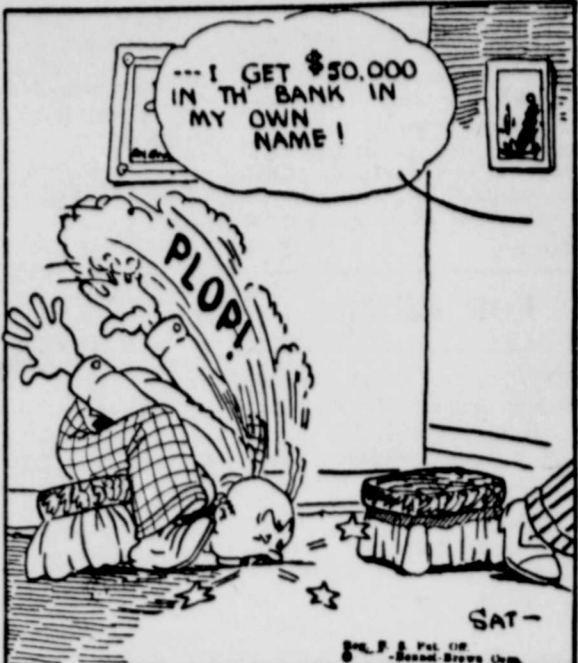
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a decree of foreclosure and order of sale made and entered in the above entitled and mentioned cause on the Civil Docket of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein John D. McClure, Assignee of Ellen M. Nelson is plaintiff and J. L. Polk, Dora J. Polk, R. W. Elliott, N. T. Kelly, J. L. Flanagan, Eddy County Abstract Company, A Corporation, Mrs. Thomas H. Armstrong and H. W. Powell are Defendants, No. 5335 on the Eddy County Civil Docket of said District Court, to which decree and order of sale reference is hereby made for the particulars thereof, I, J. Cavitt Jackson, heretofore appointed Special Master in the above entitled cause, by said District Court, having been ordered to sell the hereinafter described real estate, I shall expose for sale and sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the First National Bank of Artesia, New Mexico on Tuesday the 25th day of July, 1933, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M., all the right, title, and interest, claim and estate of the defendants, J. L. Polk, Dora J. Polk, R. W. Elliott, N. T. Kelly, J. L. Flanagan, Eddy County Abstract Company, a Corporation, Mrs. Thomas H. Armstrong and H. W. Powell, in and to certain real estate, interest in Artesian Well and Ditch Right and premises situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, and more particularly described as follows to-wit:

North 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 14, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., and also a 1/6 interest in and to the water from the Crouch Well situated on the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 15, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., and also an undivided 1/4 interest in and to a ditch right from said well to said land.

The purpose of said sale is to satisfy a Judgment against the defendants, J. L. Polk, Dora J. Polk, R. W. Elliott, N. T. Kelly, J. L. Flanagan upon plaintiffs first count and cause of action in the sum of \$955.14 as principal and interest with interest thereon at the rate of 10% per annum from the 25th day of May, 1933 until paid, and Judgment for the

THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR



INTERNATIONALIST



If there ever were a real internationalist, Ilya Zorn is it. She speaks seven languages; she never lived more than six months consecutively in any one country; she's a licensed aviatrix in the United States, a dramatic stage star in South America, a hunter of wild animals in Africa, a cultured society favorite in London and a successful florist writer in Portugal. She is shown as she arrived on the liner Santa Rosa at Los Angeles, Calif.

EXTENSION SERVICE AIDS MANY FARMERS

The problems of farm people are increased under the present economic conditions and more requests for help are coming to county extension agents than in any previous season. Problems in production are no less important to individual farmers and the problems in adjustment of production and in marketing are greater than ever before.

The primary objects of extension work are to help farm people solve their everyday farm and home problems wisely and to increase their net income or purchasing power thru more efficient production and marketing. These objectives are met thru adjustment of production to demand, the development of rural leaders, the promotion of better homes and the adoption of adequate living standards as well as thru meeting the problems in farm production.

In the words of Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, "The agricultural extension forces, federal, state, and county, are entitled to a tremendous share of the credit for the scientific advances that American agriculture has made in the last 30 days. With marked success, we have attacked farm losses and wastes that were caused by pests, disease, weather, and insufficient producing practices. We must now assail the losses and waste that arise from unbalanced production and consumption of the necessities of life."

Surveys of 10,733 nonselected farms and farm homes, including all farms in given areas in 35 counties of 16 states, show that during the period 1923-29 on four out of every five farms thru-out the country the farmer or the farm home maker has made definite use of extension service information by adopting improved practices. In the areas studied, these surveys indicated that more than 70 per cent of the farm people were in favor of extension work, that 23 per cent were indifferent, and only four per cent were opposed to it.

The extension service has been built up cooperatively by the federal, state and county governments with a large amount of time contributed to its advancement by local farm people. An average of more than a quarter of a million voluntary local leaders participated annually in helping to advance extension project work during each of the last ten years. Nine out of ten business and professional men in rural villages and cities are benefited by anything the county extension agents do to increase the net returns and purchasing power of farmers.

REFINANCE PLAN TO OPEN CLOSED BANKS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Henry Morgenthau, Jr., governor of the farm credit administration recently announced a plan for refinancing approximately \$50,000,000 in farm mortgages held by Wisconsin banks which he said make possible the reopening of closed banks there, early payment of depositors and release of more than \$18,000,000 in public deposits. Morgenthau said he had arranged for selling \$35,000,000 in bonds from the issue of up to \$2,000,000,000 authorized for mortgage refinancing by congress and had worked out a comprehensive plan calling for the scaling down of the face values of mortgages held by banks which will make possible the refinancing of \$50,000,000 of them. Similar plans for other states will be undertaken if found feasible.

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Children get calcium from green vegetables, from milk and from cheese. Vitamin A is found in the same sources and in egg yolk, butter and carrots. Vitamin B is found in whole grain, tomatoes, spinach and raw cabbage. The no-breakfast habit often means an insufficient supply of vitamin B.

THE ATOKA SCHOOL COMPLETED BY WORKERS

Dr. O. E. Pucktt, county health officer and Miss Helen James, county health nurse, concluded the year's work with the Atoka school Friday, with gratifying results, in that in two cases of surgical corrections, the children's parents made a partial coverage of cost, rather of a novel thing with the natives.

A total of twenty-five Schick tests were made for diphtheria, with only one negative, showing that immunization was not perfected in that case, while six out of seven vaccinations for small-pox showed perfect reactions or "takes." There were four tonsil corrections and two dental treatments occurring at this school also.

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LOCALS

Mrs. K. A. Bivens of Lake Arthur underwent a major operation here Saturday.

Wink Hardin, Hope rancher and son, John were attending to business matters here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Kranz of Roswell spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Kranz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Floore.

Earl Bigler took Mrs. Bigler and children returned Sunday from a week spent at the Artesia Sacramento camp last Saturday where they expect to spend several weeks at their cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Linell and children returned Sunday from a week spent at the Artesia Sacramento camp. They occupied the Bartlett cabin while there.

G. R. Brainard returned the latter part of last week from the Ruidoso. Mrs. Brainard remained at their cabin where she expects to spend the next several weeks.

Miss Josephine Payne returned Saturday from Roswell where she had spent several days visiting Miss Mary Frances Destree, who came down with Josephine for a short visit.

W. W. Haines of Ponca City, Oklahoma, engineer of the Continental Oil Co., spent the latter part of the week here on company business and inspecting the refinery properties here.

Malcomb Mitchell of New York, New York and son of William Mitchell, president of the Maljamar Oil and Gas Corp., arrived here the first of the week and will be employed at the Malco refinery for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Story and their grand children, Lewis, Jr., and Wanda spent Sunday in the Sacramento mountains. They cooked their breakfast at Walnut Grove and drove on up into the mountains for their picnic lunch.

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FARM NEWS

The T. N. T. 4-H club of the Lower Cottonwood held a regular meeting at the home of their leader, Mary Jane Terry, on June 16. The second year girls practiced on the hemming patch and the third year girls worked on the laundry bags. Lola Brazil was admitted as a new member, making a total of ten, and Margaret Poterfield was a visitor. The next meeting will be held Friday, June 30th.

H. C. Stewart, extension horticulturist spent Thursday, Friday and Saturday in the county checking previously made pecan skins and various fields. He reports that out of 300 scions 90% have made good growth, some have grown three feet in forty days. He also reported that the cantaloupes were making a good stand. The sugar beet seed plant at the G. R. Howard farm is in good condition and will be harvested in about ten days. The bean crops all seem to be in good condition, but the tomatoes are making a poor stand, many of them wilting and the prospects for a good crop are dim.

W. M. Ginn, extension poultryman spent Friday afternoon in checking the various flocks with County Agent W. A. Wunsch.

W. A. Wunsch, county extension agent, C. P. Pardue, J. R. Ogden, W. D. Bales, O. O. Stewart, L. E. Foster, G. R. Brainard and C. W. Beeman attended a meeting in regard to cotton acreage reduction at State College on Wednesday. A county and community committee meeting will be held in Carlsbad Friday. A campaign will be directed next week at which time it will be necessary for the men to decide whether or not they wish to reduce their cotton acreage according to the plans which are to be offered by the government.

Green beans are an addition to winter menus as they add variety and are nutritious, according to W. A. Wunsch, county extension agent. They can be successfully

YOUNGEST JUDGE



David Elmer Ward, twenty-two years old, is believed to be the youngest judge in the world. He is the magistrate of both the county and juvenile courts at Fort Myers, Fla.

canned at home and shelled ones can be satisfactorily dried. Small lima beans are also delicious when they are canned. Beans are a very important item in the diet, that is if they are used properly and not to the exclusion of other foods. They contain a certain type of protein, vitamins, carbohydrates, and considerable roughage. Therefore, when possible these should be canned or dried and kept for winter use, making it impossible to secure fresh vegetables. Further information may be obtained from W. A. Wunsch, county extension agent.

Canning Green Beans
Green beans are best for canning when very young and tender. Pick over, wash thoroughly, and string. Cut into pieces about 1 1/2 inches long, unless they are very small when they may be canned whole. Add enough boiling water to cover and boil for five minutes in an uncovered vessel. Pack boiling hot into glass jars or plain tin or C-enamel cans. Cover beans with the water in which they are boiled and add one teaspoon of salt to each quart. Process immediately in a pressure cooker at ten pounds pressure for 40 minutes for quart glass jars, 35 minutes for pint glass jars and 30 minutes for No. 2 or No. 3 tin cans.

Canning Lima Beans
Only young and tender lima beans should be canned. The older ones may be dried successfully. For canning, shell young tender ones, discarding any imperfect beans, and wash. Cover with water and bring to boil. Pack boiling hot into glass jars or C-enamel cans. Add one teaspoon of salt to each quart. Fill jars with water in which beans were cooked. Process the hot-packed beans immediately in pressure cooker at ten pounds pressure, using 60 minutes for quart glass jars, 55 minutes for pint glass jars and No. 2 and No. 3 tin cans.

Drying Shelled Beans
Wax beans, lima beans, or mature string beans for drying should be gathered when full grown but before the pods have begun to dry. Shell and cook for three minutes in boiling water with thorough agitation. Dry and spread on trays to a depth of not more than one inch. When they are dried, store. Of course, beans can be dried on the vines though a drier product is secured than if the beans are picked before the pods are dry and prepared according to the above directions.

The drying in the sun of green beans in the pod can hardly be said to be successful.

OIL SUIT

The Humble Oil and Refining Company brought suit to restrain the state tax commission and stop county officials from enforcing a physical property tax on oil companies as well as the ad valorem tax of 50 per cent of the market price of oil in lieu of all others in the U. S. District Court at Santa Fe last week. The state was ordered to show cause why an injunction should not be issued. The severance tax was stopped for the while at least by referendum petition in the secretary of state's office.

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HIGHWAY LINKS U. S. WITH MEXICO CITY

Opens Up Southern Neighbor to Tourist Travel.

Washington.—Mexico is pushing forward its greatest highway project—an improved road linking the United States border at Laredo, Texas, with its capital, Mexico City. The federal highway commission of Mexico states that this 770-mile section, opening up northeastern Mexico to tourist travel and trade, will probably be ready for through traffic in June, 1933.

A bulletin from the National Geographic society describes the chief cities and scenic features along this picturesque route, which will be a part of the proposed 10,000-mile Pan-American highway linking Washington, D. C., with Buenos Aires, Argentina, and other Latin American capitals. "Motorists seeking new roads to conquer will find that this 'farthest south' for a continuous highway journey from the United States is a roadway of spectacular variety," says the bulletin. "The route traverses deserts, mile-high mountains, ranch country, lush tropical jungles, and, in places, runs through deep canons where the highway is a mere scratch on the steep mountainside.

Ties Up With United States.
"From San Antonio, Texas, a paved road southward to the twin border cities of Laredo and Nuevo Laredo ties in the new Mexican highway with the improved road system of the United States. Nuevo Laredo, in the Mexican State of Tamaulipas, and the first city to be reached after crossing the Rio Grande, has developed amazingly in the last two years, since pavement was completed to Monterrey. This 151-mile section compares favorably with the best American highways. One stretch runs 45 miles across the desert without a curve.

Monterrey, the capital of the state of Nuevo Leon, is surrounded by mile-high peaks, the most conspicuous being its famous Saddle mountain (Monte de la Silla).

"An improved gravel road leads from Monterrey over the mountains to the west of Saitillo, capital of Coahuila, a region of ranges where long-horned cattle graze. This eventually will be part of a through route to Mexico City via San Luis Potosi.

"The main highway today, however, strikes south to Ciudad Victoria. This 150-mile section is about a quarter paved and the rest is all-weather gravel. Here the road winds through one of the chief 'cult-raising sections of Mexico.

Paradise for Hunters.
"From this point to the little town of Valles, in the state of San Luis Potosi, the road surface alternates between gravel and graded earth. This region is a paradise for hunters—wild boar, deer, raccoon, quail and turkey being plentiful. Coffee, cotton, rice and vanilla beans are the principal crops.

"In the rugged mountain section between Valles and the village of Jacala, in the state of Hidalgo, construction work has been moving forward slowly since April, 1931. Here the road climbs from the dense tropical jungles and swamps along the Tamuin river, where parrots fly overhead, and gorgeous flowers and banana groves border the highway, to the tableland.

"From Jacala southward an improved highway will carry the route through Pachuca, an important silver mining town, into Mexico City. Rapid progress has been made here in recent months, and what some travelers once characterized as the 'most dangerous road in the world' may soon be a modern boulevard, a monument to engineering skill. Near Pachuca are great basaltic formations sometimes called 'the Giant Causeway of America.'

"From Mexico City modern roads are branching out in all directions. The longest, of all-weather gravel construction, extends over the Old Spanish Trail to Acapulco. Another carries the Pan-American highway southward to the city of Puebla."

Divorces in Reno Now Cheaper Than Year Ago

Reno, Nev.—A decrease of 1,143 in divorce decrees granted in Reno in 1932, as compared to the previous year, is shown in figures compiled by the county clerk here. There were 3,105 decrees granted here last year, as compared with 4,248 granted in 1931.

The decrease is blamed, to a large extent, to the depression. Fees of attorneys also decreased. Persons coming here for divorce sought more moderate and cheaper dwelling places during their six weeks' residences.

Of the 3,105 divorces granted here in 1932, 1,087 went to men and 2,001 to women, while 17 of the cases were annulments.

Odd Accident Is Fatal
Tacoma, Wash.—Just as a speeding automobile rounded a turn on a mountain highway, a rotten, 40-foot snag of a fir tree crashed across the highway in front of the car being driven by Louis J. Larsen. He was killed and a companion, Alex McEachern, fifty-two, suffered critical head injuries.

HOPE ITEMS

Miss Frances Johnson, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. John Rowland visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rowland Sunday in Artesia.

Pat and Browier Riley drove to Santa Fe Sunday where they attended to business. W. S. Medcalf, Edington Gage, and John Klassen went fishing at Lake McMillan Tuesday.

The Rev. Gail W. Schuetz of Selman, Oklahoma spent the weekend in Hope visiting friends.

Hoyt Keller left Monday for Los Angeles, California, where he will visit his brother, Aubrey Keller.

Anna Frances Keller left Friday for Hamlin, Texas where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. Joe McCurry.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Jackson spent Sunday night with Mr. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jackson of Artesia.

Mrs. J. P. Parks visited last week with her daughter, Janet, who is in Lubbock, Texas attending Texas Tech.

Mrs. R. N. Newbill, who has been ill for several months was taken to the St. Francis hospital at Carlsbad Sunday.

Wilhelmina Wilburn left Tuesday for Los Angeles, California where she will visit relatives during the next month.

By Miller left Tuesday for Los Angeles where she plans to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Gordon Bumgardner.

Mrs. Sallie White, who has been in Carlsbad for several months under medical care, returned to her home here Sunday.

Mrs. Irvin Wathen, who has been under medical treatment in Artesia the past week, returned to her home here Sunday.

Seventy-five friends of Mrs. Charles Cole surprised her with a birthday lunch which they spread at her home Sunday at noon.

Wert E. Love, Jr., of Marfa, Texas passed thru Hope en route

to Cloudfcroft Sunday. While here he visited the Mellard family.

Alice Ruth and Margaret Williams left Sunday for Berkeley, California, where they will attend Berkeley University this summer.

Mrs. Finn Watson and son, John Marvin, of Gallup, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Prude, left Friday for Albuquerque where Mr. Watson has recently been employed with the J. C. Penney Co.

Allen Johnson left Saturday for Anson, Texas where he will visit a few days. Mrs. Johnson and their daughter, Mary Grace, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rowland, will return here this week.

The Church of Christ meeting was opened Sunday morning by The Rev. P. S. Young of Gerard, Texas. It will continue thruout the next two weeks. Mr. Young will visit his brother, T. E. Young and family while here.

Manford and Arthur Alcorn and their sister, Anna arrived Monday from Pasadena, California to visit during the next two weeks with

their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Alcorn. Miss Alcorn whose home is at Hope, has been attending school at Pasadena Junior College.

UYLESS SAWYER MOVES HERD TO EAST YOAKUM CO.

Last week Uyless Sawyer of Crossroads moved 500 head of cattle from his ranch to the E. A. Graham ranch just over the Terry county line in Yoakum. Several days were spent on the road, and we understand that five hands handled the cattle, including Mrs. Sawyer, who drove the chuck wagon and did the cooking for the crew.

The movement of a herd that size these days across country attracts attention, but the same thing would hardly have caused a ripple 20 or 25 years ago.—Brownfield, Texas Herald.

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INCREASE IN SHELL RUNS RESPONSIBLE FOR HOBBS OIL BOOST

Recent price increases of crude oil have not been sufficient to cause any new development to start. Activity during the past week has been more or less routine with the addition of two Lea county wells to the production column. Another test on the Wells No. 1 of the Continental Oil Co., NW sec. 12-25-36, in the Jal area has boosted the production to 1,200 barrels daily. This well was drilled to 3,408 feet and on a previous test made 1,000 barrels. A proration gauge has also been given the Hardin No. 3 of the Amerada Petroleum Corp., in the SW sec. 18-18-38 of the Hobbs district. The Hardin gauged 25 barrels of oil per hour with 800,000 feet of gas.

One well in Eddy county has been abandoned as dry, the Brainard No. 4 of R. D. Compton in the SE SE sec. 5-18-27, which was drilled to 2,500 feet. A small flow of gas has been reported in the Root No. 2 of Cecil Lockhart et al., center SE SW sec. 7-17-30, at 1248-50 feet.

The increase of 4,000 barrels daily in Shell Petroleum Corporation's purchases in the Hobbs pool of Lea county, resulted in a general revision of the allowable schedule for the last half of June, placing the top figure at 33,502 barrels daily.

Shell Pipe Line Co., is now running 18,000 barrels daily; Humble Oil and Refining Company, 9,630 barrels; Atlantic Pipe Line Company, 4,500 barrels, and The Texas Company, 1,374 barrels daily.

Allowable for the Hobbs pool is based 25 per cent on acreage and 75 per cent on potential. There are 179 units, containing 197 wells, and the rated potential of the pool is 1,301,545 barrels daily. The allowable for a 40-acre unit is 47 barrels plus potential rating.

Under the new schedule Stanolind Oil and Gas Co., which has 49 wells on 47 units, rates the highest allowable. The company is permitted to produce 5,790 barrels daily.

Shell Petroleum Corporation's allowable of 4,150 barrels daily is the second highest and Humble Oil and Refining Co., ranks third with an outlet set at 3,673 barrels daily.

POLICE COURT

J. B. (Shorty) Cooper, a rancher living west of town was arrested Tuesday by officers Carl Gordon and Roy Vermillion and charged with horse stealing. It is alleged that two work mares belonging to T. F. Wilson, living in the oil field were found in the Cooper pasture. Cooper was released on his own recognizance and ordered to appear in the local justice court for an examining trial on the 26th.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

OIL MEN AGREE TO FEDERAL REGULATION

CHICAGO, Illinois—Producers agreed Saturday to put the oil wells of the United States under the president's supervision, to sell their products at prices he establishes and to produce as he orders.

A code binding them to this agreement was adopted in an eight hour meeting of representatives of independents and "major companies" which bring up 90 per cent of the nation's oil.

Under the new system, set up to meet the requirements of the national industrial recovery act, maximum and minimum prices are fixed for each district by the president.

The operators bound themselves also to work their wells on hours for labor and at minimum rates of pay set by the president.

Opposition to the price fixing sections was roared down after they had been defended by executives of some of the country's largest companies.

Amos L. Beatty, a director of the American Petroleum Institute told the oil men price fixing should be accomplished as soon "as possible." L. P. St. Clair, president of the Union Oil of California, championed price control by pointing out that "the utilities have their prices fixed now, and that's the only industry that has made money during the depression."

Independent leaders backed the measure with spirited argument.

SUPPORT OF DOLLAR—

(Continued from first page) ed definite results. Moley, who bore last minute instructions received from the president in a dramatic meeting off Massachusetts, said in a statement: "I feel that the two weeks of preliminaries at the conference have been useful in the direction of exploring the possibilities of action, and the delegation is ready to pursue vigorously the plans which they developed in the weeks before they sailed. America may look forward to definite results from their efforts."

SIX NATIONS OK SILVER

LONDON—Senator Key Pittman's monetary resolution, the main purpose of which is the rehabilitation of silver, and the dominant issue before the world economic conference Tuesday, received such support that both Secretary of State Cordell Hull and the senator later declared they were very much encouraged.

Six countries—Germany, Italy, India, China, Mexico and the Irish Free State—tendered full adherence to the Pittman resolution, while numerous others, including Britain, Brazil, Czechoslovakia, Portugal and Uruguay agreed on the board principles.

In connection with the discussion of this important resolution, the American representatives made two vital points definitely clear:

That the resolution not only has the approval of the American delegation but "meets with the approval of the president of the United States."

Adding Machines For Sale or Rent—The Advocate.

NEW PLAN TO AID THE COTTON GROWER ANNOUNCED LATELY

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Secretary Wallace Monday called for the destruction of ten million acres of growing cotton in an experiment to curb production and reduce the potential surplus of the south's big money crop.

The secretary announced that maximum processing taxes—about 4.1 cents a pound on the basis of present price relationships would be levied beginning August 1, to finance the program under which growers will be asked to plow up part of their crop in return for rental benefits payments and the right to obtain options on government-owned cotton.

A campaign will be started in the south next Monday. Growers will be asked to sign contracts to rent cotton lands at from \$6 an acre up, depending upon the average past yields and estimated production of the land this year.

The farmer either can offer to take an outright cash payment for plowing up portions of his crop or take a smaller rental and obtain in addition an option on about 2,400,000 bales in an amount equal to the estimated output of the land he retires from production.

These options will be offered him at six cents a pound or nearly three cents below the current market price. He may order these options exercised at any time up to next January, his profit being the difference between the six cents and the price cotton is selling for at the time he sells.

Unless Wallace is certain that he can take a large amount of cotton out of a production, equivalent at least 2,000,000 bales production, he is not prepared to proceed further with the plan.

However he was confident of the success of the campaign and his associates said there was virtually no doubt but that the plan would be employed and that about \$100,000,000 would be distributed in rentals to growers in the next few months.

Tax On Wheat A thirty cents a bushel tax on wheat will be levied on wheat processors beginning soon after July 1, to pay farmers \$150,000,000 for agreements to reduce acreage.

Secretary Wallace announced Friday that the tax would be assessed, disclosed that he planned to distribute the money to farmers under the domestic allotment plan this year for agreements to reduce acreage during the next two years.

He estimated that the tax would be 30 cents on the basis of the formula prescribed in the farm marketing act.

Mayor Joe Clayton returned yesterday from Mineral Wells, Texas where he spent several days taking baths at the famous resort. Russell Floore, who had visited at the home of an uncle in Ft. Worth, Texas for several days accompanied Mr. Clayton home.

PRESIDENT SIGNS IMPORTANT BILLS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President Roosevelt took command over the nation's industry Friday as he signed the powerful industrial supervision bill.

He also made law the Glass-Steagall bank reform deposit insurance measure, devoting the main part of his time through the day to the formal approval of several vast measures enacted in the closing days of the extra session.

As keystone of the Roosevelt recovery program, the industrial bill—which also provides the \$3,300,000,000 public works plan—was signed just before noon at a brief ceremony attended by the leaders of congress who guided the measure to enactment.

Soon afterward he signed the railroad reorganization measure designed to place the nation's rail lines in better order.

First to be signed was the Glass-Steagall measure, drastically revising the banking system, and curbing use of federal reserve funds in speculation.

Minutes after the bank bill signing, the president received another group and put his name to the industrial measure and subsequently to the railroad legislation.

The latter provides for a federal coordinator to guide the carriers through a reorganization aimed at putting them on a paying basis.

Other measures signed were: The \$3,600,000,000 appropriation bill, half the amount to go for public building and naval construction;

The independent offices \$650,000,000 appropriation bill, carrying the administration compromise on payments to veterans;

The gasoline tax, postage reduction and electric power tax; and the bill consolidating farm credit agencies.

NEW POTASH CONCERN

Work will be started on a shaft for the New Mexico Potash Co., in about a month or six weeks, according to Col. George W. Montgomery, president of the company.

A test hole was completed on the company's holdings, two and one half miles south of the shaft of the U. S. Potash Co., last week.

Work will be started immediately on another test which will be drilled north of the hole just completed.

The company plans to put up a refinery, Colonel Montgomery said, following the completion of the shaft, the sinking of which will take from six to eight months.

Colonel Montgomery said that the company has pretty well lined up a market for their product—Carlsbad Morning Sun.

Mrs. H. G. Rowley was in Portales Saturday to attend the wedding of her daughter, Miss Helen Rowley. She returned to her home here Sunday.

Light reflectors for your car to meet recent state requirements. See Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association. 25-1t-3i

Romance of Official Washington



Assistant Secretary of War Harry Woodring and Miss Helen Coolidge, daughter of Senator Marcus A. Coolidge of Massachusetts, who are to be married on July 25 at the Coolidge home in Fitchburg, Mass.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Dixon and little Mary were Roswell visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. C. M. Cole who is still confined to her bed after a two weeks' illness is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Rowan expect their daughter, Miss Aline Rowan, from Los Angeles, Saturday or Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Angell of Lakewood have moved to Artesia temporarily while Mr. Angell is under medical care. Mr. Angell was painfully hurt last week in a fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson and small twin daughters are here this week from their home at Pampa, Texas visiting her mother, Mrs. John Vogel and other relatives.

Mrs. Bert Muncy and family enjoyed a visit from her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Chatten and her mother, Mrs. J. L. Chatten who came down from their ranch home north of Roswell last Tuesday.

Richard Wheatley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley arrived from Los Angeles Sunday night. He drove through making the trip alone. Richard attended college at the Occidental in Los Angeles and expects to return there again next fall.

Mrs. George Dungan who has been a patient at the Scott-White hospital at Temple, Texas for several weeks underwent a major operation last Thursday. She is reported to be recovering very rapidly and is expected home the latter part of this week.

John Dunn accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Preston Dunn and Mrs. Post of Roswell and two other occupants from Hope, left Tuesday for Los Angeles, California, going for Mrs. Dunn and the children. His mother will have a short visit with her husband's sister and family while there.

Mrs. Clyde Guy accompanied by Misses Margaret and Alice Ruth Williams and Hoyt Keller of Hope left Monday for California. Mrs. Guy will visit relatives near Los Angeles. The Misses Williams will enter the University of California at Berkeley and Mr. Keller will visit with his brother at Ventura.

Mrs. Finn Watson and small son left Saturday for Albuquerque after a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Prude and other relatives. Mr. Watson who has been with the J. C. Penny Co., of Gallup has been transferred to Albuquerque and will have charge of the shoe department in their store there.

H. L. Muncy, Nevil Muncy and Mrs. George Williams arrived Sunday morning from Los Angeles where they had been called to the bedside of Mrs. H. L. Muncy who was critically ill in a hospital there. She has been removed to the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Beckett and is very much improved. Mr. Muncy's grandson, Vernon Brookshire and granddaughter, Geraldine Beckett made the return trip with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Green had as their guests last week his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Broadway, his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Green, all of Jonesboro, Arkansas and his brother and sister of Roswell, Mrs. Bow Rowe and Roy Green. Over the week-end the entire party visited the Ruidoso, El Paso and Jaurez. Tuesday the men visited the Carlsbad Caverns before their departure for their homes Wednesday morning.

WHY LET the dentist keep your gold teeth? Send them to me. I buy gold teeth and old jewelry. Chas. L. Carroll, Box 93, Roswell, N. M. 25-1tp

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DOG POISONERS AT WORK

Dog poisoners are at work over town according to late reports. Glenn Sharp lost a dog the first of the week thru eating poison and a dog of O. R. Gable was poisoned, but responded to treatment of a veterinarian and was saved. One story is being circulated to the effect that poison has been spread over town by placing strychnine in sausage and rolling the sausage in balls to be thrown upon the lawns of the various homes where the poisoners want to kill dogs.

It is hard to conceive of a human being sinking so low as to circulate poison over town for the purpose of wantonly killing innocent dogs, but this sometimes happens. Such act should be punished by imprisonment in the state pen.

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MARKETS

N. Y. COTTON

(Furnished by courtesy of Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association.)

	(July Option)	Open	Close
June 15	-----	9.23	8.85
June 16	-----	8.98	9.13
June 17	-----	8.98	8.96
June 19	-----	9.10	9.25
June 20	-----	9.28	9.12
June 21	-----	9.16	9.27
June 22	-----	9.31	

Secretary Wallace finally announced his intention to give cotton growers opportunity to reduce voluntarily their cotton acreage up to ten million acres and pay for such reduction with funds made available by a tax on processors, (spinners particularly). The price level sought is 12.50 approximately for middling 1/8" landed. If the prices moves up to twelve-fifty then there would be no processing tax. What it lacks is to be made up by the tax. It is presumed that processors would rather see the market advance to the price sought and pay directly to the farmer than to be taxed by the government but in this case appropriations already made would not be sufficient to rent out of production sufficient acreage to actually justify such a price. We fail to see much if any difference in the plan than the Farm Board's silly suggestion to plow up every third row.

Here we witness the government thru various agencies and departments loaning farmers money to grow cotton in March, April and May, and then paying these same farmers money to destroy it in June, July and August. Fifty millions of Americans needing more clothes and all the rest of the world in the same proportion. We do not believe that destruction of useful property is good economics and in the long run cannot result in any lasting benefit.

Joseph down in Egypt three thousand years ago had a wiser plan by far. Dame nature is taking care of the situation in wheat thus beating the secretary's plan and such a thing could yet happen to cotton. Seemingly at the moment the bearishness of the processing tax has been off-set by the possibility of acreage reduction and left the market on dead center.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY—Close: Cattle 3,500; calves 500; fed steers, light yearlings, fed heifers and beef cows steady to strong; choice 1-330 lb steers 6.25; 1,512 lb 5.75; bulk steers and yearlings 4.75-5.75; several loads common Texas grass steers 3.65-4.00; fed heifers and mixed yearlings 4.75-5.25; beef cows 2.50-3.25. Bulls fully steady; medium grades 2.60-2.75; vealers steady to 50c higher; bulk 5.00 down. Stockers and feeders scarce, weak.

Hogs, 6,000; including 700 direct; slow, 5-10 lower; top 4.50 on choice 200-230 lbs; better grade 140-180 lbs 3.50-4.35; sows steady at 3.40-3.85; stock pigs 10-15c lower, 3.25-down.

Sheep 6,000; top natives 7.50; bulk 7.25-7.50; Arizonas 7.10-7.25; yearlings strong to 15c higher; best offers 5.50; others 5.40; sheep steady, Texas wethers 2.75.

THREE STATES VOTE WET

Hitherto dry-voting Iowa early Tuesday joined Connecticut and New Hampshire in pouring out an avalanche of ballots in favor of crossing the eighteenth amendment from the constitution—making it fourteen states in a row.

Eyed anxiously by prohibitionists and anti-prohibitionists alike at the outset of Tuesday's voting the Hawkeye state upset a recorded sentiment of two decades by rolling up a substantial total of 364,473 to 239,858 for repeal with only a few precincts to be heard from.

Connecticut voted against prohibition by a 6-1 total of 236,942 to 35,349. Its convention, set for July 11, will seat 50 repeal delegates unopposed.

New Hampshire recorded itself in favor of ratifying the amendment to repeal the eighteenth amendment by more than 2 to 1 majority. The almost complete vote in the Granite state was 75,969 for repeal to 30,337 against.

States to vote within coming months and the dates, include: California and West Virginia, June 27; Alabama and Arkansas, July 18; Tennessee, July 20; Oregon, July 21; Texas, August 26; Washington, August 29; Vermont, September 5; Maine, September 11; Maryland and Minnesota, September 12; Idaho and New Mexico, September 19; Arizona, October 3; North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania and South Carolina, November 7.

TYPEWRITERS

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We have them

3 In. in diameter ----- 35c

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Complete Vulcanizing Service Washing—Greasing



Men's SPORTS SHOES

MAN . . . There's snap to these two-tones! Perforated or stitched uppers that will take your eye instantly. Just to lift and feel their light, flexible leathers is to be "won over."

Friendly Fives ----- \$5.00

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THAT TELLS A CONVINCING STORY

That's the one way an outsider may judge your business . . . through your letter head.

Printing that tells a convincing story with its quality workmanship, is the kind that's done at—

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Romance of Official Washington

Assistant Secretary of War Harry Woodring and Miss Helen Coolidge, daughter of Senator Marcus A. Coolidge of Massachusetts, who are to be married on July 25 at the Coolidge home in Fitchburg, Mass.

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