





THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR



MAJESTIC THEATRE

Thur.-Fri.  
Jan. 18-19  
Bargain Nites  
Edward G. Robinson  
"Little Giant"

Saturday,  
Jan. 20  
Ken Maynard  
-In-  
"Gun Justice"

Sun.-Mon.  
Jan. 21-22  
Lee Tracy  
Jean Harlow  
"Bomb Shell"

Tues.-Wed.  
Jan. 23-24  
Lionel Barrymore  
"One Man's Journey"

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Advocate.

THE CHURCHES

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY  
613 W. Main Street

10:00 a. m. Sunday school.  
11:00 a. m. Sunday service  
"Life" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches and Societies of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 21st. The golden text is: "If thou wilt enter into life, keep the commandments." (Matt. 19:17).  
Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from Prov. 4:23: "Keep thy heart with all diligence; for out of it are the issues of life."  
The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "We apprehend life in divine science only as we live above corporal sense and correct it. Our proportionate admission of the claims of good or of evil determines the harmony of our existence—our health, our longevity, and our christianity."

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible study 10:00 a. m.  
Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Young People's meeting 6:00 p. m.  
Ladies Bible Class Thursdays 2:30 p. m.  
In the absence of the minister some of the brethren will speak this coming Lord's day.  
The lesson for the Ladies' Bible class on January 25, is Problem No. 5, as follows:  
If you will multiply the number of days that they were in embalming Jacob by the number of horns on the beast which had seven heads; then add the number of measures of wheat that the unjust steward told his lord's debtor to write on his bill; divide this sum by the number of fingers the giant had that Jonathan slew; from this subtract the number of chapters in Matthew; multiply the remainder by the number of days that the Jews were to eat unleavened bread during the Passover; to the result add the least number for which God agreed to save Sodom; divide this sum by the number of immutable things mentioned in Hebrews; to this add Amariah's age when he began to reign; then multiply this sum by the number of cubits in the space required by Joshua between the ark and the people; and you will have the number that John saw on Mount Zion with the lamb.  
You are invited to all our services.  
AVIS C. WIGGINS, Minister.

CALVARY BAPTIST STARTS

The Calvary Missionary Baptist church organized Sunday night, January 7th, with twenty-two charter members had a good attendance at its first public services last Sunday, there being fifty-five present at Sunday school.  
The Rev. F. C. Rowland was extended a unanimous call to the new church and has accepted the work. A series of services will begin next Sunday and continue throughout the week each night at seven o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services. We meet one door east of Mountain States Telephone office.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. F. C. Rowland, Pastor  
Meeting one door east of telephone office.  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. John Simons, acting superintendent. Classes are being organized as rapidly as possible to take care of all ages; separate class rooms are being arranged and only competent adult teachers will be carried on our faculty.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. The old time gospel preached without fear or favor is attracting many to our morning services.  
B. T. S. 6:00 p. m. Cecil Bynum, acting director. Three

VALUE OF THE GOLD DOLLAR MAY BE CUT TO 60 CENTS

WASHINGTON—Party leaders Monday night freely predicted a tremendous vote of confidence in President Roosevelt monetary program when congress acts on the chief executive's requested legislation for a minimum cut of forty per cent in the dollar's gold value and bringing into the treasury the country's entire stock of monetary gold.  
Preparations went forward for speeding his proposals through the legislative mill, while even senate minority leaders conceded they would be able to muster not more than 27 votes in opposition, including five defections by conservative members of the president's own party. The huge democratic majority in the house assured approval by a large margin there.  
Mr. Roosevelt's request went to the capital Monday in a carefully and forcefully worded special message, which, reduced to its essentials, asked congress for three things:  
To give the government "by specific enactment" title to "all supplies of American owned monetary gold, with provision for the payment therefor in gold certificates."  
To "fix the upper limit of permissible revaluation" of the dollar at sixty per cent of its present gold content, noting that "careful study" had led him to a belief "that any revaluation at more than 60 per cent of the present statutory (gold) value would not be in the public interest."  
To give the secretary of the treasury express authority to purchase foreign exchange as well as to buy and sell gold at home and abroad and to establish from any profits on gold stocks derived from devaluation of the dollar a "fund of two billion dollars" with which to make such purchase.  
Publication of the presidential communication was quickly followed by a treasury announcement increasing the quotation on domestic newly mined gold from \$34.06 to \$34.45, the first change in the figure since December 18. On the basis of the new quotation, the gold value of the dollar is exactly forty per cent less than at the statutory mint price of \$20.67.

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unions have already been started and complete organization will be set up after the revival meeting which starts next Sunday. If you are a Baptist and need training get in on the ground floor of this new organization and enjoy the work with us.  
Evening worship 7:00 p. m. These evening services are being conducted mostly for the unsaved; bring out your unsaved friends and help lead them to the way of salvation. Special music each service.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday nights 7:00.  
Public cordially invited.

ATTEND QUARTERLY BAPTIST MEETING

Members of the B. T. S. of the First Baptist church attended the quarterly meeting of the Pecos Valley Associational B. Y. P. U. at East Grand Plains Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Dal Walter represented Artesia on the program, speaking on the subject, "What Is Stewardship?" Mrs. V. D. Bolton, Mrs. Dal Walter, Teddy Vandagriff, Ina Cole, Irene Stuart, La Rue Mann, O'Leta Mounts, Beth Bishop, Dorothy Sue Kuykendall, Garland Stuart, Edgar and Burton Bishop made the trip.

Smilin' Charlie Says



'A lotta women're that way -- you bring home th' bacon and find it's ham they want!'

LIGHT VOTE IN THE CONSERVANCY DISTRICT ELECTION SATURDAY

A light vote was polled Saturday in the election of two directors to serve the Pecos Valley Artesian Conservancy district. Directors whose terms expired were Jess Funk, district four, comprising the north part of Artesia and Cottonwood and Lake Arthur, and Dr. A. D. Crile of Roswell, district one, comprising the territory adjacent to Roswell. Both directors were reelected without opposition. Jess Funk received eleven votes here and about ten at Lake Arthur. Dr. Crile received twelve votes.

INSPECTS 300 WELLS

Sid Cox, well inspector for the south part of the artesian basin, has inspected approximately 300 artesian wells, he said yesterday. Mr. Cox expects to finish his work in the next two or three weeks. He is now working in the Cottonwood community.

550 MILES FEDERAL AID ROAD COMPLETED ON HIGHWAYS IN 33

(Special)  
SANTA FE—During 1933 the state highway department completed construction of approximately 550 miles of federal aid road, the greatest mileage of federal aid highway ever completed in one year.  
Of total mileage completed, 475.9 miles were accepted by the bureau of public roads. The remaining 74 miles were completed, but the work was finished too late in the year to be finally accepted by the federal bureau.  
The 475 miles of highway were constructed at a total cost of \$4,226,772, of which \$3,221,000 was paid by the federal government.  
In addition to the remarkable showing the highway department made on the federal aid system, the close of the year saw 431 miles of secondary highway under construction. This work involved a total cost of \$1,353,000, practically all of which is being borne by the federal government.  
The department also selected, and was overseeing, construction work on over 500 miles of secondary road in the six drouth relief counties on the east side of the state—Union, Harding, Quay, Curry, Roosevelt and Lea.  
These six counties were placed in the drouth area following a survey by the federal bureau of public roads. The purpose of the drouth relief work was to give employment to farmers whose crops had been destroyed by drouth conditions. The highway department so mapped the program that valuable work is being done on the secondary road system, and on portions of the fed-

RURAL SCHOOLS ASK FOR HELP

WASHINGTON—A federal appropriation of \$50,000,000 to keep elementary and secondary schools of America open for the remainder of the school year, and of \$100,000,000 for their operation during the coming year, was sought last week by the committee on emergency aid in education.  
The program was drawn up at a meeting of educational authorities called by George F. Zook, United States commissioner of education. In addition it called on the public works administration to make 10 percent of its new allotments for school buildings as 100 percent grants.

eral aid system, in these counties. The engineering work is up to the standard of that on the secondary road program. Cost of this work has not yet been accurately determined, since employment is being given more on basis of needs of the residents than on basis of construction costs.  
At present there are 1,800 men at work in the six drouth counties on highway jobs. They are allowed to make \$50 per month each. While this program started as a relief project, financed 70 per cent with federal relief funds, the men will be transferred to the CWA some time in January.

GOATS' BLOOD FOR DISEASE TESTS

Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health officer, returned late Saturday night from Pinon, where he went Friday night to secure blood from 25 Angora goats for disease tests.  
At the request of Dr. K. F. Meyer, in the department of bacteriology at the University of California school of medicine, San Francisco, who was here several months ago, Puckett was to obtain the blood of goats believed to be carriers of undulant fever, which affects humans.  
The fever has proved fatal to several persons in this and nearby states, and the purpose of the test was to do research on the disease, known as Brucella infection.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, December 30, 1933.

NOTICE is hereby given that James C. Stephens, of Artesia, New Mexico, who, on August 4th, 1930, made Homestead, Number 041165, for S 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 34, Township 16-S., Range 26-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 15th day of February, 1934.

Claimant names as witnesses: James, B. Stephens, of Artesia, New Mexico, William H. Swackhammer, of Artesia, New Mexico, Ralph H. Sheaffer, of Artesia, New Mexico, Jack Shelton, of Artesia, New Mexico.

V. B. MAY, Register.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF S. G. WHITE, DECEASED, NO.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 20th day of December, 1933, appointed Executrix of the estate of S. G. White, deceased, by Honorable P. J. McCall, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

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

MARY B. WHITE, Executrix.

CLAYTON BANK IS RE-OPENED

State Bank Examiner John Bingham Friday announced the bank of Clayton, a state bank, was then opened on a full 100 percent basis. The bank March 27, 1933, was placed under a 5 percent withdrawal restriction, and a few months ago another 5 percent was permitted. New deposits were accepted all the time, however, subject to 100 percent withdrawal.

With the restriction lifted, Bingham said, all open state banks in New Mexico were functioning 100 percent and every depositor was protected by federal deposit insurance corporation surety to \$2,500 on his deposit.

SUPT. KERR GOES TO EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE

Supt. W. E. Kerr left for Albuquerque this morning where he will be a guest of the State University at the San Jose Training School Conference on Friday. The day there will be spent in observing the work of the school and discussing the applications of the work to the better education of Spanish speaking pupils. On Saturday he will go on to Santa Fe to participate in the annual Mid-Year Administrative Conference called by Mrs. Georgia L. Lusk, state superintendent of public instruction. This conference will be concerned chiefly with a discussion of requirements for teachers' certificates and the adoption of textbooks.

NAVAL POWERS—RUSSIAN PLAN DISCUSSED

Members of the Artesia Rotary club heard the naval strength of the various world powers and the moral effect of the Russian five-year plan discussed at the club luncheon of the Artesia Rotary club Tuesday. Boone Barnett made a five minute talk on the respective naval powers of the world. Dr. C. L. Womack made the principal talk on the moral effect of the Russian five-year plan.

J. A. Reed, Cottonwood farmer, was the only visitor present.

TWO FINED FOR PETTY LARCENY

Rag Rowls and John McIlhoney were arrested Friday morning by J. C. Floore, acting night watchman, on charge of petty larceny after the pair were alleged to have stolen a motometer. When arraigned before W. H. Ballard, justice of the peace, the defendants were fined \$50.00 and costs each which they were unable to pay. Later they were lodged in the Eddy county jail.

COYOTE DEATH RATE HIGH

ALBUQUERQUE—J. M. Melton, predatory animal hunter working in Quay county, made the high catch for December by killing 37 coyotes. Law English, working in Lea county, was second with 34 coyotes, and Dick Raley of Otero county was third with seven bobcats and twenty-three coyotes.

Advocate Want Ads Get Results

HOPE ITEMS

Frances Johnson, Reporter

Mrs. Jim Clements was on the sick list this week.

J. C. Lane of Los Angeles came in last week to visit friends.

J. A. Sadler is quite ill at his home here with the measles.

Mrs. Bonnie Altman has a position in the H. D. Bunting grocery store.

W. S. Medcalf and Eddington Gage were duck hunting on the Pecos Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rowland of Atoka were visiting and transacting business here Sunday.

H. C. Herbert of Elida and Tex Polk of Artesia were business visitors here Wednesday.

Miss Pauline Welty visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ira Welty at Artesia over the week end.

H. R. Rodgers, county school superintendent, was here from Carlsbad Saturday transacting business.

Miss Elma Lois Santo of Austin, Texas, arrived here this week to visit her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Santo.

Mrs. R. E. Kelley of Los Angeles arrived here last week to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McCormack.

Mrs. J. H. Bridgman, Mrs. R. H. McDonald and Mrs. N. L. Johnson were Artesia business visitors Saturday evening.

Wade Lane motored to the Methodist Sacramento Assembly Camp Monday to select a lot which he expects to purchase.

Miss Margaret Williams who is a teacher in the Cottonwood school visited her parents over the week end at their farm home near Hope.

Richard Westaway, tax assessor, was here several days last week to meet Hope property owners who were rendering property for taxation.

The Rev. John Klassen is holding regular religious services at the CCC camp at Mayhill, La Luz and Capitan one night at each place each week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McGill of O'Donnell, Texas, arrived here last week to live on their farm near Hope where they expect to grow cotton this year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Newbill and daughters Eva, Gladys and Ruth left here Monday for Moorpark, California, where they will make their future home.

J. P. Parks and daughter Betsy motored to Carlsbad Saturday to visit Mr. Parks' daughter Mrs. Bill Glascock who is a patient in the St. Francis hospital.

Under the direction of Superintendent I. P. Murphy the senior class will present "The House of a Thousand Thrills" at the school auditorium Friday and Saturday nights.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Wilkins motored to Cottonwood Sunday evening where Mrs. Wilkins remained to take up her duties as a teacher in the Upper Cottonwood school.

C. F. Dierking, forest ranger for the Guadalupe mountain district, was here from Carlsbad Thursday to meet Hope ranchers who were renewing their grazing permits.

C. E. Goodman who has been employed by W. F. Culbertson of Clouderoft in his lumber mill there returned to Hope Wednesday where he expects to remain thru the winter months.

Bill Bunting, Mrs. Bonnie Altman, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bunting and children motored to Carlsbad to visit Mrs. Bill Bunting who has been ill at St. Francis hospital but is much improved.

Among those from here who attended the Cattle Growers Association convention at Albuquerque last week were Mr. and Mrs. John Prude, L. L. Prude, J. L. Prude and Thomas Coffin.

Mrs. Newt Teel, Mrs. Morris Teel, Mrs. Robert Parks, Mrs. Howell Harris and Miss Ethel Harris were joint hostesses at the home of Mrs. Bill Glascock Wednesday afternoon honoring Mrs. Lyle Hunter, a recent bride. Thirty-five guests were present and the bride received many beautiful presents. Refreshments were served to those present.

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Advertisement for Biliousness, Sour stomach, gas and headache due to Constipation, featuring Calotabs.

MUTT AND JEFF . . . The Crew Looks Like A Sociable Group . . . by Bud Fisher



CO. AGENTS 19TH ANNUAL MEETING

The nineteenth annual county agent conference was held at State College January 11, 12 and 13. Agents from all counties in the state where extension work is being carried on were present.

E. A. Miller of the Washington office was present two days of this conference. Mr. Miller is connected with the agricultural Adjustment Administration and was prepared to discuss matters pertaining to the different projects. The first day of the conference was devoted to the cotton program and the second day to the discussion of the corn-hog project, as it affects New Mexico.

Speakers on the program, besides Mr. Miller were H. L. Kent, who discussed farm organization; W. L. Elser, who presented the plan of the conference and gave a talk on fitting the extension program to the emergency situation; L. H. Hauter, who talked on farm credit associations, and G. R. Quesenberry whose subject was handling contracted and rented acres under the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

GAME LAW VIOLATIONS INCREASE

SANTA FE, N. M.—Game law violations apparently have increased considerably during the last half of 1933, it is the opinion of Elliott S. Barker, state game warden. Based upon reports made to the department there have been 112 prosecutions since July 1, an increase of 58% over the same period last year, according to the game warden. "Either the violators have been more active or the paid and voluntary deputies for the game department have been much more alert and successful," said Barker. The game department records show that 92% of the cases tried have resulted in convictions. Among the charges filed have been dynamiting fish, killing elk out of season, taking deer out of season, the killing of does, killing in excess of the legal limit, possession of beaver skins and fraud in obtaining resident licenses. The penalties have ranged from suspended sentences in a few cases to fines up to \$100 and costs.

"Sportsmen and citizens of New Mexico should realize," said Barker, "that every time game laws are violated the rights and property of law-abiding citizens are being destroyed. The game department is also forced to spend thousands of dollars annually policing the state when the money is needed sorely for constructive game and fish projects. The fish and game of this state are the live baits that attract thousands of visitors each year, adding materially to the prosperity of our people. The department of game and fish appeals to every law-abiding citizen to render all assistance possible in preventing and detecting all game law violations."

CLYDE BARROW FREES PAL

HUNTSVILLE, Texas—Clyde Barrow, southwest killer and robber, swooped down on the eastern state prison farm Tuesday and with a withering blast of machine gun fire effected the escape of Raymond Hamilton, his former partner in crime and four other convicts—one of whom shot and wounded two guards.

The spectacular delivery was so perfectly executed that the fugitives were lost quickly in a heavy fog as they sped away in two motor cars. Lee Simmons, general manager of the state's prison system, said the break evidently was planned to free Hamilton, who had been sentenced to 263 years in the last year for murder and robbery. "Three pistols had been planted in a brush pile where the convicts were clearing some timber," he said. "They knew where to look for them and one of them, Joe Palmer, dove into a pile of brush and came out with a .45 automatic pistol in his hand. He let go with it right away."

EDDY BEST IN STATE

A letter from Owen D. Sheriff of Dallas, regional crop loan manager, recently, discloses the fact that Eddy county still leads the state in the matter of repayment of crop loans with a percentage of 95.64. This record was made from tabulations completed on January 8th.

VOID PROCESS TAX VOTE

ALBUQUERQUE—Rushing thru on a viva vote, the American National Livestock association Thursday afternoon side-stepped the controversial processing tax issue by adopting a recommendation that the problem be referred to the various state organizations for individual settlement. Adoption of the resolution by a committee with only five minutes' discussion came as a surprise to many who had anticipated a fight on the convention floor over the processing tax.

Advertisement for Artesia to Clovis by Telephone, listing rates and station-to-station rates.

Large advertisement for 'NOTICE To Tax Payers' by Joe Johns, Treasurer Eddy County, detailing tax interest rates and payment information.

Large advertisement for Conoco Bronze Gasoline, featuring an illustration of a car and a rabbit, and text describing the fuel's performance and availability.

Why Is It?



-THAT WE CAN NEVER FIGURE OUR WINTER'S COAL SUPPLY JUST RIGHT??

SATTERFIELD  
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LOCALS

T. H. Flint went to El Paso, Texas, Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Berry of Hope were shopping in Artesia Saturday.

Pat Riley of Carlsbad, former Hope resident, was visiting friends here Saturday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. La Verne Wilburn of Hope Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. May of Clovis were visiting friends and relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. George Price returned last week from California where she has spent most of the past year.

W. A. Watson of Pecos, Texas, was visiting his brother Hollis Watson and nephew H. A. Watson Friday and Saturday.

C. E. Mann attended the meeting of the New Mexico Cattle and Wool Growers associations, returning home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jackson and family of Mayhill made a brief visit yesterday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clements of Hope attended the New Mexico Wool and Cattle Growers association, convening in Albuquerque last week.

Milton Smith of Carlsbad, candidate for state representative on the democratic ticket, was in Artesia Tuesday in the interest of his candidacy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Basel of San Angelo, Texas, arrived here Thursday to spend a short time looking after property interests on the Cottonwood.

Messrs. Fred Brainard, Arba Green and Otice Brown left yesterday for Santa Fe to look after business connected with road matters and CWA projects.

Mrs. W. G. Egbert and small son Harry of Alamogordo spent last week here as the guests of her daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whitson.

Boston Witt of Lovington drove over last Friday for Mrs. Witt who has been convalescing at the home of their daughter Mrs. Rude Wilcox for the past two weeks.

Roy Vermillion was able to return home Friday afternoon from a Carlsbad hospital after undergoing an operation for appendicitis at Carlsbad some ten days previous.

Mmes. Howard Williams, P. V. Morris, Frank Seale and C. R. Blocker drove down to Carlsbad Friday afternoon for a brief visit with Mrs. M. G. Schultz and the new son who were at the Saint Francis hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Flint arrived home from Santa Fe Monday. Mr. Flint, supervisor for the agriculture credit corporation, who was temporarily stationed at Santa Fe for a few weeks, has been transferred back to Artesia.

Thelbert French, manager of the Safeway Store in Artesia, underwent an appendicitis operation at St. Francis hospital Saturday. Mrs. W. S. French, his mother, of Artesia, and Miss Inez Morley of Roswell, were here with him until Monday.—Carlsbad Current-Argus.

District Judge J. B. McGhee and Henry Puckett, court reporter, stopped off in Artesia Tuesday to visit friends and transact business matters while en route from Lovington to their homes in Roswell. Judge McGhee presided over a short term of the Lea county district court at Lovington.

WANTS OPINION ON GOLD STOCK

WASHINGTON—A written opinion on the constitutionality of commandeering the gold stocks of the federal reserve system was requested from Attorney General Cummings Tuesday night by the senate banking committee after democratic members had sharply challenged the validity of this phase of the Roosevelt monetary program.

The committee met to consider for the first time the legislation requested by the chief executive to give the government title to all monetary gold, devalue the dollar by a minimum of 40 per cent and establish a two billion dollar stabilization fund. It received a general explanation of the contemplated moves from Secretary Morgenthau.

TYPEWRITERS

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GOODRICH MAKES A NEW SILVERTOWN

What is said to be the greatest development in the manufacture of automobile tires since the advent of the black tread, has been announced by The B. F. Goodrich Company. That is the "Life-Saver Golden Ply", a heat-resisting rubberized cord fabric beneath the tread of Goodrich Silvertown tires to prevent the heat of friction from affecting the body rubber and causing blowouts.

"Goodrich, whose research engineers developed the black tread in 1915 and at the same time increased the wearing qualities of the tire by the addition of carbon black, have overcome one of the worst hazards of modern motoring," says Steve Lanning, Goodrich tire dealer here. "This new golden rubber is compounded to combat heat caused by internal friction of the tire. In addition to resisting heat, this new rubber binds, the carcass and tread into a single unit, inseparable even under the most grueling service conditions to which any automobile tire ever has been subjected."

WELL PLUGGING AFFECTS SALT WATER WELLS HERE

Several salt-water wells located northeast of Roswell have gradually become sweet, according to a report at the office of Clifford Smith, artesian well supervisor. It is thought that the recent plugging of a well on the Tannehill property is the cause for this damage. Men working under the direction of this office have just finished the plugging of the seventeenth well in this district.—Roswell Dispatch.

SUPREME COURT ADOPTS NEW RULES FOR LAWYERS

SANTA FE—The state supreme court Friday adopted a set of rules governing entrance of lawyers to the state bar, as suggested by the state board of bar commissioners. Hereafter only graduates of accredited law schools will be permitted to take the bar examinations in the state; applicants who pass will be admitted only temporarily for a year before being accepted as permanent members of the bar.

The rule requiring graduation from an accredited school prohibits students of law offices from taking the examination, since the law requires attendance at the accredited school three years. Attorneys from other states who have practiced elsewhere must have spent seven years in this practice before being admitted to New Mexico on motion. The admittance fee is raised from \$25 to \$100.

BUYS STANDARD SERVICE

Luther Phelps, formerly of Estancia, purchased the Standard Station, located on South First street, from Jess Cook some time ago. Mr. Phelps is well pleased with his new location. See his announcement in this issue.

HERD OF ELK IS STARVING

JACKSON, Wyo.—Starvation is menacing the Jackson Hole elk herd, the largest in the world. Game wardens and old settlers of the region south of Yellowstone park fear a repetition of tragic scenes during hard winters when thousands of the animals died. The very mildness of last autumn is what threatens the elk this time. There was no early snow on the higher ranges and they remained in regions inaccessible to hunters while the open season was on. Shooters failed to get at them for the usual thinning of the herds which the Wyoming game and fish commission depends upon each year to prevent overproduction. The state legislature extended the open season until January 1 in an effort to allow more hunters to get their game. The dry summer and fall depleted feeding grounds which ordinarily provide forage for thousands of the facti and the supply of hay grown and stored by the United States biological survey farm just outside of Jackson will be inadequate to keep alive the thousands expected to come into the valley later in the winter. The hay is produced expressly for the elk. Estimates place the number of elk in the Jackson Hole and surrounding county this winter at 25,000 to 28,000.

LAND BANK IN WEST STATES AIM OF BILL

WASHINGTON—The establishment of a federal land bank district to include Wyoming, Colorado and New Mexico was proposed in a bill introduced last week by Senators Carey (R-Wyo.), Adams (R-Colo.), and Cutting (R-N.M.). The measure is designed to provide states with similar interests a separate land bank district. New Mexico and Colorado are now under the jurisdiction of the Wichita office and Wyoming is in the Omaha district.

REFLECTIONS ON THE NATIONAL CONGRESS

(By Congressman Dennis Chavez) The convening of congress is always a day filled with interest and the rush begins early in the morning when congressional offices are besieged by "folks from home" who desire tickets to the galleries. Both houses, senate and house of representatives, meet at twelve o'clock in their respective chambers. This year it was a day of unusual excitement for the president had decided to deliver his message in person. Immediately after Vice-President "Cactus" John Garner called the senate to order and the roll taken the long march from the senate chamber, down the long narrow corridor to the house chamber began. After the senators arrived and had taken their seats, members of the president's cabinet filed in and took seats directly in front of the speaker's platform. The president entered from a side door leaning upon the arm of his son and stood before the speaker's desk, from which he delivered his now famous message.

An effort to repeal the "Anti-gag Rule" failed in the house when unexpected opposition developed in the ranks of the democrats. Leaders in the fight for the repeal of the economy act, advocates of the payment of the soldiers' bonus, and leaders of the silver block and their liberal money group, desire the present method by which to accomplish their desired objectives. The president, in his message at the convening of congress suggested that he might have something to say later in the session on the subject of war debts. Whether he meant revision or not, we do not know, but we do know this; that after recounting that some nations had refused to pay, some had paid in token, and that one, Finland, had paid in full, the joint session of the galleries

WHAT 60 CENT DOLLAR MEANS

WASHINGTON—The 60-cent dollar talked about in President Roosevelt's devaluation plans doesn't mean the dollar won't continue to change into 100 cents, 20 nickels or 10 dimes. Nor does it mean the paper dollar itself won't look the same and still measure six by two and one-half inches. Use of the terms "60-cent dollar" or "50-cent dollar" referred to the theoretical gold dollar which exists on the statute books and is defined as containing 23.22 grains of fine gold. When the United States still was making gold payments, this much gold could be demanded at the treasury for every paper dollar presented. If the president decides on a dollar of about 60 per cent of the present gold content—the percentage indicated by the new treasury price of \$34.45 an ounce—it will mean the gold dollar will contain only 13.93 grains. That's what is meant by a 60-cent dollar. In comparison with the 23.22 grain gold dollar, a new 13.93 grain dollar would be worth only 60 cents. The important effect of devaluation on the dollar in the average pocketbook is what that dollar will buy. If the president's monetary plans have their desired effect, prices will go up.

broke into cheers—cheers emphatic enough to convince the president that a proposal to revise, cancel or modify war debts would fall on deaf ears in congress. The depositors insurance has become an actuality, so that "bank-runs" are things of the past and can take their places along with the eighteenth amendment, child labor and lame duck sessions, in the museum of legislative antiques. Under the recent enacted legislation depositors are protected by the government, dollar for dollar, up to and including \$2,500.

The readers of this column will no doubt be interested in many bills and reports now pending before congressional committees and as these are available through my office, I shall be delighted to forward copies of same to all who request them.

Because of the many complaints that have been sent to me about the rules under which the supervisors of the Civil Works Administration were working, I discussed this at length with Administrator Hopkins and he agreed that so far as the rural sections were concerned the plan whereby the work could be rotated could be put into effect. That is, give positions to a portion for a week and then give positions to another group the next week. In this way all unemployed could be given the chance to earn a livelihood and this would not increase the size of the payrolls. Of course, there are many objections to this plan, but it seems it is the only one that has been submitted that will in any way ameliorate present conditions. If the president approves this plan, it should be inaugurated at an early date.

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Davidson and His Roosevelt Bust



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