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## Chamber of Commerce Officers Are Elected Tues

**Selection of Manager is Likely Friday—Dexter Chosen President—140 Attend Annual Banquet Monday.**

At a meeting Tuesday night of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce with the four new directors participating, officers were elected for the ensuing year. C. J. Dexter was chosen president; G. V. Price, vice-president; Dr. J. J. Clarke, re-elected secretary and H. G. Watson was made treasurer. The matter of selecting a manager to succeed Fred Brainard was deferred until the next meeting, which will probably be held Friday evening.

One hundred and forty people attended the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet held in the roof garden of the Artesia hotel Monday evening. Due to last minute interest in the affair, the crowd was one of the largest gathered in the roof garden in several months. The program was a departure from the one usual to an affair of this kind. Little time was spent in dwelling on the activities of the Chamber of Commerce for the past year. Instead the banquet program turned out to be on the order of a get-together meeting.

Mrs. Raymond Welborne opened the program with a violin solo and an encore, accompanied on the piano by her sister Miss Deter. M. A. Corbin, president of the Chamber of Commerce, who served as toastmaster, made a few remarks on the resume of the activities of the organization for the past year. He said he felt the accomplishments of the organization were too well known to need any extended remarks. Mr. Corbin told of the procedure that would be followed in choosing four directors. He also followed out the suggestion of the nominating committee that Fred Brainard, retiring manager, be made an honorary member of the board of directors for life.

Brainard to Leave  
Mr. Corbin also announced that Fred Brainard, who has served as manager for the past three years, would soon leave for Dallas, Texas, to assume management of the Dallas baseball club. This change would necessitate the employment of a new manager. The assembly gave Mr. and Mrs. Brainard a "hand" when the toastmaster referred to Fred's successful job as a pilot of the Chamber of Commerce and wished the Brainards as much success in their latest venture.

Ted Taylor of Amarillo, Texas, (Continued on last page, column 3)

## 1,016 EDDY FARM HOMES IN CWA RURAL SURVEY COMPLETED

The Eddy county rural home survey, a civil works administration project, was completed Saturday with a total of 1,016 farm homes surveyed, Mrs. Ruth Clayton Wyman of Loving, supervisor, announced.

Eddy county was selected as one of six representative counties in New Mexico and 300 counties in the United States for the survey, with the purpose of determining housing conditions and needs throughout the country.

Although the number of homes surveyed was reduced by the CWA reduction in working hours, Eddy county was second highest in the state in results, Miss Veda Strong, state supervisor, informed Mrs. Wyman.

Farm owners cooperated excellently with survey enumerators and generally were appreciative of the ultimate possibilities for better living conditions afforded by the research, Mrs. Wyman said.

Tabulated results of the survey were mailed to the New Mexico State College extension department, from which they will be sent to Washington.

## TWO FAST GAMES SLATED FOR FRIDAY AT CENTRAL GYM

The basketball season is rapidly coming to a close, but basketball fans are offered an opportunity to see two games for the price of one at the Central gym Friday evening when the Artesia high school meets the Dexter high school and the Hagerman town team. The first game starts at 7:00 p. m. and the second at 8:00 p. m.

The Hagerman town team has one of the fastest independent aggregations in this section and as far as known at this writing has not lost a single engagement. The local high school continues to show improvement and the two games Friday should be well worth seeing.

## FEBRUARY 22ND DEADLINE

Prospective and actual candidates for office subject to the democratic primary should hold in mind that the deadline set by the executive committee for getting on the ticket is noon February 22nd. J. L. Truett, county chairman, has announced there will be no exceptions.

## ALLOCATION MEET IMPORTANT TO THREE LEA OIL DISTRICTS

C. J. Dexter, chairman of the New Mexico production committee, has announced that the New Mexico allocation committee and producers of the Eunice, Jal and Lea districts will meet here on February 23 and 24 to work out plans for future drilling and production in these areas. E. H. Wells, state geologist and chairman of the allocation committee, and Frank Vesley, state land commissioner, will attend, Mr. Dexter said.

The necessity for the allocation of the production in these districts is occasioned by the activity in these areas and by the prospects of additional major production in the Jal sector. Two new locations, one in the Eunice and one in the Jal territory, announced this week is one of the high spots of the week's developments and indicates that a fairly big play may get under way here, as play as conditions show further improvements. The locations staked were the State No. 2-B of the Atlantic Production Co., 1980 feet from the south line and 660 feet from the east line of sec. 8-21-36, and the No. 1-B Lindley of the Empire Gas and Fuel Co., 660 feet from the south line and 1980 feet from the west line of sec. 13-25-36.

Eddy county producers continue to experiment with acid treatments to boost production in old wells with fair results, but with no such success as has been experienced in the regular lime producing districts. Operators will watch with interest the progress on three or four wells or more particularly on the old Prairie Keel No. 1 well, now the Repollo Oil Co., in the SW SW sec. 7-17-31, moving on to clean out after an acid treatment. The Western Drilling Co. is also moving on to clean out its Park 2-X NW NW sec. 23-17-31, after an acid test.

## SPANISH-AMERICAN CLUB TO OPEN SOON

The Spanish-American Club, under management of Melvin Pashea, will be opened Saturday, February 17th, with a new stock of staple and fancy groceries and feed. The club will occupy the new building recently completed at 508 West Main street. The public is cordially invited to visit the Spanish-American Club on its opening day. See the announcement of the club, found elsewhere in this issue.

## FEDERAL INSPECTORS VISIT DEXTER'S FISH HATCHERY

An inspection of the Dexter fish hatchery was made Tuesday by Frank T. Bell, chief commissioner for the Federal Bureau of Fish Hatcheries, and A. B. Leach, project engineer.

These men, whose headquarters are in Washington, left Tuesday for Salt Lake City for a conference with Fred J. Foster, who is chief of the western division of fish hatcheries.

R. H. Boykin and family of Hagerman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Stuart and family Sunday.

## CREDIT PRODUCTION CORP. ORGANIZED AT ROSWELL WEDNESDAY

**Four Counties Organize a Production Corporation With Capitalization of \$140,000—Eddy County Man Temporary Head.**

A District Federal Production Loan corporation was formed at Roswell yesterday for the purpose of extending federal loans to farmers and stockmen of this area which includes four counties, Eddy, Lea, Chaves and Lincoln. The organization was completed under the direction of Arthur Jones of Portales, vice-president of Production Credit corporation of the Wichita, Kansas, land bank district. A board of directors, headed by C. W. Beeman of Loving, as temporary chairman was elected by seventeen representatives of the four counties. The board of directors with two from each county were: Eddy county—C. W. Beeman and G. R. Brainard of Artesia. Chaves—E. O. Moore and W. B. Chasser. Lea—W. M. Snyder and E. L. Harbison. Lincoln—B. J. Bonnell and W. F. Coe, with Ernest Nelson of Roswell as a director at large. A. C. Kimbrough of Hobbs was made temporary secretary.

The board of directors will meet at Roswell next Thursday to perfect an organization. The corporation is incorporated for the sum of \$140,000, three-fourths of which is furnished by the federal government. Farmers and stockmen can get loans up to \$10,000. Larger loans will be handled thru the state office at Albuquerque.

About thirty farmers and stockmen from Eddy county attended the meeting. Roswell and Artesia were bidding for headquarters. In the final vote, Artesia lost by one vote.

## CORE DRILLING PROGRESSING

Core drilling on the first test of the Texas Potash Co., in sec. 7-18-29, twenty-two miles east of here is progressing at a satisfactory rate, according to Dean Winchester of Denver, Colorado, secretary-treasurer of the company, who is here on an inspection tour. Drilling is under way below 400 feet in the salt. Another crew was added to the shift Tuesday morning and faster progress is expected from now on.

## CHARLES MORGAN TO OIL CONFERENCE

Charles Morgan, superintendent of the Continental Refinery, left this morning for Big Spring, Texas, where he will attend an oil conference. The oil code will be given first place at this conference. Mr. Morgan expects to return Sunday.

## Four Announce For Office As The Time Limit Draws Near

Ottis for Probate Judge  
Paul Ottis of Artesia has yielded to the solicitation of a number of voters from this section and will seek the office of probate judge of Eddy county, subject to the action of the democratic primary March 24th. Mr. Ottis is the only candidate to announce for this office and is the second Artesia resident to ask for a county office. In making his statement to the voters Mr. Ottis says:

"Having been solicited by many friends both in north and south Eddy county, I am asking the support of my friends in seeking the office of probate judge. As you know, I have endeavored to serve you the past four years efficiently as city clerk and have been serving the public since a very young man. My moving to this state and county was one of the most fortunate periods of my life. My World War service left me in a serious condition and since coming here I have improved so much that I am going to try to make my home here as long as I can make a living. I have had a full course in commercial law and business and believe I can serve you in the requirements of this office as provided by the statutes. I am not asking for any support because I served in the war. I frankly state that it is the salary that prompts me to seek this office. I believe that I can earn that salary and if elected I will strive to do that. My record and my life is open history. I have tried to abide by the common rule "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you." I will appreciate any support and recommendations that you can give me in this campaign. There will be many inquiries from some who do not know me and I am perfectly willing to let the readers of the Advocate pass judgment on whether I should be your next probate judge of Eddy county."

## Stockwell Seeks Commissioner's Office

Ira J. Stockwell of Carlsbad yesterday authorized the Advocate to announce his candidacy for the office of county commissioner, district one. Mr. Stockwell has lived in the county for seventeen years, during which time he has been actively identified with the upbuilding of the community in which he lived. During his residence in Carlsbad he served on the city council six years and is now serving as chief of the Carlsbad fire department, a position

## SPECIAL SESSION IS UNLIKELY IF SCHOOL CAN BE KEPT GOING

SANTA FE, N. M.—Seventeen or eighteen of the twenty legislative committee members have advised Gov. A. W. Hockenbush that they believe a special session is necessary, and all are for changes in the liquor laws and most of them oppose any kind of a primary.

The governor said he has not heard from two or three of the twenty yet.

Their recommendation did not mean there would be a special session, necessarily, the governor added, although he went on to say regarding state finances which might be so meagre as to require shutting off payments March 1, would have a bearing on the session. "I am waiting to see if we can get enough taxes to keep the schools open," he said. "I don't want to call it if this can be done."

## POPULAR VARIETY STORE TO REOPEN

The Popular Variety store, which has been closed for two weeks or more while adding new fixtures and remodeling the building, will be reopened Saturday, February 17th, with practically a new stock of merchandise. Among the new fixtures added is sixteen new counters, arranged in the center of the building for the convenience of the shoppers and seventy feet of shelving on each side of the building, running back near the rear of the store. The store front has also been remodeled with modern display windows and new glass doors.

## CAR CATTLE TO LOS ANGELES

E. B. Bullock yesterday shipped a car of fat cattle to the Los Angeles, California, market.

Mrs. John Runyan and Glenn Polk were Roswell visitors Wednesday.

## G. Talbot To London as AP Feature Writer

Many of the older residents will be interested to learn of the promotion of Gayle Talbot, Jr., former resident of Artesia, to the Associated Press. Starting several years ago at San Antonio, Texas, Mr. Talbot served as Associated Press sports writer for the southwest with headquarters at Dallas for one or two seasons. Later he was transferred to New York and made national sports writer, which position he has served for a couple of years. Still later he was transferred to London, England, as a feature Associated Press writer and was en route to London when word reached his aunt, Mrs. John Lowrey of Artesia, the first of the week.

Mr. Talbot is the son of the late Gayle Talbot, Sr., founder of the Artesia Advocate.

## CWA WORKER TO BE DISCONTINUED AFTER FIRST OF MAY 1934

**Workers Will Be Dropped at Rate of 200,000 Week Until 4,000,000 Are Let Out—Possible Limited Plan Carried Out.**

WASHINGTON — Demobilization of the vast army of civil works employees will start tonight with the dropping of approximately 200,000 from federal projects.

Orders were issued yesterday by Harry L. Hopkins, civil works and relief administrator, simultaneously with passage of the \$950,000,000 civil works—and direct relief appropriation by congress and opening of a conference of state labor officials with Secretary Perkins on state labor laws. Hopkins directed discontinuation of work on all federal projects not on federal or other public property and directed various departments and bureaus to reduce their civil works forces from 50 to 90 per cent.

Those continued on the payroll are to be dropped at the rate of 10 per cent a week until May 1, when the last of the 4,000,000 employees are scheduled to be let out.

The money voted for civil works yesterday—\$450,000,000 of the \$950,000,000 appropriation—will be used to continue the program until May 1. Hopkins with the approval of the president arranged several weeks ago to start trimming the CWA payrolls about February 15.

The new appropriation would not be sufficient to keep a full 4,000,000 at work until May 1. There have been suggestions that possibly some of the \$450,000,000 might be available after that date to continue employment of some men if found necessary. The original fund of \$400,000,000 under which the program was started was exhausted last week.

Local CWA workers here said this morning they had received no instructions on the new order.

## FIVE INJURED

Five Artesia people were injured, but none seriously, while returning from Carlsbad Saturday night. A car driven by Doyle Traylor collided with a car of negroes stopped on the highway. In the car with Mr. Traylor were Mrs. Traylor and Messrs. Crockett, Ables and Vandever. All were bruised, but no serious injuries resulted when the two cars collided, which damaged the Traylor car and set fire to the negro car.

## BAISH TO BIG SPRING

M. E. Baish left today to attend the NRA refiners zone meeting in session at Big Spring, Texas, Friday.

## CORN HOG PROGRAM OUTLINED AT MEET HERE SATURDAY P. M.

Seven farmers, principally from north Eddy county, signed up the corn and hog reduction program of the department of agriculture, at a meeting of growers in the office of M. W. Evans, Saturday afternoon. Mr. Evans, a member of the committee, said about twenty farmers eligible to enter the program took application blanks home with them. All applications must be signed by April 1st. There are about fifty farmers, principally in the north part of the county who are eligible to participate in the program.

Corn producers must reduce their corn acreage twenty per cent. Average production over the county is about thirty-five bushels per acre, but figures are not available at the present time as to the total production. The grower will receive twenty-eight cents per bushel for all corn retired. Hog raisers will be required to retire twenty-five per cent of the 1932-33 average number and will receive \$5.00 per head for the hogs retained less the expense of administering the reduction act.

Committee members include: M. W. Evans, I. H. Burgess and Monroe Howard.

## PWA ADMINISTRATION WILL NOT CONSIDER MORE APPLICATIONS

WASHINGTON—Submission of new non-federal public works projects was halted Saturday by order of Public Works Administrator Ickes.

Ickes, in announcing his action, revealed that there are more than \$3,500,000,000 in projects on file for which no allowances have been made and for which no money is immediately available due to exhaustion of the original \$3,300,000,000 PWA fund.

Until Saturday PWA received applications involving proposed non-federal projects in anticipation of a new appropriation.

A mighty "back-log" of non-federal projects already filed was cited by the administrator, who said no allotments were available to finance them now.

Ickes instructed all state engineers to spread word that no projects for which applications have not been made can be considered now, and to advise local public bodies to save expense and effort of hastily preparing more projects for submission.

The Public Works Administration, Ickes emphasized, now will concentrate its effort on driving to completion the vast total of work provided for in allotments already made.

Ickes' instructions to state public works engineers, said in part: "No more projects should be accepted. It would be unfair to permit municipalities to spend money in preparation of projects when there will be practically no chance of the government being able to finance them."

## SCHOOL SUPERVISOR FINISHES INSPECTION

Eighteen Eddy county rural school instructors met Saturday at the court house in Carlsbad with Mrs. Marie Hughes, field supervisor for the San Jose training school, Albuquerque, to prepare teaching materials for their classes.

Mrs. Hughes, who was in Eddy county last week since Monday inspecting county schools, left Saturday night for Carrizozo by way of Roswell for an inspection of Lincoln county schools.

## AIRPORT PROJECTS ARE SUSPENDED

The building of community airports under a CWA project have apparently been suspended according to Miss Margaret Reeves, state executive secretary of the state civil works administration. The announcement was made after the federal government had ordered 100 workers withdrawn from the airport project at Las Vegas. The reason for the decision was not stated.

## HAMANN TO KANSAS CITY

Joe Hamann has resigned his position with the Palace Drug Store and left Monday for Kansas City, Missouri, to enter Sweeney's Radio and Refrigerator school. Mr. Hamann expects to take a sixty day course in radio and refrigerator construction preparatory to opening a repair shop here.

## Rites For C. Bert Smith To Be Held Sunday P.M.

**Pioneer Succumbs After a Long Illness—Is to Be Given Funeral by I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge—Many to Attend.**

The Artesia community was saddened Tuesday afternoon by the passing of C. Bert Smith, age 57, outstanding civic and fraternal leader. The end came peacefully near 2:00 o'clock. Mr. Smith was rational until the last and his condition had apparently improved the first of the week. For two years he fought a valiant, but losing fight to regain his health. Hovering near death at intervals for several weeks, the family and friends of the family had given up hope for his ultimate recovery.

Mr. Smith moved with his family from Laddonia, Missouri, in 1910, first settling on a farm in the Cottonwood community. Later he entered the mercantile business here and was associated with the Artesia Mercantile Co. for a time. After a few years he was employed by Joyce-Fruit Co. and served as salesman and manager of the dry goods department for about fifteen years before retiring and entering business for himself as Smith's Specialty Shop, associated with Mount's store.

During his twenty-four years as a resident of this section, Mr. Smith gave unstintingly his time and efforts toward the upbuilding of the community in which he lived. The wholesome influence he exerted here will not die with the passing years, but will be treasured by those who knew him. He was also prominently identified in fraternal work and enjoyed a wide acquaintance throughout the state in his official connection with the grand lodge of the I. O. O. F. He served the state as grand secretary for fifteen years and was grand scribe of the grand I. O. O. F. encampment for several years.

Funeral services will be held at the First Christian church here Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with the Rev. A. C. Douglas, Methodist pastor, officiating. Funeral services will be in charge of the I. O. O. F. grand lodge officers. A number of prominent Odd Fellows from over the state are expected here to attend the funeral.

Surviving the deceased are a widow and two daughters, Mrs. John Lanning of Artesia and Mrs. Edison Jones of Waukegan, Illinois. Mr. and Mrs. Jones and baby daughter are expected here Saturday to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Emma Alexander of Mexico, Missouri, foster mother of Mr. Smith is expected here Saturday with Miss Alma Norton of Amarillo, Texas, to attend the funeral.

## STATE SLATED TO GET \$10,000,000 PWA FUND IS REPORT

New Mexico is slated to receive more than \$10,000,000 in public works administration funds, it was indicated Tuesday night, according to an Albuquerque newspaper.

During a visit in Albuquerque by Captain Harry O. Tunis, "expediter" for the public works administration, he informed Col. D. K. B. Sellers, member of the New Mexico public works board, that announcement of allocations for federal and non-federal projects in the state would soon be made from Washington that may bring the total to \$12,750,000.

Some federal and non-federal allocations have been announced previously amounting to about \$263,000, while action on \$9,576,908 is purely state and municipal projects has not been announced.

It is now believed that legal obstacles to several of the larger projects have been overcome to the satisfaction of the PWA law department in Washington.

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### A CHANCE FOR A NEW INDUSTRY

There is an opportunity of starting a small but profitable business here in cooperation with the mountain farmers and truckers. The statement is made without knowing all the facts connected with the proposed industry, but with a general knowledge that leads us to believe such a venture would be practical. For several years farmers and truck growers in and about the Mayhill community have been selling cabbage to the valley points. The local market, however, is not adequate to make the growing of cabbage profitable. A year or more ago several farmers of this vicinity including W. A. Grice was approached with a question of why it would not be practical to establish a small sauer kraut factory in the mountain section, since kraut is growing in popularity and would furnish an additional market for the cabbage.

Farmers of that vicinity have never seen fit to commercialize a venture of this sort, but according to Mr. Grice they believe a small kraut factory could be established here with profit, both on account of the climatic condition and because of the excellent rail connection. Truckers from the mountain section offer in excess of 500,000 pounds of cabbage a year on the market to this section. The market, however, is limited and can easily be overloaded.

A venture of this sort might require lots of energy to get it started, but would require little capital. At least it is worth thinking over.

### DON'T MORTGAGE HAPPINESS

The years of a man, they say, are three score and ten. In terms of life of a redwood tree, an ancient idea or doctrine, or even a middle-aged alligator these seventy years seem very few. It would be wise to be thrifty with them.

The favorite and fashionable indoor sport today is the balancing of budgets. It is done in business, government, and the painful process of making the family income fit the facts in the case. It should be done no less in balancing the years of life against the opportunities of life.

Waste no time, then, which might be spent in the pursuit of happiness, in the work you love or the rest you earn, in finding friendship, in fashioning a faith and philosophy for the lean years at the end of life.

Waste no time in worry which gets nowhere, but confesses everything in gray hairs and wrinkles. And don't mortgage present happiness to pay for a future which may never happen.

Don't work so hard that you forget how to play, nor play so hard that you aren't fit to work. Don't blow off all your steam before fifty and be burned out for twenty years after. Invest wisely in amusement, as you would in stocks and bonds. Don't die too soon, nor live too long.

Balance your budget.—Herald, Harvard, Illinois.

### NEW MEXICO'S POSITION

Secretary of the Interior Ickes' announcement Saturday that it is useless to send any further CWA applications to the national administration at the present time settles the question as to whether any projects will have to have special legislative approval. So the state board must now find something else to argue about in an effort to pass the buck for a dilatory attitude. Ickes says applications on file total \$3,500,000,000, with an original fund of only \$3,300,000,000. If there has been a single project approved for this section we have not heard of it.

Apparently this locality is in about the same position as the man who did not get his bill thrown in the waste basket. The story is told of a business man who had a peculiar way of paying his bills by having his stenographer throw them in a waste basket, stir them up and pay on them as long as the money lasted. When a creditor protested the method the business man told him not to get smart, otherwise his bill wouldn't even be thrown in the basket. We don't believe Artesia has even a CWA project in the basket.

The politician who gets out and tries to "show off" by doing a lot of things practiced by the common herd is putting on the show to get votes. Don't be fooled because he shows a common streak by doing commonplace things such as drinking out of a gourd or a rusty tin dipper and making you believe he likes it. He doesn't and probably laughs at the incident after it is over. Huey Long told the senate for the benefit of his followers how to eat corn pone and drink pot licker, but a man who has accumulated as much wealth as Huey Long and maintains a mansion as he does, isn't a past master at eating corn pone or drinking pot licker because even if he liked it, the chances are he'd seldom have the opportunity.

Emma Goldman, former red agitator, isn't an agitator any longer but a booster for our form of government after spending about fifteen years in Russia. Permitted to visit the United States after being deported, Emma thinks the United States is a great place to live. Perhaps if a few other fault-finders could spend a few years in Russia we could at least live more peaceably and not have to hear so much about impractical socialistic theories.

A lot of people have made the belated realization that they were born thirty years too soon. Now upwards of 100,000 people are going back to school under the various CWA community projects. We have almost reached the point where we can say if a citizen refuses to amount to anything, it's no fault of the government.

Will Rogers thinks perhaps France is getting what is coming to her in her national troubles starting with the pawn shop scandal and we believe Will is more than half right. If France had paid her obligation to the United States, she wouldn't have had so much money to lose in the pawn shop scandal.

According to Byron O. Beall, chief tax commissioner, the income from the proposed business tax will be around three and a half million dollars or about a million more than is required to operate all parts of the government supported by any tax.

## Odd—but TRUE



DESPITE RADIO AND HIS OTHER SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS THE SEAMAN STILL DEPENDS GREATLY ON ONE OF MAN'S OLDEST SAFETY DEVICES - THE LIGHTHOUSE



125 BUSHEL BASKETS WOULD BE REQUIRED TO HOLD ALL OF THE DIAMONDS IN THE WORLD

HOT DIGGETY! WILL I SCARE THE DEVILS NOW!

DURING THE 17th CENTURY, IN COLOGNE, EXORCISTS DROVE AWAY EVIL SPIRITS AND DEVILS - BY COSSING THEM OUT - BOOKS WERE WRITTEN ON THE 'ART

### PICKED UP ON MAIN

A feller has recommended paris green as a sure cure for the blues, saying it was the color combination that worked.

With all these double and single weddings occurring in foreign seaports, it looks to us as though the local preachers could well afford to form an alliance or organization and let some of these couples know that good knots can be tied in Artesia. As a starter we recommend the following fees be charged: marrying one couple, \$7.50; for double wedding \$6.00 per couple, for triple wedding \$5.00 per couple.

A local girl broke her engagement with a young man, refusing to give back any presents he had given her saying he had never given her anything but hamburgers and ice cream.

The reason Rufe Wallingford calls so many men son is because he brings them up in the elevator.

There was a young fellow who thought when he got his college degrees he would be on easy street. It cost him a lot of money to get his AB and AM, but it was his PA degree that put his nose to the grindstone.

"What sort of a guy is John?" a girl was asked.

"Well," she replied, "the other night when the fuse burned out at our house, he spent the rest of the evening helping father repair it."

A colored gentleman was asked by his pastor how his better half was getting along.

"She's bettah, suh, much bettah," he replied; "but Parson, you sho' am careless wif yo' fractions."

A Chinaman had a toothache, and phoned for an appointment.

Dentist—Two-thirty, all right.

Chinaman—Yes, tooth hurtee, all right. What time I come?

Some men will pay a lot more to get shut of their wives than they will to get them. Just look at the difference between the divorce lawyer's fee and the preacher's.

A man with too much of the alleged 3.2 beer under his belt remarked he guessed the decimal was removed too far to the right.

A Louisianan thinks the party should disinfect the activities of Huey Long with insecticide.

He—"As a philosopher says, the only thing worth doing in life is trying to do something you can't—and doing it!"

She—"Is that why you play bridge?"

Dean—"So you're back in school. I thought I expelled you last week."

Upstart—"You did, but don't do it again because my dad was plenty sore last time."

As I stepped up to the lone-some lady in the hotel lobby, I inquired: "Are you looking for a particular person?"

"I'm satisfied," she said, "if you are."

Little Izzy is a funny And eccentric sort of waif; Swallowed all his sisters money—

### TWO ARRESTED ON LARCENY CHARGE

Two Mexicans, Manuel Torres and Juan Dominguez, were arrested Monday morning by J. C. Floore, acting nightwatchman, on charge of larceny of four men's caps from the Peoples Mercantile Co. dry goods department. When arraigned before W. H. Ballard, justice of the peace, the defendants plead not guilty and were bound over to the action of the district court under a \$250.00 bond each, which they failed to make. The two were taken to Carlsbad Monday afternoon by Mr. Floore and lodged in the county jail to await trial.

said that he was playing safe.

"I say, Joe, your girl looked quite tempting in that Biblical gown she was wearing last night."

"What do you mean 'Biblical gown'?"

"Oh, you know. Sort of Lo and Behold."

Susceptible Youth—"Er—could you tell me who that young lady is—sketching?"

Friendly Stranger—"She has the misfortune to be my wife."

Embarrassed Youth—"The misfortune is entirely yours. I am sure."

First Rookie—"Whatsa matter with the captain's eyes today?"

Second Soldier—"I domno, why?"

First Rookie—"I asked him for a pass and he asked me twice where my hat was and all the time it was right there on my head."

Did you ever see so much competition in building new drug stores. Drug stores will soon be as popular as filling stations along the highway and those hunting medicine liquors can coast from one store to the other.

A republican threatening to run for a city office says he is backed by the secret six, which is about the same as the republican party.

No. Jim Berry and M. W. Evans were not passing out candidate cards for a city office at the Chamber of Commerce banquet. They were playing with the banquet tickets which looked like candidate cards.

Mrs. Evans certainly kept a watchful eye on M. W. during the banquet. Mrs. Evans knows what it is to be left waiting up.

Rex Wheatley says the best part of the Chamber of Commerce banquet was when the main speaker cracked the joke on a local minister about what he (the minister) said when he thought he was shot.

### How One Woman Lost 10 Lbs. In a Week

Mrs. Betty Luedeke of Dayton, writes: "I am using Kruschen to reduce weight—I lost 10 pounds in one week and cannot say too much to recommend it."

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### CROP IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION MEETS

Annual meeting of the Eddy county crop improvement association was held last Thursday morning at the office of W. A. Wunsch, county agent, at Carlsbad, with two officers of the state crop improvement association present.

J. R. Orden, Loving, president of the state association, and G. R. Quesenberry, secretary, discussed work of the state organization with the group. Quesenberry was in Eddy county as extension agronomist from New Mexico State College to work with Wunsch in certifying alfalfa and cotton fields.

Officers elected for 1934 are: C. W. Beeman, Loving, president; Charles Rogers, Artesia, vice-president, and W. J. Bindle, Carlsbad, secretary-treasurer.

Directors elected are F. G. Tracy, O. O. Stewart, L. Nichols, and L. B. James, all of Carlsbad, and T. H. Flint, Artesia.

### BERRY ON DRILLING GROUP

WASHINGTON — Secretary Ickes, the oil administrator, Saturday set up sub-committees of the planning and coordination committee to deal with drilling practices in Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma.

Among the committees recommended by the planning and coordination committee, are: To represent the drilling branch (New Mexico); G. C. Conrad, Hobbs; George McQueen, Fort Worth, Texas; J. W. Berry, Artesia.

### CONOCO TRAVELERS TO JOURNEY TO MONTERREY

Guided by the rapid-fire descriptions of the "Old Traveler" and lulled by the music of special Spanish entertainers, radio fans throughout the nation will journey to Old Mexico Wednesday night, February 21, by means of Continental Oil Company's second 1934 travel broadcast over a network of 27 N. B. C. stations.

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Some Compensation Necessary

HOME LOAN BONDS AT PAR All home loan bank bonds must be accepted at par, officials of the state administration have warned. If any offer is made by the mortgagor to pay the difference, the deal becomes invalid. The announcement followed the report that some organizations were haggling over the price of the bonds.

MAJESTIC THEATRE

Thurs.-Fri. Carol Lombard "BRIEF MOMENT" Bargain Nite Saturday "KING OF WILD HORSES" It's a Grand Western Sun.-Mon. MUSICAL COMEDY "MY WEAKNESS" With LILLIAN HARVEY LEW AYRES Tues.-Wed. Ann Harding Myrna Loy "WHEN LADIES MEET" COMING Feb. 25-26 'Little Women' Feb. 27-28 Will Rogers 'STATE FAIR'

THE CHURCHES

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY 613 W. Main Street

10:00 a. m. Sunday school. 11:00 a. m. Sunday service "Soul" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Societies and Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 18th. The golden text is: "Rejoice the soul of thy servant; for unto thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul." (Psalms 86:4).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the bible: "For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who hold the truth in unrighteousness." (Rom. 1:18).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook:

"Through false sentiments of soul as dwelling in sense and of mind as dwelling in matter, belief strays into a sense of temporary loss of absence of soul, spiritual truth. This state of error is the mortal dream of life and substance as existent in matter, and is directly opposite to the immortal reality of being."

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. F. C. Rowland, Pastor

Meeting one door east of telephone office.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. John Simons, superintendent.

Our school studies the improved uniform series of Sunday school lessons; all ages study the same lessons treated in a different way as suits that particular age group. Lesson subject Sunday: "Jesus Meeting Human Need." Matthew 9:1-13. No one can read the gospels without being almost overwhelmed at the thought of the way in which Jesus was beset by the afflicted and the needy. Wherever he turned, there they were waiting for him. "When he was come down from the mountains, great multitudes followed," is Matthew's first sentence after his report of the sermon on the mount.

In non-christian lands even today the sick people—the sick in either body or mind—are not kept at home or in institutions. There are in such lands few hospitals and fewer asylums. Any sufferer who is able to crawl out into the sunshine is sick in the sight of all men. Jesus was always the friend of the needy, whether it was the sick or the sinner. His whole earthly ministry was crowded with sympathetic ministrations.

Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "God's Aeroplanes." Text: Matt. 28:18.

B. T. S. 6:15 p. m. Cecil Bynum, director.

Evening worship 7:15 p. m. Subject: "Spiritual Numbness." Text: Eph. 4:19, "Past Feeling." "A live church with a living message for all men."

CALVARY CHURCH MAKES AN UNUSUAL RECORD

The Calvary Baptist church closed its first month with marked progress in every department according to figures given at the monthly business meeting last week. The financial report showed all salaries and bills for the month paid promptly, and a "pay as you go" policy was adopted by the church. Gifts to all causes during the month showed an average of three dollars and twelve cents per adult member or over six dollars per family this being far in advance of the average over the Southern Baptist convention.

The Sunday school report showed an increased interest and an attendance increase of over fifty per cent.

Five deacons were elected and officers of the church were elected for another year. The Sunday school elected the following officers: Mrs. F. C. Rowland, general secretary; Mrs. T. F. Cobble, teacher women's class; Mrs. Merle

MAY BECOME ENVOY



Mrs. J. Borden Harriman of New York, who, according to reports, is slated to be American minister to one of the European nations.

RECOVERS CANE

Joe Shuff has recovered a valuable mahogany cane, stolen from him thirty-five years ago. The recovery was made in a peculiar manner and has a bit of human interest attached. Mr. Shuff secured a piece of mahogany for a walking cane when he was serving as a soldier in the Philippines during the Spanish-American war. On his return home, a comrade stole the piece of mahogany and the two parted. The incident occurred thirty-five years ago, but the ex-serviceman could not forget it. Not long ago he had an occasion to visit the same city where Mr. Shuff's sister resided and asked for Mr. Shuff's address. The piece of mahogany was not only returned finished in an attractive walking cane, but the name of Mr. Shuff was engraved on the handle.

Advocate Want Ads Get Results

Roady, teacher Euzelean class; the Rev. F. C. Rowland, teacher men's fellowship class; Mrs. Dan Bynum, teacher Sunshine class junior girls; R. E. Bean, teacher Pilot's class junior boys; Mrs. Cecil Bynum, teacher Aviator's class primaries; Mrs. H. L. Wilkerson, teacher beginners. Supply teachers: H. L. Wilkinson, Mrs. John Simons and Mrs. R. E. Bean.

Plans were made for the budget system of church finance to be presented by the finance committee, and a study course for deacons was planned to begin within a week and continue for several days, led by the pastor. Plans were discussed relative to purchase of lots for building a permanent meeting place to be begun in the near future.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible study 10:00 a. m. Worship 11:00 a. m. Young folks class 6:30 p. m. Mid-week meeting Thursday 7:00 p. m. Ladies Bible Class Thursday 2:30 p. m.

The answer to last week's problem for the ladies' class was 26. The problem for this week is as follows:

Problem No. 9: If to the number of times Paul was shipwrecked you will add Jotham's age when he began to reign; then from this sum subtract the hour of the day when Christ sat at the well; multiply the remainder by the number of Moses' sons; to the result add the number of days that the Israelites mourned for Aaron; divide this sum by the number of baskets of figs that were set before the temple of the Lord; from this subtract the number of the left from which Eutyehus fell while Paul preached; to the remainder add the number of palm trees that they found at Elim; divide this by the number of letters in the name of the beloved physician; to this add the number of years Naomi lived in Moab; then divide by the number of words in the shortest verse in the Bible; and you will have the number upon whom the tower of Siloam fell. —A. J. Bachman. AVIS C. WIGGINS, Minister.

SCOUT NEWS

Scout laws No. 5 and 6: No. 5. A Scout is courteous. He is polite to all, especially to women, children, old people, and the weak and helpless. He must not take pay for being helpful or courteous.

No. 6. A Scout is kind. He is a friend to animals. He will not hurt nor kill any living creature needlessly, but will strive to save and protect all harmless life.

Scouts recognize no race, creed nor class distinctions. They are found in all religious denominations and recognized in all nationalities by the same sign, hand-clasp, and motto. The motto is: "Be Prepared." The hand-clasp is for greeting one another. The salute is similar to military salute except the thumb and little finger are clasped in the palm, and is used when saluting the flag and greeting their superiors.

His daily good turn is the Scout's effort to help his fellows and at the same time to train himself in good habits.

Lord Baden-Powell of London is the father of scouting. Incidentally, he is critically ill at this time at the age of 77. Scouts will watch with interest the developments of his sickness, hoping for a speedy recovery.

The Scout mobilization program of Saturday held at the Central school auditorium was reported quite worth-while though the president's address did not come in very distinctly. There were present sixteen Scouts, five Scouters, twenty-nine Girl Scouts and two Girl Scouters.

Scout Reporter.

EIGHTEENTH WELL PLUGGED

The eighteenth artesian well was successfully plugged by E. B. Guess on the Whitney farm in the East Grand Plains section Friday. The plugging operations included the repair of the casing broken at 145 feet. The nineteenth well to be plugged is located in this same district.

Smilin' Charlie Says-



"When a fellow starts tellin' you how good he is, it shows he doesn't believe in himself, and is afraid YOU won't."

SON OF MR. AND MRS. COOK DEAD

Word was received by Mrs. Frank Seale Sunday night that the six weeks old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cook had died in an El Paso, Texas, hospital from pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Cook left Saturday for El Paso with their son. It was thought at the time that the youngster was suffering from whooping cough, but pneumonia developed later.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook are well known to many local people. For the past year or more, Mr. Cook has served as local manager of the Southwestern Irrigation Cotton Growers Association.

COWBOY BOUND OVER IN DEATH

ALAMOGORDO, N. M.—Jim King, 20-year-old Tularosa cowboy charged with first degree murder for the death of James Haynes, 63, Otero county deputy sheriff at Tularosa February 4th, was bound over without bond Thursday to await district court action.

Seven witnesses testified for the state at King's preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace D. M. Barringer.

HEALTH COLUMN

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

Pneumonia

The man who would die in his boots must know when to take them off. At this season he is subject to colds and influenza. If he then gets into a warm bed and stays in bed until he is quite recovered he may confidently put on his boots again. But there are some who prefer to disdain the lesser infections. To one or another of these there come an attack of the shivers, a rapidly mounting fever, a sharp pain in the side when he coughs. He takes off his boots late.

Analysis of our New Mexico vital statistics for 1932 shows that 376 deaths were reported as due to pneumonia. This places pneumonia third in the list of causes of death for this state. Pneumonia is an enemy against which we need to be especially on our guard in these Rocky Mountain states.

There come days in a mild winter that are suddenly and bitterly cold. Let us protect ourselves against cold winds with wool or leather jackets and not with alcohol. The sensation may be the same but the effect is totally different. Wool or leather

NEW CHEVROLET NOW ON DISPLAY

A new Chevrolet coach is on display at the Guy Chevrolet Co. show rooms this week. This is the first of the 1934 models to be displayed by the local concern, due to the delay in distributing show models to the various dealers over this section. The prospective purchaser has the opportunity of seeing for himself the various new features advertised by the Chevrolet Motor Co., including knee action wheels, blue streak engine, new y. k. frame, 112-inch wheel base, eighty horsepower, eighty miles per hour, new all-weather brakes, faster acceleration, bigger Fisher bodies and twelve per cent greater economy at touring speeds.

Oyster beds have been planted at Weather's Cove, Alaska, in an effort to inadequate the industry in the northern territory.

clothing prevents the cold wind from carrying away the body's heat. Your skin feels warm because you are warm all through. Alcohol causes the blood vessels in your skin dilate. Warm blood rushes to the surface and as fast as the cold wind carries away its warmth more warm blood is pumped back to the skin. The skin is kept warm until all the heat inside has been used up. That is when the pneumonia germs get busy.



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# Social Activities

## DOUBLE WEDDING OF WELL-KNOWN COUPLES

The marriage of Miss Gladys Cole, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cole and Buford A. Gray, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gray, each of this place and Miss O'Lea Mounts, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Mounts of Pampa, Texas, and James Herman Cole, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cole, was solemnized last Thursday afternoon at Roswell.

The Rev. Julian Atwood, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated at the double ceremony, using the impressive ring service, which was read in his study in the presence of the following relatives and friends: Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cole, Mrs. W. C. Gray, Mrs. Clint Cole, Miss Ina Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bolton, Mrs. Harry Rowley and John Lanning.

Mrs. Gray was born in Albuquerque and moved to Artesia with her parents when a very small girl. She was educated in the Artesia schools and attended Montezuma College one and one-half years.

She wore a smart crepe sport suit with blue shoes and other accessories to match.

Mr. Gray received his education in Missouri before coming to Artesia with his parents about eight years ago. He is manager of the Phillips service station on North First street.

Mrs. Cole received her high school education at Burkburnett, Texas. She attended the Wichita Junior College and Westminster College at Tehuacana, Texas, where she specialized in dramatics. She has been a teacher of dramatics in the valley for two years, coming to Artesia about a year ago.

Mrs. Cole wore a striking gown of hyacinth blue with white accessories.

Mr. Cole was also born in Albuquerque and came to Artesia when small. He received his high school education in the Artesia schools and spent three and one-half years at Montezuma College, a Baptist institution of this state. For the past three years he has been associated with the Pecos Valley Gas Company.

Immediately following the ceremony the two couples left for El Paso on a short wedding trip, returning here Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Gray will be at home to their friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hamann on Dallas street and Mr. and Mrs. Cole will be located at 607 Richardson street.

## MRS. DIXON ASSISTS IN TRAINING DAY PROGRAM

Monday was "Officers Training Day" for women of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church South. There was a good attendance of officers and chairmen present at the meeting held in the basement of the Methodist church in Roswell with Mrs. Dan H. Wilmot as leader. She was assisted by Mrs. I. D. Dixon of this place. Mrs. Dixon is district secretary of the Roswell district of the Woman's Missionary Conference.

## MRS. BIRD ENTERTAINS WITH VALENTINE PARTY

Mrs. T. C. Bird very delightfully entertained members of her club, Bridge of the Month, last Friday with a Valentine party.

At one o'clock a lovely Valentine luncheon was served at quartet tables with gay covers and napkins. All members were present and Mrs. Henry Caudle a luncheon guest.

A series of contract games followed the luncheon with high score prize going to Mrs. Willis Morgan and second prize to Mrs. Howard Whitson.

## SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR MISS McCRAW

Mrs. Leon Barker and Mrs. Sadie Wilson entertained very informally Tuesday evening complimenting Miss Mary McCraw whose birthday anniversary was on that date.

A lovely six o'clock chicken dinner was served at the home of Mrs. Barker. A beautiful birthday cake decorated in red and white formed the centerpiece. The Valentine motif was also carried out in the table appointments and menu. Seated with Miss McCraw the honor guest were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chambers, John Richards, Dwight Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barker and Mrs. Sadie Wilson.

A number of rounds of bridge rounded out a most enjoyable evening.

## Social Calendar

TELEPHONE 299

### FRIDAY

The Second Evening Bridge club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Ferree at 6:30 p. m.

The P. E. O. will meet with Mrs. C. E. Mann at 2:30 p. m.

### MONDAY

The Girl Scout Community Committee meets with W. E. Kerr at 2:30 p. m.

### TUESDAY

The Idlewhites Bridge club will meet with Mrs. J. Hise Myers at 2:30 p. m.

The Chevie Six Bridge club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole at 7:00 p. m.

The Tuesday Evening Bridge club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams at 7:00 p. m.

### WEDNESDAY

Opening day for Artesia club house from 4:00 to 5:00 p. m. with an evening program beginning at 8:00 p. m.

### THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The M. E. Missionary Circle meets with Mrs. Leslie Martin, covered dish luncheon. Morning session at 11:00 a. m.

## SUSANNAH WESLEY CLASS HAS PARTY

The home of Mrs. W. R. Hornbaker was a scene of much merriment last Thursday afternoon when Mrs. Hornbaker and Mrs. H. A. Stroup entertained members of the Susannah Wesley class with a Valentine party. They were assisted in entertaining by Miss Dawn Hornbaker.

Each guest wore something very old on this occasion, which proved to be most interesting as well as amusing in some instances. Grandmother Rigdon wore a little bonnet seventy-five years old and a cape fifty. Many others were equally as interesting.

Favorite recipes were written on Valentines and exchanged, and the social hour together is always enjoyed by this group. Angel food cake with whipped cream and coffee and Valentine candies were served by the hostesses to the following: Mmes. Stagner, Holloman, S. G. White, Henricheser, Hannah, Lee Vandagriff, Rigdon, Mary Sherman, Cox, Eipper, W. S. Williams, Ohr, E. J. Holland, Bullock, Frisch, S. S. Ward, W. C. Thompson, Forsyth, Feemster, Kelsey, Jernigan, Keller, Reed, Brainard, Tom Runyan and Boyd Williams of Elk.

## MR. AND MRS. COLE COMPLIMENT NEWLYWEDS

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cole entertained with dinner at one o'clock Sunday complimenting the newlyweds of their family, their daughter Mrs. Buford Gray and husband and their son Herman Cole and wife.

A lovely bouquet of pink carnations and tall pink tapers formed the attractive centerpiece for the long table at which the following guests were seated: Mr. and Mrs. Buford Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole and Hattie Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cole and Doyle, Miss Ina Cole, Simp Albright, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Cox of Roswell and the host and hostess.

## WOMEN'S CLUB FORMAL OPENING POSTPONED

The formal opening of the new home of the Women's Club which was announced for this past Wednesday was postponed until next Wednesday. All club activities have ceased in respect of the passing of the beloved townsman, C. Bert Smith.

On next Wednesday the silver tea will be held at the same hour, from four to five. There is also to be a special feature of the tea which women will not want to miss. The same program will be observed in the evening as previously announced. The building committee is very anxious to have you inspect the new club home, which has been made possible by the effort of club women over a long period of years. Both men and women are invited to attend in the afternoon or night or both. Help to make this a grand opening.

As next Wednesday is the date which Col. Pearson of the New Mexico Military Institute would have appeared before the Women's Club, this program has been set for a later date with announcements to be made later.

## INTERESTING MEETING FOR LEGION AUXILIARY

The February meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held at the hut Monday afternoon with a good attendance of the membership present. Americanism and National Defense is the chief topic for discussion in the Auxiliary for this month, therefore, the program was centered around the above subject.

Mrs. Gail Hamilton read an interesting paper on national defense which was written by Mrs. Albert Richards, who is department chairman. Mrs. George Dungan gave a report on the U. S. Navy, and Mrs. Francis Painter gave the bulletin on Americanism. The Fidac report was given by Mrs. Jess Truett, and the bulletin by Mrs. Briscoe.

There was a short observance of the birthday anniversaries of both Lincoln and Washington, conducted by the president, Mrs. P. V. Morris, and closed by all members singing the "Star Spangled Banner."

Mrs. Aleck McGonagill and Mrs. Ben Pior gave their report on the president and secretary conference which they attended in Silver City last month. The Artesia unit won the distinction of being presented a citation from national at that meeting for their unit activities of the past year. They will receive another citation from national as they are one of the two units in the state who have a one hundred per cent membership.

The program closed with a Valentine number when Mrs. John Runyan and Mrs. Jess Shildneck sang "The Old Spinning Wheel in the Parlor," with Mrs. Runyan at the piano.

Refreshments of salad, heart shaped cakes and coffee were served by the hostesses: Mmes. Francis Painter, Raymond Bartlett and P. V. Morris. Mrs. Fannie Bruton of Laddonia, Missouri, was a guest.

## H 2 O PLUS CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. JACKSON

A very pleasant afternoon was spent by members of the H 2 O Plus Bridge club last Friday afternoon when they met with Mrs. J. H. Jackson for their bi-monthly games of contract.

Mrs. J. M. Story and Mrs. Jeff Hightower were substituting guests. Mrs. Jackson held high score at the conclusion of the games. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

## MR. AND MRS. DEXTER ENTERTAIN NIGHT BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter entertained members of the First Evening Bridge club at their apartment at the Artesia hotel last Thursday evening.

A sumptuous dinner was served at seven o'clock and followed by a number of rounds of auction bridge. Those enjoying this affair were Messrs. and Mmes. Earl Bigler, V. L. Gates, Rex Wheatley, Martin Yates and Dr. J. J. Clarke and Mrs. Lucille Whitcomb.

## PAST NOBLE GRAND CLUB

Miss Linna McCaw and Miss Ella Bauslin were hostesses to members of the Past Noble Grand club at the home of Miss McCaw last Friday evening.

A social hour followed the business session and light refreshments were served by the hostesses to the following: Mmes. Cogdell, Ed Conner, J. M. Story, Wingfield, C. M. Cole, W. H. Cobble, Beulah Jones and the Misses Mary McCaw, Nola Naylor and Miss Merrill Bradley, a guest.

## MISS WILMA ROBINSON BRIDE OF A. D. HILL, JR.

Coming as a complete surprise to their many friends was the marriage of Miss Wilma Robinson and A. D. Hill, Jr. The ceremony was performed in Carlsbad Wednesday afternoon in the study of the Methodist parsonage by the Rev. Sam E. Allison in the presence of Mrs. Dora Montgomery, sister of the groom.

The bride is a daughter of the late Frank and Anna Mae Robinson and a niece of Mrs. William Batterton, with whom she has made her home for several years. She received her high school education in the city schools, graduating with the class of 1932, the following year she completed a course on the lino-type.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hill of the Cottonwood community who are well known throughout the valley. He also graduated from the Artesia high school with the class of 1932 and since that time has been associated with his father on the farm.

Mrs. Hill was attired in a smart navy blue crepe with blue hat, shoes and accessories. Immediately following the ceremony they went to the home of his parents and were honor guests at a birthday celebration. The wedding trip will be deferred to a later date. They will be at home with his parents for the next few months.

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

## WOMAN'S CLUB LEADERS MEET

Mrs. Sidney Prager, chairman of the Fine Arts department of the New Mexico Federation of Women's clubs, entertained with a beautifully planned luncheon last Thursday at her home in Roswell, complimenting the state officers and chairmen of the Woman's clubs who reside in eastern New Mexico and the Pecos valley.

The lovely luncheon was served from a long table exquisitely laid and centered with a golden candelabra and sweet peas. Following the serving of the menu a conference was held where plans for the program of the state convention to be held in Clovis next fall were discussed.

Those attending this affair were: Mrs. J. D. Atwood, president of the state federation; Mrs. Burton C. Mossman, corresponding secretary; Mrs. John B. Beers, president of the Roswell club; Mrs. Grace McDonald Phillips, editor of the New Mexico Club Woman; Mrs. Robert Kelahin, state chairman of International Relations; Mrs. Grace T. Bear, state chairman revisions; Mrs. Mark Corbin, Artesia, music chairman; Mrs. John Lewis of Carlsbad, literature chairman; Mrs. Fred Dennis, and Mrs. M. L. Norris, president and vice-president of the Clovis club, and the hostess Mrs. Prager.

## MONDAY CONTRACT CLUB WITH MRS. EVANS

Mrs. L. P. Evans was hostess to members of the Monday Contract club at her spacious home last Monday.

A delicious covered dish luncheon was enjoyed at one o'clock and followed by the usual rounds of contract. Mrs. Stanley Blocker was the winner of high score. Members present were: Mmes. Hightower, Alethea Phillips, M. W. Evans, Dexter, Bigler and three substituting guests, Mmes. Wallingford, Lowery and Stanley Blocker.

## MISS JUNE CARPER ENTERTAINS COMMERCIAL

Miss June Carper was hostess to members of the Commercial club of high school last Friday evening at the spacious home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Emery Carper.

Cards and dominoes were played by the young people and at the conclusion of a most enjoyable evening the hostess served delicious light refreshments to the following guests: the Misses Gladys Thompson, Peggy Brainard, Laura Elizabeth Bullock, Lillie Mae Miller, and Marshall Rowley, Martin Yates III, Tom Hoffman and their sponsor, Miss Lucille Forsyth.

## GALA CELEBRATION AT A. D. HILL FARM

Wednesday evening was the scene of a gala celebration at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hill in the Cottonwood community. February 11th was the date of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Hill, R. B. Matthews and Jess Truett and February 15th the anniversary of Mr. Hill. Mrs. Dora Montgomery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Jess Truett and Mrs. R. B. Matthews acted as hostesses entertaining a large number of friends in their honor. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hill, Jr., who were married in Carlsbad that afternoon were also honor guests on this occasion.

Dancing and cards furnished amusement until midnight when a bountiful supply of different sandwiches, cakes and coffee were served by the hostesses, Messrs. and Mmes. O. A. Pearson, Wm. T. Haldeman, Glenn O'Bannon, Marlton Graham, Bryan Shoemaker, J. A. Reed, C. M. Pearson, L. A. Rideout, Walter Douglas, and Ben Eckle of Carlsbad, Charlie Brown, Mrs. M. S. Brown, Miss Alma Pearson, Roy Ingram, Claude Reno, R. M. Combs, E. R. Chandler, A. J. Fisher, Bryan Whitley, Mark Fisher and Claib Bostick.

Mrs. Margaret Ellis entertained in honor of her daughter Guinivere Wednesday afternoon with a Valentine party. A large group of the neighborhood children helped Guinivere enjoy this occasion.

## VALENTINE BRIDGE AND SHOWER FOR BRIDES

One of the loveliest parties of the season was given by the Misses Bertha Richards, Mary Woods, Beulah Strang and Winifred Detterick at the home of Miss Richards Wednesday evening complimenting Mrs. Kenneth Williams (Amy Williams) and Mrs. Fletcher Collins (Helen Johnson), recent brides.

The home was beautifully decorated in red and white with lovely bowls and vases of red sweet peas to brighten the exact nook or place. All other guests were present when the two honor guests arrived. They were seated at five tables for a most enjoyable evening of bridge. At the conclusion of the games it was announced that one bride, Mrs. Williams, had won low score and the other Mrs. Collins, high. They were then showered with the many gifts which the guests on this occasion had brought for them.

At the refreshment hour the Valentine motif was further used, the tables were adorned in red and white covers, a red and white salad was served with red and white sandwiches and little heart cakes iced in white with red decorations were served with coffee.

Those enjoying this compliment with Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Collins were the Misses Kathleen Newman, Merrill Bradley, Elsie Palmateer, Jean Macdonald, Lucille Morris, Ella Brown, Mary Jane Williams, Lucille Rowley, Lucille Forsyth, Violet Robertson, Myrtle Burrows, Katherine Peterson, Edna Drury, Helen Bullock, Alma Thompson, Ethel Bullock and Mrs. Roy Spivey.

## EVENING BRIDGE WITH MR. AND MRS. MORGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Morgan were at home to members of the Friday Evening Bridge club last Friday evening.

At the conclusion of the games Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglas received high score prize and Mrs. Jack Clady low. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chambers were substituting guests.

The hostess served a delicious chop-suey course at the close of the evening.

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## LITTLE THEATRE BEGINS REHEARSALS

Members of the Little Theatre met at the home of Mrs. Martin Yates Tuesday evening and selected their first play, "The Scrap of Paper." Rehearsals will begin at once and the public is invited to watch for dates of presentation.

## MRS. COLL HAS THURSDAY CLUB

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

Mrs. Howard Gissler was the

winner of high score prize and Mrs. Albert Glasser of second high at the conclusion of the games of contract.

All members were present. Delicious light refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of the afternoon.

## VALENTINE PARTY FOR ROTARIANS

Members of the Artesia Rotary club enjoyed a Valentine party at the regular luncheon hour Tuesday, in charge of the Rev. W. B. McCrory. At this time members of the club exchanged Valentines.

# Apology Wanted

We are taking the liberty of making an apology for Mark Corbin, ex-president of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce for the way he sometimes mispronounces names. At the annual banquet he introduced J. P. Seiberling, vice-president of the Seiberling Rubber Co., as MR. SEBERLING. We are sure Mark appreciates calling his attention to this matter, as it would be impossible for him to see each individual personally and correct the pronunciation of Mr. Seiberling's name.

One way Mark can redeem himself is by keeping his promise to buy a new set of Seiberling tires with his first butter and egg money and by practicing on the pronunciation of the name at his spare moments so he can greet Mr. Seiberling without any embarrassment on Mr. Seiberling's return here next summer.

## Pior Rubber Co.

BY BEN PIOR

# THREE DAY SALE

## FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY

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- in Green
- in Light Gray
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COATS fashioned on new ideas in perfecting the now-favored streamline silhouette. Simply clever and decidedly swanky the new lines that have been given to the sleeves, collars and belts. Yes, to the feminine vision they're both delightful and so excitingly different!

Fashioned In The Loveliest Of Spring Tweeds, Broadcloths, etc.

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**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 SALE

**FOR SALE:** 140 acres half mile west of Artesia, south of Hope highway—deep surface well—no improvements. Write A. T. Gunter, Roswell, New Mex. 7-3tp

**FOR SALE:** Ten three-months-old Poland China pigs, \$2.00 and \$2.50 each. See Lee Standard at Artesia oil field. 7-1tp

50 ft. lot on Grand Ave., clear except paving. Will give 40 ft. to anyone paving on the 50 ft. A. M. Tarbet. 7-2tp

**PIANO BARGAINS:** Will sacrifice two beautiful new pianos, one grand and one small upright, rather than reship. Have one slightly used piano nearly half paid for will sell for balance on terms to suit. Inquire about free music. Address: Credit Department, Bearden-Steele Piano Co., Box 217, 23 S. Chadbourne, San Angelo, Texas. 7-3tc

Rhode Island Red hatching eggs for sale. See or phone Mrs. W. R. Hornbaker, phone 03F12. 7-1tc

## WANTED

Will buy all the Jersey cattle of any description from one car on up delivered at stock pens at any R. R. point from Roswell to Carlsbad. Price \$1.25 per 100 weight. Birdwell & Thomas. See Text Book. 7-1tp

# Political ANNOUNCEMENTS

## RATES

Strictly Cash With Copy

State Offices	\$25.00
District Offices	\$20.00
County Offices	\$15.00
Senator and Representative	\$10.00
Probate Judge	\$10.00
Surveyor	\$10.00
County Commissioner	\$10.00
City Offices	\$ 5.00

The following candidates submit their announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary:

- For County and District Clerk:** RUDE WILCOX, Artesia. ETHEL M. HIGHSMITH, Carlsbad. THELMA T. LUSK, Carlsbad.
- For Sheriff:** HOWELL GAGE, Artesia. TOM WOOD, Carlsbad. DWIGHT LEE, Carlsbad. M. C. STEWART, Carlsbad.
- For County Treasurer:** JOE JOHNS, Carlsbad.
- For County Assessor:** RICHARD H. WESTAWAY, Carlsbad.
- For Commissioner District No. 2:** WILLIAM T. HALDEMAN, Artesia. G. R. BRAINARD, Artesia.
- For County Supt. of Schools:** MRS. H. R. RODGERS, Carlsbad. N. M. CAMPBELL, Otis. WILMA K. DILLARD, Carlsbad. G. R. (GEORGE) SPENCER, Carlsbad.
- For Representative:** M. R. SMITH, Carlsbad.
- For Commissioner District No. 1:** JOE LUSK, Carlsbad. I. J. STOCKWELL, Carlsbad.
- For Probate Judge:** PAUL A. OTTS, Artesia.
- For Commissioner District No. 3:** G. R. HOWARD, Loving.

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

# IN SOCIETY

## SIX O'CLOCK DINNER HONORING NEWLYWEDS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole entertained at dinner Wednesday evening honoring the newlyweds of their family, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole.

The Valentine motif was used in the table decorations and menu. The attractive centerpiece for the beautifully laid table was a gorgeous bowl of red sweet peas with tall red tapers. Seated were Mr. and Mrs. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Cole, the honor guests, Miss Ina Cole, Miss LaRue Mann, the host and hostess and Hattie Ruth.

The young couples were surprised by a party of friends who called and showered them with many lovely gifts at the close of the dinner hour. Those in the party were: Mmes. W. C. Martin, Vernon Bolton, Lloyd Simon, Clint Cole, C. M. Cole, and Miss Jennie Beth Bishop. A number of the Y. W. A. girls who were unable to be present sent gifts.

## LEGION AUXILIARY IS ORGANIZED AT CARLSBAD

Wednesday evening the Bryan Mudgett post of the American Legion of Carlsbad acted as hosts to the ladies of their families and a number of out of town guests.

The object of the meeting was to organize an auxiliary for their post which was completed at that time. Mrs. P. V. Morris, president of the Artesia unit, acted as chairman for the election and Mrs. Elizabeth Chardy, fifth district committeewoman of Lovington, installed the officers. A short program of entertainment was given after the business session. Those present from Artesia were Messrs. and Mmes. Charlie Morgan, C. R. Vandagriff, Jack Clady, P. V. Morris and Mmes. Ben Pior, Sadie Wilson, Francis Painter, Bert Sinclair and J. L. Briscoe.

## MRS. WILLIAM LINELL ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. William Linell entertained members of the Fortnightly Bridge club and a number of extra guests Tuesday afternoon.

Guests seated at four quartet tables were served a delicious one o'clock luncheon which was followed by the usual rounds of auction bridge. Mrs. Frank Seale made high score for the afternoon.

Members present were: Mmes. Atkeson, Corbin, W. C. Martin, Feather, Seale, C. R. Blocker, Albert Richards, Spratt and the following extra guests: Mmes. Richard Attebery, L. P. Evans, Fred Cole, Howard Williams, Aubrey Watson, Lloyd Simon, Hollis Watson, V. L. Gates and Mrs. Fannie Bruton of Laddonia, Missouri, who was a luncheon guest.

## LITTLE JACK CLADY CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Little Jack Clady was honored by his mother last Friday afternoon when she entertained with a birthday party in honor of his fourth birthday.

Thirteen little guests helped baby Jack celebrate on this occasion. He was delighted with the many gifts presented by his guests. After an hour of games Mrs. Clady served the birthday cake with ice cream and candies. Each little guest received a Valentine as a party favor. Children enjoying this occasion were Shirley Sue Feather, Ralph Shugart, Jr., Carrol Womack, Bobby Simon, Patricia Nugent, Betty Barnett, Don and Val Morgan, Albert and Dorothy Linell, Betty Cooke, Shirley Watson and Johnnie Truett.

## DELIGHTFUL LITTLE VALENTINE PARTY

Mrs. Rex Wheatley and Mrs. J. Clark Bruce entertained from four to five Wednesday afternoon with a Valentine party complimenting their little daughters Barbara and Betty.

Fifteen little guests were invited to help them enjoy this hour of seasonal games, after which Valentine cookies and ice cream were served to the following: Janice Mann, Charlene Martin, Betty Sue Hannah, Helen Jean Evans, Phyllis and Shirley Bartlett, Rose Mary Martin, Billie Wilson, W. C. Martin, Jr., Marjorie and Catherine Crockett, Orlena Martin, Jane Shugart, Shirley Watson, Dolores Meyerhofen and the two little honor guests.

## BRIDGE LUNCHEON FOR MIERCOLES CLUB

Members of the Miercoles Bridge club were entertained at the home of Mrs. Elza Swift Wednesday.

A lovely one o'clock covered dish luncheon was enjoyed and followed by the usual rounds of contract. Mrs. Hollis Watson received the high score prize.

Members present were: Mmes. Attebery, Mahone, Hollis Watson, Ben Pior, Lloyd Simon, Aubrey Watson, Howard Williams and the hostess.

# MARKETS

## N. Y. COTTON

(Furnished by courtesy of Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association.)

	(March Option)	Open	Close
February 8	11.90	12.10	
February 9	12.07	12.18	
February 10	12.08	12.32	
February 12	12.30	12.44	
(New Orleans)			
February 13	12.20	12.13	
February 14	11.95	12.07	

Possibility of government regulation legislation of commodity exchanges has resulted in a rather erratic market Wednesday and will probably cause wide fluctuations until something definite is known as to what may be expected. Some holders of spot cotton, fearing that they might be called upon to meet the requirements of the proposed legislation as to margins (60% of the value) have liquidated their "call cotton". Speculative longs were also liquidating from the same cause and the decline has likely fairly well corrected an overbought condition.

We cannot believe that the administration will do anything to permanently injure the market structure, either as to values or its elasticity although some regulatory measures are certain of passage.

Fundamentally, we think the market is in a strong position but, of course, some unforeseen legislation might be proposed as was done Wednesday for instance that could greatly upset the cotton market. As advised last week, cotton sold now will show the holders a good price for last year's crop and relieve them of much concern as to probable market factors.

## NEPHEW OF LAKE ARTHUR MAN MADE COACH OF NAVY

Thomas Hamilton, nephew of W. A. Hamilton of Lake Arthur, former star quarterback on the Navy team, was made head coach at Annapolis early this month, supplanting Edgar A. (Rip) Miller.

After his graduation from Annapolis in 1927, Hamilton was assistant coach of the Navy for three years.

## PWA Will Sell Bonds of States and Cities, to Refinance

WASHINGTON — The public works administration Sunday started the machinery to pour more dollars into government coffers through sale of general obligation and revenue bonds of states, cities and other political subdivisions purchased in financing non-federal projects.

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

## DORCAS CLASS HAS VALENTINE PARTY

Mrs. W. C. Martin was hostess to members of the Dorcas class when she entertained with a Valentine party Wednesday afternoon.

A business session preceded the bible study and Mrs. Boone Barnett was elected class president to fill the vacancy made by Mrs. W. W. Rester.

The bible study was conducted by Mrs. Martin in a most interesting way. Valentine refreshments were served by the hostess at the conclusion of a social hour. The following guests were present: Mmes. Stewart Compton, Clint Cole, Ed Gillispie, Merrill Sharp, Kay Lydia, John Dunn, Boone Barnett and Miss Jennie Mae Attebery.

## ABNORMIS SAPIENS BRIDGE CLUB MEETS

Mrs. M. W. Evans entertained members of the Abnormis Sapiens Bridge club on Tuesday afternoon which was one day earlier than the regular meeting day.

An enjoyable afternoon was spent at contract bridge with high score going to Mrs. Beecher Rowan. Mrs. F. G. Hartell was a substituting guest. Light refreshments were served by the hostess at the conclusion of the games.

## MRS. LANGSTON HOSTESS TO B. C. CLUB

Mrs. Roy Langston entertained members of the B. C. Club Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Howard Gissler, Mrs. Carl Bildstone and Mrs. Henry Caudle were substituting guests. Mrs. John Dunn was the winner of high score prize and Mrs. Caudle the winner of second high prize. Light refreshments were served at the conclusion of the games of contract.

## YOUNG MOTHER'S CLUB

A very small number of the membership of the Young Mother's club were present at the meeting last Friday held at the home of Mrs. Boone Barnett.

A social hour was enjoyed with the hostess serving light refreshments at the close.

# LOCALS

Mrs. D. E. Hedgepeth has recently completed a two-inch water line from the artesian well on her farm to her residence.

Arba Green came home Monday after spending two weeks at the lead mines at Mockingbird Gap. He returned to the mines again Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Polk of Lubbock, Texas, announced the arrival of a son on Wednesday, February 14th, in a message to his parents Mr. and Mrs. Tex Polk.

T. F. Clark of El Paso, Texas, district traffic chief of the Mountain States Telephone Co., spent yesterday in Artesia attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Doyle and two sons of Lowell, Michigan, stopped off here yesterday for a short visit en route to the Caverns. Mr. Doyle is a cousin of Andrew Dooley and may locate in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cooper stopped here Tuesday for a short visit with his mother Mrs. Elizabeth Cooper and his sister Mrs. C. R. Blocker. They had been visiting their son and family in Carlsbad and were returning to their ranch home near Kenna.

Dr. R. K. Hoover, former Artesia resident, met with the New Mexico hospital board in Albuquerque Tuesday and has accepted the position of medical director in the state hospital in Santa Fe. Dr. and Mrs. Hoover will leave Friday for their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cook and little daughter returned from El

Paso Tuesday evening late. They had rushed to the city last Saturday with their infant son who was ill and who passed away shortly after their arrival. Mr. Cooke's sister-in-law and little daughter returned with them and will spend the week here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Williams, who were among the early residents of Artesia, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Frisch Tuesday. Mr. Williams was cashier of one of the banks at the time of their residence here, and they will be remembered as prominent members of the Methodist church. He is traveling for an oil company at the present which occasionally brings him through this territory and Mrs. Williams is accompanying him on this trip. Their home is in Amarillo at the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Booker of Wellington, Kansas, announce the birth of a daughter on February 7th, whom they have named Kaye Tess. Mrs. Booker was Nelle Carper, one of the twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Emery Carper, and niece of Mr. and Mrs. Will Ballard. Mr. Booker, now superintendent of the Wellington schools, was at one time an instructor at the New Mexico Military Institute and Mrs. Booker one of the several very efficient private secretaries at the Roswell Chamber of Commerce.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks for the many telegrams of sympathy and the beautiful flowers sent us after the death of our little son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cook.

## TYPEWRITERS

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

## SHIPS CATTLE

J. C. Ballard of Roswell Monday shipped out a car of cattle to Marcelene, Missouri, purchased in this vicinity.

## CATTLE SHIPMENTS

Cattle shipments from the state during the month of January totaled 40,804 head, it was announced at Albuquerque.

## NOTICE TO CHICKEN OWNERS

You are required by a city ordinance to keep your chickens securely penned at this season of the year and during the summer. Violators of the ordinance will be subjected to the penalties provided therein.

J. M. JACKSON, City Marshal.

# EYESIGHT

## Eye Health

Eyes quickly feel the effects of any wrong condition, either within or without the body, and give a timely warning.

If you are having difficulty in reading or doing close work, or if you are afflicted with headaches or blurred vision, you should heed this warning and have your eyes attended to.

Examination by an eye specialist will locate the trouble and indicate the treatment which should be given. Usually it is within the eye itself and is not of a serious nature. In such cases the remedy is to use corrective lenses to assist the eye in overcoming the defect.

We specialize in Eye Refraction, which is the examination and correction of defective vision by means of glasses. You are invited to call and consult us about your eyes and to make an appointment for examination if you wish.

# Dr. Edw. Stone

Optometrist

# OBSERVATIONS



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Our fashion advisers recommended Navy Blue as the Number One Color for Spring—We heeded their advice and selected a beautiful assortment in that color—We know that everyone would not want to go for Navy Blue and we selected other colors also, including gray, tan, yellow, green, brown, and mixtures.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

E. B. Bullock, Plaintiff vs. No. 5706 Eugene F. Hardwick, being the same person as E. F. Hardwick, and Gustenia R. Hardwick, wife of the said Eugene F. Hardwick, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: The Artesia Townsite Company, a Corporation, Harry W. Hamilton, Director and Stockholder, of record, of said Corporation, if living and if dead his unknown successors, assigns, heirs, executors and administrators; Floy Richey Hamilton, one of the Directors and Stockholders, of record, of said Corporation, if living and if dead his unknown successors, heirs, assigns, executors and administrators; E. F. Hardwick, one of the Directors and Stockholders of record, of said Corporation, and his unknown successors and assigns; and all other unknown Directors and Stockholders of said Corporation, their successors and assigns if living, but if dead all their unknown heirs, executors and administrators; Lillie Spray, if living and if dead all her unknown heirs, executors, assigns and administrators; Joseph W. Spray, being the same person as J. W. Spray, if living and if dead all of his unknown heirs, executors, administrators and assigns; and all unknown persons and unknown claimants of interest, in lots two and four in block five of the Original Town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, and premises, adverse to Plaintiff, Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF THE ABOVE ENTITLED AND NUMBERED CAUSE

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO, Eugene F. Hardwick, being the same person as E. F. Hardwick, and Gustenia R. Hardwick, wife of the said Eugene F. Hardwick, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: The Artesia Townsite Company, a Corporation, Harry W. Hamilton, Director and Stockholder, of record, of said Corporation, if living and if dead his unknown successors, assigns, heirs, executors and administrators; Floy Richey Hamilton, one of the Directors and Stockholders, of record, of said Corporation, if living and if dead her unknown successors, heirs, assigns, executors and administrators; E. F. Hardwick, one of the Directors and Stockholders, of record, of said Corporation, and his unknown successors and assigns; and all other unknown Directors and Stockholders of said Corporation, their successors and assigns if living, but if dead all their unknown heirs, executors and administrators; Lillie Spray, if living and if dead all her unknown heirs, executors, assigns and administrators; Joseph W. Spray, being the same person as J. W. Spray, if living and if dead all of his unknown heirs, executors, administrators and assigns; and all unknown persons and unknown claimants of interest, in lots two and four in block five of the Original Town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, and premises, adverse to Plaintiff, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 9th day of February, 1934, appointed Administrator of the estate of J. B. Randolph, deceased, by Honorable P. S. 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.

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

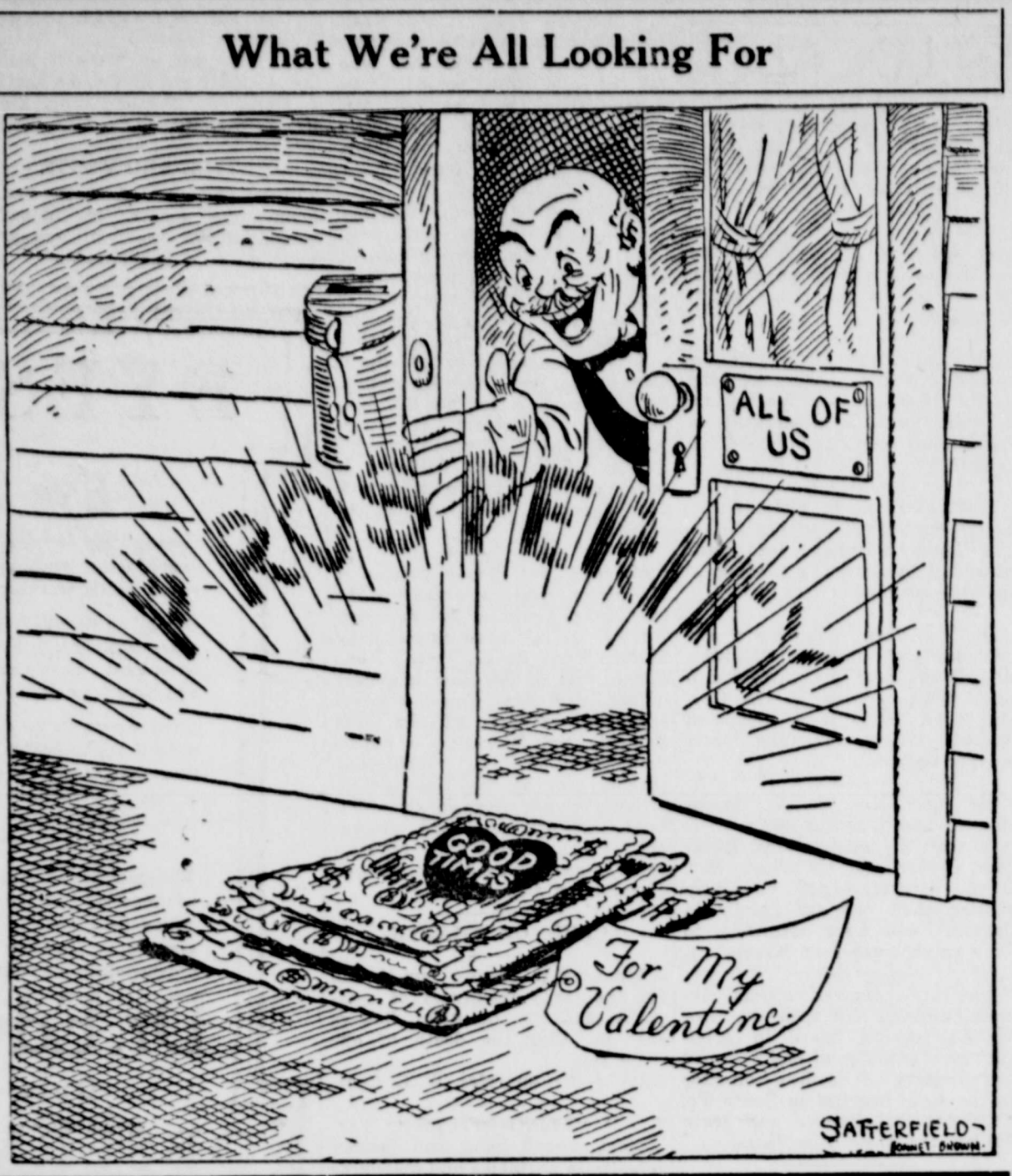
RALPH A. SHUGART and RENA SHUGART, his wife, Plaintiffs, vs. No. 5706 ISAAC HANAN, CARRIE HANAN, JULIAN L. HAZARD, MRS. JULIAN L. HAZARD, OCTAVIO JORDAN, WILLIAM F. GETTLE, J. A. PRIETO, HORTENSE PRIETO, D. D. RICHARDS and FRANK HAZARD, Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

TO EACH AND ALL OF THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: You and each of you are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you by the above named plaintiffs in the above named court in which the said plaintiffs pray that you and each of you be cited to appear and answer in said cause and to set forth the several rights claimed by each and all of you by reason of that certain escrow agreement entered into by and between said plaintiffs and the said Isaac Hanan dated the 14th day of October, 1932, and placed in escrow in the First National Bank of Artesia, New Mexico, as escrow holder thereof, by the terms of which escrow agreement the said Isaac Hanan agreed to commence the drilling of a well for oil and gas on or before the 1st day of December, 1932, on the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 32 in Twp. 18 S. Range 31 E, N M P M, and to diligently and continuously prosecute the drilling of said well to the depth of 3300 feet unless oil or gas in commercial quantities was found at a lesser depth in said well; and you and each of said defendants, are hereby cited to appear and answer plaintiffs' Complaint filed herein and to set forth the several rights claimed by each

You and each of you are further notified that Plaintiff seeks to have his title to the above described real-estate and premises quieted and set at rest and that you and each of you be forever debarred from asserting any right, title, interest or claim whatever in and to said real-estate and premises, or any part thereof. Plaintiff further seeks to recover judgment against you, the said defendants, for all his cost in said cause.

You, the said Defendants, and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your appearance and plead in said cause at the Court House in the City of Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the 14th day of April, 1934, Plaintiff will take an Order of Default against you and each of you and judgment



by default for the relief demanded in Plaintiff's Complaint, together with costs of suit.

You are further notified that J. H. Jackson, of Artesia, New Mexico, is the Attorney for Plaintiff in the above entitled cause.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said District Court on this the 12th day of February, 1934.

RUTH S. MANNING, County Clerk. 7-4t

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF J. B. RANDOLPH, DECEASED. NO. 711

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 9th day of February, 1934, appointed Administrator of the estate of J. B. Randolph, deceased, by Honorable P. S. 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.

J. W. BERRY, Administrator.

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

RALPH A. SHUGART and RENA SHUGART, his wife, Plaintiffs, vs. No. 5706 ISAAC HANAN, CARRIE HANAN, JULIAN L. HAZARD, MRS. JULIAN L. HAZARD, OCTAVIO JORDAN, WILLIAM F. GETTLE, J. A. PRIETO, HORTENSE PRIETO, D. D. RICHARDS and FRANK HAZARD, Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

TO EACH AND ALL OF THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: You and each of you are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you by the above named plaintiffs in the above named court in which the said plaintiffs pray that you and each of you be cited to appear and answer in said cause and to set forth the several rights claimed by each and all of you by reason of that certain escrow agreement entered into by and between said plaintiffs and the said Isaac Hanan dated the 14th day of October, 1932, and placed in escrow in the First National Bank of Artesia, New Mexico, as escrow holder thereof, by the terms of which escrow agreement the said Isaac Hanan agreed to commence the drilling of a well for oil and gas on or before the 1st day of December, 1932, on the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 32 in Twp. 18 S. Range 31 E, N M P M, and to diligently and continuously prosecute the drilling of said well to the depth of 3300 feet unless oil or gas in commercial quantities was found at a lesser depth in said well; and you and each of said defendants, are hereby cited to appear and answer plaintiffs' Complaint filed herein and to set forth the several rights claimed by each

You and each of you are further notified that Plaintiff seeks to have his title to the above described real-estate and premises quieted and set at rest and that you and each of you be forever debarred from asserting any right, title, interest or claim whatever in and to said real-estate and premises, or any part thereof. Plaintiff further seeks to recover judgment against you, the said defendants, for all his cost in said cause.

You, the said Defendants, and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your appearance and plead in said cause at the Court House in the City of Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the 14th day of April, 1934, Plaintiff will take an Order of Default against you and each of you and judgment

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Prof. E. O. Lawrence who, with Dr. M. Stanley Livingston, has developed a new ray more penetrating than either the X-rays or radium. This ray is made of neutrons, the most disruptive substances known to science. The ray is a flow of 10,000,000 neutrons a second, coming from a lead window. Although just a baby in the ray class, and potentially the most dangerous ever produced, it has great possibilities both for experiments and for building up the heavier chemical elements out of the lighter.

and all of you by reason of said Escrow Agreement; and that said court issue a decree ordering the cancellation of said Escrow Agreement as to all of said defendants named in said cause; and that plaintiffs have and recover of and from you, the said defendants, all of their costs in this behalf expended.

You, and each of you, are further notified that unless you enter your appearance and file an answer in said cause on or before the 6th day of April, 1934, a decree pro confesso will be taken against you and each of you and the relief prayed for in plaintiffs' Complaint filed in said cause will be granted.

Plaintiffs' attorney is G. U. McCrary of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico.

RUTH S. MANNING, District Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico. 7-4t

TYPEWRITERS

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

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HELP! HELP!! HELP!!! HOLLIS IS A NORMAN-He showed up Sunday with three wives and eighteen kids. We are playing safe this week—so Willis and Mrs. Morgan will be our guests Sunday. Artesia Hotel Coffee Shop

RUSSIA SEES VICTORY IN EVENT OF WAR WITH THE JAPANESE

MOSCOW—The full extent of a soviet ring of iron and concrete fortifications along the Manchurian border was revealed Sunday with publication of the text of General Vassily Constantinovich Bluecher's address to the communist congress.

General Bluecher is commander-in-chief of the Russian armies in the Far East. He described to the all-union congress in an address given last Thursday a red army so strong that it will "administer a blow capable of cracking and in some places destroying the very foundation of capitalism" in event of a Russo-Japanese war.

Challenges Japan General Bluecher challenged what he said was Japan's "feverish preparation" for war. Amid frequent cheers from delegates, the fighting man in blunt language cited three factors to support his accusation that Japan is converting Manchukuo into an armed base:

1. Construction of 1,000 kilometers (approximately 620 miles) of strategic railroads in North Manchukuo in the last two years, only 35 per cent of which, he said, were economically necessary.

2. Construction of 2,200 kilometers (approximately 367 miles) of highways in the same region.

3. Construction of 50 airdromes and aviation bases, concentrated north of Mukden.

"It is regrettable," said General Bluecher, who would have the responsibility of directing Far Eastern military operations in the event of war, "that the present policy of the Japanese imperialists does not guarantee we will not be involved in military complications despite our effort to avoid them."

CAVERN LAND TRADE LOOMS

WASHINGTON—The house public lands committee late Thursday reported favorably a bill authorizing the exchange of the use of certain government land within the Carlsbad Caverns National Park for certain privately owned land within the boundaries.

The measure would authorize the acquisition by the government of land within the park boundaries now privately owned and used for mining guano.

In exchange for the fee to this land, subject to the reservation by the owners of the guano deposits, the secretary of the interior would be authorized to grant the use of a shaft located on government land nearby for removal of the guano deposit.

EL PASO GOOD WILL TOUR MARCH 8TH

Word has been received here from Capt. E. H. Simons, vice-president of the El Paso, Texas, Chamber of Commerce, that a group of El Paso business men would be here on March 8th on a good will tour of the Pecos valley. The trade trippers will be here one hour from 3:00 to 4:00 p. m. March 8th. They will lunch in Carlsbad and spend the night of the 8th in Roswell, returning home by way of Ruidoso and the mountains.

WITHDRAWS GRAZING LAND

WASHINGTON — President Roosevelt has signed an executive order withdrawing more than 1,000,000 acres of public domain from grazing.

The president took the action upon the recommendation of Governor Blood of Utah, the move being designed to permit the conservation of grazing land now about ruined. The 1,200,000 acres affected lie in western Utah and under the executive order grazing will be permitted upon the land only by special permit but not until after the grazing has been restored to its former condition.

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Mrs. Luther Trimble and Mrs. Helen Hester of Roswell were guests of Mrs. C. B. Altman at her home here Sunday. Miss Inez Blakeney who has spent the past month in the home of Mrs. Ethel Highsmith in Carlsbad returned to her home here Thursday. B. M. Crabtree and A. O. Snowden of Brownfield, Texas, were in here Monday with a view to purchasing horses from local ranchmen. Mrs. Billie Ballard and Miss Babs Mellard returned to their home here Saturday from El Paso where they visited friends during the past week. Mrs. H. D. Guess and son Bennie who are here for the school term motored to their ranch home near Pinon Saturday afternoon to spend the week end with Mr. Guess. Mrs. Robert Parks and Miss Janet Parks motored to Carlsbad Saturday where they visited Mrs. Bill Glascock of Hope who is a patient at St. Francis hospital there. Louis McDonald had the misfortune to lose the sight of his right eye when a stick hit him while he was chopping wood at the home of his sister here last Thursday. Mrs. Ed Gage who is located here for the benefit of the school with her children Hilda and Ralph Kelley motored to Pinon for the week end to visit with Mr. Gage on their ranch there. Otice Brown, manager of the Eddy county reemployment office of Artesia and Carlsbad, was here with his family from their home at Artesia Sunday attending to business matters and visiting friends. Mrs. Louis Beyers at her home on the Mule Shoe ranch Friday night entertained with a party honoring John Phillip Bush who has made his home on the ranch the past two years. Those enjoying games and dancing were: Janet and Betsy Parks, Wilhelmina Wilburn, Irene Nabors, Winnie Allen, Max Johnson, Jack Hart, Hoyt Traylor, Sam Lovejoy and Joe Alexander. Delicious refreshments of cake and cocoa were served to those present. Despite repeal of the 18th amendment the use of alcohol in a new confection or candy is still termed an adulation and is barred by the nation's pure food and drug laws.

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Open For Business The Spanish-American Club will be open and ready for business with a full line of groceries and feeds at the new building on 508 West Main street. Saturday, February 17th WE WILL APPRECIATE A VISIT FROM YOU Spanish American Club By MELVIN PASHEA, Manager

**SCHOOL DAYS**

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VALENTINE DAY

**LOCALS**

C. E. Mann was attending court at Roswell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. House of Lakewood were shoppers in town Monday.

Mrs. Bryant Williams of Hope was shopping and visiting friends in Artesia Tuesday.

J. Harvey Wilson was a business visitor in Dallas, Texas, the latter part of the week.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bud C. Aaron on the Cottonwood Monday morning.

Albert Black of Albuquerque spent the latter part of the week visiting Miss Mary Jane Williams.

Mrs. Thelma Lusk of Carlsbad, candidate for county clerk, spent Monday here in the interest of her candidacy.

F. B. Van Horn of Carlsbad, land man with the United States Potash Co., was a business visitor here Monday.

Mrs. J. T. Pickard of Albuquerque is here as a guest of her sister Mrs. John McCann and husband. She expects to be here indefinitely.

Mrs. R. L. Collins and small son, who have been the guests of her mother, Mrs. S. G. White since Sunday, left yesterday for their home at Carlsbad.

Lowell Price of Carlsbad, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Price of Artesia, has accepted a position with the Palace Drug Store, succeeding Joe Hamann, resigned.

Supt. H. R. Rodgers of Carlsbad Sunday was called to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. V. L. Rodgers, who is seriously ill at her home in El Dorado, Texas.

T. H. Flint left Sunday morning for El Paso on a short business trip. He was accompanied by Mrs. W. E. Flint who expects to be with her father for several days.

Boston Witt and his son Charlie and his wife and two sons of Lovington visited Mrs. Witt here Sunday. She is recovering from a serious illness at the home of her daughter Mrs. Rude Wilcox.

William Horner, former salesman of the Peoples Mercantile Co. grocery department, has accepted his old position, succeeding Melvin Pashea, who resigned to manage the Spanish-American Club.

Mrs. J. A. Clayton and little daughter Linda came over from their home at Hobbs last Friday and are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry on the Cottonwood and Mayor and Mrs. Joe Clayton here.

Van Welch and his two sons Van, Jr., and Wendell left Monday for Fort Worth, Texas, to visit Mrs. Welch who has just recently been removed from a sanitarium in Dallas to the home of her daughter Mrs. Sig Iverson in Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. W. Lewis of Carlsbad was an over-night guest of Mrs. Mark A. Corbin last Thursday. Mrs. Lewis is the state chairman of literature and Mrs. Corbin of music of the Federated Women's clubs. They attended the meeting of the chairmen of fine arts in Roswell that day.

Dr. Lura L. Hinshaw left Sunday for Shreveport, Louisiana, to be joined there by her brothers, D. E. Mohler and Dr. A. D. Mohler on a further trip to Palestine, Arkansas, where they will visit their aged father, Dr. T. I. Mohler, 91 years old, and their half-sister Miss Maude Mohler. Their sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Richardson of Spokane, Washington, will also be there to complete a family reunion.

**VERNON TATE SHOT TO DEATH ON BUSY STREET IN CLOVIS**

A feud of several years standing flared anew on a busy Clovis street in midafternoon Monday and when the smoke of its guns cleared, one man, Vernon Tate, lay dead and the three brothers were under arrest.

Vernon Tate, acquitted in 1930 of shooting and killing G. C. Bohanan and his son Carl, 19, was instantly killed and Carsey, Bee and Louis Bohanan, sons of G. C. Bohanan, were taken into custody several minutes later.

Tate was shot within 50 feet of where the elder Bohanan and his son, Carl, were shot on January 18, 1930, as he stepped from his car at a busy street corner shortly after two o'clock Monday afternoon.

As he approached the curb at the corner, the three Bohanan brothers suddenly appeared and a fusillade of shots followed. Tate is alleged to have drawn his gun as the three men approached him. The shooting broke out and he fell fatally wounded in the gutter.

Although the tragedy took place during the peak of the afternoon's business at Clovis, no bystanders were struck by the flying bullets.

After the shooting, Louis Bohanan ran to the offices of a doctor nearby where he took refuge until arrested by officers some few minutes later. Carsey and Bee ran into the Citizens Bank where they took refuge in the vault. All were armed. Louis Bohanan when taken into custody had a .38 automatic and rifle, and all the shots had been fired from the automatic. The rifle had four unfired cartridges.

One witness said Tate stepped back from the curb as the shooting started, his pistol in his hand. Two empty shells were found in his .38 caliber pistol, but the witness said he could not tell whether Tate had fired those bullets. He fell with the Bohanans firing at him from the front and rear. Two automobiles standing close by were perforated by the flying bullets.

Monday's tragedy, it was said, dated back to the boyhood days of Tate's son and Carsey Bohanan when the two boys had some difficulty in a rural school house in this county several years ago.

**DEPUTY TREASURER NAMED**

Jim Connelly of Raton Monday was named deputy to John Morrow, who will take the office of state treasurer about March 1st.

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

**BULLDOGS DEFEATED IN A FAST GAME**

The Artesia high school squad lost a fast basketball game to Floyd Thursday evening at the Central gym by a count of 40 to 57. The Floyd team kept their reputation untarnished as a leading east side team by taking the lead in the early part of the game and keeping it. Finley, right guard, was the basket ringer on the visiting squad responsible for the victory with fourteen field goals and three free throws. Brown was the star for Artesia with six field goals and two free throws to his credit.

The summary:

Artesia (40)	FG	FT	P
Brown, rf	6	2	3
C. Champion, rf	3	1	1
Chambers, lf	2	0	0
Rowley, c	1	0	0
E. Champion, rg	1	2	2
Wilde, rg	0	0	0
Williams, lg	4	1	3
Totals	17	6	9

Floyd (57)	FG	FT	P
D. Widdener, lg	3	2	2
Finley, rg	14	3	3
G. Widdener, c	1	0	0
M. Widdener, c	0	0	0
Miller, lg	3	0	0
Cooper, rf	4	2	1
Totals	25	7	12

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**TYPEWRITERS**

Portables and Standards \$20.00 to \$102.50 Artesia Advocate

**COTTONWOOD ITEMS**

Mrs. Murphy, mother of Mrs. Bob Bailey, returned from a business trip to Tahoka, Texas, Monday.

Messrs. and Mmes. Glenn O'Bannon and M. S. Brown were transacting business in Carlsbad Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Williams, Upper Cottonwood teacher, spent the week end visiting her friend Miss Mabel Vowell of Carlsbad.

Mrs. Tom Terry and daughter Mrs. J. A. Clayton, Jr., of Hobbs motored to Atoka Tuesday and visited the Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Terry and Paul Terry and family.

The Rev. Klassen of Hope filled his regular appointment at the Cottonwood church Sunday. The preaching services are held each second and fourth Sunday in each month. All are invited to attend.

The next meeting of the Cottonwood Woman's Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Tom Terry, March 1st. At the meeting last Thursday Miss Veda Strong, state home agent, demonstrated the making of soap by the cold process. Delicious refreshments of sandwiches, salad and cocoa were served and Valentine hearts were used as favors.

The marriage of Miss Nellie B. Norris to Mr. J. L. Taylor, both of the Cottonwood community, will be of interest to many people of this community. The young couple were married at Roswell Monday. Mrs. Taylor is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Norris, well known to all Cottonwood people, and Mr. Taylor is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Taylor, who live on the Pearson farm. Many friends join in extending congratulations and best wishes.

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Advocate.

**Eddy County Farm News**

At a meeting of the county committee on Tuesday, February 13, the report shows a total of 399 contracts signed in the county covering 34,763 acres with 12,610 acres rented to the secretary of agriculture. The average acreage yield was 376 pounds per acre. The final meeting will be held on Thursday, February 15, when all contracts must be in to be passed on. All the contracts have been tabulated and checked in the county extension agent's office, and all reports are ready to be sent to the state board of reviews as soon as the contracts are checked by the county committee on February 15th.

Twenty-four option checks were received Tuesday totaling \$7,873 which makes a total of \$82,873. This leaves approximately \$40,000 to be received.

At the regular meeting of the Cottonwood Woman's Club at the home of Mrs. J. I. Funk, Miss Veda Strong demonstrated two processes of making soap. The cold process was used and both laundry and toilet soap were made. Nine pounds of soap were made at a cost of 25c, using tallow and grease that had become rancid. method of making soap from bacon grease by removing the salt and following the process outlined. This method of making soap is both economical and useful and much money can be saved by the housewife who has a supply of tallow or other fat, particularly at this time of the year as meat slaughtering time is here.

**MORROW TREASURER**

Former Congressman John Morrow of Raton has accepted the position of state treasurer, succeeding Clinton P. Anderson, provided Governor Hockenfull will give him time to clean up his personal affairs, it was announced at Raton last week. Mr. Morrow would take over the duties of treasurer about March 1st.

**Basketball**

Friday Night, Feb. 16

DEXTER HIGH SCHOOL —vs.— ARTESIA HIGH SCHOOL 7:00 P. M.

HAGERMAN TOWN TEAM —vs.— ARTESIA HIGH SCHOOL 8:00 P. M.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

E. B. Bullock, Plaintiff vs. No. 5706 Eugene F. Hardwick, being the same person as E. F. Hardwick, and Gustenia R. Hardwick, wife of the said Eugene F. Hardwick, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: The Artesia Townsite Company, a Corporation, Harry W. Hamilton, Director and Stockholder, of record, of said Corporation, if living and if dead his unknown successors, assigns, heirs, executors and administrators; Floy Richey Hamilton, one of the Directors and Stockholders, of record, of said Corporation, if living and if dead her unknown successors, assigns, heirs, executors and administrators; E. F. Hardwick, one of the Directors and Stockholders of record, of said Corporation, and his unknown successors and assigns; and all other unknown Directors and Stockholders of said Corporation, their successors and assigns if living, but if dead all their unknown heirs, executors and administrators; Lillie Spray, if living and if dead all her unknown heirs, executors, assigns and administrators; Joseph W. Spray, being the same person as J. W. Spray, if living and if dead all of his unknown heirs, executors, administrators and assigns; and all unknown persons and unknown claimants of interest, in lots two and four in block five of the Original Town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, and premises, adverse to Plaintiff, Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF THE ABOVE ENTITLED AND NUMBERED CAUSE

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO, Eugene F. Hardwick, being the same person as E. F. Hardwick, and Gustenia R. Hardwick, wife of the said Eugene F. Hardwick, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: The Artesia Townsite Company, a Corporation, Harry W. Hamilton, Director and Stockholder, of record, of said Corporation, if living and if dead his unknown successors, assigns, heirs, executors and administrators; Floy Richey Hamilton, one of the Directors and Stockholders, of record, of said Corporation, if living and if dead her unknown successors, heirs, executors and administrators; E. F. Hardwick, one of the Directors and Stockholders, of record, of said Corporation, and his unknown successors and assigns; and all other unknown Directors and Stockholders of said Corporation, their successors and assigns if living, but if dead all their unknown heirs, executors, assigns and administrators; Lillie Spray, if living and if dead all her unknown heirs, executors, assigns and administrators; Joseph W. Spray, being the same person as J. W. Spray, if living and if dead all of his unknown heirs, executors, administrators and assigns; and all unknown persons and unknown claimants of interest, in lots two and four in block five of the Original Town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, and premises, adverse to Plaintiff, Defendants.

GREETING: You and each of you, the above named defendants, are hereby notified that E. B. Bullock, of Artesia, New Mexico, the above named plaintiff, has filed his Complaint against you and each of you, the above named defendants, in the above entitled cause, No. 5706, on the Civil Docket of said District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, and that the General object and purpose of said suit is to obtain a decree Quieting his Title to Lots Two (2) and Four (4) in block Five (5) of the Original Town of Artesia, (now the City of Artesia) as the same appears on the official plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of said County, together with all and singular, the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

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by default for the relief demanded in Plaintiff's Complaint, together with costs of suit.

You are further notified that J. H. Jackson, of Artesia, New Mexico, is the Attorney for Plaintiff in the above entitled cause. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said District Court on this the 12th day of February, 1934.

RUTH S. MANNING, County Clerk. (SEAL) 7-4t

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TO EACH AND ALL OF THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: You and each of you are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you by the above named plaintiffs in the above named court in which the said plaintiffs pray that you and each of you be cited to appear and answer in said cause and to set forth the several rights claimed by each and all of you by reason of that certain escrow agreement entered into by and between said plaintiffs and the said Isaac Hanan dated the 14th day of October, 1932, and placed in escrow in the First National Bank of Artesia, New Mexico, as escrow holder thereof, by the terms of which escrow agreement the said Isaac Hanan agreed to commence the drilling of a well for oil and gas on or before the 1st day of December, 1932, on the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 32 in Twp. 18 S, Range 31 E, N M P M, and to diligently and continuously prosecute the drilling of said well to the depth of 3300 feet unless oil or gas in commercial quantities was found at a lesser depth in said well; and you and each of said defendants, are hereby cited to appear and answer plaintiffs' Complaint filed herein and to set forth the several rights claimed by each

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Prof. E. O. Lawrence who, with Dr. M. Stanley Livingston, has developed a new ray more penetrating than either the X-rays or radium. This ray is made of neutrons, the most disruptive substances known to science. The ray is a flow of 10,000,000 neutrons a second, coming from a lead window. Although just a baby in the ray class, and potentially the most dangerous ever produced, it has great possibilities both for experiments and for building up the heavier chemical elements out of the lighter.

and all of you by reason of said Escrow Agreement; and that said court issue a decree ordering the cancellation of said Escrow Agreement as to all of said defendants named in said cause; and that plaintiffs have and recover of and from you, the said defendants, all of their costs in this behalf expended.

You, and each of you, are further notified that unless you enter your appearance and file an answer in said cause on or before the 6th day of April, 1934, a decree pro confesso will be taken against you and each of you and the relief prayed for in plaintiffs' Complaint filed in said cause will be granted.

Plaintiffs' attorney is G. U. McCrary of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico.

RUTH S. MANNING, District Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico. (SEAL) 7-4t

TYPEWRITERS

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

HOPE ITEMS

Frances Johnson, Reporter Mrs. Luther Trimble and Mrs. Helen Hester of Roswell were guests of Mrs. C. B. Altman at her home here Sunday.

Miss Inez Blakeney who has spent the past month in the home of Mrs. Ethel Highsmith in Carlsbad returned to her home here Thursday.

B. M. Crabtree and A. O. Snowden of Brownfield, Texas, were in here Monday with a view to purchasing horses from local ranchmen.

Mrs. Billie Ballard and Miss Babs Mellard returned to their home here Saturday from El Paso where they visited friends during the past week.

Mrs. H. D. Guess and son Bennie who are here for the school term motored to their ranch home near Pinon Saturday afternoon to spend the week end with Mr. Guess.

Mrs. Robert Parks and Miss Janet Parks motored to Carlsbad Saturday where they visited Mrs. Bill Glascock of Hope who is a patient at St. Francis hospital there.

Louis McDonald had the misfortune to lose the sight of his right eye when a stick hit him while he was chopping wood at the home of his sister here last Thursday.

Mrs. Ed Gage who is located here for the benefit of the school with her children Hilda and Ralph Kelley motored to Pinon for the week end to visit with Mr. Gage on their ranch there.

Otice Brown, manager of the Eddy county reemployment office of Artesia and Carlsbad, was here with his family from their home at Artesia Sunday attending to business matters and visiting friends.

Mrs. Louis Beyers at her home on the Mule Shoe ranch Friday night entertained with a party honoring John Phillip Bush who has made his home on the ranch the past two years. Those enjoying games and dancing were: Janet and Betsy Parks, Wilhelmina Wilburn, Irene Nabors, Winnie Allen, Max Johnson, Jack Hart, Hoyt Traylor, Sam Lovejoy and Joe Alexander. Delicious refreshments of cake and cocoa were served to those present.

Despite repeal of the 18th amendment the use of alcohol in a new confection or candy is still termed an adulation and is barred by the nation's pure food and drug laws.

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Advocate.

RUSSIA SEES VICTORY IN EVENT OF WAR WITH THE JAPANESE

MOSCOW—The full extent of a soviet ring of iron and concrete fortifications along the Manchurian border was revealed Sunday with publication of the text of General Vassily Constantinovich Bluecher's address to the communist congress.

General Bluecher is commander-in-chief of the Russian armies in the Far East. He described to the all-union congress in an address given last Thursday a red army so strong that it will "administer a blow capable of cracking and in some places destroying the very foundation of capitalism" in event of a Russo-Japanese war.

Challenges Japan General Bluecher challenged what he said was Japan's "feverish preparation" for war. Amid frequent cheers from delegates, the fighting man in blunt language cited three factors to support his accusation that Japan is converting Manchukuo into an armed base:

- 1. Construction of 1,000 kilometers (approximately 620 miles) of strategic railroads in North Manchukuo in the last two years, only 35 per cent of which, he said, were economically necessary.
2. Construction of 2,200 kilometers (approximately 367 miles) of highways in the same region.
3. Construction of 50 airdromes and aviation bases, concentrated north of Mukden.

"It is regrettable," said General Bluecher, who would have the responsibility of directing Far Eastern military operations in the event of war, "that the present policy of the Japanese imperialists does not guarantee we will not be involved in military complications despite our effort to avoid them."

CAVERN LAND TRADE LOOMS

WASHINGTON—The house public lands committee late Thursday reported favorably a bill authorizing the exchange of the use of certain government land within the Carlsbad Caverns National Park for certain privately owned land within the boundaries.

The measure would authorize the acquisition by the government of land within the park boundaries now privately owned and used for mining guano.

In exchange for the fee to this land, subject to the reservation by the owners of the guano deposits, the secretary of the interior would be authorized to grant the use of a shaft located on government land nearby for removal of the guano deposit.

EL PASO GOOD WILL TOUR MARCH 8TH

Word has been received here from Capt. E. H. Simons, vice-president of the El Paso, Texas, Chamber of Commerce, that a group of El Paso business men would be here on March 8th on a good will tour of the Pecos valley. The trade trippers will be here one hour from 3:00 to 4:00 p. m. March 8th. They will lunch in Carlsbad and spend the night of the 8th in Roswell, returning home by way of Ruidoso and the mountains.

WITHDRAWS GRAZING LAND

WASHINGTON — President Roosevelt has signed an executive order withdrawing more than 1,000,000 acres of public domain from grazing.

The president took the action upon the recommendation of Governor Blood of Utah, the move being designed to permit the conservation of grazing land now about ruined. The 1,200,000 acres affected lie in western Utah and under the executive order grazing will be permitted upon the land only by special permit but not until after the grazing has been restored to its former condition.

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Saturday, February 17th

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By MELVIN PASHEA, Manager

HELP! HELP!! HELP!!!

HOLLIS IS A MORMAN—He showed up Sunday with three wives and eighteen kids. We are playing safe this week—so Willis and Mrs. Morgan will be our guests Sunday.

Artesia Hotel Coffee Shop



### SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



VALENTINE DAY

### LOCALS

C. E. Mann was attending court at Roswell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. House of Lakewood were shoppers in town Monday.

Mrs. Bryant Williams of Hope was shopping and visiting friends in Artesia Tuesday.

J. Harvey Wilson was a business visitor in Dallas, Texas, the latter part of the week.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bud C. Aaron on the Cottonwood Monday morning.

Albert Black of Albuquerque spent the latter part of the week visiting Miss Mary Jane Williams.

Mrs. Thelma Lusk of Carlsbad, candidate for county clerk, spent Monday here in the interest of her candidacy.

F. B. Van Horn of Carlsbad, land man with the United States Potash Co., was a business visitor here Monday.

Mrs. J. T. Pickard of Albuquerque is here as a guest of her sister Mrs. John McCann and husband. She expects to be here indefinitely.

Mrs. R. L. Collins and small son, who have been the guests of her mother, Mrs. S. G. White since Sunday, left yesterday for their home at Carlsbad.

Lowell Price of Carlsbad, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Price of Artesia, has accepted a position with the Palace Drug Store, succeeding Joe Hamann, resigned.

Supt. H. R. Rodgers of Carlsbad Sunday was called to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. V. L. Rodgers, who is seriously ill at her home in El Dorado, Texas.

T. H. Flint left Sunday morning for El Paso on a short business trip. He was accompanied by Mrs. W. E. Flint who expects to be with her father for several days.

Boston Witt and his son Charlie and his wife and two sons of Lovington visited Mrs. Witt here Sunday. She is recovering from a serious illness at the home of her daughter Mrs. Rude Wilcox.

William Horner, former salesman of the Peoples Mercantile Co. grocery department, has accepted his old position, succeeding Melvin Pashea, who resigned to manage the Spanish-American Club.

Mrs. J. A. Clayton and little daughter Linda came over from their home at Hobbs last Friday and are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry on the Cottonwood and Mayor and Mrs. Joe Clayton here.

Van Welch and his two sons Van, Jr., and Wendell left Monday for Fort Worth, Texas, to visit Mrs. Welch who has just recently been removed from a sanatorium in Dallas to the home of her daughter Mrs. Sig Iversen in Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. W. Lewis of Carlsbad was an over-night guest of Mrs. Mark A. Corbin last Thursday. Mrs. Lewis is the state chairman of literature and Mrs. Corbin of music of the Federated Women's clubs. They attended the meeting of the chairmen of fine arts in Roswell that day.

Dr. Lura L. Hinshaw left Sunday for Shreveport, Louisiana, to be joined there by her brothers, D. E. Mohler and Dr. A. D. Mohler on a further trip to Palestine, Arkansas, where they will visit their aged father, Dr. T. I. Mohler, 91 years old, and their half-sister Miss Maude Mohler. Their sister Mrs. Elizabeth Richardson of Spokane, Washington, will also be there to complete a family reunion.

### VERNON TATE SHOT TO DEATH ON BUSY STREET IN CLOVIS

A feud of several years standing flared anew on a busy Clovis street in mid-afternoon Monday and when the smoke of its guns cleared, one man, Vernon Tate, lay dead and the three brothers were under arrest.

Vernon Tate, acquitted in 1930 of shooting and killing G. C. Bohanan and his son Carl, 19, was instantly killed and Carsey, Bee and Louis Bohanan, sons of G. C. Bohanan, were taken into custody several minutes later.

Tate was shot within 50 feet of where the elder Bohanan and his son, Carl, were shot on January 18, 1930, as he stepped from his car at a busy street corner shortly after two o'clock Monday afternoon.

As he approached the curb at the corner, the three Bohanan brothers suddenly appeared and a fusillade of shots followed. Tate is alleged to have drawn his gun as the three men approached him. The shooting broke out and he fell fatally wounded in the gutter.

Although the tragedy took place during the peak of the afternoon's business at Clovis, no bystanders were struck by the flying bullets.

After the shooting, Louis Bohanan ran to the offices of a doctor nearby where he took refuge until arrested by officers some few minutes later. Carsey and Bee ran into the Citizens Bank where they took refuge in the vault. All were armed. Louis Bohanan when taken into custody had a .38 automatic and rifle, and all the shots had been fired from the automatic. The rifle had four unfired cartridges.

One witness said Tate stepped back from the curb as the shooting started, his pistol in his hand. Two empty shells were found in his .38 caliber pistol, but the witness said he could not tell whether Tate had fired those bullets. He fell with the Bohanan firing at him from the front and rear. Two automobiles standing close by were perforated by the flying bullets.

Monday's tragedy, it was said, dated back to the boyhood days of Tate's son and Carsey Bohanan when the two boys had some difficulty in a rural school house in this county several years ago.

### DEPUTY TREASURER NAMED

Jim Connelly of Raton Monday was named deputy to John Morrow, who will take the office of state treasurer about March 1st.

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

### BULLDOGS DEFEATED IN A FAST GAME

The Artesia high school squad lost a fast basketball game to Floyd Thursday evening at the Central gym by a count of 40 to 57. The Floyd team kept their reputation untarnished as a leading east side team by taking the lead in the early part of the game and keeping it. Finley, right guard, was the basket ringer on the visiting squad responsible for the victory with fourteen field goals and three free throws. Brown was the star for Artesia with six field goals and two free throws to his credit.

Summary:	FG	FT	P
Artesia (40)	6	2	3
Brown, rf	3	1	1
C. Champion, rf	3	1	1
Chambers, lf	2	0	0
Rowley, c	1	0	0
E. Champion, rg	1	2	2
Wilde, rg	0	0	0
Williams, lg	4	1	3
Totals	17	6	9

Summary:	FG	FT	P
Floyd (57)	3	2	2
D. Widdener, lg	3	2	2
Finley, rg	14	3	3
G. Widdener, c	1	0	3
M. Widdener, c	0	0	0
Miller, lg	3	0	3
Cooper, rf	4	2	1
Totals	25	7	12

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### COTTONWOOD ITEMS

Mrs. Murphy, mother of Mrs. Bob Bailey, returned from a business trip to Tahoka, Texas, Monday.

Messrs. and Mmes. Glenn O'Bannon and M. S. Brown were transacting business in Carlsbad Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Williams, Upper Cottonwood teacher, spent the week end visiting her friend Miss Mabel Vowell of Carlsbad.

Mrs. Tom Terry and daughter Mrs. J. A. Clayton, Jr., of Hobbs motored to Atoka Tuesday and visited the Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Terry and Paul Terry and family.

The Rev. Klassen of Hope filled his regular appointment at the Cottonwood church Sunday. The preaching services are held each second and fourth Sunday in each month. All are invited to attend.

The next meeting of the Cottonwood Woman's Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Tom Terry, March 1st. At the meeting last Thursday Miss Veda Strong, state home agent, demonstrated the making of soap by the cold process. Delicious refreshments of sandwiches, salad and cocoa were served and Valentine hearts were used as favors.

The marriage of Miss Nellie B. Norris to Mr. J. L. Taylor, both of the Cottonwood community, will be of interest to many people of this community. The young couple were married at Roswell Monday. Mrs. Taylor is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Norris, well known to all Cottonwood people, and Mr. Taylor is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Taylor, who live on the Pearson farm. Many friends join in extending congratulations and best wishes.

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Advocate.

### Eddy County Farm News

At a meeting of the county committee on Tuesday, February 15, the report shows a total of 399 contracts signed in the county covering 34,763 acres with 12,610 acres rented to the secretary of agriculture. The average acreage yield was 376 pounds per acre. The final meeting will be held on Thursday, February 15, when all contracts must be in to be passed on. All the contracts have been tabulated and checked in the county extension agent's office, and all reports are ready to be sent to the state board of reviews as soon as the contracts are checked by the county committee on February 15th.

Twenty-four option checks were received Tuesday totaling \$7,873 which makes a total of \$82,873. This leaves approximately \$40,000 to be received.

At the regular meeting of the Cottonwood Woman's Club at the home of Mrs. J. I. Funk, Miss Veda Strong demonstrated two processes of making soap. The cold process was used and both laundry and toilet soap were made. Nine pounds of soap were made at a cost of 25c, using tallow and grease that had become rancid. method of making soap from bacon grease by removing the salt and following the process outlined. This method of making soap is both economical and useful and much money can be saved by the housewife who has a supply of tallow or other fat, particularly at this time of the year as meat slaughtering time is here.

### MORROW TREASURER

Former Congressman John Morrow of Raton has accepted the position of state treasurer, succeeding Clinton P. Anderson, provided Governor Hockenhufl will give him time to clean up his personal affairs, it was announced at Raton last week. Mr. Morrow would take over the duties of treasurer about March 1st.

### Rain Goggles for the Motorist



This is L. A. V. Davoren of England wearing a pair of the "rain goggles" that he has invented. They are fitted with windscreen wipers which are driven by an exterior air fan that comes into operation when the motorist is traveling at a speed of fifteen miles an hour or upwards.

## Basketball

Friday Night, Feb. 16

DEXTER HIGH SCHOOL  
—vs.—  
ARTESIA HIGH SCHOOL  
7:00 P. M.

HAGERMAN TOWN TEAM  
—vs.—  
ARTESIA HIGH SCHOOL  
8:00 P. M.

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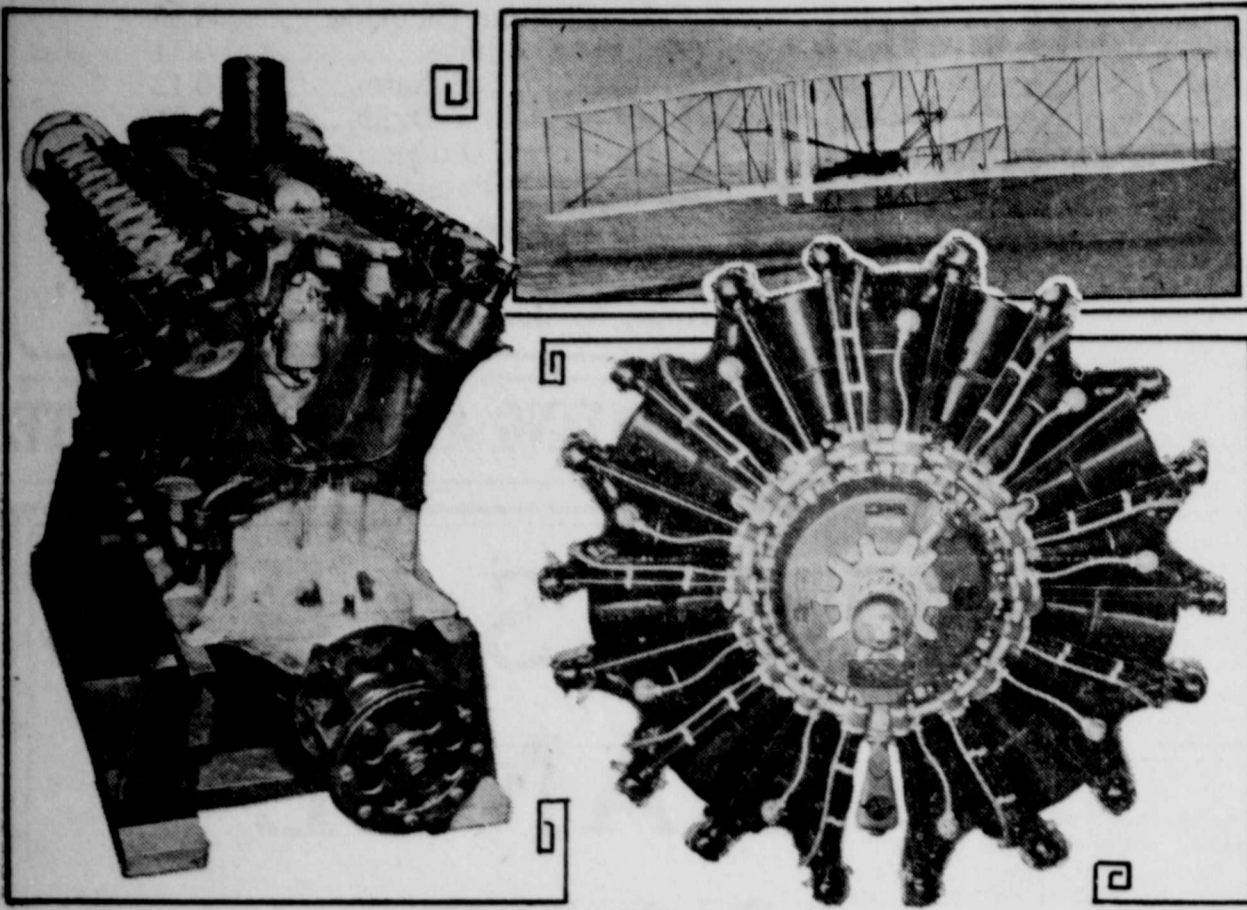
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AVIATION REACHES 30TH BIRTHDAY



(Upper Right) Start of the first airplane flight by Orville Wright. (Left) Liberty Motor which gave the Allies supremacy in the World War. (Right) Wright Cyclone engine of type used by Col. Lindbergh in his recent round the world flight.

Aviation has progressed a long way since December 17, 1903, when Orville Wright made his memorable flight at Kitty Hawk, N. C. Since then, flying has become not only a major means of transportation, it has influenced profoundly every other method of transportation, by competition and example.

Improvements in airplanes, however, are traceable in almost every case to improvements in the materials from which they are made, particularly in the case of metals. Because the flight of a plane depends upon its power to lift its weight from the ground, the first necessity has always been to provide maximum power at minimum weight. This has required metallurgical advances.

The famous Liberty Motor, for example, was a triumph of metallurgy. Through the use of molybdenum, an alloy that imparts great toughness to steel, it was possible to make the Liberty Motor light enough to develop one horsepower for every two pounds of weight.

Today the most advanced airplane engine is probably the Wright Cyclone. This is the engine used by Colonel and Mrs. Lindbergh in their recent 30,000 mile flight. Developing 715 horsepower, this engine through the use of improved metals—molybdenum, chrome molybdenum, and chrome-nickel-molybdenum steels and duraluminum—weighs only 1.22 pounds per horsepower.

However, while the engine is the heart of the airplane and

metallurgical development is most important to it, other parts of a plane also benefit from metallurgical advances. The fuselage of a modern plane, for strength and lightness, is therefore made of chrome molybdenum tubes, welded and riveted together. Landing gear, which must withstand terrific strains, is also constructed of chrome molybdenum steel.

Fortunately, for war purposes, the United States has approximately 85 per cent of the world's known supply of molybdenum. For this reason, during the World War there was no lack of this necessary alloy for the Liberty Motor, although other countries found great difficulty in getting supplies for their own fighting planes.

SANTA FE ASKS FOR TAX CORRECTION

Charging that the 5-mill tax limitation provided by statute was exceeded by the Eddy county board of commissioners in levying a special assessment upon all property in the county, the Santa Fe railroad requests correction of tax rolls on its property in a suit filed at Carlsbad in district court Saturday by Reid and Iden, Albuquerque attorneys, says the Current-Argus.

An "erroneous and illegal" charge of \$90.61 was made, the railroad company alleges, against its property as the result of a special levy of .000155 dollars on all taxable property in the county in 1933 assessments, made as a result of judgments against the county in two civil suits.

"Such corrections upon such tax rolls and showing thereon that the same was done under order of this court, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem mete and just," are asked.

First judgment through which the levy was made, the information states, was handed down December 3, 1932, for \$1,000 with interest in favor of C. S. Brady in the case of the board of county commissioners of Eddy county against Robert A. Uihlen and others, ordering that a levy in sufficient amount to pay the judgment with interest be made by the commissioners and exempting the levy from the 5-mill limitation provided by statute.

Second judgment was May 18, 1933, against the commissioners for \$1,018.40 with interest in favor of W. H. Merchant in the case of the board of county commissioners against C. L. White and others, ordering that a levy be made by the board on all taxable property in the county for 1933 in amount sufficient to pay the judgment with interest.

NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

- A Son of Arizona—Seltzer.
- The Beloved Stranger—Hill.
- Marriage of Convenience—Green.
- Other Woman—Brush.
- The Great Abductor—Roche.
- Death in the Woods—Anderson.
- Young and Fair—Rosman.
- Gene North—Seltzer.
- Happy Valley—Brand.
- Mr. Rader Returns.
- Twenty Thousand Years in Sing Sing—Warden Lawes.
- Pine Creek Ranch—Bindloss.
- Barrier Ranch—Birney.
- Matched Pearls—Hill.
- Crooked Alley—Alexander.
- From 9 to 5—Wilson.

GEORGE A. MARTIN DEAD

Word was received here yesterday morning from Carl Martin that his father, George A. Martin, had died at his home near Blue Hill, Nebraska. Mr. Martin's death was the result of an operation to amputate his leg. Details are lacking, but it is presumed the shock of the operation was too great for the advancing years of Mr. Martin, who was past eighty.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin left last Thursday and were at the bedside when his father died.

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HELEN IN RUBBER



Helen Madison of Seattle, former swimming star who entered the movies, is seen here at the Roney Plaza Habana club in Miami Beach, Fla., all dressed up in one of the new rubber swim suits.

WILL BE EMPRESS



Mrs. Henry Pu-yi, wife of the former "boy emperor" of China and present ruler of the state of Manchukuo, who will become an empress on March 1 when Henry is crowned emperor of Manchukuo.

**Fruit Pasteurized as Dried**  
Dried fruits, like dates, figs and raisins, may be pasteurized effectively and thus freed from insects and pathogenic bacteria. After being pasteurized the fruit remains fresh and wholesome for a long time.

**Women Like to See Europe**  
More than 65 per cent of the passengers who cross the Atlantic to see Europe are women, many of them elderly. Seventy per cent of the passengers on cruises are married couples.

**Studying Backward Children**  
Science is studying the child who cannot learn to read. Mistaking "d" for "b" and "p" for "q" may be due to lack of dominant control on either side of the brain.

**Boys More Excitable**  
Boys are more excited than girls by movie scenes, an investigator of Ohio State university told the American Public Health association.

**Tarantula's Bite**  
The bite of a tarantula is painful but not dangerous, being more mechanical than venomous, and inflicting a wound that bleeds freely.

**Plenty of Gymnasts**  
Czechoslovakia has more than 1,200 women's gymnastic organizations, with nearly 150,000 members.

**Wind at 200 M. P. H.**  
Porto Rico's hurricane of 1928 established a velocity of wind record of almost 200 miles per hour.

**Horses in Warfare**  
As early as 1700 B. C., horses seem to have been used in the conquest of Egypt by an Asiatic tribe.

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

LOCALS

V. D. Bolton was a business visitor to Amarillo, Texas, the first of the week.

Roy Vermillion, nightwatchman, was confined to his home with an attack of the flu the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kimbrough were here Saturday from their ranch home near Hobbs visiting with friends.

Mrs. Tom Runyan and boys spent the week end at the ranch with Mr. Runyan. They are living at the Hardwick in order that the boys may attend school here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prude were here several days last week from their Bullice Springs ranch. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams were here from the ranch over the week end visiting their home folks and her sister Mrs. Leland Price and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kimbrough of Lovington, former residents of Artesia, spent the latter part of the week here visiting friends and attending to business matters.

ARTESIA DAIRY  
PHONE 219

Advocate Want Ads Get Results

ARMY TO FLY MAIL AFTER FEBRUARY 19

WASHINGTON—The government Friday took the business of flying mail from all the twelve concerns with which it held domestic contracts and ordered the agency which first flew it, the army, to again take up the work.

The blanket abrogation of contracts, effective February 19, followed presentation to Mr. Roosevelt of evidence gathered by a senate committee in a long drawn study of the circumstances surrounding the letting of the contracts during previous republican administrations.

Mr. Roosevelt instructed Postmaster General Farley to end the contracts and immediately issued an executive order placing the army air service at the disposition of the postoffice department. He also arranged with Secretary Roper to make available to the army mail ships all landing fields under the regulation of the commerce department.

Putting the army fliers into the mail carrying field was described as a temporary expedient to serve until new companies bid and receive contracts for the work.

ONE KILLED, 5 HURT IN CRASH THURSDAY NIGHT

Miguel Gomez, 65 years old, died at a Roswell hospital and five other persons are injured as a result of a collision between the Gomez car and a sedan on the Dexter highway Thursday night. The injured are Pedro Gomez, son of the dead man, and James Senn, Dexter; Ben Crow, Carmen Gomez and Peggy Flores, Roswell. Both cars were badly damaged.

MENONITES TO SETTLE NEAR HATCH

Seeking to found a new Menonite colony, a party of 76 men and women were expected Friday from Kansas to settle on one of several sites near Las Cruces. Among prospective colony sites being considered is a 1,000-acre tract 12 miles north of Hatch in the Rincon valley. The Menonites are said to have inspected the land several weeks ago. If the land is found satisfactory it is said 500 more Menonites will come to the valley in the fall.

Typewriters for rent—The Advocate.

The present airmail companies cannot under law bid for the contracts for five years.

LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Elia Ohlenbusch, Reporter

Monday afternoon the N. M. M. I. junior team defeated the Lake Arthur junior team 16-10.

Merbeth Thomasson of Roswell was a week end guest at the home of his sister Mrs. Zee Pate.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Porter were visiting Sunday at the home of Mrs. Porter's sister Mrs. D. A. Goode.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Huff and family have moved to our community from their home on the Cottonwood.

I. M. Cummins, brother of L. E. Cummins, arrived here Tuesday for an extended visit with his brother from his home at Alenred, Texas.

Mrs. Sam Hadlock left Tuesday for her home in Stanley, this state, after making a week's visit with her daughter Mrs. L. E. Dohner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Ohlenbusch and Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Schwarz and son Henry were visiting Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fiddler near Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner were called Thursday to the home of their daughter Mrs. Roy Carrol of Roswell on account of the illness of their little son who by accident ate some soap and was reported seriously ill for several days as a result.

Supt. and Mrs. C. R. Bernard received the sad news Tuesday of the sudden death of Mrs. Bernard's sister Mrs. John Vencient of Girard, Kansas, who passed away Monday night. Mrs. Vencient had made a visit with her sister here last summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Spence came near having a serious accident Friday when their car overturned about two or three miles north of Artesia when Mr. Spence attempted to turn around a car stopped on the highway. His car is thought to have hit a soft spot on the edge of the highway and turned over twice. Mr. and Mrs. Spence suffered several severe bruises and the Spence car was badly damaged.

TEACHER RELIEF IS TO END SOON

Federal relief for 110 New Mexico teachers will end shortly unless additional funds are forthcoming, it was announced at Santa Fe this week. These teachers have been employed for a period of eight weeks under a federal relief act for unemployed teachers.

Three local teachers have been employed for seven weeks. Included in the list are: O. R. Gable and Mrs. Mary Doss Stillwaugh, who have been conducting classes for the Spanish-speaking people each evening at the Central school auditorium, and Miss Helen Bullock, who has been conducting a kindergarten with a class of about twenty-five.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved.—The Advocate.

Where Convicts Lived Like Kings



General view of the Welfare Island penitentiary at New York where the convicts lived like kings and had everything they desired. This was disclosed in a police raid led by Commissioner of Correction Austin Mac-Cormick, who relieved the warden, Joseph McCanna, of his duties and placed his deputy, Daniel F. Sheehan, under military arrest.

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## WOMEN TO BENEFIT BY COTTON CAMPAIGN

More cheerful homes, needed clothes, new conveniences for the farm wife, and the removal of the dreaded specter of harassing debt from the threshold, are some of the results of the cotton adjustment campaign of 1933 as experienced by the farm wives of the cotton states.

In some instances, debts which had been in existence for three or more years were wiped out and the economic condition of the farm family thus made more secure. In other instances, back taxes were paid to avoid foreclosures on the farm. Farm women said they were able to buy new clothes and shoes for the children. It was possible to secure more nourishing food, and in some instances conveniences to lighten the burden of household duties were obtained. The morale of the entire family was improved.

As a result, farm women of the cotton states have a greater interest in the success of the present cotton adjustment campaign. More money for less cotton means more leisure for the farm wife but greater than this, it means that she can have some of the things so dear to the hearts of every woman. These things she might secure by reason of improved prices for cotton brought about by the success of the campaign.

But, in addition, the farm wife also is interested in the acres released from the production of cotton. On them, say officials of the replacement crops section of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, the farm wife may have the kind of garden she has always wanted. A fertile acre near the house can be available for producing fresh, succulent vegetables for the family. There may be space, too, for small fruits, berries and the family orchard.

Such produce as is not needed for family consumption may be conserved by canning and drying for winter use and thus a double profit will accrue to the family by reason of cooperating in the adjustment effort.

### SUB-COMMITTEE TO GO OVER THE TAYLOR BILL

WASHINGTON—The executive order withdrawing more than 1,000,000 acres of public lands in Utah has again brought the question of disposition of the public domain to the front of the congressional picture.

It was learned Saturday a senate sub-committee will be named to go over the entire question and attempt to work out a satisfactory solution to the many problems coincident with public lands administration.

At the same time Representative Taylor (D.-Colo.) sponsor of the administration measure on public lands leasing and grazing and conservation, said he was re-drafting his original bill to simplify it.

The veteran Coloradoan said the bill as introduced contained too many specific stipulations and regulations. He proposed to re-write the measure to provide simply that the department of the interior administer the public domain in the same manner the forest reserve is now handled by the department of agriculture. Detailed regulations would be left to interior department officials.

It was reported at the capitol that further withdrawals were expected by executive order in instances in which lands users requested such action.

### CHILDREN IMMUNIZED

Thirty-three school children at Atoka were immunized from diphtheria by Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health officer, Thursday. Schick tests previously had revealed 11 to be susceptible to the disease.

Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate

### UNDER INDICTMENT



Lieut. Gov. Nels G. Kraschel of Iowa who was indicted by a federal grand jury on a charge of having conspired to defraud the United States government in his capacity as executive of the Iowa public works board last summer.

### LET'S BUILD A HOSPITAL

Recently there has been quite a discussion on the hospital question, both for and against. Personally, I am for it as I think it a necessity and not a luxury, as well as a paying investment for Artesia.

Here are a few of my reasons in favor of a hospital in our own town:

In Kansas there are two little towns on the main line of the Santa Fe railroad, Halstead and Jedgwick, both equally well located in the best farming section of Harvey county. Thirty years ago they both had a population of 850. Neither town had a hospital. Several years ago, Dr. Hershler built a small hospital in Halstead. In the past ten years that hospital has come to be widely known and now Halstead has a population of 1350 while Sedgwick, with no hospital, still has her 850. Another reason: A man who owns one of the nicest residences on Grand avenue said to me over two years ago: "I would like to live in Artesia, but I will not live in a town where I cannot get good medical treatment, in a well-equipped hospital, if I ever need it for myself or my family." He now lives in El Paso. In moving into a new locality would it not be an inducement to anyone to know that a well-equipped hospital was right at your hand in case you or any member of your family needed special medical care at any time?

The Chamber of Commerce of any up-to-date town never fails to list a good hospital (if they have one) as one of their main assets. It's given quite an important place in their advertising matter.

We have as good doctors here as any place, but when a hospital case comes to them, what happens? The patient must be taken to Carlsbad, Roswell or El Paso, causing delay, sometimes death, and always extra expense. A well-equipped hospital in Artesia would eliminate a great deal of that inconvenience to doctors, our own townspeople and a wide scope of country on either side of us, besides keeping community money at home.

The question of a hospital has come up several different times in the past five or six years. Now, why not get busy and do the right thing or shall we let our neighbors say we were just "blowing bubbles" again?  
A Citizen.

### NEW MEXICO FARMERS RECEIVE WHEAT CHECKS

New Mexico farmers were \$320,697 richer by January 30 than they were earlier in the season according to the Agricultural Adjustment Administration. This was New Mexico's share of the amount of \$43,716,794 which was paid out in wheat adjustment checks up to that time.

This grand total of over \$43,000,000 was paid to 519,644 farmers in 35 states. All except about 50 counties have submitted their agreements to the Administration. More than 1,700 counties have had agreements approved by the county acceptance unit, but many remain to be individually audited before payment. The contracts are approved individually after passing the county acceptance unit before checks can be sent out.

### PRACTICALLY ALL COTTON CONTRACTS IN

Practically all of the cotton contracts have been signed up, M. W. Evans said Monday. Approximately 385 growers over the county have agreed to the 1934 reduction program, leaving only about six farmers not signed. The fifteen day extension granted shortly before February 1st, expired today, Tuesday was the last day which a grower might sign up.

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## CONGRESSIONAL REFLECTIONS

By Congressman Dennis Chavez

The committee on irrigation and reclamation, of which I am the chairman, held hearings on my bill, H. R. 7490, on Wednesday, February 7. The purpose of this legislation is to extend the moratorium on construction charges on irrigation projects. The members of congress appearing before the committee in behalf of legislation that are not members of the committee were Congressman Clarence F. Lea of California and Congressman R. E. Thomason of Texas. G. W. Grebe, president, Federal Irrigation Congress of Kuna, Iowa; Chester Gray, legislative secretary of the American Farm Bureau Federation; Rolland Harwell, general manager El Paso County Water Improvement District No. 1, El Paso, Texas; N. B. Phillips, secretary and treasurer, Elephant Butte Irrigation District, Las Cruces, testified also in behalf of this bill and gave reasons and facts with reference

to the present conditions within these districts. No opposition was evident to this relief legislation which will mean so much to the farmers of the Pecos and Mesilla valleys in New Mexico.

Mr. Buchanan (Texas), on Monday, February 5, moved to suspend the rules in the house of representatives and pass the bill (H. R. 7527) making an additional appropriation to carry out the purposes of the federal emergency relief act of 1933, for continuation of the Civil Works program, and other purposes. The sum which was made available by the house for expenditures for such projects and/or purposes and under such rules and regulations as the president, in his discretion, may prescribe is \$950,000,000. It is expected by the administration that this amount will last until the 1st of May.

On February 8, I had a conference with the officials of the Interior Department with reference to legislation which has for its purpose the clearing of the land titles along the New Mexico and Texas boundary line in Dona Ana county. I have been assured that a favorable report would be forthcoming from the Interior Department within the near future.

### BACA MARSHALL

ALBUQUERQUE—For the first time since the beginning of the democratic administration a year ago, New Mexico will have a democratic United States marshal. With the appointment in Washington by President Roosevelt Friday of Felipe Sanchez y Baca of Tucumcari to the prize political post in the state, a long contest waged by factions within the democratic party in New Mexico as to who would be the lucky person to get the office came to an end.

Sanchez, whose nomination was made to the president by Congressman Dennis Chavez, national democratic committeeman from New Mexico, has been discussed as a possibility for the past four months. He had the active support throughout of Congressman Chavez and was understood to have been sanctioned by Senator Carl Hatch, although nothing definite on this was ever learned.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gates are moving to Artesia where he will be located with the state highway department.—Carlsbad Current-Argus.

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### WHY FEBRUARY HAS ONLY 28 DAYS

The Babylonian way of keeping time was to have five years of twelve thirty day months each and a thirteenth month of thirty days every sixth year.

In reforming the calendar Julius Caesar knew that 365 days did not constitute quite a full year. His arrangement gave the first, third, fifth, seventh, ninth, and eleventh months thirty-one days except February which had twenty nine days for three years and thirty days every fourth year. The month of July which had thirty-one days got its name from Julius Caesar. When Augustus Caesar became dictator he wanted the succeeding month, which was then called Sextilis, named after him. But, he wasn't willing to have a thirty-one day month named after Julius and only a thirty day month named after himself. So he made August a thirty-one days month and took a day from February making it twenty-eight days for three years and twenty-nine days every fourth year.

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
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**GOLFERS TO COMPETE IN LADDER TOURNAMENT STARTING SUNDAY**

Thirty-four players participated in the flag tournament of the Artesia Golf club last Sunday afternoon. First place was won by John Williams, who was assigned 125 strokes. Although he has never played very much golf he covered the first eighteen holes with 100 strokes and with his additional twenty-five strokes went as far as the tee box on number five hole. On his 125th stroke he was making his drive from this tee box and missed the ball completely and therefore ended right there.

Second place was won by Walter Cave, who holed his putt on the second green on his third round with 100 strokes. Third place was won by Tom Ragsdale who would have tied Walter Cave if he had not missed a short putt with his 120th stroke. Fourth place went to Leland Price who was also on the second green on his third round with 105 strokes. Jack Spratt took fifth place by advancing his ball about 200 yards down number two fairway on his third round with 100 strokes. C. J. Dexter, who was picked by most of the close followers of the game to win the tournament, was about fifty yards short of Jack Spratt and finished in sixth place, after using his 125 strokes.

All of the scores made last Sunday for eighteen holes were turned in to the tournament committee, and from these scores a ladder tournament has been arranged which will be played off continuously during the next two or three months.

According to the rules that the tournament committee have decided upon, anyone may challenge any player one place above. If he wins he changes places with the defeated player. If he loses he must play the one below him before trying to advance again. All matches must be 18 holes. If a player wants to challenge a player more than one place above him he must forfeit a 75c golf ball if he loses. If he wins the

whole group slides down one place. The following list shows the ladder as it will be started:

- 1—Bill Linell, 2—T. C. Bird, 3—E. N. Bigler, 4—J. Clark Bruce, 5—Hugh Burch, 6—Herman Terry, 7—B. E. Spender, 8—W. E. Kerr, 9—James L. Allen, 10—Joe Clayton, 11—V. L. Gates, 12—Walter Cave, 13—Willis Morgan, 14—Jack Spratt, 15—L. B. Feather, 16—C. E. Bildstone, 17—J. K. Wallingford, 18—Leland Price, 19—John Williams, 20—Gob Watson, 21—J. D. Jackson, 22—Alf Coll, 23—Tom Ragsdale, 24—Jack Staggs, 25—Andy Anderson, 26—G. V. Price, 27—J. S. Ward, 28—C. J. Dexter, 29—John Shearman, 30—Stanley Blocker, 31—Howard Whitson, 32—R. G. Knoedler, 33—Paul Otis, 34—John Richards.

Anyone whose name is not listed is entitled to challenge any player in the tournament, and if they win they will take the place of the man they defeat, and everyone below them will be moved down one place. In case they lose they will take the last place on the ladder until they win a match or someone else enters the tournament.

**BULLDOGS WIN**

The Artesia Bulldogs won a hard fought game of basketball from the Roswell Coyotes at Roswell last night by a one point margin, the final score being 20 to 19. The game was described as a "hair raising" affair with each team "see-sawing" for the lead. The contest was also a rough and tumble affair with eight personal fouls.

Brown, C. Champion and Wilde split honors for Artesia with two field goals and one free throw each.

**HERE ON INSPECTION TOUR**

W. M. Haynes, assistant chief engineer of the Continental Oil Co., and A. G. Wikoff, manufacturing accountant of the Continental, both of Ponca City, Oklahoma, were here Monday inspecting the Continental refinery. Accompanied by Charles Morgan, refinery superintendent, they left the following day for an inspection of properties at Pyote and other Texas points.

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**C. of C. Banquet—**  
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secretary of the Tri-State Fair association, was the first speaker introduced by the toastmaster and brought the house down when he attempted to read a few complimentary remarks about Mr. Brainard, supposed to have been prepared by Mr. Brainard himself, and the speaker stopped when he failed to make out a word.

J. P. Seiberling of Akron, Ohio, vice-president and sales manager of the Seiberling Rubber Co., who was here on an inspection tour, brought encouragement on the improvement of the general business conditions and was high in his praise of the New Mexico sunshine.

Mr. Seiberling's interesting talk was followed by a vocal solo and an encore by Mrs. Jack Spratt, with Mrs. Willis Morgan at the piano.

E. B. Bullock, chairman of the local welfare committee, was asked to speak for five minutes on welfare work. Touching briefly on one local welfare case was the extent of Mr. Bullock's welfare remarks, although he told why Mark Corbin was passed into the pearly gates. He said he had a dream and dreamed a lot of people were knocking for admittance into heaven. Bullock said he observed all toastmasters were being turned aside. Soon he saw Corbin coming up and after a hurried consultation between St. Peter and his attendant, Corbin walked right on in. Curiously Bullock said he inquired the reason and was told, "Mark just thinks he's a toastmaster."

Mason King of Amarillo, Texas, with the public relations department of the Amarillo News-Globe, was the principal speaker. After a story-telling period, Mr. King brought a more serious message on the need of a chamber of commerce. According to Mr. King a chamber of commerce may not be missed until a community has to do without one for a period of time as Amarillo has done. Mr. King said the various governmental agencies had recognized the importance of the chamber of commerce as a community institution and that this institution had been active in promoting the welfare of the public during the past year or more.

Music was furnished by a local orchestra composed of high school and ex-high school students. Tony King, orchestra member, displayed his talent as a variety musician by giving an accordion solo, a harmonica solo and a piano solo.

Visitors present included: J. B. Morris and Victor Minter, president and secretary of the Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce; Dean Winchester of Denver, Colorado, secretary and treasurer of the Texas Potash Co.; J. P. Seiberling of Akron, Ohio, vice-president and sales manager of the Seiberling Rubber Co.; O. B. Shook of Dallas, Texas, president of the Shook Rubber Co.; C. J. Marx of Kansas City, Missouri; Mason King and Ted Taylor of Amarillo, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Clark, new residents of Artesia, recently of McCombe, Texas, were also introduced by Toastmaster Corbin.

**Directors Elected**  
The nominating committee met Tuesday morning and canvassed the results of the balloting on seven candidates for directors. Directors elected included Tom Hefflin, G. V. Price, G. R. Brainard and Charles Morgan. Officers and a chamber of commerce manager will be elected at an early meeting of the board of directors, probably this week.

**Twenty-Seven Members Added**  
Twenty-seven members were added to the membership roll, including the reinstatement of two former members as result of the membership canvass completed last week. While the income of the organization has been boosted some, it has not been boosted sufficiently to expand the activities of the organization as some had hoped for.

**DEXTER MAN CHARGED WITH MANSLAUGHTER**

James Senn of Dexter has been charged by a Chaves county coroner's jury with involuntary manslaughter in connection with the death of Miguel Gomez, in a collision which occurred on the Dexter highway Saturday evening. Senn has made bond and further action will be deferred until Senn recovers from injuries received in the collision.

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**Four Announce—**  
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served four years as commissioner from this district in the early part of 1920 and the experience gained at this particular time has given him a valuable insight into county affairs. In fact, Mr. Howard knows county affairs, having served as commissioner at a time when county finances were as hard pressed, if not more so, than now. It was this experience and his reputation as a good business man that caused friends of Mr. Howard to insist that he submit as a candidate for commissioner.

Mr. Howard, who has lived in Eddy county for about twenty-five years, knows local conditions as well as county conditions, and it is said to his credit that he played no favorites when it came to dealing with sectional affairs during his previous experience in this office.

Mr. Howard solicits your support and influence and promises his best efforts in the discharge of the duties of this office if elected.

**Stewart Wants to Be Sheriff**

M. C. Stewart of Carlsbad, well known Eddy county resident, this morning announced his candidacy for the office of sheriff. In making his announcement Mr. Stewart stated:

"I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of sheriff of Eddy county, subject to the action of the democratic primary. I have been a resident of Eddy county for forty-nine years. I was born in Burnett county, Texas, in 1866, coming to New Mexico in 1884, at the age of eighteen years and have resided continuously in Eddy county since that date and have always been a democrat. I have served in the sheriff's office for eighteen years, leaving that office seventeen years ago. To the old timers, I do not believe I need any introduction as my record as a peace officer speaks for itself; to the later comers, I refer you to the older residents who are familiar in every detail with my services in the sheriff's office.

If the people of Eddy county choose to elect me to this office, I pledge myself to an honest, economical administration, and I promise kind, courteous treatment to all regardless of political affiliation, creed or color and will at all times enforce all the laws diligently and impartially and will be open at all times for suggestions and consultation with anyone on any matter pertaining to the office.

I will always extend to those who are unfortunate enough to be handled by me and my deputies kind and courteous treatment. On account of the economic condition existing at this time in the county, state and nation, I feel that the salaries of deputies and jailer should be distributed among as many people as possible without crippling the efficiency of the office, and if elected, it will be my policy to appoint persons to these positions who are not members of my immediate family.

As to my opponents, in whom I have confidence and respect, I pledge myself to fair and courteous treatment in the campaign. As to the method of nomination, I personally prefer a primary with a registration of the voters. I solicit your support and vote."

**M. C. STEWART.**  
**ZONE REFINERS AND DISTRIBUTORS MEET**  
Oil refiners and distributors of zone one, composed of Eddy, Lea and Chaves county, had an interesting meeting here last Friday evening, which was attended by every committee member except one. Oil distributors from Roswell, Carlsbad, Hobbs, Lovington and intermediate points were in attendance in addition to a number of visitors.

**HORSE MARKET ACTIVE**

The local market for horses and mules continues active while a number of horse and mule buyers have been in the valley recently looking over the stock for sale. Walter Coates, Hope rancher, sold four horses last week. Mr. Coates reports that he has sold sixty-five horses in the past few months. Three years ago he said he could not even get an offer on his bunch of horses.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved.—The Advocate.

**NOTICE TO VOTERS**

It has been reported to me that a rumor has been started among the people of Artesia and northern Eddy county that I have "lined up" with and am supporting certain candidates for other county offices. There is absolutely no basis or foundation for this rumor as I am taking no part in any race except my own and I take this means of so informing the people because it is impossible for me to see all of you personally.

I hope to get a part of the votes which are cast for all of the various candidates for the other offices and the only request I have to make to the voters is to consider my candidacy and qualifications for sheriff and vote for me if you think I am the man for the job.

Thanks,  
**HOWELL GAGE,**  
Candidate for Sheriff.

**STATE SLATED TO GET—**  
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Tunis indicated that definite announcement of specific projects

cannot be made until all formalities have been complied with and applicants have shown they will be able to begin construction promptly. He advised applicants to get their projects in shape for action as soon as possible after the money is made available.

New Mexico may obtain more than what has been applied for, Tunis indicated, because allocations in several states have been rescinded, due to the inability of the applicants to comply with requirements. This condition enables the PWA to allocate this money to other projects.

The state PWA board has received 89 projects, totaling \$9-

576,908. Need for legislation, to enable a guarantee to the government that its 30 per cent of the money advanced would be repaid within the specified 20 years was said to have delayed action on several of the state and municipal projects, but it was pointed out that this should not have delayed the entire program, as the 10 projects involved amounted to less than \$1,000,000.

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