

# Artesia Advocate

## First National Bank To Open Tomorrow

### License To Open Bank Is Received Yesterday

**Will Be Open 100 Percent—Officials Expect Big Increase In Deposits On First Day And Gradual Increase Thereafter.**

The First National Bank will be opened 100 per cent Friday morning. Announcement from the treasury department that the First National would be permitted to resume normal business was the most far reaching piece of news spread over this section in the past five months. Yesterday the license to reopen together with other necessary papers were received from Washington by airmail. A telegram announcing that the bank had been licensed to open Friday was sent out Tuesday afternoon by the Dallas federal reserve bank.

In permitting the bank to open Friday the department has waived the provision that provides the holiday accounts must be advertised fifteen days previous to the resumption of normal banking activities. A statement from the depositors committee is published elsewhere in this issue. This statement made at the close of business July 25th, the most convenient date for publication shows that the First National is in a strong financial position. The cash position of the bank under the present set up is approximately eighty per cent or better. Officials of the bank anticipate a big increase in deposits on the opening day. While the deposits may vary from day to day, they are expected to make a slight, but steady gain with a more substantial gain in prospect as soon as crops start moving.

R. A. Shugart expert accountant who with Steve Lanning and T. H. Flint prepared a statement of the depositors committee, published in this issue, said the statement was self explanatory. Except to say that he felt the bank was in a stable condition and that the bank could be placed in a still better condition with the co-operation of the depositors and customers, Mr. Shugart refused to make an elaborate statement.

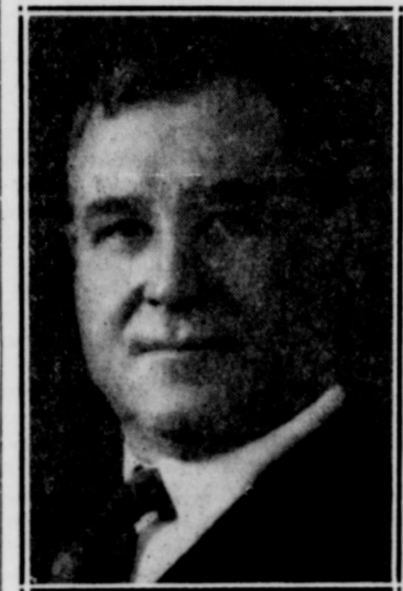
T. H. Flint, who purchased \$40,000 of the \$50,000 preferred stock issued and who is expected to head the bank after normal operations are resumed, yesterday issued the following statement: "I want to thank every one who in any way (Continued on last page, column 1)

### Severance Tax Case Up Today

The crude petroleum severance tax is attacked in a case to be heard today by Judge M. A. Otero, Jr., in district court at Santa Fe. The suit is to restrain the state tax commission from enforcing the law.

The law is suspended because of a referendum petition filed with the secretary of state against it. The validity of this and other referendum petitions has been questioned on two major grounds. One is that attaching an "emergency clause" to a bill does not mean a real emergency exists, and such attachment only serves to prevent a referendum on one bill. That question now is before the state supreme court in the delinquent tax collection and sale law.

In the case to be heard the second question may be raised. It is that any act providing money for public schools is not subject to referendum. Part of the revenue from the severance tax goes to support the schools and the second question is whether this lifts the law from the attack of referendum.



T. H. Flint, major preferred stock holder, who is expected to head The First National Bank.

### TWO PLANS MADE FOR DISTRIBUTION OF THE TEXT BOOKS

SANTA FE—Two plans have been decided upon by the state board of education for distributing school books, Raymond Huff, acting president of the board, said yesterday. One is for free texts and the other for all other texts adopted for the next year. Oscar Moore of Raton, formerly county school superintendent of Colfax county, has been appointed director of distribution of the free texts.

Publishers of the free texts agreed to ship them directly to each of the 31 county seats to be distributed by the county school superintendents to the city and rural schools.

The plan that has been in force for the last six years will continue for other texts that have to be purchased by the children.

A depository is to be selected by the publishers. For the last six years the Chas. H. Field Co., at Albuquerque has been designated and Huff said, the state board was assured there would be no increase in handling costs or distribution charges next year.

### BASS SHIPMENT

Over 24,000 fingerling bass have been sent from the federal hatchery at Dexter for planting in the Mesilla valley drains during the past 30 days. A total of 30,000 will be planted before the season is over.

### ATWOOD NAMED

J. D. Atwood of Roswell was named by President Roosevelt yesterday as one of 145 in the country to aid in formulating public works programs worthy of quick approval for employment. Two other New Mexicans were also named: Henry G. Coors of Albuquerque and Felipe Sanchez Y. Baca of Tucumcari.

### MELONS ON MARKET

The first of the water melon and cantaloupe crop has been placed on the market here. The cantaloupe crop, usually ripens a few days before the water melons and when on the market last week. Home grown water melons were sold here the first of the week.

The melon crop was planted largely to supply the local demand. Several hundred acres of cantaloupes were planted on the Carlsbad project to market thru an association and the crop will start moving to market about the first of the month.

### SANTA FE SEEKS TO EXTEND RAIL LINE TO THE POTASH MINE

The Santa Fe railroad Friday asked the interstate commerce commission for permission to build a twenty mile branch line to the mine site of the Potash Company of America, east of the Avalon dam and northeast of Carlsbad. A press dispatch from Washington did not state the time construction on the line would start.

### WEAVER RETURNED TO TEXAS TO FACE TWO SERIOUS CHARGES

**Texas Officers Here To Take Weaver Back To Face Charges Of Hijacking And Kidnaping—Captured Saturday.**

The sheriff at Clarendon, Texas and the Borger chief of police were here yesterday to return Claud Weaver of Batesville, Arkansas, charged with kidnaping, hijacking and theft. Weaver was captured in the San Andre mountains near Hot Springs Saturday afternoon by Roy Vermillion deputy sheriff, after Weaver left the car here he was alleged to have taken from the postmaster at Borger, Texas.

It is alleged that Weaver who caught a ride with the Borger, Texas postmaster, held a gun in the ribs of the postmaster for more than three hours as the two were en route from Clarendon to Amarillo and later took the car from the Borger postmaster, threatening to kill the car owner if he told of the deed.

Weaver confessed everything here yesterday it was said. When captured Weaver had caught a truck into the mountains after leaving the stolen car here.

### NEW SORT OF NEW DEAL

The State Oil Service east of the railroad tracks on East Main street has recently installed a power car washer, which uses soft warm water in the process of washing cars. It is said that a car wash under this process is practically equal to a wash and polishing job under the old method. The State Oil Service is also equipped to clean the dirt and grease from the engine and running gear of your car and has added a check chart system for specialized lubrication.

### SCATTERING RAINS BRING RELIEF FROM HEAT PAST WEEK

Moisture which fell here Sunday and Sunday night broke another uncomfortable heat wave which prevailed over this section for a week previous. A sprinkle Sunday afternoon was followed by a rain Sunday evening which amounted to .27 inches, according to measurements at the government station. The rainfall was lighter in the surrounding rural districts, but more fell in the oil field to the east and in spots between here and Lovington. A light rain was also reported in the Hope community.

Scattering showers continue to fall over eastern New Mexico. Last night a light rain fell between Artesia and Hope and in portions of the oil fields to the east. A heavy rain fell in the Weed section and to the west over the week-end, according to reports. The moisture has brought relief from the heat. The high temperature for the week has ranged under 100 with the low around 60 degrees.

Two stands outside the city limits, purported to be selling 3.2 beer have been given orders by officers to cease selling beer, it was reported last week. It was said a visit was made last week by Roy Vermillion, nightwatchman and deputy sheriff, to each place and orders were given to close up. Two places, both located outside of the city limits had been operated for a week or ten days. It is alleged that most of the brew dispensed over the counter at both places was "home brew" and not 3.2 beer.

### Proceed Ahead With Confidence

Standing on the threshold of what we believe to be the dawning of a time approaching prosperity, we pause to pay tribute to the exemplary spirit displayed by civic conscious citizens in a four and a half months' effort to free the liquid assets of the community. The courage and confidence displayed by the public during the interim will stand out as one of the most praiseworthy accomplishments of the community in its history.

We feel and we believe the community realizes that it owes a debt of gratitude to T. H. Flint, who voluntarily supplied cash for a major part of the preferred stock issue and who in addition has directed his time and energy and spent his own money with one thought in mind—to re-open the bank and release the community credit. We also believe the community owes much to Hollis Watson, conservator who has represented the government and who has worked unceasingly with one thought in mind, to open the bank. The public also appreciates the efforts of the depositors and the directors in bringing to pass the final success of the various plans submitted—While some who could have helped did not do so, still there never was a community enterprise of any sort launched yet that received 100 per cent wholehearted support.

We do ask the public to stand by those who have materially aided in the release of our credit, thus paving the way for the return of better times. The public is prone to forget troubles of the past, once prosperity returns, but a duty may perform is to make a mental note of the good deeds done by those who made prosperity possible for you.

Faith has been responsible for the progress toward recovery. Let's keep faith with The First National Bank by giving it our unselfish co-operation.

### WELL PLUGGING MAY START IN NORTH END WATER BASIN SOON

George Frisch, board member of the Pecos Valley Artesia Water Conservation district Tuesday said, work of plugging the leaky and abandoned artesian wells is expected to start soon. The board recently entered into a tentative contract with the Haliburton Oil Well Cementing Co., to work 100 days in plugging wells designated by the board. The work will be done by the day and if the experiment is a successful one, plugging operations will likely be extended. Work is to commence as soon as a contract is drawn by the Haliburton Company and approved by the board. Operations are likely to start in the north end of the basin, Mr. Frisch said.

### SACRAMENTO CAMP SITE IS ACTIVE SCENE

The Artesia Sacramento Camp site, is one of the busy spots of the Sacramento mountain section, as well as a popular vacation place for local people. Renewed interest is evidenced in the camp site as good roads have revealed the vacation possibilities of the place. Rent cabins have found an unusual demand this season as folks have sought relief from the heat of the lower regions.

J. K. Wallingford has practically completed a five room cabin in the camp site east of El Grande, the L. P. Evans cabin. Dr. Chester Russell has recently purchased 150 shares in the organization and contemplates the erection of a small cabin. Dr. C. L. Womack also contemplates the purchase of a building site and will build a large cabin in the near future. This building activity contemplated by local people is in addition to several inquiries received from Texas people and to minor improvements made on the cabins built several years ago.

### POTASH ROAD COMPLETED

Work on the highway to the mine of the Potash Company of America, thirty-two miles southeast of here has been completed. Most of the new road from the intersection of highway 83 to the mine site has been finished in good shape, but the dirt has been too soft for fast travel. A heavy rain which fell over the greater portion of the road Tuesday will pack the surface so that travel can be resumed over the road with comfort.

### THE OFFICERS ORDER TWO LOCAL JOINTS CEASE SELLING BEER

Many visitors were present from out of the county, including John F. Taylor, of Clovis, president of the Plateau Singers. All former county officers were re-elected with the addition of an advisory board composed of four. The personnel of the county organization is: C. W. Bynum, Carlsbad, president; Oliver Allen, Hope, vice-president and Mrs. Seale of Lovington, secretary. The advisory board includes A. D. Hill, I. P. Johnson of the Cottonwood, Ed Watson of Artesia and E. A. Traylor of Hope. The next meeting of the convention will be held at Lovington, the fourth Sunday in January.

### COTTON GROWERS MAY PROCEED TO DESTROY ACREAGE

**Rules Only Necessary To Inspect Crop Where The Sum of \$1,500 Involved—Proceeding To Plow Up Other Plats.**

M. W. Evans, member of the county committee on the federal retirement plan said cotton growers who had signed to retire a per cent of their crop should proceed to destroy the cotton without a written order. Some confusion exists as to whether farmers should wait for a written order, but according to Mr. Evans, 80% of the Eddy county farmers Tuesday had started to plow up the cotton and 40% had finished the job.

The next step in the process is the measurement of the cotton ground cleaned by the committee and the issuance of an option certificate.

A number of Chaves county farmers have also been busy plowing up cotton the past week, it was learned here Tuesday.

W. A. Wunsch, county extension agronomist; and L. H. Hauter, extension economist and assistant director from the State College, G. R. Howard and L. E. Foster have made a special investigation of the larger acre of cotton where more than \$1,500 is involved. They made the inspections in the Carlsbad area on Monday and Tuesday and were expected to complete the Artesia inspections yesterday. The final application blanks have not as yet been received in the county agent's office, but they are expected to arrive today. All people whose cotton does not involve a sum of \$1,500 are advised to plow up the acreage they turned in and notify their field man so the final inspection can be made.

### BIG CROWD ENJOYS ALL DAY SINGING ON COTTONWOOD SUN.

The Eddy county Plateau Singing Convention, a division of the Plateau Singing Convention held a very successful all day meeting at the Upper Cottonwood school house Sunday. The school auditorium was too small to accommodate the large crowd in attendance. The day was spent in singing sacred songs with a number of solos, duets and quartettes.

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### IOWA OFFICERS IN SEARCH FOR BARROW J. JOHNS KIDNAPER

Clyde Barrow, the gunman who last summer kidnapped Treasurer Joe Johns of Eddy county, is being hunted in western Iowa by hundreds of officers and citizens much like the small army of men which last summer sought him near Carlsbad.

Barrows is wanted for four murders, bank robbery and other crimes in the southwest.

Marvin "Buck" Barrow, brother of Clyde, was believed near death after being seriously wounded in a gun battle near Dexter, Iowa, with officers.

The chase began after a waiter in a restaurant reported that Barrow was taking five meals from the restaurant three times daily. A farmer had also found blood stains and reported to officers.

The bandits had two machine guns, 34 automatic pistols and five revolvers. The battle was staged in a wooded hideout of the gang. Clyde Barrow and two others, believed to be Jack Sherman and a woman, both thought to be badly wounded, fled, leaving Marvin Barrow behind.

### WALLACE INMATE EDDY JAIL

Frank A. Wallace, the bandit who fired the shot which killed Deputy Sheriff B. F. Leonard of Chaves county in a gun battle in the southeast part of Roswell on July 16th, was an inmate of the Eddy county jail for a 5 months' term in late 1931 and early 1932, it was revealed by Sheriff Walter McDonald.

Wallace began his sentence, on a federal conviction on a liquor violation case, October 3, 1931, and was released March 22, 1932. He was 28 years old when confined in the county jail at Carlsbad.

### STATE BAND

New Mexico's all-state band, which began a tour of the state this week, will give a concert and dance in Clovis on the night of July 27, Coe Howard, sponsor of the band and the New Mexico special train for the World's Fair said at Clovis last week. The band will complete its tour at Clovis and will join the state train at Clovis on the night of July 29 for the trip to the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Hamilton returned yesterday from a visit to Mesa Verde National Park, Colorado and points in northern New Mexico.

### 151,601 CHILDREN ARE OF SCHOOL AGE IN STATE NEW MEXICO

The New Mexico school census for this year was announced by George I. Sanchez as being 151,601 as against 144,990 last year. This census is used as the basis for the distribution of the common school fund. The per capita distribution this year will be \$6.26 as against \$6.448 last year. The fund has in it \$949,023 which is more than it previously held, but the larger enrollment reduces the per capita amount.

### New Hobbs Well Near Record On Production

**The Shell McKinley Tests 22,940 Barrels On An Open Flow—Three Locations Staked In Eddy And Lea Counties.**

One big completion and three locations sum up the past week's development in the southeastern oil sector for one of the most active periods experienced in several weeks. The locations staked include one well for Eddy county and two for Lea county. These locations being Stovall and Marshall, Mock No. 1, 660 feet from the south east line sec. 29-24-27; the Continental Oil Co., Sholes B-13, No. 2, 660 feet from the north and west lines sec. 13-25-36. The Shell Oil Corporation, Grimes No. 3, 1325 feet from the south and west lines sec. 28-18-38.

A big producer which nears the record production mark for the Hobbs field has been completed in the Shell Oil Corporation, McKinley No. 4-B, in the SW sec. 28-18-38, which was drilled to a total depth of 4,234 feet. On a proration gauge flowing open the McKinley made 22,940 barrels of oil and the gas flow gauged 16,000,000.

Activity in the other sectors of Eddy and Lea counties has been more or less routine. In the Rocky Arroyo area, the McClelland No. 1 of the New Mexico Oil Syndicate NE sec. 22-22-23, is drilling below 3,300 feet. C. Lockhart et al., center SW SW section 7-17-30, is reported shut down at 2,600 feet. The Burch No. 2 of the Grayburg Oil Co., sec 19-17-30, is drilling below 380 feet. The F. W. & Y., State No 66, section 30-18-28, is drilling below 600 feet. Van Welch, Jr., State No. 1, sec 22-17-28, is spudding below 150 feet. Cranfill and Reynolds, State No. 1-B, sec. 2-21-33, in the Jal area is drilling at 1,755 feet Texas Co., Lynch 3-A., sec. 34-20-34, preparing for an acid treatment.

### C. OF C. MOVES OFFICE

The Artesia Chamber of Commerce has moved its office from near the south entrance of the Artesia hotel to the office room at the west entrance. The office exchange was made with R. D. Compton, who moved in the old quarters of the Chamber of Commerce.

### Road Program Gets Approval

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The bureau of public roads yesterday approved New Mexico's road building program.

Individual projects, however, still must be passed upon by the district office of the bureau.

The bureau has stipulated that labor on federal aid projects must be selected from the United States employment lists. It also stipulates that labor must come from the county in which the project is located.

The program was submitted by the state for work to be done under the industrial recovery act, and allotments were made to the state from the \$400,000,000 road fund on the basis of population and mileage.

### HUNSUCKER BURIED PAUPER

A pauper's burial brought an end to the career of Glenn Hunsucker, alleged Texas bank robber wanted for murder, who was slain in a gun fight July 16 with Lincoln county officers. Hunsucker was buried by the county at Carrizozo last week after relatives failed to claim the body.



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## TO RE-EMPLOY THE JOBLESS

The most far reaching step in the new deal is about to be launched—that of finding jobs for the millions of unemployed. To date the plan of President Roosevelt has been one major undertaking after another, but the idea of providing jobs for millions is the most colossal of the government projects launched yet. It is so broad and comprehensive that it has not been comprehended by the average individual. And the average individual will enter into the plan with his misgivings, but with a willingness to co-operate. We have reached the place of our national life that calls for a drastic departure from our former conception of how to run things. So far the willingness and the confidence displayed by the people have been a major factor in making progress toward better times.

The popular conception of the president's plan announced is that Mr. Roosevelt expects industry to carry the burden of the unemployment situation until spring. By that time he hopes a seasonal demand will ease the employment situation down to its normal course.

There are many commendable features about the new plan, as well as features that appear to be impractical. How well the impractical features are overcome will depend on the co-operation extended by industry and the public.

Two worthwhile features of the plan stand out. Child labor will be eliminated and wage earners generally will be assured of a living wage. It will compel concerns like F. W. Woolworth to pay a decent wage scale and enable its employees to maintain a better standard of living. Perhaps in the future concerns maintaining an inadequate wage scale will not be able to profit millions of dollars at the expense of their employes, but America shall have a better class of citizens as result.

## CURBING CRIME

The bloody battle with bandits last week, in which two officers lost their lives illustrates the precarious position the officer is in trying to combat the modern criminal. Wild tales circulated just before the facts were known about the killings in two separate areas of the state gave Pretty Boy Floyd's gang credit for killing two officers.

Under our present set up the bandit has practically all the advantage. He can usually "get" the officer before even the officer has an opportunity of knowing who he is. If an officer shoots the wrong man, he is immediately condemned. In other words the law gives the bandit the breaks, and if an officer gets his man, he simply has to outsmart a shrewd criminal, who has studied every detail of the crime he intends to commit.

If a criminal is caught, especially in the larger centers, he figures his chances are good at beating the law and he escapes to perpetuate further complicated crimes. Soon he has his own political gang organized and he seizes control of the governmental facilities in the community in which he lives and thus racketeering spreads.

Two ways are open to stop racketeering, kidnaping and bank robbing. One is by federal control, where officers are so co-ordinated they can work as a unit and run down the criminal regardless of what state he is in. The other is to go back to the law of the old west with the use of a rope and limb.

## WHY BOTHER?

Why bother about the other fellow? If he is having a tough time of it in business and his personal affairs are out of joint, isn't that his concern, not mine? If he is flat on his back in the hospital, why should I visit him? If local politics reek with corruption, well, isn't that just politics anyway? If there's crookedness and double dealing in my line of business, why should I trouble myself so long as it doesn't hurt me?

Maybe this isn't the answer, but it comes to mind. Some Hindu, whose name has long been forgotten, first stated it. Generations have repeated it so often that it has taken its place among the proverbs of the east. It is: "Help thy brother's boat across and lo! thine own has reached the shore."—Rotarian Magazine.

And does the investing public forget? Last week just a little over four months from the time the new administration took office, the lambs of Wall street were taken to a good cleaning, they were completely shorn. And not over six or eight months ago, they were hollering, "never again."

The guy who is particular about his personal liberties such as his glass of 3.2, driving with an open muffler, one light or what not can always tell you about how the community will suffer, if his personal liberties are shut off.

The Portales valley has found the growing of garlic to be a profitable crop. But the next thing Portales knows there may be a petition out to change the highway away from the valley, especially where garlic is grown.

The old time woman who saved her wedding dress for her daughter, now has a daughter who saves her wedding dress for her next wedding.—Midland (Texas) Reporter Telegram.

Its an ill wind that blows nobody good. The shiftless idler, who never worked during prosperous times has had an opportunity to tell the public how he suffered during the depression.

The Tucumcari News suggests the following sign at curves: "This curve is still here, but the guy that tried to make it too fast ain't."

## Odd—but TRUE

**DETACHABLE FINGERNAILS ARE ONE OF THE LATEST FADS IN THE WORLD OF FEMININE VANITY**



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## PICKED UP ON MAIN

Ginette is so dumb she thinks a smoked ham is a colored actor. Dorothea thinks a can opener is the key to the jail. Another believes McAdoo is the emperor to Japa, another thinks a gin rickey is a Japanese taxi. And we don't like to drag Dora into this, but no foolin'—she thinks a caboose is one of Chili King's ball players. We once knew a girl who was so dumb she was tired from Woolworth's because she could not remember the prices, but the two who think holdup men are swimming instructors and the one who told us a hangover is a Jewish holiday takes the cake!—Swiped.

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A sign in a barber shop is three years behind; it says: "E. B. Bullock on the corner 19 years."

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David Hutton, ex-husband of Aimee McPherson says he was only Aimee's pet poodle. If David is Aimee's pet poodle, what relationship exists between Aimee and the Four Square Gospel congregation?

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If you have trouble keeping your wife at home, you might sprinkle salt in her chair, says a friend of ours.

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A pedestrian is a car owner with a wife, daughter and son.

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Fast drivers with thin tires should remember there are lots of things shaped round like tires—funeral wreaths for instance.

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There are lots of people who never played a game of bridge who will remember the grand slam of 1929.

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Sam was charged with gallingacious larceny. Said the judge: "Now Sam, if you tell a lie, you know what will happen to you, I suppose?"

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"Yas sub," replied Sam; "I'll go to de bad place."  
"That's right," said the judge. "And do you know what will happen if you tell the truth?"  
"Yas sub," answered Sam; "We'll lose de case."

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A visitor to a seaside town was observing the crowd. "I suppose you serve a good many fish dinners," he remarked to the hotel proprietor.  
"Yes, the people eat fish, mostly."  
"I thought fish was supposed

## Smilin' Charlie Says



**"It's no wonder our dollar won't go so far—it takes more gas to travel faster!"**

## WATER LEVELS LOW

Clifford G. Smith, of Roswell, artesian well supervisor of this district was here Tuesday on a brief inspection trip and in conversation with an Advocate reporter informed us that the artesian water level was low due to the dry weather which has prevailed over the basin for the past six or eight months. The low water level was reached last year about the middle of August and the present level is near that point, due largely to the fact that the valley is about four and a half inches short of the normal rainfall. Under normal conditions the water level this year would have been considerably above this point.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Thorne and daughter, Miss Agnes of Carlsbad stopped here Tuesday afternoon for a short visit with friends while en route home from the Ruidoso.

to be brain food, but these people are about the most unintelligent specimens of humanity I've ever seen."  
"Well," returned the other with a shrug of his shoulders, "just think of what they'd look like if they didn't eat fish."

Here lies the body of Joseph Jay, He died maintaining the right of way.

He was dead right as he sped along, But he's just as dead as if he'd been dead wrong.

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And George E. Goozlen is now in Gehenna; When he turned he forgot to stick out his antenna.

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Aunt Helen—So you took your first dancing lesson today. Did you find it hard, dear?

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Wee Nephew—No auntie, it's easy enough. All you have to do is to keep turnin' round and wipin' your feet.

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We received a press dispatch from Chicago stating that two local hill-billies were put off an I. C. train while visiting the Century of Progress, for arguing with the conductor that he was turned around and running his train in the wrong direction.

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Another news item from Chicago states that three Artesia ladies were very interested in seeing a musical comedy at the Apollo theatre until they got off the car and found they were the only white people on the street.

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T. C. Bird and Stanley Blocker state that the only trouble they had with Willis Morgan at the fair was getting him out of the Streets of Paris, he just would stay to see Fifi wiggle.

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## PETITIONS SENT OUT

Printed petitions went Monday for circulation in every precinct in Lea county asking the board of county commissioners to issue a call for an election, to determine if Lea county will adopt the provisions of the Lane liquor act, wherein the county may issue licenses for the sale of alcoholic liquors in conformity with the new statute, after the 18th amendment and the Article 23 of New Mexico constitution shall have been repealed, at the special election called by the governor for September 19, 1933.

Under the new law, such a petition requires ten per cent of the number of legal voters who cast a ballot for the office of governor in 1932.

It is proposed to submit these petitions to the regular meeting of the board of county commissioners on August 7. If the required number of signatures were secured, the commissioners must call an election within 60 days from the date of presentation of the petitions. Less than 400 qualified signatures will be sufficient to qualify the petitions.—Hobbs News.

## SHALLOW OIL WELL

An oil well six feet deep on the Hogback is reported by an oil man in Farmington. Oily sand filled the bottom of a posthole.

Typewriter Kidnappers—The Advocate

## HEALTH COLUMN

Conducted by Dr. J. R. Earp, Director, New Mexico Bureau of Public Health.

### STATISTICS

The U. S. bureau of census has just reported its calculations on the death rates of New Mexico for 1932. Once more they register a decrease in the rate of deaths from all causes from 14.4 per thousand population in 1931 to 13.8 per thousand population in 1932.

Fewer people died last year from tuberculosis, typhoid fever, pneumonia, diarrhea, measles and whooping cough than in 1931.

On the other hand there was an increase in the number of deaths from influenza and from diphtheria.

Most important causes of death were: tuberculosis, 615; heart disease, 454; accidents, 330; diarrhea under two years, 269; and cancer, 221. The high place of tuberculosis is due to the fact that New Mexico is a health resort state. Infantile diarrhea is also a much more frequent cause of death than it should be. It is due to food infection carried from open privies by flies and also to improper feeding of babies. The number of deaths has been reduced from 333 in 1931 to 269 in 1932. It can be still further reduced through the efforts of county health officers and public health nurses.

There is a family of eight in the Carlsbad vicinity. Father, mother and six children aged ten years to two months.

They came from another state several months ago because the father is in an advanced stage of tuberculosis. The mother hopes to support the family by what work she can pick up. An effort to send them back to their native state revealed the fact that they have no home, no relatives and no means of support back there.

In the fall these children will be supposed to attend Carlsbad schools. They are continually exposed to the infection of their father and they will come in contact with Carlsbad children.

Another family with a tuberculosis father, advanced case, mother and three children. This man draws compensation and is able to feed the family. But the children will attend New Mexico schools.

Conditions like this are frequent in New Mexico, Arizona and Colorado.

In my mind some national tuberculosis villages should be established where these people could be isolated and the children protected from their sick parents.

The state from which they come contributing to the support of the villages and tuberculosis contact open air schools.

If this idea could be worked out by our statesmen it would greatly reduce the tuberculosis death rate in these sunshine states in the future.

DR. O. E. PUCKETT, Health Officer.

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### LOCALS

W. W. Snyder of Loving was transacting business here Friday.

Wink Hardin and son, John of Hope were trading in town Monday.

Miss Helen Sage left yesterday for a brief visit with friends in Roswell.

Miss Amy Williams of Carlsbad was a guest over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spivey.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Richards were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dunagan in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. James Allen and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones left Sunday morning for a trout fishing trip above Santa Fe

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Horne of Fort Sumner spent the week-end here visiting their daughter, Mrs. Howard Byrd and family.

Mrs. L. A. Akin and daughter, Mrs. Larry Brill of Sedalia, Missouri arrived Monday evening and are guests of Col. and Mrs. A. T. Woods.

Col. J. A. Atwood of Roswell, attended the national oil conference held in Washington Monday as a representative of Governor Seligman.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Richmond and children of St. Joseph, Missouri arrived Monday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. A. T. Woods and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McLean and family of Dimmitt, Texas spent from Saturday until Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mrs. and Mrs. Beecher Rowan.

Mrs. L. R. Buck of the Cottonwood left last week for an extended visit with relatives at Blackwell, Shattuck, Oilton and other Oklahoma points.

Louis Schnoor and family and his sister, Mrs. Emyln Davies and husband of Gallup left last week for the mountains where they expect to spend several weeks.

Mrs. Van Welch, Sr., and mother, Mrs. Phoebe Phillips who spent several weeks visiting at their former home in Robinson, Illinois returned home Sunday.

Fred Cole and Robert Tarbutson attended a program given by the Simmons University girl's quartette, at the First Baptist church auditorium in Roswell Sunday evening.

Col. and Mrs. A. T. Woods returned last Thursday from a business trip to Los Angeles. En route they visited the Grand Canyon, making the trip in about ten days.

Mrs. Jim Vogel and children drove up to Roswell Sunday and brought Mr. Vogel home from St. Mary's hospital where he had been recovering from an appendix operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Otice Brown, accompanied by Mrs. Brown's brother, Turner Smith of Clovis drove up to the Artesia Sacramento camp and spent the night in the Hannah cabin Thursday.

Andrew Dooley and Dooley Bruce, who are interested in some gold mining property near Hillsboro, this state spent a short time here the first of the week visiting friends and attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan and twin sons, Don and Val and Mrs. Morgan's mother, Mrs. Lacy left Thursday on their vacation. They will visit a sister in California with whom Mrs. Lacy will remain for a longer visit before returning to her home in Nebraska.

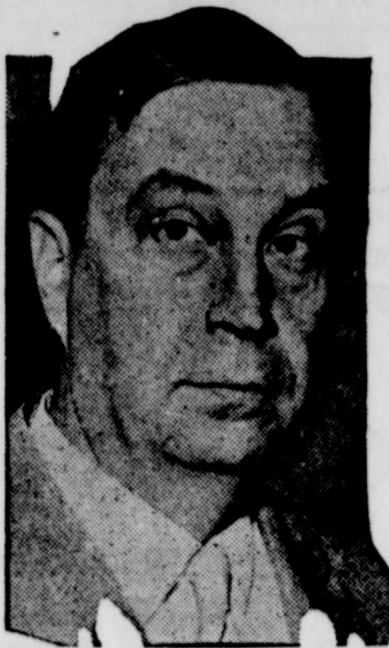
The Rev. F. C. Rowland, pastor of the Baptist church and Mrs. Rowland and Mr. and Mrs. Morrison Livingston drove up to the Ruidoso, Saturday to be in attendance at the New Mexico Baptist Assembly which was in session there. They returned the first of the week.

Mark A. Corbin left by train last Thursday afternoon for Bradford, Illinois, in response to a message telling of the sudden death of his sister, Mrs. E. L. Clark. Both Mr. and Mrs. Clark visited here a number of years ago. Details of the death of Mrs. Clark are not known at this time.

Miss Alene Rowan of Los Angeles, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Rowan for several weeks left Sunday for her home. She accompanied her sister, Mrs. Ferris Arnold, who had been here over the week-end to Roswell and took the bus from there. Miss Rowan will attend the last semester of the U. S. C.

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

### EDUCATION CHIEF



Dr. George F. Zook, who has just taken office as United States commissioner of education.

### LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

Mrs. A. Russell and Mrs. J. B. Crook were dinner guests of Mrs. J. W. Haven Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Campbell and family visited friends on the Lawrence ranch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Alexander and daughter, Mrs. Fred Edington moved to Artesia Monday.

Mrs. W. A. Eaker entertained a number of her friends with a singing at her home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Price moved to town Saturday from the Lawrence ranch where Mr. Price was employed.

Miss Thelma Robinson of Hagerman is visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Robinson, this week.

Mrs. Roy Vermillion returned to her home in Artesia Wednesday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Spence.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Spence left Thursday for El Paso where Mrs. Spence took eye treatments. They returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orin Smith and daughter, Velma Darlene, spent the day in the mountains Sunday, returning home Monday.

Mrs. Van Bartlett and children of Hagerman were visiting Mrs. Bartlett's mother, Mrs. W. A. Eaker over the week-end.

Mack Price had the misfortune of getting two of his front teeth knocked loose by the base ball bat Monday while playing baseball.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Stark are here from California visiting with friends, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Thomasson and Mrs. W. A. Eaker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hines moved to Artesia Wednesday of last week, where they will remain until school starts this fall, when Mr. Hines will resume his work as Spanish and commercial teacher.

The first playground baseball games were played Saturday night on the new lighted field, between local teams. The Williams Scrubs defeated the Nihart Cats and the Town Team defeated the High school team.

The Junior Epworth League enjoyed a very pleasant evening at the Will Walden home Thursday at a party with their teacher, Mrs. E. C. Latta. The children enjoyed both indoor and outdoor games.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Thomasson and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McClain and family and Alton Eaker were among those from here who attended the Church of Christ services at Greenfield Sunday, where Mr. Thomasson had charge of the services in the morning. A basket lunch was served at noon and in the afternoon a singing was held.

### THREE-IN-ONE

Here is a new one. The commissioner of agriculture of Mississippi has investigated the feeding possibilities of the cotton plant and finds that when properly cured as hay, it contains 17.3% protein compared with 14.9% in alfalfa hay; it contains 4% fat while alfalfa hay shows but 2.3% fat; and it contains only about half as much of crude fibre. This means that this year you have the makings of a three-in-one crop. 1st: the secretary of agriculture will pay for the cotton crop planted; 2nd: you can cut the plant and make hay out of it; 3rd: then you can plant that plot to cane, hegari or other short maturing crop and get a good yield of fodder and grain. This is really a "new deal."

### 4,000 POUNDS WOOL SOLD

Four thousand pounds of wool was sold here Tuesday at the Bullock warehouse, which will probably wind up the season. The wool sold at private sale netted several growers an average of twenty cents per pound.

### 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.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

613 W. Main Street

10:00 a. m. Sunday school.

11:00 a. m. Sunday service.

The subject on Sunday, July 30th, is "Love." One of the citations from the Bible is from I John, 4:16, "And we have known and believed the love of God hath to us. God is love; and he that dwelleth in love dwelleth in God, God in him."

A correlative passage from the Christian Science textbook states:

"The starting point of divine science is that God, spirit, is all-in-all, and that there is no other might nor mind,—that God is love, and therefore He is divine principle."

#### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

REV. W. B. McCORRY, Pastor.

9:55 a. m. Bible school. 10:50 Preaching service.

Topic: "Can a Person Be Satisfied Here?"

7:00 p. m. union young people at the Methodist church.

7:45 p. m. Union services in City Park. In case of rain the service will be held in the Methodist church.

#### ORPHANS IN PROGRAM AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Seven girls from the state Baptist orphans home at Portales accompanied by The Rev. W. C. Grant, superintendent of the home were in attendance at the Plateau Singing Convention, Sunday.

In the evening they appeared in a program at the Baptist church here, which was well attended and enjoyed by all present. The party were guests over night in the homes of C. M. Cole, Lewis Cole, Charles Ransbarger and J. H. Myers.

#### TYPEWRITERS

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

### GRAIN TRADE WARNED TO CLEAN ITS HOUSE

WASHINGTON, D. C.—In a warning that the grain trade must put its own house in order or the government should reform market practices, the farm administration informed leaders of the exchanges Monday that it did not recognize that the present trading regime "has any divine right to handle the farmer's products."

George N. Peek, chief administrator of the farm act, issued the warning at a conference of representatives of the grain industry shortly before they took steps to explore the possibilities of establishing a code of competition under which stringent regulations covering commodity marketing would be established.

Peek and other administrators, aroused over the recent sharp rise and fall in wheat, corn and other grain prices, expressed the intention of taking the initiative in "reforming grain marketing practices" unless the exchanges obtain results by mutual agreement.

James Dew, Jr., left Monday for Abilene, Texas. Mrs. Dew will join him there in a few weeks. She is at present at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Stuart.

Hagan McCaw left Monday afternoon for Flagstaff, Arizona going for Mrs. McCaw and the children who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Tom Fanning and other relatives. His father U. M. McCaw accompanied him on the trip.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wells and small son and Mrs. Deloris Cogle and little son, the parents and sister of Mrs. John Boren who have been making their home with Mr. and Mrs. Boren for the past year returned to their former home at Sapulpa, Oklahoma last Friday. They returned with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wells who had made a short visit here.

## Consider Your Home

In times like these there is no surer investment than your home. Keeping your property in repair will pay you good interest on your investment, especially in view of the rising market.

Practically all building commodities are due to advance still further. Save by doing your building and repair work now—

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PHONE 14

# Better Days Are Here!

We believe Artesia and the Artesia trade territory has reached the point where it is not an idle dream to expect better days. We therefore wish to extend to T. H. Flint and the people of Artesia who have had a part in the reopening of The First National Bank our congratulations. We appreciate the fine spirit manifested by the people of Artesia in their efforts to bring back normal business and financial conditions.

As a local institution, it has been our policy to encourage any worthwhile movement for the betterment of the community. With the wholehearted cooperation evident during the trying times of the past four months there is every reason to believe that the same cooperation will bring about real prosperity.



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Artesia, New Mexico



### COMMISSION SAYS TAX RATE MAY BE ABOUT SAME AS 1932

SANTA FE—It is yet too early to say what the tax levy prospect is for next year, according to Byron O. Beall, state tax commissioner, who returned to his office Monday from a series of budget hearings. John E. Miles, secretary of the commission, took Beall's place with the budget party.

"Understand we have had scores of budget hearings and the details are not clear until we conclude," Beall said. It was considered likely, however, the tax levy would be about the same.

Beall said the budget hearings were developing more co-operation this year than before. He said he was not able yet to see the full effect of the sharply cut assessed values but that budgets were being cut nearly as sharply.

Taxpayers and taxpayer associations have aided materially, Beall said, in the budget hearings.

Beall will go to Raton Friday and Saturday for budget hearings.

### COTTONWOOD ITEMS

C. Schulze of Artesia spent Wednesday with Leland Whitkopp.

Miss Helen Vera Funk spent Thursday with Miss Lois Crutchfield.

Mrs. H. F. Fairbanks of Roswell was a guest at the Pearson home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Kirby and daughter, Louise of the Felix were guests at the Rambo home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Huff and daughter, Miss Blondell were guests at the Rambo home Monday.

Mmes. J. A. Reed and Glenn O'Bannon were guests at the Oscar Pearson home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pearson entertained the Pearson families at a 6:00 o'clock dinner, Wednesday of last week.

Mmes. Wendell Sterrett, Ray and Goldie Crutchfield and baby were guests at the Ed Chandler home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Malone and family of Upper Cottonwood left Thursday on a fishing trip to the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Stevenson left with their daughter for her home in Texas last week. Mrs. Stevenson is reported still very ill.

Mrs. Viola Senter, who spent several days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pearson left Thursday for her home in Houston, Texas.

Mrs. Jess Funk and Mrs. J. R. Spence motored to El Paso, Texas last week. Mrs. Funk went over to have treatment from an eye specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Carey of Superior, Arizona, who had been visiting her niece, Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon left Thursday for a

### Gen. Balbo Is Chief Flying Eagle



When Gen. Italo Balbo, commander of the Italian air armada, visited the big Indian village at A Century of Progress in Chicago, old Chief Black Horn of the Sioux tribe made him a chief, giving him the name Flying Eagle and placing on his head the elaborate feather headdress of his rank.

### HOW STATES VOTED ON REPEAL QUESTION

The following summary of how states have voted on the repeal of the eighteenth amendment may be of interest to our readers. This vote is up to the 22nd:

State	For Repeal	Against
Michigan	Yes	
Wisconsin	Yes	
Rhode Island	Yes	
New Jersey	Yes	
Delaware	Yes	
Indiana	Yes	
Mass.	Yes	
Oklahoma	Yes	
New York	Yes	
Illinois	Yes	
Iowa	Yes	
Connecticut	Yes	
N. Hampshire	Yes	
Wyoming	Yes	
Arkansas	Yes	
Nevada	Yes	
Alabama	Yes	
Tennessee	Yes	
California	Yes	
Oregon	Yes	
W. Virginia	Yes	

\*—Delegates chosen at precinct mass meetings and county conventions.

States which have fixed election dates to vote on the repeal are: Arizona, August 8; Missouri, August 19; Texas, August 26; Washington, August 29; Vermont, September 5; Maine, September 11; Maryland, September 12; Minnesota, September 12; Idaho, September 19; Florida, October 10; N. Carolina, November 7; Ohio, November 7; South Carolina, November 7; Nebraska, November 6; 1934; South Dakota, November 6, 1934.

Adding Machines For Sale or Rent—The Advocate.

### J. H. SIMPSON ALLOWED BAIL

SANTA FE—J. H. Simpson, Lea county commissioner charged with the death of Oscar Adams at Tatum, Tuesday was granted bail by the supreme court.

The court in its ruling said that Simpson had a right to be admitted to bail. The decision was in a habeas corpus action.

The supreme court did not stipulate the amount of the bail and it was expected that was to be determined by the district judge.

### ATTEND CODE OF ETHICS MEETING SAT.

D. I. Clowe, local manager of the Kemp Lumber Co., and Boone Barnett, local manager of the Big

Joe Lumber Co., attended a lumberman's code of ethics meeting at Roswell Saturday, at which time a code of ethics was formulated. Twenty-one yards of eastern New Mexico were represented.

Adding Machines For Sale or Rent—The Advocate.

Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate

# Depositors Committee STATEMENT

We the Depositor's Committee herewith submit the following statement showing the Resources and Liabilities of The First National Bank of Artesia, New Mexico, at the close of business July 25, 1933, after giving effect to adjustments required by the Treasury Department.

### RESOURCES

Cash Resources:		
Cash	\$175,836.38	
U. S. and State Bonds	161,610.75	\$337,447.13
Loans and Discounts		237,838.27
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank		1,800.00
U. S. Redemption Fund		2,500.00
Banking House	10,000.00	
Furniture and Fixtures	2,500.00	12,500.00
Other Real Estate		7,468.96
Total Resources		\$599,554.36

### LIABILITIES

Capital Accounts:		
Common Stock	\$ 50,000.00	
Preferred Stock	50,000.00	
Surplus and Undivided Profit	14,685.26	\$114,685.26
Circulation		50,000.00
Due Reconstruction Finance Corp.		93,153.66
Deposits		341,715.44
Total Liabilities		\$599,554.36

We believe that the above statement reflects an entirely sound and healthy condition. It is one that should merit the confidence and support of the community.

Respectfully presented,  
S. A. LANNING,  
T. H. FLINT,  
R. A. SHUGART.

### POST MAKES FAST TIME AROUND WORLD

NEW YORK—Wiley Post has no illusions about the longevity of that record of 7 days, 18 hours and 49 minutes he set in his dash around the globe. He thinks some one will break it in the not too distant future.

Sitting in comfort in an easy chair for the first time in more than a week, Post told Sunday of his adventures fighting the rain and fog of many lands. Asked what the fastest possible time around the world would be, he chuckled and said:

"Oh, about 30 seconds, I guess. No one really knows, but they're going to go faster and faster."

The robot pilot that helped him around the globe made a big hit with Post, he disclosed, despite some mechanical difficulty. He said he'd rather have it than a human co-pilot because it is more accurate.

"Being a lazy man," he said, "I let the robot do the work as much as possible. I trusted the ship to the robot from Edmonton till I was over Newark airport. It flew it every step from the first take off too, until 30 minutes before I landed in Germany."

Post is sure he could have made the trip in five days if he had "the breaks" in weather.

Post, who ended his second shattering flight at 10:59, Eastern Standard Time, Saturday night, had time Sunday only to have a few more obvious wrinkles pressed from his gray suit before a busy day began.

three months' visit in California. Winston McDonald, who had been visiting in the O'Bannon home accompanied them as far as Vaughn.

The Cottonwood Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. H. V. Parker, last Thursday afternoon. W. A. Wunsch, county agent gave an interesting talk on the subject of cooking with honey. Many recipes for using honey were submitted at the meeting. Mmes. Rriscoe, Mary Abbott, Garner and daughter, Mrs. Paul Zeleny were

### Sacramento Camp

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stone and two sons drove up to their cabin Sunday. Mrs. Stone and one of the boys will spend most of the summer at their cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gilbert were guests of Mrs. Martin Yates from Friday until Sunday.

Martin Yates and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Yates spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Yates and John Ashby. Other guests at the Yates cabin Sunday were: Misses Mary Ann and Lillie Mae Miller and Virginia Woods, Sinclair and Martin Yates, III and Kenneth Comp-ton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller paid the camp a short visit Sunday when they were in the mountain section.

Mrs. Chester Russell spent the week in camp as a guest of Mrs. L. P. Evans and Mrs. C. E. Mann. Dr. Russell and daughter, Miss Dora spent Sunday at camp and brought Mrs. Russell home that afternoon. They expect to go back this week-end to supervise the construction of a cabin which will be started next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wallingford and little daughter, Martha drove up to the camp last Saturday and were guests at the Evans cabin, El Grande. Mr. Wallingford returned Monday, Mrs. Wallingford remained for the week. Their cabin, which is under construction will be finished this week.

L. P. Evans, Earl Bigler and C. E. Mann spent the week-end with their families.

### SUBSCRIBE TO THE ADVOCATE

The three small sons of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Truett are out again after being confined to their home with measles for the past four weeks.

guests at the meeting. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Jess Funk on August 3rd.

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We are also newly and completely equipped for specialized lubrication; using the Check-Chart system with your car manufacturers recommended grease, guaranteed at every grease out-let.

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Sixteen years ago when the airplane industry was an infant one and its future a matter of conjecture. P. G. Johnson, just out of college, got a job as draftsman in a small airplane factory. He has just been elected president of United Aircraft & Transport corporation and has assumed active executive direction of its airplane manufacture and operations. Mr. Johnson is thirty-nine years old. Companies under his direction are: United Air Lines and the Boeing, Sikorsky, Stearman and Vought Airplane companies; Pratt & Whitney Aircraft Co., manufacturers of airplane engines; Hamilton Standard Propeller company and allied manufacturing, export, airport and flying school companies.



### BANKS OVER U. S. SHOW IMPROVEMENT

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Signs of improved economic conditions including increased industrial production, upward movement of commodity prices, larger loans and investments by federal reserve member banks and reopening of more unlicensed banks were reported over the week-end by the federal reserve board.

Reviewing business and financial conditions in June, the board said loans and investments of member banks had increased by about \$240,000,000.

This represented a growth of about \$300,000 in holdings of United States securities at reporting banks outside New York City, offset in part by decreases in their other investments and in loans, as well as in loans of New York City banks.

Loans secured by stocks and bonds increased \$35,000,000 from May 31 to June 28 while all other loans dropped by \$68,000,000.

The number of member banks licensed during the month was 66, bringing the total now open on an unrestricted basis to 5,602.

The board said 1,104 remain unlicensed but that these have only 5 per cent of the total deposits of member banks.

A survey by the comptroller of the currency and the federal reserve board showed that on May 13 a total of 5,500 member banks had deposits of \$23,542,307,000 in 30,550,105 accounts.

The average account was \$770, with 96.5 per cent of the total having deposits of \$2,500 or less.

The physical volume of industrial production increased rapidly during April and May, the board saying in the latter month it was 77 per cent of the 1923-25 average compared with 60 per cent in March.

Wholesale commodity prices, which have been advancing for four successive months, in June reached 65 per cent of the 1926 average as compared with 59.8 per cent in February, the board said, adding the widest price advances have occurred in raw materials.

Latest reports show England had gold reserves of \$922,000,000, France \$3,185,000,000, Italy \$355,000,000, Netherlands \$325,000,000, Belgium \$372,000,000, Switzerland \$374,000,000, and the United States \$3,396,000,000.

#### PROGRAM FOR SEVEN STATES

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The public works administration Thursday approved plans for spending \$73,482,478 on roads in 7 states preliminary to early consideration of non-federal construction projects expected to aggregate almost \$1,500,000,000.

Secretary Ickes, the public works administrator, said he had completed drafting recommendations for appointments of regional and state advisers to handle the public works advances to states and municipalities and was ready to submit them to President Roosevelt for final approval.

The bulk of the public works program for which almost half of the \$3,300,000,000 fund has been set aside to finance local governmental construction, has been held up pending the appointment of the regional advisers.

The states, their quotas, and the number of counties in which the money will be spent follow:

Iowa, \$10,055,660; all 99 counties; Texas \$24,244,024, all 254 counties; Kansas \$100,089,604, 79 of 105 counties; Nebraska \$7,828,961, 76 of the 93 counties; New Mexico \$5,792,935, all 31 counties; Mississippi \$6,978,675, 62 of the 82 counties; Tennessee \$8,492,619, 72 of the 95 counties.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

#### WORLD RECORD MAKER



Jack Lovelock of Oxford university, England, who broke the world's record for the mile run at Princeton, winning the event in 4 minutes 7.4 seconds. The Princeton Cornell team won the meet from the Oxford Cambridge team.

### Tenting Tonight

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

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THE Streeters had been "out" a month, and by that I don't mean out of jail, but on the road, in the great out-of-doors, hitting the trail, or what you will in camp lingo.

To look at them, you would know they had been out for some time. A thick coating of dust hid the newness of doffie bags, suitcases, stove, umbrella tent, telescope cot, and collapsible table, all stowed on running boards, fenders, bumpers and either side of the hood.

Mrs. Streeter had been the instigator of the trip. She had had difficulty in persuading her husband to go. As for Darienne, their daughter, it required all of their combined parental authority to get her to accompany them. And it was because of her that they were there.

"We must get Darry away from that plumber's boy," Mrs. Streeter had insisted. "I suggest that we take the car and go touring."

"Stopping at hotels, of course?"

"Nothing of the kind. It isn't being done as it used to be. We will put up at those lovely state parks and municipal camps you hear tell of. The Dunbars were out all last summer and they said they just rode all day long, looking forward to the camp at night, some of which had electric lights, caretakers, showers, and everything!"

So here they were on this warm August day doing a mean forty-five and hoping to reach a camp the man in the chain store where they had bought some groceries had told them about. "Somebody's camp grounds or other, it says on a sign. Don't know about the shower baths, but it's right on the highway and you can't possibly miss it."

However, darkness, unrelieved by moon or stars, for the night was cloudy, had descended before the Streeters reached their destination; sure enough, there was the sign, on which, aided by the spotlight, they could at least make out the welcome words "camp grounds."

In the background, a dark bulk, as of a tent, loomed up, and a general trodden-down appearance of the level ground seemed to indicate that other campers had preceded them.

Within an hour, mother, father and daughter were wrapped in slumber. Darry's sleep, to be sure, was interwoven with pleasant dreams of Charley regarding whom absence had only seemed to make her heart grow fonder.

The sun had been up some time, when Mrs. Streeter awoke with a start. "Then she nudged her husband. "Listen, Ed, am I dreaming or do I hear an awful lot of people outside?"

Ed turned over drowsily, roused up, and peered through the tent flap. Then he sat up suddenly. "There are at least two hundred," he said, "sitting around and acting as if they were waiting."

"Waiting?" cried Mrs. Streeter, in a loud whisper, "waiting for what?"

"Well," groaned Mr. Streeter, "they look as if they were waiting for us to get up!"

"And that canvas thing in back we thought was a tent," broke in Darry, who had been doing some peeping on her own account, "looks like a statue waiting to be unveiled!"

Those storied Arabs, who folded their tents and silently stole away had nothing on the Streeters that morning. In utter stillness and with never a glance at one another, they crept into their clothes and climbed into their car.

Just as Ed put his foot on the starter a portly woman rushed over to them and shook Mrs. Streeter's hand violently. "We hope we didn't disturb you, but you know we're a club made up of his descendants and we've come to dedicate this statue on the anniversary of his birthday. If you would like to stay—"

But Mrs. Streeter declined her well-meant invitation kindly but firmly. Not until they were many miles away did she open her mouth again. Then, "Well, I would like to know whose descendants they were, but I don't suppose I ever shall, for never in all my born days will I come back this way again."

"Well, I can tell you, Mamma," said Darry bitterly. "It was Joshua Putnam. While she was talking to you I looked over at that sign we half read last night, and it said 'Joshua Putnam Camp Grounds. Where Joshua Putnam made his headquarters in 1777.' We weren't camped in what we think of as camp grounds. We were sleeping in a public park, and if you say another word against Charley, I shall tell everybody at home the whole thing. I just guess it isn't any more disgraceful to marry a plumber's son than hold up an unveiling celebration while you get your clothes on!"

Next day, Charley received a telegram. "Dearest Charley, we are coming right home because Mamma is sick of camping. She says no more camping for her. But let's you and I go camping on our wedding trip. It's all right if you go with the right party and camp before dark so you know where you're at. Love and kisses. "DARRY."

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### STATE PUBLIC WORKS IS NOT FORMULATED

SANTA FE — New Mexico's public works program is held in abeyance pending appointment by the president of a regional director and a state public works board.

State officials who have been gathering data concerning New Mexico's needs for public improvements are without authority to either formulate a program or investigate the requests of the various communities.

G. D. Macy, state highway engineer, who with State Engineer George Neel, has been gathering data from various communities on projects which might be included in the public works program, stated that this work was being done merely to facilitate work of the public works committee when it is appointed.

The two departments have received over 500 requests for funds from various communities and counties. Roosevelt county is the only county in the state from which one or more requests have not been received. The requests range from small sums for road improvements to \$2,939,000 for water conservation in Santa Fe and Rio Arriba counties.

The highway department has had all of the requests tabulated by counties and the tabulations will be turned over to the public works board when appointed.

Governor Arthur Seligman stated that he had wired Washington to determine whether the one director will serve the entire seventh district, comprised of New Mexico, Texas and Louisiana, or whether he will have sub-directors in each state, or whether a board will be appointed in each state to work with the director.

The governor has received no reply. Approximately one-half of the requests received pertain to water conservation. The bulk of the remainder pertain to highway improvements.

### EXAMS AT CARLSBAD

Margaret Abren, assistant state superintendent of public instruction has notified County Superintendent H. R. Rodgers of Carlsbad that the next history and civics of New Mexico examination will be held at the office of Mr. Rodgers in the county court house starting at ten o'clock on Saturday, August 26th.

A fee of \$1.00 will be collected from each person taking the examination and the money in cash or money order, must accompany each set of papers that go forward to the state superintendent's office.

Winners of this district will soon start work repairing the gin plants, preparatory to starting the season about September 1st. While the cotton crop is spotted in this section, the early cotton is maturing rapidly and many stalks are well loaded with bolls, some of which are practically matured. Later cotton will make a good yield if frost holds off long enough.

Fred Cole drove over to Hobbs the first of the week and returned with Mrs. Cole and little daughter, Hattie Ruth, who had been the guests of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Henson for the past two weeks.

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### NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

Benefits Received—Alice Roseman Broad Arrow—Raine Challenge of Love—Deeping Captain Archer's Daughter—Deland From Pillar To Post—Helen Martin Laughin Water—Bower Light in the Jungle—E. Marshall Marriage by Capture—Stringer Ransom—Mrs. Hill The Challoners—Mrs. Hill Walls of Gold—Kathleen Norris Others have been ordered and are daily expected.

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# Social Activities

## BRIDGE OF THE MONTH ENTERTAINED

Members of the Bridge of the Month club spent a most delightful afternoon with Mrs. Howard Whitson last Friday when she entertained the club at her attractive apartment home.

Seated at bridge were: Mmes. A. T. Woods, Bildstone, Kiddy, J. Harvey Wilson, W. E. Flint, Joe Hamann and two guests of the club, Miss Catherine Clarke and her house guest, Miss Rosalind Crowley of New Orleans, Louisiana.

Miss Clarke received the high score prize and Mrs. Woods the second high. A most refreshing ice course was served by Mrs. Whitson at the conclusion of the games.

## THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Lapsley entertained the Thursday Bridge club at her home last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Skelt Williams and Mrs. Adams were guests of the club. High score prize was won by Mrs. Adams and second high by Mrs. Glasser. A delicious refreshment plate was served at the conclusion of the games of contract.

## MRS. WATSON ENTERTAINS

A most pleasant afternoon was spent at contract bridge when Mrs. Hollis Watson entertained members and guests of the Miercoles Bridge club on Wednesday afternoon.

Seated on the cool comfortable porch a number of rounds were played in which Mrs. W. C. Martin received the beautiful high score prize. A most refreshing ice course was served by the hostess at the close of the games.

Members present were: Mmes. J. R. Attebery, Aubrey Watson, Elza Swift, and Howard Williams, guests of the club were: Mmes. Albert Richards, C. R. Blocker, Charlie Martin and W. C. Martin.

## TUESDAY EVENING CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Watson entertained members of the Tuesday Evening Bridge club at their home on Quay street Tuesday evening.

A fried chicken dinner was served buffet style at 7:30 o'clock. The guests were seated at quartet tables on a spacious screened in porch where games of auction followed the dinner.

At the close of the evening, Mrs. Landis Feather held high score for the ladies and Howard Williams for the men.

Those who enjoyed this delightful club party with Mr. and Mrs. Watson were: Messrs. and Mmes. Landis Feather, J. R. Attebery, C. R. Blocker, Albert Richards, Howard Williams, W. E. Flint and two club guests, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whitson.

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### FRIDAY

The Second Evening Bridge club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Compton at 6:30 p. m.

### TUESDAY

Fortnightly Bridge club will meet with Mrs. W. E. Flint at 1:00 o'clock.

### WEDNESDAY

The Abnormis Sapiens Bridge club will meet with Mrs. J. M. Story at 2:00 p. m.

### THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The Presbyterian Aid Society will meet with Mrs. C. V. Brainard at 2:30 p. m.

The M. E. Missionary Society and the Young Women's Circle will meet at the church at 3:00 p. m.

## CLADYS ENTERTAIN CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clady entertained members of their night club and a number of guests at their home last Friday evening.

Members seated at bridge were: Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vandagriff and Mr. and Mrs. Clady; guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Linell, Mr. D. D. Archer of Oklahoma City and John Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Watson received the high score prize and Mrs. Archer and John Richards the low prize.

Mrs. Clady served a delicious salad course at the conclusion of the games.

## IDLEWHILES BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Jessie Morgain was hostess to the membership of the Idlewhiles Bridge club Tuesday afternoon.

All members were present except one and Mrs. Morgan filled the vacancy during the games of contract. Mrs. James Nellis was winner of high score. Mrs. Morgan's guests were Mmes. Arba Green, Jim Berry, J. H. Myers, J. M. Story, McCrary, Nellis and J. H. Jackson, with Mrs. M. W. Evans a guest at the refreshment hour.

The hostess was assisted in serving a delicious ice course by her daughters, Misses Esther and Ruth Morgan.

## HOME MAKER'S CIRCLE

The Home Maker's Circle of the Baptist church met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Grover Everett. After a short business meeting the remainder of the afternoon was spent in piecing a quilt. Light refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of the meeting. Thirteen members were present.

## BAND MEMBERS PARTY

The regular band practice was held on the lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Kinder last Thursday evening, with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harp in charge.

After the practice a social hour was enjoyed in compliment to the four members who left the next morning for Las Vegas to join the New Mexico band. After a short tour of the state they will take an excursion trip to Chicago to visit the Century of Progress Exposition.

Those honored on this occasion were the four band members and their parents, Osburn Keller and Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Keller, Tony King and Mr. and Mrs. George King, Natalie Filbert and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Kinder and Ernest Hannah.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served at the conclusion of the social hour.

## TABER-ZELENY

Miss Lois Taber became the bride of Adolph Zeleny last Thursday with Judge Richardson officiating at the court house at Carlsbad.

Mrs. Zeleny is the daughter of Mrs. C. M. Ward whose husband is the proprietor of a second hand store here. Mr. Zeleny is the son of Mrs. Joseph Zeleny. Mr. and Mrs. Zeleny will make their home with his mother on the farm south of town.

The young couple are well known and are receiving congratulations from a host of friends.

## NEW MEXICO PICNIC IN CALIFORNIA JULY 4

The annual New Mexico picnic was held at Bixler Park, at Long Beach, California on July 4th. Friends of Mrs. Harve Muncy were glad to know that she was able to attend. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. John Beckett and husband. Among other former Artesians who were mentioned as being there were: Mrs. O. J. Adams, Austin Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. H. Reed and family, Mrs. C. W. Williams, Rex Williams and family and Mrs. Gamble and daughter.

## "THE ROCK" PRESENTED AT METHODIST CHURCH

"The Rock" a play of ancient Galilee in three acts, was presented at the Methodist church last evening by a cast of nine from Texico-Farwell, sponsored by the Young People's division of the church.

Under the direction of Miss Martina Anderson, dramatic art teacher of Texico-Farwell this play was presented during the Methodist Assembly in the Sacramento mountain camp this summer.

The audience last evening was attentive and most appreciative, but very small. Those who missed this entertainment have indeed missed a worth while performance. The interpretation of the Biblical story by the actors in their robes of ancient style was truly inspirational to those present.

Between acts Miss Margaret Douglas rendered a piano solo, Miss Mary Ann Miller, a violin solo accompanied by Raymond Bartlett and a trombone solo by Wayne Hornbaker with Miss Dawn Hornbaker at the piano. The play will be given in Roswell this evening and in El Paso before returning to their homes.

## M. E. MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Mrs. A. F. Whitkopp and Miss Olive Buel were joint hostesses to members of the Methodist Missionary Society at the home of Mrs. Whitkopp north of the city last Thursday afternoon.

At the business session Mrs. I. C. Dixon was elected president of the society to fill the vacancy made by Mrs. John McCann, who recently resigned.

Mrs. L. W. Feemster was assisted by Mmes. Reed Brainard and Lee Vandagriff in presenting a most interesting program on "Prohibition."

The hostesses served a delicious refreshment plate to twenty-one guests.

## HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Richard Wheatley and his sister, Miss Jeanne drove down from Weed where they are spending the summer with their mother, Tuesday afternoon.

On Wednesday evening they complimented their father Rex Wheatley when they acted as host and hostess at a birthday dinner. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Gates and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglas returned Sunday from a trip to Stendal, Indiana, the former home of Mr. Douglas. They were called there by the serious illness and death of his father, F. B. Douglas, who died in a few days after their arrival. Mr. Douglas with his wife visited his son here in 1924, and made the trip to the Carlsbad Caverns when entrance was made by the old bucket.

## WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

## Many Flowers

By HELEN FIELDING

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AGNES OSBORN felt that, at last, she could safely say that an office could be artistic, homey, attractive and yet be the place where successful business was carried on.

She surveyed the room in which she sat. French gray walls, amethyst rug and hangings made a background for the gray desks and chairs, the small gray tea-wagon with its purple china and silver.

She had started this employment business on -hat her brother called "a shoestring," but little by little her business had grown until she was known far and wide as a most successful woman in her line.

She was still young, and many who came in contact with her wondered that she had not married.

They did not know that the only man she had ever cared for had been married and that fate had unkindly taken him out of her path.

Absorption in her work had healed the hurt, but nothing had ever come along to take the place of her early romance. Sometimes she accused herself of having hired young Frank Barlow because he reminded her in certain expressions, of the other man. Frank was only two years her junior but she had taught him nearly all that she knew about the publicity and advertising end of her employment business and she felt a superior attitude toward him, in years.

Their work brought them very closely in contact. They had long conferences together.

Agnes always had flowers in her office. In a lavender vase on the tea-wagon there were a rose or two, sweet peas or daisies. In a bowl on her own desk there were always fragrant blossoms. And always, about the person of Agnes, there seemed to be a subtle fragrance as of many flowers.

One spring evening when the office had been very busy and there had been little time for quiet, peaceful, concentrated thought, Agnes had a fancy that she would like to go down to her private office. There was no place in the world in which she felt so much at rest, so completely at home as in her business environment where she had at last surrounded herself with the things and colors that radiate happiness.

"Why shouldn't I have a lovely office?" she would ask. "I spend the greater part of my day in it. It is home to me."

She entered the outer hall quietly, and looked through into her own sanctum through the open door. A silver crescent moon was framed between the soft amethyst hangings of the western window. A perfume from the flowers greeted her. It was warm and soothing. She stood drinking in the beauty and peace of it all. A strange loneliness caught at her heart-strings and a sigh escaped her before she stepped within the room.

Then she started back. Sitting in her chair, his head buried in the smock she always left hanging in the office—was Frank Barlow. What could be wrong? Why was he here? He—

She felt herself breathing quickly. Could it be that he—he cared for her?

She heard him move. Had he heard her?

She switched on the light in the outer office and he quickly rose to his feet.

"Miss Osborn," he stammered. "Are you working?" she asked, as calmly as she could.

"No—not yet. I came down because I felt that perhaps I might do a little work. There seems nothing else half so interesting as—" He could not go on. He knew from the way in which she was looking at him, that she had seen him with his face buried in her smock.

## JONES NAMED DIST SUPERVISOR PUBLIC WORKS PROJECT

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President Roosevelt Tuesday appointed the ten men who will advise public works administration on the expenditure throughout the 48 states of federal money to give employment.

Each of the ten will serve as direct representatives of the public works administration in a region consisting of several states. The next step in building the decentralized organization will be the selection of state boards to make recommendation on projects to the regional administrators.

Secretary Ickes, the public works administrator, made public the president's selections after a meeting of the white house executive council. In doing so, Ickes called upon various local governments seeking aid from the public works administration "to present only projects qualified under the announced policies of that administration."

"These non-federal projects are to be presented to the state advisory boards, the personnel of which will be made public shortly," Ickes said.

Administrators for the western regions, included: Clifford Jones of Spur, Texas, former president of the West Texas chamber of commerce, representative at Ft. Worth for Texas, Louisiana and New Mexico. Vincent M. Miles of Ft. Smith, Arkansas, world war veteran and lawyer, who will maintain offices at Kansas City, Missouri for Colorado, Kansas, Oklahoma, Missouri and Arkansas.

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

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## Sacramento Camp

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bartlett came back to town Monday after spending the week at the Bartlett cabin.

Mrs. Ben Dunn and two boys drove up to the camp Saturday with Mrs. Boone Barnett and children. They are occupying the Martin and Blocker cabin. Mrs. Barnett is spending the summer there and Mrs. Dunn will probably spend several weeks.

## SIMMONS QUARTETTE TO APPEAR IN PROGRAM

The Simmons University Golden Girl quartette of Abilene, Texas will appear in a free program this evening at the First Baptist church. The program begins at 8:00 p. m. The quartette, chaperoned by Mrs. M. A. Moore of Abilene, has been on a short tour of this section of the state and recently appeared in a program at Roswell. Those who have heard the program praise it.

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Willard Batteries now carry a guarantee of from 12 to 36 months depending on the type of battery. Now you can buy a guarantee with your battery. Adjustments made at any Willard station.

Dr. Loucks Garage  
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## WE BELIEVE IN---

The First National Bank and the Artesia section and join in extending to the public spirited citizens of Artesia our congratulations in re-opening the bank. Now at the dawning of what we believe will be better times, we earnestly and willingly join our fellow citizens in pledging anew our confidence in the community and its people.

Phillips Petroleum Co.  
V. D. BOLTON, Agent

# Only Three More Days OF OUR July Clearance Sale!

OUR BANK OPENS AGAIN TOMORROW

We are grateful to those who have put forth untiring efforts in getting our bank opened on a sound and safe basis.

For the benefit of those who have not been able to take advantage of our low July Clearance prices up to now, we are continuing our sale through Monday, July 31st. In the closing days of our Clearance Sale we are offering additional merchandise at prices that you cannot afford to pass up.

Remember your money, spent with us will go back into our own home bank for the betterment of our community.

<h3>Florsheim Shoes</h3> <p>For ladies and men . . . July Clearance, extra special—</p> <p><b>\$2.95</b></p>	<h3>Ladies Hats and Berets</h3> <p>All summer styles</p> <p><b>25c each</b></p>
<h3>Cool House Dresses</h3> <p>In eyelets, voile and prints, extra special July Clearance—</p> <p><b>39c and 79c</b></p>	<h3>Ladies' White Shoes</h3> <p>Novelty kid, ties and pumps final July Clearance—</p> <p><b>\$1.98</b></p>
<h3>Boy's Wash Suits</h3> <p>In prints and solid color combinations, in broadcloth and linen, July Clearance—</p> <p><b>10c to 49c</b></p>	<h3>Beautiful Voiles</h3> <p>In floral prints and plain colors, 29¢ values for July Clearance—</p> <p><b>10c yd</b></p>

## Queen of National Cherry Festival



Morella Oldham, who was selected as queen of the national cherry festival in Traverse City, Mich., center of the great cherry belt. Before the fete Morella went to Washington to present a box of cherries to President Roosevelt.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

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"Where You Are Always Welcome"



# 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**—Furnished apartments, newly decorated. Water furnished. \$10.00 and \$15.00 per month. J. S. Ward, phone 173. 22-tfc

## FOR SALE

**MINNOWS**—We have a lot of those large mountain shiners—the big ones can't resist them. McCann Service Station. 30-1tc

**MINNOWS** for sale 1 1/2 miles east of Artesia on highway. 2 dozen for 25¢. Glenn Gadsberry. 28-3tc

Artesia, New Mexico, July 27, 1933.

In the matter of the Conservatorship of the First National Bank of Artesia, Artesia, New Mexico. TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that by order of the Comptroller of the Currency the Conservatorship of the First National Bank of Artesia, located in Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, will be terminated on the 28th day of July, 1933, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and that on said date and at said time, the assets, and the control of the affairs, of said bank, will be returned to its Board of Directors, and said bank will be permitted to resume its operations under the terms of a license approved by the Secretary of the Treasury to take effect on said date.

Notice is also given that after fifteen days after said 28th day of July, 1933, the provisions of Section 206 of the Act of Congress of March 9, 1933 with respect to the segregation and use of deposits received during the conservatorship of said bank, will no longer be effective.

HOLLIS G. WATSON, Conservator.

## 43,000 POUNDS WOOL SOLD

Forty-three thousand pounds of wool was sold last week at Alamogordo at an average price of 21 cents per pound and shipped to Texas.

# FEDERAL SECURITIES ACT IS EXPLAINED

The following article prepared by the state banking department with reference to the federal securities act, passed by the last session of congress may be of interest to our readers:

Much has been said and is still being said concerning this new law. Many are saying that it is the most drastic blue sky law ever enacted by the national congress—and it is, it having been the first one. The old unwritten law favored the seller, as it was practiced—"Let the buyer beware," but now the reverse will be the rule—"Let the seller beware," at least that is the intent of the new act. However, many highpowered tandem salesmen will put over the sale of their securities with the argument that the old theory of "caveat emptor" (let the buyer beware) no longer applies, as the act placed the burden entirely on the seller, but of what value is it, if this be true, if the seller is not a responsible person or concern, or if the buyer, as is so often the case, fails to read the various clauses and conditions of the securities purchased. Often these conditions are printed in very small type and placed on the securities in a place not easily noticed, thus being overlooked as a rule, but the salesman will continue to dwell on the statement, "let the seller beware." After all, while a majority of the securities offered to the public are honest offerings, there is no law that prevents a foolish person from signing an ill-advised contract or spending his money as he pleases—an investment in gold bricks is always in order.

On and after July 26, 1933, the sale of every share of stock outside the state of its origin must conform to and comply with the rigid and drastic provisions of this act. This act supplements and strengthens rather than repeals, existing state blue sky laws.

Despite the state laws, the losses of investors have been appalling. Those who have made a study of the matter estimate that such losses have amounted to the astounding sum of twenty-five billion dollars during the past ten years. Most other countries have long had statutes to meet the problem with which we are involved.

The following extracts from the federal law may be of interest: "Section 2—(7) The term 'interstate commerce' means trade or commerce in securities or any transportation or communication relating thereto among the several states, etc."

"Section 5—(Sub-section C) The

provisions of this section relating to the use of the mails shall not apply to the sale of any security where the issue of which it is a part is sold only to persons resident within a single state or territory, where the issuer of such securities is a person resident and doing business within such state or territory.

Section 6 (a) provides that "any security may be registered with the commission for interstate commerce under the terms and conditions hereinafter provided." (Write the Federal Trade Commission, Washington, D. C., for detailed information).

State control of securities—Section 24: "Any person who willfully violates any of the provisions of this title, or the rules and regulations promulgated by the commission under authority thereof, or any person who willfully, in a registration statement filed under this title, makes any untrue statement of a material fact or omits to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading shall upon conviction be fined not more than \$5,000.00 or imprisoned not more than five years or both."

## DISCUSSES FELLOWSHIP

The Rev. A. G. Tozer of Carlsbad, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Carlsbad, was the principal speaker at the Artesia Rotary club luncheon, Tuesday noon and ably discussed the topic of "Fellowship." E. B. Bullock conducted the five minute filibuster. Visitors present included G. V. Clayton, federal crop loan field inspector and Joe Bartlett, of Dallas, Texas, engineer of the Pecos Valley Gas Co.

Two club members, Messrs. Howard Williams, president of the Artesia Rotary club and D. I. Clowe, secretary left today for Pecos, Texas to attend a sectional assembly of Rotary clubs in the 42nd district from Roswell to Marfa, Texas.

## TYPEWRITERS

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

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

## Buttermilk

Fresh Every Day  
Ice Cold

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PHONE 219

# EAST TEXAS WELLS ARE MAKING WATER

KILGORE, Texas — Seventy-three new wells making water were added to the railroad commission's list between June 10 and July 21, according to a report released Monday.

There are now 350 wells reported by the commission making various amounts of salt or fresh water, dead, plugged or temporarily abandoned due to contamination.

The percentage of water in the 350 wells varies from a showing up to 85 and 90 per cent.

Engineers familiar with East Texas field express the belief that a much larger number of wells are actually affected by water contamination, but through chokes necessary to keep production within allowable, it does not show in day-to-day output. The engineers explain this with the assertion that through the small choke the oil has sufficient time to filter through probably several hundred feet of water on the bottom of the hole.

Gregg county with 138 salt water wells and nine showing fresh water is leading the east Texas district in contamination with a total of 147 wells affected. Rusk county has 149 salt water wells and one making fresh water to rank a close second.

# WE THANK YOU

The following have renewed their subscription to The Advocate the past week.

J. H. Clements, Jr.  
O. F. Featherstone  
Mrs. L. P. Flamm  
J. E. Hooten  
G. E. Kaiser  
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B. F. Kaiser  
S. A. Lanning, Jr.  
F. W. Craig  
Dr. O. E. Puckett  
J. H. Hollman  
G. B. Dungan  
F. V. Hagaman  
C. W. Bartlett  
Mrs. Ella Hewitt  
Mrs. Moss Spence  
Ed. Conner  
C. W. Rowland  
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E. E. Mathes  
Skel Williams  
B. F. Kaiser

## NOTICE!

Please do not send money in an envelope for subscriptions—it is liable to be lost—send a money order or check.

MR. AND MRS. R. G. KNOEDLER TO ATTEND A REUNION AUGUST 6

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler and children expect to leave Saturday night for Blandinsville, Illinois, where they will visit at the homes of their parents and other relatives. Mr. Knoedler and family will be present at the Knoedler reunion which will be held on August 6th, about sixty members of the family will prob-

Upshur county has 50 contaminated wells, Smith 38 and Cherokee three.

# PROTECT OUR BANK

ably be present. They will also spend several days in Chicago at the Century of Progress Exposition.

Landis Ed Feather small son of Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather will accompany the R. G. Knoedler family on this trip.

## OFF TO SANTA FE

I. C. Keller and Col. A. T. Woods representing the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, G. R. Brainard with two other county commissioners, representing the county and J. H. Bridgman of Hope left yesterday for Santa Fe where they went to attend a hearing on road projects, scheduled to be held at the capitol city today. The local delegation will request improvements on highway 83. The hearing is to determine the projects to be asked for in the federal public works program.

By patronizing independent merchants, if the people of the community will patronize business houses that are owned by people living in Artesia and deposit their money in our local bank and encourage more such businesses to be put in, the deposits in our bank will be so large that it will never have the trouble it has had since March 3rd and we appreciate the patronage of our friends and neighbors.

SANITARY GROCERY AND MARKET  
JOHN SIMONS, Prop.

## TYPEWRITERS

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

# WHEAT! WHEAT!! WHEAT!!!

Mixed with corn or kaffir makes a well balanced ration for all stock. Particularly for chickens. No higher than corn or kaffir. You should by all means consider WHEAT now as a part of your feeding ration. We have corn, kaffir, hegari, bran, shorts and others feeds, but we recommend a mixture with WHEAT when prices are about equal.

Artesia Alfalfa Growers Ass'n.

# Bank Opening Sale!

With the opening of The First National Bank we believe that Artesia is going to step right ahead in the parade of prosperity, and we are ready and anxious to fall in line with the forward movement. We admit that we are in the dark regarding merchandise costs, and we do not pretend to know what prices are going to be in the very near future. However, we do know that we do not want to carry over any reasonable merchandise and we are offering all summer merchandise to you at prices far below present replacement prices.

## Ladies' and Misses Silk Dresses

This Dress Event includes every Silk Dress in our entire stock. Many new and beautiful styles which will be very good for several months. Most of them are made by Levine or Helen of Hollywood

1/2 off

## Ladies' Straw Hats

Every straw hat in our stock is included in this lot. Many of these hats are regular \$4.95 values.

your choice  
\$1.00

## New Fall Hats Are Here

We have already received many beautiful new fall styles. They are different, and very reasonably priced from—

\$1.95 to \$4.95

## VOILES

Fast colors . . . sheer fabrics  
Four yards for—

33¢

## SILKS

This lot of silks includes several different fabrics and several different patterns. All are genuine bargains.

69¢

per yard

## LADIES AND MISSES SHOES

This lot includes every pair of summer pumps, oxfords and ties.

1/3 OFF

## SEERSUCKER PLAY SUITS

Just the thing for children these hot days . . . cool and easily laundered—

49¢

## MEN' FELT HATS FOR FALL

We do not know what men's hats are going to be worth in 30 days, but ours are all for sale and the prices are right—the styles are right—and our stock is complete.

STETSON HATS—\$5.00

BRYON HATS—\$3.50

## TISSUE GINGHAMS

This is a substantial mark down on the newest cotton fabric—our stock on this item is limited, but what we have will go for—

25¢

per yard

## ANKLETS

We want to sell every pair of these and are offering one pair or a dozen pairs at this very low price. They are all high grade anklets in very good colors.

10¢

per pair

## MEN'S SPORT SHOES

Here is an opportunity for you men to select a pair of sport shoes at a great saving. Every pair of sport shoes in our stock—

1/3 OFF

## MEN'S DRESS STRAWS

Your choice of any dress straw in our stock—

69¢

## MEN'S FALL SUITS

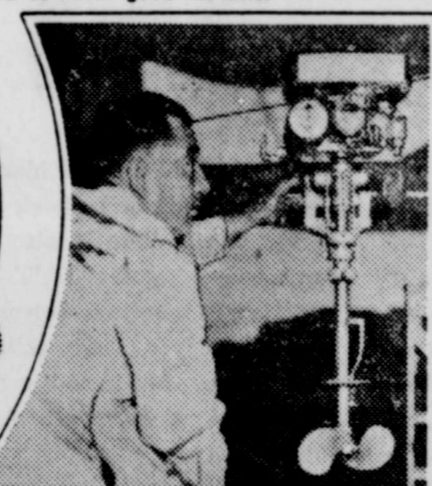
We have a very good selection of men's Suits, and we have not advanced the price of any of them. We have no hesitancy in recommending any of these suits as a splendid buy in clothing. Most are priced—

\$19.95

# In The WEEK'S NEWS

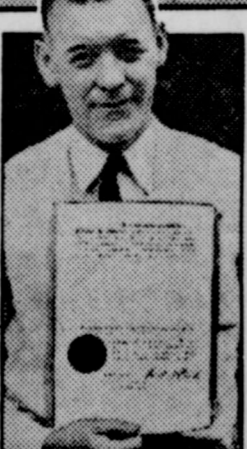


**FORTUNE SMILES**—Just when things seemed blackest, Mrs. Margaret Stack, mother of four and wife of an unemployed Philadelphia loom-fixer, won first prize of \$5,000 in \$10,000 Sunny Jim contest staged by Hecker H-O Company. Here are Mrs. Stack and her youngest son, Buddy, aged 9, all smiles on being told of their good fortune.



**LINDY'S LIFESAVER**—In case of emergency, this outboard motor will propel plane in which the Lindberghs are surveying Iceland air route. It is carried in the baggage compartment and in use is placed between the pontoons.

**PARDONED BY ROOSEVELT.** Congressman Francis J. Shoemaker of Minnesota, the only ex-convict in Congress, has been pardoned in full by the President. Shoemaker was convicted of "libelous and defamatory" endorsements on envelopes in 1930.



**KIDNAPED**—John J. O'Connell, Jr., 24, nephew of Albany, N. Y., political bosses, who is being held for \$250,000 ransom by daring kidnapers.



**IMMORTALIZED!**—Barney, champion Irish terrier of Detroit, poses for latest "Body by Fisher" billboard.

**WHITE HOUSE WINE CASK**—This wooden wine cask with glass interior was made for President Roosevelt by Joe Morenello, Lackawanna, N. Y., inventor who spent ten years perfecting process of inserting glass in wood.

# Grocery Department

No. 2 Blue Bunny Stringless Beans	15¢	Quart Grape Juice	30¢
Large Bar Toilet Soap	4¢	1/4 lb Liptons Tea	20¢
Post Toasties	10¢	6 lbs. California Potatoes	25¢
7 Oz. Tuna	15¢	Bliss Coffee, per lb	22¢
Hill's Bros. Coffee, lb	34¢	Armour's Star Brand Hams, lb	19¢
Cream Cheese, lb	20¢	Rib Stew, per lb	8¢

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A Positive Remedy

GOVERNORS TO HELP

SACRAMENTO, California — A pledge of "wholehearted and active" support to the national recovery program was sent to President Roosevelt Monday in the name of the states represented at the national governor's conference as the state executives completed the initial session of their twenty-fifth annual convention.

Sentinel

Though you may not anticipate using it in an emergency... the telephone stands sentinel... night and day to call aid quickly in case of fire, sickness or accident.

For a few cents a day the telephone runs many errands, helps you shop, brings news, keeps you in touch with friends.

Any employee will take your order.

The Mountain States Telephone & Telegraph Co.

BIG LAKE AREA HAS WORLD RECORD ON DEEP OIL OUTPUT

No area of corresponding size in any other district in the world has equaled the production record from deep stratum of the Big Lake field in Reagan county, Texas.

At this time there are 17 wells located on the block of a little more than 640 acres of land owned by the University of Texas which are producing oil of 56 to 60 degrees gravity, the highest grade yet found in any oil field in Texas.

The first of these deep stratum wells was completed November 30, 1928, its depth being 8,520 feet. Since then it has been deepened to 8,671 feet.

Two companies, the Big Lake Oil Company and the Continental Oil Company, own leases not only on this small tract of University land but on thousands of acres surrounding it.

LONESOME VALLEY ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson of Carlsbad spent the week-end at the home of Mr. Johnson's sister, Mrs. C. P. Riley.

Mrs. R. T. Wilson who has been ill is improving.

J. A. Stanley of Fluvanna, Texas made a short visit to the E. E. Jones homestead last week.

Miss Peggy E. Jones of Denver Colorado accompanied by Jona Stanton and Miss Myrtle Allen, both of Trinidad, Colorado were visitors in the E. E. Jones home last week.

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

ENVOY TO PORTUGAL



Robert G. Caldwell of Houston, Texas, has been named United States minister to Portugal by President Roosevelt.

Bee Figures Largely in Passages of Scripture

The strange liking of bees for skeletons no doubt gave rise to the opinion of the poet, Virgil, in the fourth of his Georgics or country poems, that bees were produced from dead bodies of animals!

Their Promised Land was described to the early Israelites as a "land flowing with milk and honey," because of the numbers of swarms of bees which stored honey in its rocks and hillsides, and the luxuriance of its pasturage for milk animals, such as cows, ewes, goats, sheasses, etc.

It is thought that Isaiah 7:18 and Zechariah 10:8, "I will hiss for them"; "The Lord shall hiss for the bee that is in the land of Assyria," has reference to the peculiar hissing whistle with which to this day orientals in Bible lands strive to attract swarming bees and induce them to settle, as people do today by ringing bells and clanging pans.

House Committee That Has Important Duties

The committee on ways and means in the house of representatives is the most powerful and important of all the standing committees of congress. The Constitution provides that all bills raising revenue and imposing taxes must originate in the house, and all such bills are considered and approved by the ways and means committee before they are taken up by the house as a whole.

Astronomy's Importance

Does anyone still ask—what are the uses of astronomy? As one instance, American scientists with their telescopes provided the means of combating the Zeppelins, had the World war lasted a few months longer. They first discovered non-inflammable helium gas in the sun, then extracted it from the Texas natural gas wells, and when the armistice was signed hundreds of cylinders of compressed helium lay at the docks for shipment to England, where it would have made the allied dirigibles masters of the air.

ENDORSE BEEMAN

LAS CRUCES—The executive committee of the Dona Ana county democratic central committee last week endorsed C. W. Beeman of Loving as a member of the board of regents of the New Mexico State College to succeed the late R. L. Young.

STATE GOVERNMENT EXPENSES IN 1932 \$55.14 PER CAPITA

ALBUQUERQUE — Governmental expenditures for New Mexico and its political subdivisions for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1932, totaled \$23,711,206, according to a statement issued by the bureau of census of the department of commerce last week.

Based on the population of 430,000 given by the census, the cost of government in New Mexico was \$55.14 per person. For 1932 the combined gross debt of the state and its subdivisions, less sinking fund assets, was \$36,942,977, or an average per capita of \$85.91.

The assessed valuation of all property subject to general property tax was \$334,301,418 as compared with \$329,899,000 in 1922 and \$72,458,000 in 1912. Per capita assessed valuation increased from \$195.73 in 1912 to \$895.06 in 1922 and decreased to \$777.44 in 1932.

GALLUP DAMAGED

Gallup officials after an incomplete check of damage wrought by a flood Sunday afternoon announced the loss would be considerably under the \$100,000 mark first estimated.

Five blocks in the city and a score of homes in the native residential section of the city were inundated by flood waters which storm sewers were unable to handle when a cloudburst caused arroyos to overflow.

SENATOR CUTTING GOES ABROAD SATURDAY

NEW YORK—Senator Bronson Cutting of New Mexico, former Secretary of the Treasury Ogoen L. Mills and Katherine Cornell, the actress, among other notables sailed aboard the Europa early Saturday for vacations in Europe.

Renew Your Health By Purification

Any physician will tell you that "Perfect Purification of the System is Nature's Foundation of Perfect Health." Why not rid yourself of chronic ailments that are undermining your vitality? Purify your entire system by taking a thorough course of Calotabs, —once or twice a week for several weeks—and see how Nature rewards you with health.

Motorist Spends Night on Lonely Road!

Costly delays could be avoided often with regular inspections and adjustments of minor parts... Get the mileage built in your car... have repairs made when needed.

Repairing at Popular Prices

Kinder, Jones and Monschke

RED REFLECTORS AND OTHER AUTO ACCESSORIES. SUMMER STORAGE RATES

RUSSELL PARTS SERVICE

At Old Jackson-Bolton Building

MONEY IS COMING FOR EDDY ROAD WORK

A full delegation of Carlsbad empire builders, including members of the board of county commissioners, representatives of the chamber of commerce and other interested parties, including J. W. Lewis, road engineer, will attend the hearing opening at Santa re today, when the division of the federal allotment of money for subsidiary and main roads will be made.

There is some lack of information as to the process that will be followed in the distribution of the money, although it is presumed that it will be based upon area and population. Assuming that this process will be followed, Eddy with an area of approximately 4,000 square miles and a population of around 16,000 would have in the neighborhood of \$207,000 to use.

No attempt to allocate the money locally has been made, that de-

WATER CAMP FOR BOY SCOUTS STARTED TUES.

A five day water camp for Boy Scouts of this area started Tuesday on Lake Van at Dexter. The camp will be like most other Scout camps, with the exception that water sports will predominate. The Rev. B. F. Howden, Roswell will be the director of the camp and Red Cross life saving examiner.

Boys attending have furnished their own grub and shelter, and a fee of twenty-five cents was charged for overhead. Troops furnish the transportation.

The program consists of swimming, boating, water sports, hiking, pioneering, cooking, handicrafts, scouting and Red Cross life saving methods.

SENATORS INTERESTED IN RED BLUFF PROJECT

Senators Tom Conally and Morris Sheppard appeared before the public works administrator at Washington last week to ask that the Red Bluff power-irrigation project be included in the self-liquidating public works program of the government.

At this writing—Thursday noon—no definite word has been received from either Conally or Sheppard as to the outcome of their interview.

Since the Red Bluff set up will include a mammoth power plant it is believed the attitude of the government will help rather than hinder our chances.—Pecos (Tex.) Enterprise.

Miss Ethel Olson returned Monday from a very brief vacation trip to Los Angeles, California in which she visited her brother, Oscar Samuelson and nephew, Harry Samuelson.



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CHEVROLET

Why is it that every 12-cylinder and 16-cylinder car in America has bodies of steel reinforced by hardwood? Why is it that every make of car selling for over \$4000 uses bodies of exactly the same type? Why? For the same reason that Chevrolet uses it exclusively. Because every test and every experiment have definitely proved: STEEL ALONE IS NOT ENOUGH!

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GUY CHEVROLET COMPANY ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO



## PRESIDENT CALLS ON NATIONS EMPLOYES TO SHORTEN HOURS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President Roosevelt Tuesday night called upon all employers in the nation to put into immediate effect the voluntary code to shorten working hours and elevate wage levels.

Summoning the country to a quick attack upon the depression, Mr. Roosevelt in a talk to the people announced his purpose to keep posted in the post office of every town a roll of honor "of all those who join with me."

"I ask," he said, "that even before the dates set in the agreement which we have sent out, the employers of the country who have not already done so—the big fellow and the little fellows—shall at once write or telegraph to me personally at the white house, expressing their intention of going through with the plans. And it is my purpose to keep posted in the post office of every town, a roll of honor of all those who join me."

Praising the co-operation so far given to the attempt for American industry to spread work and increase wages, the president said he recognized that a few men might try to thwart "this great common purpose by seeking selfish advantage."

He noted there are adequate penalties in law to meet this but urged instead a voluntary co-operation and announced this would be the only instrument used "in this great summer offensive against unemployment."

"But we shall use them to the limit," he stated, "to protect the willing from the laggard and make the plan succeed."

The president said the American people "will pull themselves out of this depression if they want to."

### DR. PUCKETT MAKES INSPECTIONS HERE

Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health officer was in Artesia Tuesday to make a sanitary inspection of several restaurants and dairies. He denied rumors that the Clark lake north of town had been condemned for swimming purposes. Although he said he had not made a test of the water in some time.

### LEFT FOR CHICAGO TUESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams and little daughter, Georgia Lee and his brothers, Johnnie and Woodrow left Tuesday morning for Chicago to visit the Century of Progress Exposition. They are driving through and expect to be gone about three weeks. They will probably visit some of the eastern cities before their return.

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

## Lone Round-the-World Flyer



Closeup of Wiley Post, the Oklahoma aviator, made just before his start on a flight around the world in his plane, the Winnie Mae.

### LOCALS

Miss Dora Russell returned Friday from Albuquerque where she had attended the Bi-Lingual convention which convened there last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rinehart and family of Anaheim, California arrived Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Rinehart's mother, Mrs. F. W. Hinrichsen and her sister, Mrs. E. A. Hannah and family. Mr. Rinehart is a professor in the high school at Anaheim.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Naylor and daughter, Miss Maxine of Mitchell, Nebraska were overnight guests of their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Spencer Saturday night while en route to the Carlsbad caverns. After going through the caverns Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Naylor and daughter left for McAllen, Texas to look after some property interests in that section.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ragsdale and their daughter, Mrs. D. D. Archer who is visiting them from Oklahoma City, left Tuesday for Hot Springs, this state, where they will take baths for a few days and from there will go to Bisbee, Arizona to visit Mr. Ragsdale's brother, Clark Ragsdale and his sister, Mrs. A. Baugh and family.

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### HOPE ITEMS

Miss Frances Johnson, Reporter

Mrs. M. E. Picke attended to business in Artesia Friday.

Mrs. C. J. Ferrell plans to move to Artesia soon to make her home there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prude visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton in Artesia over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Norton returned last week to Kerns, Texas after visiting several days.

Mrs. Carl Lewis and son, Sammie visited this week with Mrs. N. L. Johnson and family.

Edna Puckett of Carlsbad and Blanch Robinson, of Ozone, Texas visited friends in Hope Monday.

Mrs. Lena Wilson of Phoenix, Arizona is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Shelton.

Mrs. Irvin P. Murphy returned Sunday from Ft. Worth Texas after visiting her sister for several weeks.

Mrs. Howard Norton and son, Jimmy of Taylor, Texas visited this week with R. T. Mallard and family.

Inez Teel returned Sunday from Abilene, Texas where she has been attending a business college this summer.

Mrs. J. V. Reed and Mrs. Ernest Scoggin attended the Baptist convention in Carlsbad Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Damewood of Lubbock, Texas, spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bridgman.

Mrs. Sam Johnson and R. B. Mallard of San Diego, California visited this week with R. T. Mallard and family.

Travis Coates of Breckenridge, Texas visited this week with his father, Claud Coates. He is a former resident of Hope.

Jack McClellan, who has been visiting on the Bryant Williams farm during the past six weeks returned to his home in Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. J. P. Parks and daughter, Betsy and Marjorie Johnson returned Monday from Texas where they visited friends in Dallas and Childress.

Bill, Si and Dave Bunting, Bonnie Altman and Lawrence Blakey spent last week in Marfa, Texas where they fished on the Rio Grande.

W. S. Medcalf and Edd Gage left Sunday for Pecos, this state where they plan to fish this week. They will spend part of their time visiting Santa Fe.

## MARKETS

### N. Y. COTTON

(Furnished by courtesy of Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association).

(October Option)

	Open	Close
Thursday	11.38	10.72
Friday	10.69	10.26
Saturday	10.33	10.29
Monday	10.53	10.72
Tuesday	10.78	10.56
Wednesday	10.54	10.77

As anticipated last week, wide fluctuations were almost inevitable and we have witnessed a decline in the January option last Friday to 9.86 or about 235 points. Such a decline was not abnormal in a market that had advanced 600 points without more than fifty points reaction, and such a decline has greatly strengthened the markets technical position; much weakly held cotton is out of the market, many stop loss orders have been cleaned up and the market is now due a gradual advance. It is no longer lop-sided.

Anticipating sales of considerable "option" cotton and taking into consideration all of the many other factors, we continue to advocate sales of a part of one's crop when and if the market again reaches the 12 cent level.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Shultz and daughter, Mrs. Fay Hultz, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hilary White, Jr. Mrs. White is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Printess and family, of El Paso, Texas visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Young and family. Mrs. Printess is a sister of Mrs. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prude entertained at their ranch Wednesday night with a dance and barbecue honoring Mr. and Mrs. Tom Prude and Mr. and Mrs. Theo Murphy of Pedro, California, who were visiting them. There were about one hundred present. Music was furnished by an orchestra from Lake Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bird arrived Saturday after an extended vacation in which they visited at the home of Mr. Bird at Blanket, Texas and at the home of Mrs. Bird at Murfreesboro, Tennessee. They also visited the Century of Progress Exposition in Chicago and made the return trip in company with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blocker, who were also returning from their vacation.

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# We Have Turned the Long Lane

And the future is brighter as a result of the splendid accomplishments of T. H. Flint, the people of Artesia and the officials of The First National Bank, in the bank's reopening.

Now that the first major crisis has been successfully met, all of us are better prepared to carry on and plan for further constructive accomplishments to aid the growth and development of our section.

## Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company

*Henry Ford*  
*Dearborn, Mich.*

### IN ANSWER TO A LADY'S LETTER

A lady writes to say that she does not understand why an 8-cylinder car does not cost more to run than a car with fewer cylinders. She refers to my statement that our Ford V-8 develops more power on a gallon of gas than any car we have made.

The use of 8-cylinders does not mean the addition of two or four extra fuel consumers. It is not, for example, a 4-cylinder engine multiplied by two. Our 8-cylinder engine takes the fuel supply of an ordinary 4-cylinder engine and divides it eight ways. And why?

By reducing four larger explosions into eight smaller ones, we get engine smoothness and quietness. Eight-cylinders indicate the way the gas is used, not the amount. It is just the difference between going upstairs in four long jumps or in eight ordinary steps.

Two things use up gas—bad engine design and useless car weight. Besides having an engine that gets a high percentage of power out of the fuel, the Ford V-8 has a light, strong body and chassis so that no power is wasted in moving excess weight.

The only extravagance about the new Ford V-8 engine is in the building of it. The extravagance is ours—the economy is yours.

The whole question of car economy needs clearing up. An economical car gives economy all round. Price, operation, upkeep, all play their part. If what you save on gas you lose elsewhere, that is not economy.

As to upkeep, our dealers say that in recent years the improved quality of Ford cars has cut down their repair business 50 per cent.

As to price with quality,—judge for yourself.

As to economy, here is the record of a stock car three weeks out of shop in Oklahoma:

On a run of 10,054 miles at the rate of 1,000 miles a day—the Ford V-8 gave 18.8 miles per gallon of gas. Not a drop of water was added to the radiator. The oil was changed once in 1,000 miles.

That should answer a lot of questions.

July 24th, 1933

*Henry Ford*

# Kelvinators Advance Again September 1st

Only a Few Models Left to Choose From At the Old Price



**Kelvinator**

We rejoice with the Artesia community in the reopening of The First National Bank. Now you can give a yellow check for your Kelvinator and save money. Furniture is still advancing and we shall be compelled to mark our furniture stock up within a few days... buy needs for your home now.

NEW PRICES SUBJECT TO FURTHER INCREASE WITHOUT NOTICE

## McClay Furniture Store

"Your Home Should Come First"



## THE CATTLEMEN WILL AWAIT ORDERS TO REMOVE FENCES

SANTA FE—The fences on the public domain are to come down, or to be opened up so that people may pass freely. So the new acting special agent in charge of the division of investigations, U. S. land office, announced last week.

This new official is G. G. Bywater, of Salt Lake City, who succeeds Richard M. Daly, who recently replaced J. T. Murphy in that office.

Bywater, who is on the job said that the field division has been abolished and the new division is attached directly to the department of the interior, by order of Secretary Ickes.

As to the removal of the fences on public domain. Bywater finds that most of them are of posts and wire, and extend principally over the southern part of New Mexico. No direct orders have been received to remove them, but these formal documents are expected any day. Newspaper dispatches from Washington have told of the decision of Ickes to remove the fences.

These fences were put up by private land owners and are in direct violation of the 1885 Unlawful Enclosure Act, says Bywater. The law was never repealed, but during the World War and during periods of drought, the laws were "temporarily suspended" to enable cattle and sheep growers to protect their grazing areas.

Under the new regulations, the owners of lands will have to roll up the fences themselves, or cut openings.

Local cattlemen have not yet removed the fences from the range they occupy, it was learned here Tuesday. Many will await further orders from the interior department before proceeding to tear down the fences.

The order to remove fences is generally regarded as the most severe blow experienced by stockmen in several years. It will cost the cattle industry thousands of dollars and is expected to result in confusion.

## FARMERS WEEK TO BE HELD AT WORLD FAIR

Henry A. Wallace, secretary of agriculture, will speak to the farmers of America at a Century of Progress Exposition on Friday August 18, when they are assembled at Chicago for farm week at the world's fair, it was announced. Mr. Wallace will arrive on Thursday, August 17 and spend some time in consultation with their leaders before the scheduled address.

An invitation has also been extended to Henry Morgenthau, Jr., to speak on farm credits, and a delegation will leave Chicago shortly for Washington to ask Mrs. F. D. Roosevelt to come to Chicago and speak on Tuesday, August 15, Farm Women's Day.

For six days of this week, which has been set aside to honor the progress of the farmer in the past hundred years every facility of the fair will be directed to the special purpose of informing and entertaining the farm people. Plans are now being made for educational tours which will give opportunity for farm people to come into quick contact with those features of the fair of primary interest to those engaged in the advancement of agricultural life.

Each of the great buildings on the fair grounds, including the agricultural, dairy, electrical, religious, science, horticultural, social science, etc., are developing programs for farm week at the fair which will prove of great value to rural visitors.

The exposition is now making arrangements through its housing bureau to prepare approved lists of inexpensive eating and living quarters so that farmers can make the trip to Chicago with economy.

## GATOR CAUGHT IN LAKE

An alligator weighing possibly 150 pounds and about 7½ feet in length was snared in the so-called Ku Klux lake Tuesday afternoon and taken to the city park where an enclosure and pool will be built especially for it. The capture, by means of wires and ropes, was made by Walter Thornton, fireman, M. H. Ward, R. E. Sapp and J. W. Garrett. The gator is one of four planted in this body of water about four years ago. The other three were killed.—Roswell Dispatch.

## TYPEWRITERS

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

## LOCALS

C. A. Sangster, who has been critically ill with pneumonia is improving.

Miss Lola Ward is spending the week in Albuquerque as the guest of Miss Nellie Clark.

Howell Gage, of Carlsbad, deputy sheriff was shaking hands with old friends here yesterday.

Olan Woolridge of Roswell spent the latter part of the week here with his sister, Mrs. A. L. Kite

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Fite of Hope were shopping and attending to business matters here yesterday.

Mrs. Oliver Scoggins and children of Hope spent several days last week at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. S. French.

Rude Wilcox drove up to Santa Fe, Saturday night and spent Sunday with Mrs. Wilcox and the boys, returning Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson of Anaheim, California are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Garrett and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spivey were guests at a dinner bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Conley of Roswell, Wednesday evening.

Miss Elizabeth Cogdell arrived Tuesday afternoon by train returning from a visit to the Century of Progress Exposition in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith attended services at the Baptist church in Roswell Sunday night and heard the Golden Girls quartette from the Simmons University.

Miss Elizabeth Gage arrived Sunday from Las Cruces where she has been a student at State College. Her uncle, Thelbert French and Miss Inez Marley of Roswell met her at Ruidoso and drove down with her.

Britton Coll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alf Coll drove up to the Ruidoso, Wednesday with his grandmother, Mrs. Emma Coll and aunt, Miss Addie Coll, who expect to spend several weeks at their cabin. Britton will return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lanning and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mount spent Sunday at Ruidoso with Mr. and Mrs. C. Bert Smith and Mrs. Edson Jones. Mr. Smith is holding his own and is probably slightly improved since being removed to the mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Morgan returned Sunday night from their vacation trip which took them to Chicago and the Century of Progress Exposition and on to Madison, Wisconsin where Mr. Morgan attended his fraternity convention.

Miss Catherine Clarke accompanied her house guest, Miss Rosalind Crowley, on a trip through the Carlsbad Caverns last Saturday. Her brother, Laurence drove to Carlsbad with them. Miss Crowley expects to leave today for her home in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Cash Austin, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hightower joined Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blocker in Clovis Saturday as they were en route home from their vacation trip and visited here until Tuesday when he returned to Clovis to be with his father who has been critically ill.

Mrs. John McCann who is with her sister, Mrs. C. C. Pitts at Coleman, Texas sends a message announcing the arrival of a six and one-half pound boy born to her sister and husband last Friday. He has been named Ronald Warren. Mrs. Pitts (Nee Mildred Brown) has visited here a number of times.

Mr. and Mrs. Temple Mullanari and daughter, Miss Mozelle of San Diego, California were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hightower and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blocker. They made the cavern trip Sunday accompanied by Cash Austin of Farmington, this state and left Monday for their home going by Cloudcroft.

Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Carter and their daughter, Mrs. Graham Kilo and two small sons of Mercedes, Texas arrived last Friday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jesse. Dr. Carter is a brother-in-law of Mr. Jesse. Dr. and Mrs. Carter drove up to the Ruidoso Saturday and were joined there by Mr. and Mrs. Jesse and Mrs. Kilo and children this morning. The Carters will return via El Paso, Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse will return here Friday.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved.—The Advocate.

# LET'S GO ARTESIA

With the First National Bank licensed to re-open and with a better spirit prevailing over the country, due largely to the belief that we have passed the crisis and to the fact that commodity prices are advancing, we are confident Artesia and North Eddy County are due to make the most substantial progress experienced in the past three years.

## CONFIDENCE

Confidence and courage are the essentials of success in carrying out any community plan . . . these qualities were manifested in the good people of Artesia in a four months' effort to re-open The First National.

The community organization which is behind every worthwhile community movement joins full voiced in the chorus that hails the arrival of better times—LET'S GO.

## Artesia Chamber of Commerce

### To The Public Spirited Citizens of Artesia---

You have made possible the re-opening of The First National Bank . . . we thank you. Friday the opening date will mark better times for Artesia and North Eddy County. Our faith in the future of this section has never failed. We pledge anew our confidence in the forward march of our community and our nation.

## Brainard-Corbin Hdw. Co.

### Over The Rough Spot

The Artesia Community has again surmounted a difficult situation and we feel proud of it. We extend congratulations to those who have had a part in the re-opening of the bank and also extend our best wishes for continued success of the First National.

Twenty-six years of Drug Store service to this section.

## Mann Drug Company

### We Believe in Artesia

And its institutions. With the re-opening of The First National Bank only a day away, we rejoice with the public spirited citizens of this locality in bringing to pass a worthwhile accomplishment—that of freeing the cash resources of the community. In the faith that is born of confidence and courage, we subscribe ourselves to the full duty to our community, state and nation.

## Big Jo Lumber Company

Phone 19

## WE APPRECIATE

The fine spirit displayed by the public spirited citizens of this area in the re-opening of The First National Bank. Without unwarranted optimism we feel that Artesia and North Eddy County now stand upon the threshold of good business and well being.

We are going forward with full faith in the future of Eastern New Mexico, and Artesia and the ability of the people here to work to that end which will assure us one and all better times.

## MOUNTS

## UNSHAKEN FAITH

We have unshaken faith in the future of Eastern New Mexico, Artesia and its people. The manner in which the people of this section have met their problems has served to make this faith more abiding.

## New Mexico Oil Men's Protective Association

## CONFIDENCE

We extend our congratulations to T. H. Flint and to the people of Artesia in making possible the re-opening of The First National Bank and pledge anew our confidence for the continued success of the bank.

## E. N. BIGLER, Agent

Continental Oil Company

## CONGRATULATIONS

Founded in the infancy of Artesia, twenty-five years ago, this firm is ever ready to pledge anew its confidence in the present and future of Artesia and the surrounding communities.

Our abounding natural resources, the inborn ability of our people, the wealth of opportunity that surrounds us on every side, stand today as an inspiration to achievement and to an assurance of prosperity that lies at our door. Again we say "Congratulations to the public spirited citizens of Artesia on the re-opening of The First National Bank."

## GILBERT & COLLINS

Real Estate . . . Insurance . . . Rentals

## Let's Celebrate---

The opening of The First National Bank, not especially by any noise making or wind jamming, but by closer co-operation with the bank and community affairs.

## L. P. EVANS

Plumbing, Tin Work, Gas Appliances and Hardware

## THE TURNING POINT

We believe that the Artesia community has reached the turning point with the opening of The First National Bank. From this day forward, better times will greet us all. With our shoulders to the wheel, each and every one of us have held much faith in Artesia, its institutions and this section. Now our faith has borne fruit.

We shall continue to strive to give a full measure of service

## STAR GROCERY

J. S. SHARP, Prop.

The Home Owned Store

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## Celebrate The Opening

with

## Sunday Dinner for the Family

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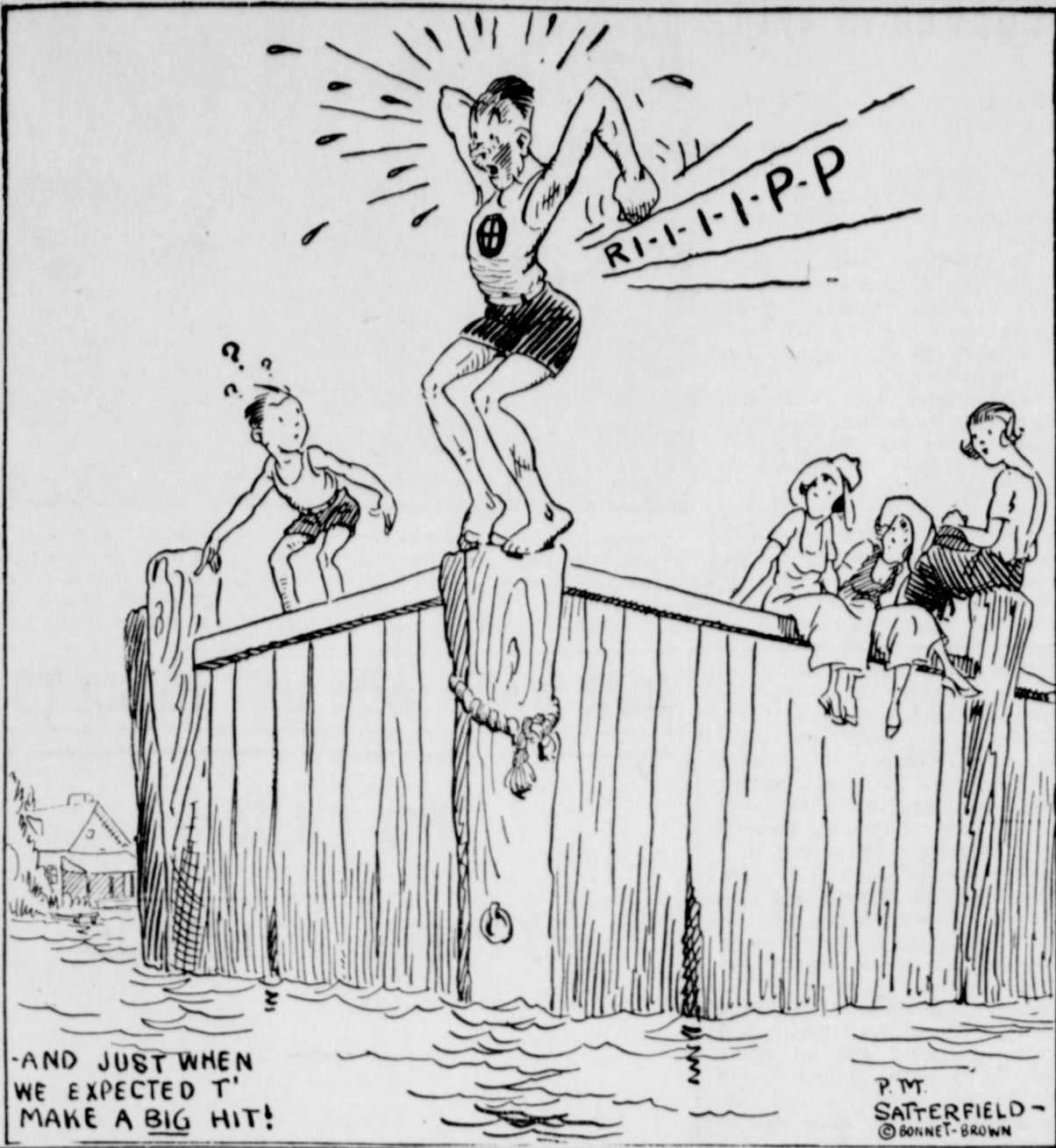
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## Artesia Hotel Coffee Shop

# Prosperity Lies Ahead!



Of All Things!



AND JUST WHEN WE EXPECTED T' MAKE A BIG HIT!

COST \$37,000,000 TO BUILD WORLD'S FAIR

CHICAGO, July 19, 1933—Thirty-seven million dollars. That's what the Chicago World's Fair—A Century of Progress—cost. With the valuation of articles exhibited included, it cost \$100,000,000.

What has amazed the millions of visitors from every corner of the earth who entered the gates during the Fair's first month is that 85 per cent of it can be seen for fifty cents—the price of an adult admission ticket.

There are 82 miles of free exhibits. That is only two miles shy of the total length of all Chicago's boulevards—and Chicago is the greatest boulevard city in the world.

What has further amazed these millions of visitors is that the "whole show"—including every concession, every conveyance, every thrill—can be seen at prices ranging from five cents to forty cents.

A Century of Progress, from the visitor's point of view, is the cheapest World's Fair of all time.

As the visitor moves along the great Avenue of Flags, he is conscious that here, even in a world where the mere suggestion is scoffed at, are things he has never seen before, that he can see nowhere else in the world. At the end of the street rippling with brilliant silks overhead and seething with the motion of wondering thousands on the ground, are the inspiring pylons of the Hall of Science, key building of the Exposition, and the outstanding example of the new idea in architecture that it represents.

The unbelievable marvels that it contains, theatrical in nature despite their educational value, are free to everyone.

Pavilions and exhibits of many nations scattered over the globe takes the visitor on an authoritative, though figurative, journey to the far places. Most of them are free.

The Federal Building and the colorful Hall of States; the General Motors exhibit, where visitors may watch cars being built in a complete assembly plant; the Electrical Group, home of marvels of the greatest of all mechanical ages, and containing more than a glimpse into the world of the future—all these and a host of others are also free.

Every day at the World's Fair there are plentiful special programs, well worth the visitors' time. Orchestras and bands, with groups of trained professional entertainers offer their shows along the streets and on the lagoon boardwalks. There are daily programs in the floating theater of the North Lagoon. The Court of States, the Court of the Hall of Science, and other points in the Exposition daily contribute their share to the entertainment of visitors, all without charge.

Out-of-town visitors have found to their satisfaction that Chicago hotels, even during an international exposition, are offering them accommodations at no increase in price. First class quarters range from \$1.50 to \$5 a day, with the average at \$3. Rooms in private homes can be secured at from \$1 a day up, and even less for extended stays. Restaurant and transportation prices are in line. Parking places are available at convenient location, and at nominal charge.

When they have discovered the true facts, visitors have found that wild estimates placing the cost of seeing A Century of Pro-

gress at \$100 and even more, are nothing but will-o'-the-wish rumors, with no true grounds to justify them.

Mrs. T. H. Flint and daughters, Misses Neva Sue, Kitty and Bettie returned Tuesday from San Antonio and Houston, Texas where they spent the past fortnight visiting friends and relatives.

SUPERINTENDENTS TO MEET

SANTA FE—A meeting of county school superintendents will be held at Santa Fe sometime in August, Mrs. George L. Lusk said Monday. Mrs. Lusk, state superintendent of schools, said plans for the next school term and free text book distribution would be discussed at the meeting.

CLARDY'S BUTTER Is Uniform in Freshness and Quality

The reason—we buy the best cream the valley affords.

JOBLESS PLAN TO BE LAUNCHED IN SEPT.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Every citizen Friday was summoned to a covenant with President Roosevelt to re-employ the jobless millions by Labor Day.

To more than 5,000,000 employers was addressed a request from the president to join his national recovery administration in a mass attack on the depression by voluntary agreements to lift wages and shorten hours.

The heart of the plan: Every employer will receive thru the mail July 27th an agreement addressed to him by President Roosevelt. Upon signing, this binds him to maintain a fixed minimum wage and not to exceed a fixed maximum work week during "the president's emergency re-employment drive," from August 1 to December 1.

The basic hours, labor and wages:

Child labor outlawed. \$14 to \$15 a week minimum and a 40-hour week for so-called white collar labor.

30 to 40 cents an hour minimum for a 35-hour week and an 8-hour day maximum for factory and mechanical labor.

Equitable readjustment of pay above the minimum.

Every signer receives a certificate and government badge showing the seal of N. R. A. (National Recovery Administration) and the words: "Member N. R. A. We Do Our Part." This badge may be displayed on all equipment, goods, communications and premises. The signer may appeal for adjustments if a hardship is worked.

"We're going to appeal to the public to support the people who agree," Johnson said "I believe we can create a psychology stronger than in war. We already have the churches and fraternal societies lined up."

For every consumer who wishes to co-operate and become a member of the N. R. A. there will be a badge issued upon signing of this statement:

"I will co-operate in re-employment by supporting employers and workers who are members of N. R. A."

Johnson exhibited a chart he called: "The only significant chart there is." It showed that values have shot far upward, leaving purchasing power behind. "It is inevitable that these must move together for prosperity," he said.

MISSES RICHARDS AND JAMES IN ACCIDENT

Miss Bertha Richards who was the guest of Miss Anna Mae James of Kansas City last week was in quite a serious accident with Miss James and her mother. The three ladies were driving on the streets of Kansas City and collided with another automobile and in some way a man crossing the street was knocked down and is in a very serious condition. Both cars were almost completely demolished, however all the occupants of the cars escaped without serious injury. Miss Richards and Miss James expected to leave for Chicago Saturday.

AMERICAN CHEESE

In making American cheese sweet milk is used. It is best to take the milk soon after milking either in the morning or at night. Put four gallons of milk in a pressure cooker or any large container and heat it to a temperature of 86 degrees. The thermometer should be held in one hand and you should gently stir the milk with a ladle or large spoon, stirring from the bottom so the milk will heat uniformly. When the temperature reaches 86 keep it there for not over two minutes then remove the container from the stove and mix in cheese coloring.

This coloring is made by using about 1/2 cheese coloring tablet which has been dissolved in a little warm water.

Slowly stir while adding this coloring so it will be uniformly mixed. Then add 1/2 rennet tablet which has been dissolved in one tablespoon cold water. Stir slowly until well mixed, then cover the container with a cloth and let stand for 30 minutes. At the end of 30 minutes the milk should have formed a soft even curd. Taking a long knife cut slowly in strips both ways so as to make squares not over one inch in size. Let stand a few minutes, until the whey begins to rise. Then place it on the stove. Heat slowly until the temperature reaches 98. Meanwhile breaking up the curd by lifting from the bottom upwards. This should break into small pieces about the size of a grain of corn. THIS SHOULD BE DONE GENTLY for if handled roughly the cream will separate from the milk. When the temperature has reached 98 hold it for about one minute and remove from stove, and the mixture is ready to be poured off.

Spread a clean cloth or flour sack into a large dish pan and pour the curd gently into the cloth. Raise it up and drain for two or three minutes. After the draining is over add salt to the curd, using about one tablespoonful to this amount of curd. The curd is then ready to be placed into the press.

A simple way to make a press is to melt the bottom out of a gallon syrup bucket. Saw a one

inch board round so it will fit loosely inside the bucket. Two pieces are necessary for each pail. Line this bucket with cheese cloth and place one of the boards in each end of the bucket. The outfit is then ready to put into a press of some sort. A simple way to make this press is to hinge a two by four on a post, cutting it about three feet long and nailing it just high enough to clear the bucket. Take a block and set it on top the bucket about the center of the two by four and then hang a weight (a pail of stone or some other object) on the end of the two by four about a 20 pound weight is used. After the cheese has been pressed for about six hours take the cheese out of the bucket and straighten your cloth and turn the cheese. Let this stay in the press for about 24 hours. Then remove the cheese from the press and rub with butter, or if you prefer with paraffin, the whole outside. It should be put in a cool place and turned at least once a day for about a week. This cheese will be good to eat at about 30 or 40 days old.

TWO DIE IN CHAIR

SANTA FE—Two men Friday paid the death penalty in New Mexico as the law exacted the highest penalty for murder. They were the first executions since New Mexico changed from hanging to electrocution. A home made chair performed perfectly.

The victims were Tom Johnson and Santiago Garduno, each convicted of murder. Johnson was the first in the chair, being strapped in and the electrodes adjusted at 12:30 a. m. The current, 2,300 volts at 10 amperes, was applied for 40 seconds and the negro was pronounced dead at 12:38 a. m. Doctors E. W. Fiske and Albert Lathrop pronounced each man dead.

Miss Margaret McCroby of the oil field is the guest of Miss Josephine Payne this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas and son, Garnet drove up to the Ruidoso last Thursday for a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. Bert Smith.

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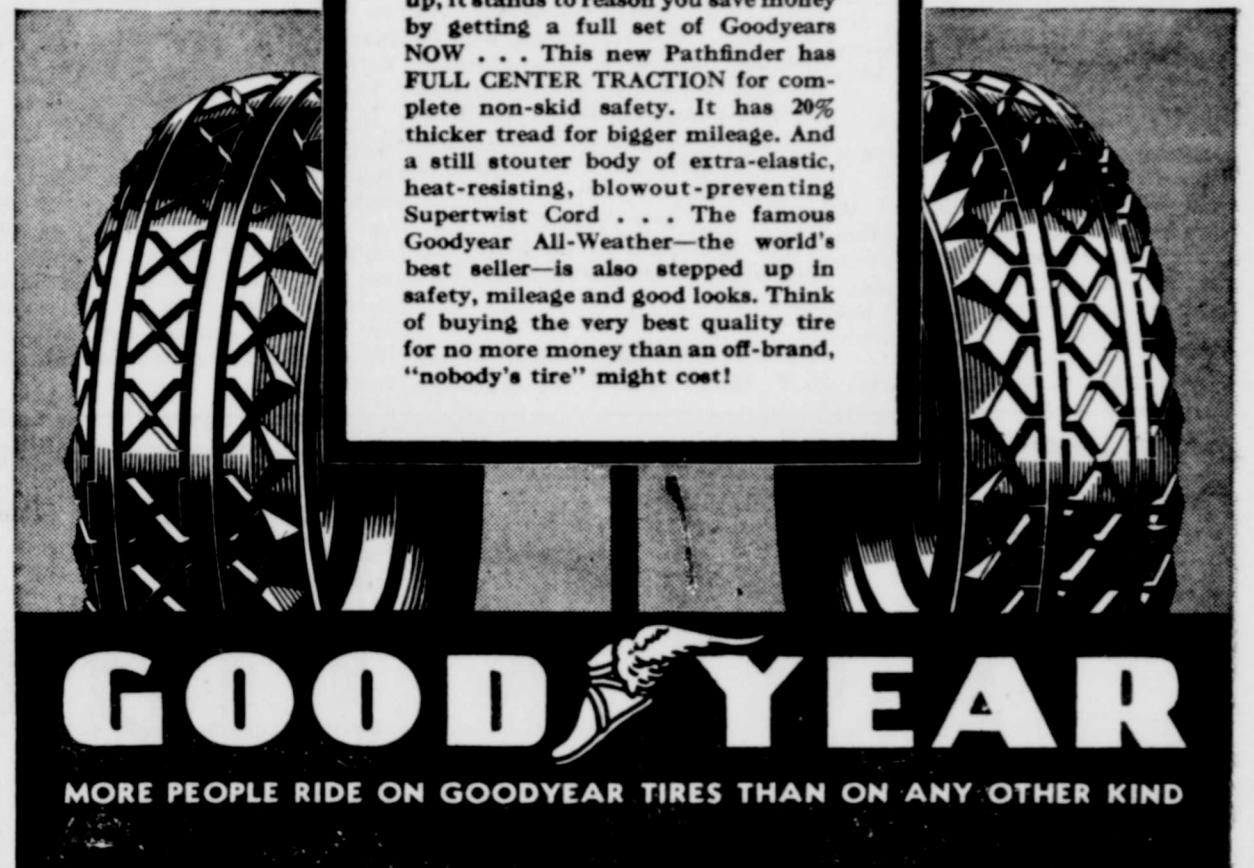
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#### Bank Re-Opening— (Continued from first page)

helped to re-open our bank and the depositors and customers for their almost infinite patience, while it was inactive. The results of our efforts are reflected in the report of the depositors committee published in this issue of The Advocate. Officers and directors of the bank have co-operated to the full limit in every way. Conservator Watson disregarded his personal interests to help us open the bank. Your depositor's committee have paid every cent of their expenses. We have done our dead level best for you. Your bank will be opened 100 per cent Friday morning. Will you go along in a normal way? That is all we ask you to do.

The matter of selection of a new board of directors and new officers will probably be attended to the first of next week. No officer or director can be chosen until the bank is opened in a normal way.

#### POISONED WEED KILLS COWS

Several cows are reported to have died in the mountain section recently as result of eating some sort of poisoned weed. A diagnosis of the strange poison has not been made so far as known.

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#### TEMPERANCE FORCE MEET AND ORGANIZE UNIT HERE TODAY

Dr. Henry Van Valkenburgh, and his daughter, Miss Jeanette, of El Paso, Texas, were present at the citizens' mass meeting at the Methodist church last Sunday afternoon which was held in the interest of promoting temperance and stimulating interest in the proposed changes in the state and national laws with reference to prohibition. Miss Van Valkenburgh gave several piano numbers and also several readings which were enjoyed by all those present. Dr. Van Valkenburgh made an effective address on "Prosperity, Beer and Prohibition." Following the address plans were made to organize a precinct committee to have active charge of the plans inaugurated by the meeting. The committee will be formally appointed this morning by representatives of the various churches and the W. C. T. U. at a meeting to be held at the home of The Rev. A. C. Douglas at ten o'clock.

Joe Wertheim of Carlsbad was attending to business matters here yesterday.

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#### GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Launching of friendship boats, bits of bark with lighted candles for sails, was the theme of a Scout's Own Program at Camp Mary White, Girl Scout camp in the Sacramento mountains this week.

A trio, composed of Misses Blanche Piester, of Weatherford, Texas, Ruth Elliott, Enid, Oklahoma, and Mae Chrysler of El Paso, Texas, sang, "Where Go The Boats?"

A poem was read by Miss Margaret Chrisman of Green River, Wyoming. Mrs. Stewart Lamb, Bartlesville, Oklahoma, told a story about boats.

Miss Mota Shaw, Amarillo, Texas sang leader, sang the Italian boat song, "Santa Lucia."

Patrol leaders from each ranch, or small groups of campers, launched the friendship boats as they said appropriate verses.

R. L. Paris left Sunday for Maryville, Missouri. Mrs. Paris, Mary Louise and Billie Will return with him the latter part of the week. Mrs. Paris and the children have been at the home of her parents for the past three months, where she helped nurse her mother during her critical illness which resulted in her recent death.

#### TOWN PRACTICALLY CLEANED OF WEEDS — DEAD TREES GO

Artesia is a cleaner town as result of the effort of the welfare board to supply employment to the needy. For more than two weeks a crew of workers, averaging about twenty-four in number have been busy cutting weeds from the vacant lots and cutting down dead trees. Practically the entire town except a few blocks in the west and south end has been cleared of weeds. The dead wood cut will be stored for use as fuel during the winter.

Cleaning the vacant lots has not only added to the appearance of Artesia, but has added to the health of the people as well. Getting rid of the growing weeds is expected to lessen hay fever prevalent among many during the summer months.

#### TO RAISE FUND FOR MRS. LEONARD

Solicitation is underway at Roswell to secure funds for Mrs. Barney Leonard and children. Mrs. Leonard's husband, Sergeant Barney Leonard was killed in a gun battle July 16th, at Roswell while attempting to arrest Frank Wallace, noted Oklahoma outlaw.

#### RAIL RATES TO BE REDUCED IN SEPT.

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Railroad freight rates, a large item in the cost of living, appeared certain Saturday to be reduced on September 30 around \$100,000,000 a year for the country as a whole.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has dismissed appeals of carriers serving North and South Dakota from refusals of state commissions to approve increases in intrastate rates.

At the same time it became known that seven railroads serving Oklahoma have withdrawn a plea for federal interference in that state.

The federal rail tribunal has been considering whether to order a general decrease in basic freight rates throughout the country.

Several weeks ago the commission took under consideration an appeal of farm organizations and producers of basic commodities for a general rate cut in line with current economic conditions.

None of the commission officials would discuss the situation but from other quarters it became known that members of the commission hope to have the decision ready to release by August 1.

In connection with this case it was recalled that the commission was relieved by the last session of congress of the necessity of having to attempt to provide a minimum earning power for the carriers as a whole. Heretofore, the valuation of the railroads had to be considered and an effort made to produce around 6 per cent of net income, a task the commission never succeeded in accomplishing.

The new law directs the commission to give "due consideration among other factors to the effect of rates on the movement of traffic; to the need in the public interest of adequate and efficient railway service at the lowest cost consistent with the furnishing of such service and to the need of revenue sufficient to enable the carriers under honest and economical management to provide such services.

Mrs. Rex Wheatley came down from Weed last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Rohm Holt of Carlsbad and remained until Sunday when she returned with Dr. Russell and family who were en route to the Artesia Sacramento camp.

#### Wins Crown and Meal Ticket for Life



Norine H. of Prospect was crowned "dairy queen" at the meeting of the Wisconsin Dairymen's association. She won the life time meal ticket and the wreath of alfalfa because she is the famed mother of a famous line of cows, and for 13 years she has averaged 387 pounds of butterfat, which, whether or not you know your butterfat, is some record.

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Joseph Wertheim  
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Faith in the solvency of the First National Bank by the people is responsible for its re-opening. Faith in the future of Artesia and its institutions and faith in our nation is a prerequisite to our recovery and to the recovery of America. Faith such as that which inspired the pioneers of this section and the founders of this great nation, can retrieve the country's fallen fortunes, revive dormant markets, reanimate crippled industry and put willing workers back on the job. It can restore American standards of living to American people and restore prosperity to our section.

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