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A district commander shall head each of five districts provided under the new constitution. District commanders shall be selected at a caucus of district delegates at the state convention from the districts approved.

The composition of the five new districts are: No. 1—Santa Fe, Bernalillo counties; No. 2—Colfax, Harding, Union, Mora, San Miguel, Quay, Guadalupe, Curry and De Baca counties; No. 3—Lincoln, Chaves, Eddy, Lea, Roosevelt and Otero counties; No. 4—Catron, Socorro, Grant, Sierra, Hidalgo, Luna and Dona Ana counties; No. 5—San Juan, Rio Arriba, Taos, McKinley, Sandoval and Valencia counties.

The New Mexico department of the American Legion was operating under its own charter Saturday for the first time in two years, the charter having been suspended two years ago by the national organization. The new constitution adopted, aimed at remedying the charter suspension of two years ago. The constitution prohibits any Legion officer from holding public office simultaneously.

A. R. Goodell, Los Angeles, California, oil operator, is spending a short time here looking after his oil interests.

## 103 High Temperature For the First Half of The Month of August

High and low temperatures for August up to the 14th, as registered at the local weather station may be of general public interest. Although it has been hot here, the Pecos valley has escaped the worst of the heat waves, as may be seen from the high and low readings. They are:

	High	Low
August 1	100	73
August 2	103	80
August 3	100	71
August 4	89	71
August 5	91	69
August 6	94	69
August 7	95	77
August 8	96	72
August 9	94	72
August 10	95	76
August 11	95	70
August 12	99	72
August 13	95	68
August 14	90	70

## Legion Auxiliary Ends Convention At Carlsbad Sun.

Climaxing a strenuous convention campaign, the New Mexico American Legion Auxiliary Sunday at Carlsbad selected Mrs. Lorraine Zent of Silver City as president. She defeated Mrs. Crystal Darst of Artesia by only five votes. The vote was 63 to 58.

Closing their three-day convention here at Carlsbad in conjunction with the Legion, the Auxiliary adjourned after their election of officers featured by several close races between candidates.

Mrs. Ruth Dobbs of Carlsbad was named first vice-president in another spirited balloting as she bested a fellow townswoman.

Mrs. Chester Beber of Albuquerque was named second vice-president.

Some difficulty arose over designation by the Auxiliary of its choice for western area vice-president, an office to be filled at the national convention in St. Louis.

An effort was made to shut off candidates after the name of Mary Chapman was offered, but friends of Mrs. Cary Blair of Albuquerque rallied and got her name before the convention. In a vote between the two, Mrs. Chapman, who is from Santa Fe, was chosen, 63 to 49.

Blanche Lucero of Santa Fe was named treasurer of the Auxiliary and other officers were chosen as follows: Ophelia Valdez, Taos, historian; Mrs. Antonia Montano, Las Vegas, sergeant-at-arms, and Mrs. Florence Lebeck, Gallup, chaplain.

Delegates to the national convention are: Mrs. Minnie Hyland, Las Cruces; Anna Killinger, Magdalena; Mrs. Ann Cook, Albuquerque; Mrs. Katherine Lieberman, Gallup; Mrs. A. L. Atherton, Albuquerque, and Mrs. Cary Blair, Albuquerque.

Alternate delegates are: Mrs. Barbara Cantrell, Gallup; Mrs. Joseph Richards, Artesia; Mrs. Josephine Haller, Gallup; Mrs. Burns McIntoch, Albuquerque; Mrs. Shirley Nutter Gillam, Raton, and Mrs. Maude Jones, Albuquerque.

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## Many Vaccinated Against Typhoid In Two Sections

Dr. O. E. Puckett, district health officer, and Mrs. G. C. Kinder, school nurse, drove to Lake Arthur Monday and vaccinated eighty-one people against typhoid. On the same afternoon Dr. Puckett and Mrs. Kinder were met at the Parker store on the Cottonwood by Mrs. Schaubel, Chaves county nurse, and assisted by Mrs. O. E. Puckett, vaccinated 125 people.

Friday Dr. Puckett and Mrs. Kinder will be at the Central school from 9 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 4 p. m. to vaccinate all preschool children and other school children against small pox and diphtheria.

It was learned here Dr. Puckett plans to return to the Parker store on the Cottonwood Monday, where additional typhoid vaccinations will be administered.

## HOG MARKET REACHES NEW HIGH ON 14TH

CHICAGO—Wholesale prices for fresh pork in the Chicago area yesterday had reached a high of \$29.50 a hundred pounds, or more than 350 per cent increase in two years.

Tuesday's jump amounted to an even dollar and brought prices \$23.00 higher than the extreme low of \$6.50 a hundred pounds in 1933.

One of the major causes of the record high pork prices was last year's drought with the consequent shortage of corn. The Institute of American Meat Packers point to the Agricultural Adjustment Act as a contributing factor.

This, however, was not the view taken by Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace in Washington, who said: "The facts are that consumers now would be paying somewhat more for pork, if there had been no pig purchase program in 1933."

## Wild Prediction Sends People At Roswell To Hills

The wild prediction that the Pecos river is to have a twenty-foot wall of water flowing down the valley hasn't come true at press time. This prediction, made by a seer, who is said to have predicted the death of Senator Cutting and the Morro Castle fire, has foreseen the sinking of the entire valley and a twenty-foot wall of water in the Pecos river sometime today. The prediction is said to have been taken seriously by several Roswell residents and traffic west from Roswell yesterday was said to be heavy. Some have camped on top of the Six Mile hill west of Roswell.

Apparently people here have paid little or no attention to the rumor, at least they are still in town and we "ain't" sunk yet.

## Cotton Is Growing Off Rapidly Now

Cotton farmers may again have to battle the inroads of the leaf and boll worm, it was learned here the first of the week. The leaf or army worm has appeared in many fields in large numbers and is said to be especially prevalent in the Cottonwood section. The army worm which has given farmers considerable trouble this year, is believed to be the same as the leaf worm, which has made its appearance here in previous years during the fall months. The white boll worm has also appeared in large numbers over the cotton growing section, it is reported.

Despite the worm pestilence, cotton has made a rapid growth throughout the district during the past month and notwithstanding the fact that the plantings were later than usual last spring the development of cotton at this time is practically on par with the corresponding season of a year ago. There are quite a few bolls developed sufficiently to turn speckle.

## Last Car of Wool Shipped Out Monday To Eastern Markets

The last car of wool for the season was shipped out of the Bullock warehouse Monday for the Boston market. The shipment, representing several clips, netted the growers around 18 1/2 cents per pound. Over 300,000 pounds of wool have been shipped out of this point during the season.

## Mrs. Watson Rites Held On Friday

Mrs. Matt Watson, aged 85, a pioneer resident of this section, died at the home of her son, H. G. Watson, last Thursday afternoon, following an illness of several months. Mrs. Watson had been seriously ill for three or four days prior to her death and her passing was not unexpected.

Mrs. Watson moved to the Hope community with her family in 1917, where the family resided for several years. In 1921 her husband died and since that time she made her home with her children.

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ Friday afternoon, with the Rev. Allen Johnson of Hobbs officiating. Burial was made in the Woodbine cemetery. Surviving the deceased are three sons, Will Watson of Pecos, Texas, Ed and H. G. Watson of Artesia, and a daughter, Mrs. B. E. Hicks of Flat Creek, Tennessee. All of the sons were present for the funeral, but Mrs. Hicks was unable to attend. A large concourse of friends from Artesia and Hope in attendance at the funeral testified as to the esteem in which Mrs. Watson was held.

## Report Sheepmen Are Holding Lambs For A Higher Market Price

It was learned here this week that several local sheepmen are holding their lambs for a fall delivery price of six and a half to seven cents per pound. One sheepman who has many extra good lambs is reported to have refused a contract price of six and a half cents per pound. It is generally predicted that lamb growers are facing brighter prospects for a better price due to the fact that there are fewer lambs on the ranges now than any period for the past four or five years and to the fact that the lamb market is expected to react favorably in sympathy with the general livestock market.

## Oil, Gas Permits Extend to Dec. '37

WASHINGTON—The house last Thursday added its approval to that of the senate for a definite change of governmental policy affecting oil and gas prospecting on the public domain.

The measure went back to the senate for expected concurrence in house amendments.

Most important change made in the house was contained in an amendment offered by Greever. This provides for extension to December 31, 1937, of all outstanding permits which are in good standing.

The O'Mahoney-Greever bill provides for prospecting leases of five years on unproven or wildcat territory or so long as oil or gas are found in paying quantities. Leases on proven areas would be for ten years or so long as oil or gas is found in paying quantities.

Representative Righ (R-Penn.), member of the house public lands committee which considered the bill, took the floor to commend the work of Greever and Representative Dempsey (D-NM) on the bill.

## MASONS TO MEET

The regular meeting of the lodge will be held Thursday night and the first degree conferred.

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### Only Half of Required Signers To the Petition When Commissioners Meet To Consider the Bond Election.

The matter of calling a bond election to vote approximately \$100,000 in bonds for the addition of a central and western wing to the county court house will rest for the present on account of lack of interest in the project. When the county commissioners met at Carlsbad Monday to consider calling a bond election only about 100 of the necessary 200 property owners had signed the petition to call an election and the matter was deferred until the next meeting of the commissioners. If the necessary 200 property owners sign the petition they must do so soon as the election will be called on September 17th, the same date as the constitutional amendment election.

It was said at Carlsbad that the Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce would likely circulate the petition in an effort to secure the necessary signers. It was also learned there is some opposition to the bond issue in the south end of the county and this combined with the lack of interest makes the prospects of the success of the bond issue rather remote.

The commissioners also planned to discuss the employment of a successor to W. A. Wunsch, county agent, but there was no representative from the State College to make recommendations, so the employment of a county agent will be deferred also.

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A district commander shall head each of five districts provided under the new constitution. District commanders shall be selected at a caucus of district delegates at the state convention from the districts approved.

The composition of the five new districts are: No. 1—Santa Fe, Bernalillo counties; No. 2—Colfax, Harding, Union, Mora, San Miguel, Curry, Guadalupe, Curry and De Baca counties; No. 3—Lincoln, Chaves, Eddy, Lea, Roosevelt and Otero counties; No. 4—Catron, Socorro, Grant, Sierra, Hidalgo, Luna and Dona Ana counties; No. 5—San Juan, Rio Arriba, Taos, McKinley, Sandoval and Valencia counties.

The New Mexico department of the American Legion was operating under its own charter Saturday for the first time in two years, the charter having been suspended two years ago by the national organization. The new constitution adopted aimed at remedying the charter suspension of two years ago. The constitution prohibits any Legion officer from holding public office simultaneously.

A. R. Goodell, Los Angeles, California, oil operator, is spending a short time here looking after his oil interests.

## 103 High Temperature For the First Half of The Month of August

High and low temperatures for August up to the 14th, as registered at the local weather station, may be of general public interest. Although it has been hot here, the Pecos valley has escaped the worst of the heat waves, as may be seen from the high and low readings. They are:

	High	Low
August 1.....	100	73
August 2.....	103	80
August 3.....	100	71
August 4.....	89	71
August 5.....	91	69
August 6.....	94	69
August 7.....	95	77
August 8.....	96	72
August 9.....	94	72
August 10.....	95	76
August 11.....	95	70
August 12.....	99	72
August 13.....	95	68
August 14.....	90	70

## Many Vaccinated Against Typhoid In Two Sections

Dr. O. E. Puckett, district health officer, and Mrs. G. C. Kinder, school nurse, drove to Lake Arthur Monday and vaccinated eighty-one people against typhoid. On the same afternoon Dr. Puckett and Mrs. Kinder were met at the Parker store on the Cottonwood by Mrs. Schaubel, Chaves county nurse, and assisted by Mrs. O. E. Puckett, vaccinated 125 people. Friday Dr. Puckett and Mrs. Kinder will be at the Central school from 9 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 4 p. m. to vaccinate all preschool children and other school children against small pox and diphtheria.

It was learned here Dr. Puckett plans to return to the Parker store on the Cottonwood Monday, where additional typhoid vaccinations will be administered.

## HOG MARKET REACHES NEW HIGH ON 14TH

CHICAGO—Wholesale prices for fresh pork in the Chicago area yesterday had reached a high of \$29.50 a hundred pounds, or more than 350 per cent increase in two years.

Tuesday's jump amounted to an even dollar and brought prices \$23.00 higher than the extreme low of \$6.50 a hundred pounds in 1933. One of the major causes of the record high pork prices was last year's drought with the consequent shortage of corn. The Institute of American Meat Packers point to the Agricultural Adjustment Act as a contributing factor.

This, however, was not the view taken by Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace in Washington, who said: "The facts are that consumers now would be paying somewhat more for pork, if there had been no pig purchase program in 1933."

## Legion Auxiliary Ends Convention At Carlsbad Sun.

Climaxing a strenuous convention campaign, the New Mexico American Legion Auxiliary Sunday at Carlsbad selected Mrs. Lorraine Zent of Silver City as president. She defeated Mrs. Crystal Darst of Artesia by only five votes. The vote was 63 to 58.

Closing their three-day convention here at Carlsbad in conjunction with the Legion, the Auxiliary adjourned after their election of officers featured by several close races between candidates.

Mrs. Ruth Dobbs of Carlsbad was named first vice-president in another spirited balloting as she bested a fellow townsman.

Mrs. Chester Beber of Albuquerque was named second vice-president.

Some difficulty arose over designation by the Auxiliary of its choice for western area vice-president, an office to be filled at the national convention in St. Louis. An effort was made to shut off candidates after the name of Mary Chapman was offered, but friends of Mrs. Cary Blair of Albuquerque rallied and got her name before the convention. In a vote between the two, Mrs. Chapman, who is from Santa Fe, was chosen, 63 to 49.

Blanche Lucero of Santa Fe was named treasurer of the Auxiliary and other officers were chosen as follows: Ophelia Valdez, Taos, historian; Mrs. Antonia Montano, Las Vegas, sergeant-at-arms, and Mrs. Florence Lebeck, Gallup, chaplain.

Delegates to the national convention are: Mrs. Minnie Hyland, Las Cruces; Anna Killinger, Magdalena; Mrs. Ann Cook, Albuquerque; Mrs. Katherine Lieberman, Gallup; Mrs. A. L. Atherton, Albuquerque, and Mrs. Cary Blair, Albuquerque.

Alternate delegates are: Mrs. Barbara Cantrell, Gallup; Mrs. Albert Richards, Artesia; Mrs. Josephine Haller, Gallup; Mrs. Burns McIntoch, Albuquerque; Mrs. Shirley Nutter Gilling, Raton, and Mrs. Maude Jones, Albuquerque.

## FOURTH CUTTING OF HAY

A few hay growers have started the fourth cutting of alfalfa hay and the cutting is generally expected to get underway within a few days. Both the quality and the quantity of the hay is good, according to reports.

## Mrs. Watson Rites Held On Friday

Mrs. Matt Watson, aged 85, a pioneer resident of this section, died at the home of her son, H. G. Watson, last Thursday afternoon, following an illness of several months. Mrs. Watson had been seriously ill for three or four days prior to her death and her passing was not unexpected.

Mrs. Watson moved to the Hope community with her family in 1917, where the family resided for several years. In 1921 her husband died and since that time she made her home with her children.

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ Friday afternoon, with the Rev. Allen Johnson of Hobbs officiating. Burial was made in the Woodbine cemetery.

Surviving the deceased are three sons, Will Watson of Pecos, Texas, Ed and H. G. Watson of Artesia, and a daughter, Mrs. B. E. Hicks of Flat Creek, Tennessee. All of the sons were present for the funeral, but Mrs. Hicks was unable to attend. A large concourse of friends from Artesia and Hope in attendance at the funeral testified as to the esteem in which Mrs. Watson was held.

## Report Sheepmen Are Holding Lambs For A Higher Market Price

It was learned here this week that several local sheepmen are holding their lambs for a fall delivery price of six and a half to seven cents per pound. One shepherd who has many extra good lambs is reported to have refused a contract price of six and a half cents per pound. It is generally predicted that lamb growers are facing brighter prospects for a better price due to the fact that there are fewer lambs on the ranges now than any period for the past four or five years and to the fact that the lamb market is expected to react favorably in sympathy with the general livestock market.

Wild Prediction Sends People At Roswell To Hills The wild prediction that the Pecos river is to have a twenty-foot wall of water flowing down the valley hasn't come true at press time. This prediction, made by a seer, who is said to have predicted the death of Senator Cutting and the Morro Castle fire, has foreseen the sinking of the entire valley and a twenty-foot wall of water in the Pecos river sometime today. The prediction is said to have been taken seriously by several Roswell residents and traffic west from Roswell yesterday was said to be heavy. Some have camped on top of the Six Mile hill west of Roswell.

Apparently people here have paid little or no attention to the rumor, at least they are still in town and we "ain't" sunk yet.

## Cotton Is Growing Off Rapidly Now

Cotton farmers may again have to battle the inroads of the leaf and boll worm, it was learned here the first of the week. The leaf or army worm has appeared in many fields in large numbers and is said to be especially prevalent in the Cottonwood section. The army worm which has given farmers considerable trouble this year, is believed to be the same as the leaf worm, which has made its appearance here in previous years during the fall months. The white boll worm has also appeared in large numbers over the cotton growing section, it is reported.

Despite the worm pestilence, cotton has made a rapid growth throughout the district during the past month and notwithstanding the fact that the plantings were later than usual last spring the development of cotton at this time is practically on par with the corresponding season of a year ago. There are quite a few bolls developed sufficiently to turn speckle.

## Last Car of Wool Shipped Out Monday To Eastern Markets

The last car of wool for the season was shipped out of the Bullock warehouse Monday for the Boston market. The shipment, representing several clips, netted the growers around 18½ cents per pound. Over 300,000 pounds of wool have been shipped out of this point during the season.

## ROOSEVELT OK'S SOCIAL SECURITY

### Measure Gives Protection To 30,000,000 People Thru Pensions; Unemployment Compensation Aids Many More.

WASHINGTON — President Roosevelt yesterday signed into law a social security program he said would "provide for the United States an economic structure of vastly greater soundness."

"This social security measure," Mr. Roosevelt added, "gives at least some protection to 30,000,000 of our citizens who will reap direct benefits through unemployment compensation, through old age pensions and through increased services for the protection of children and the prevention of ill health."

The president spoke into sound cameras crowding the White House cabinet room after his pen welded to the statute books the security program molded in studies begun more than a year ago. It was seven months going through the house and senate.

(The law sets up systems of old age pensions and unemployment insurance, and special care for dependent children and mothers, and contains a huge tax program to raise the necessary funds.)

About him stood Secretary Perkins, Chairman Harrison (D-Miss.) of the senate finance committee, Chairman Doughton (D-NC) of the house ways and means committee, and Senator Wagner (D-NY) and Representative Lewis (D-Md.), who originally introduced security bills.

"Today, a hope of many years standing is in large part fulfilled," said Mr. Roosevelt, at the outset of his short talk. He concluded by saying that if congress had done nothing else "in this long and arduous session xxx the session would be regarded as historic for all time."

## Oil, Gas Permits Extend to Dec. '37

WASHINGTON—The house last Thursday added its approval to that of the senate for a definite change of governmental policy affecting oil and gas prospecting on the public domain.

The measure went back to the senate for expected concurrence in house amendments.

Most important change made in the house was contained in an amendment offered by Greever. This provides for extension to December 31, 1937, of all outstanding permits which are in good standing.

The O'Mahoney-Greever bill provides for prospecting leases of five years on unproven or wild territory or so long as oil or gas are found in paying quantities. Leases on proven areas would be for ten years or so long as oil or gas is found in paying quantities.

Representative Righ (R-Penn.), member of the house public lands committee which considered the bill, took the floor to commend the work of Greever and Representative Dempsey (D-NM) on the bill.

## Construction CCC Camp Northwest Of Here Finished

Construction on the CCC camp, twenty-three miles northwest of here has been completed and twenty-two men, under command of Lt. Stacey, are arranging preliminaries connected with the occupancy of the camp by the regular force, which will include 200 men. Buildings erected are: five bunk houses, a mess hall, a recreational hall and a hospital. Construction of four miles of road connecting with the county line road has also been finished.

The camp is expected to be occupied between September 1st and 6th.

Taylor Ross, Lakewood rancher, was attending to business matters here yesterday.

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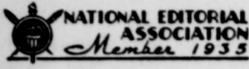
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### ON TRADING AT HOME (Continued from last week)

Literally speaking, the trade at home policy, agitated at intervals in practically every community, offered a solution to one of our most perplexing problems; a problem that has grown more difficult to solve with our industrial expansion; at least until the depression set in and this problem is the decentralization of the population in the population centers.

Forty years ago, the American boys and girls were encouraged to migrate to the large centers. The lure held out to the American youth at this time was a soft job and a good time.

Somehow the erroneous idea was also conceived that goods bought in the large centers were superior to those purchased in the smaller communities and this idea is still prevalent. Local merchants say they cannot understand why some women will insist on buying a dress say in El Paso, when the same dress can be purchased locally from the same factory at the same money and sometimes less. Now if you can explain why a dress made in Dallas, has more appeal when it is purchased in El Paso, Amarillo or some other larger center, than when it is bought locally you can make a better job than we can, yet there have been numbers of instances in past years when purchasers would go out of town and buy the same sort of clothes as stocked by the local merchants and pay more money.

The above incidents may not concern you, but the matter of more loyalty to home institutions does concern you, if and when the time comes for you to educate your children and after educating them, they find it necessary to migrate to the larger population areas where opportunities are apparently more plentiful to find employment. The potential employes of tomorrow must thus follow the money sent into the larger centers in order to find employment.

And the population centers constitute one of the biggest problems in breaking down the depression. Economists and industrialists are already trying to devise means of correcting a problem, we ourselves have created in an effort to practice false economy and give our children more opportunities and a softer job than we had.

There are many angles to the trade at home theory and some you may not be willing to accept, but this one thing, feeding the population centers, has created a serious situation so far as the nation is concerned and left with us a problem that must eventually be solved and one that you cannot dodge responsibility in helping to solve, if you call yourself a citizen.—Continued next week.

### SERIOUS TRAFFIC HAZARD

Local traffic hazards are sometimes like Mark Twain's remark about the weather, "Everybody talks about it, but nobody does anything." Artesia has a serious traffic hazard that is sooner or later going to kill somebody and perhaps two or three people. Then why wait until a fatal accident occurs before anything is done about it, you ask? This is a sensible question and one that every citizen ought to be interested in because the city, the state, the highway department and the nation should exert every effort to check the mounting highway accident toll.

We refer specifically to the turn at the intersection of Main street with First street on Highway 2. In order to navigate a turn at this corner the motorist must enter the highway and make the turn against a two-way traffic. When entering the highway from Main street, a motorist cannot see an approaching car until almost to the middle of the highway. The danger of a head-on collision is doubled at night because of a possible defective headlight.

Under the present condition the city and the state highway department must be held jointly responsible in the event of an accident. The highway department is responsible because the traffic coming into Artesia must observe closely or the slow signs near Main will be missed and even then the signs are sometimes obscured by parked cars. The slow signs erected by the city at the intersection of the two streets are worth little. The city's responsibility will end so far as this traffic hazard is concerned by moving the turn post and permitting a turn at Main street, instead of running the cars out into the highway.

If you don't believe a hazard actually exists at this corner, try making it several times on busy nights and draw your own conclusions. The writer narrowly escaped a head-on collision a week ago in driving into the highway with a one-eyed car whizzing thru at fifty to nothing without making an effort to slow down. Tourists and people who travel a lot will tell you they become accustomed to driving fast and when going thru numerous towns as they often do, they never slow down until they see a slow sign.

How about remedying this situation, Mr. Mayor and Council?

### ABOUT DRAINING THE BOGS

The state game department and the state health department are apparently working at cross purposes. One is trying to retain the bogs for a waterfowl refuge, while the other says it is necessary to drain the bogs to rid this section of the mosquitoes and the malaria menace.

Since the controversy has arisen, we have sought a number of opinions on the various angles involved. So far as we have been able to determine, even the local sportsmen are dubious of the value of the so-called bogs as a breeding ground for waterfowl, but apparently all agree that the bogs are excellent mosquito breeding places. And also so far as we can find, the agitation to buy these bogs under a biological survey project, has been made principally by sportsmen who do not live here and naturally who do not know and may not care how numerous the mosquitoes really get here.

Our opinion has not changed. We still think the health of the people is paramount to pleasure for duck hunters, if and when the two conflict as they apparently do in this instance.

Another angle to the controversy, which ought to receive consideration is the fact that the malaria control money is on outright gift to the state and if the malaria control project goes through as originally planned, it will give employment to 150 to 200 needy people, thus further involving the welfare of the public. We have been told that the state would help pay for the malaria project if approved, but this statement may be misleading. From the most authentic sources available we learn that the state would only be required to pay for the material used in the project, which probably would not exceed ten percent of the cost, according to the most conservative estimates. In other words, the government is offering

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### Chislings

An exchange remarks that the game of bridge has made light-housekeeping necessary.

Don't judge a man's wealth by the way his pockets bulge, for he may have a pocket full of tax tokens. We heard of a man the other day getting a dime mixed in with his tokens and it took him thirty minutes to find the dime when he went to buy a drink and then he wasn't sure it was a dime. "Durn them tokens anyway."

We know a man who pulled a modern "Paul Revere ride" on his vacation. The only difference between the modern and the original Paul Revere is that the original rider knew where he was going and the former didn't.

If you sweat lots, eat lots of salt and you will get along better, we art told.

"I hear our new salesman is an atheist and doesn't believe there is any Hell."  
"Put him in the credit department."—Exchange.

Bridegroom: "I thee endow with all my worldly goods."  
Her Father: "There goes his bicycle."

A little school girl offered the following composition on anatomy: "Anatomy is the human body. It is divided into three separate parts, the haid, the chest, and the stummick. The haid holds the skull and the brains, if there is any, the chest holds the liver, and the stummick holds the vowels, which are a, e, i, o, and u, and sometimes w and y."—Ex.

Highhat: "My family can trace its ancestry back to William the Conqueror."  
Skulleap: "Next you'll be telling me that they came over with Columbus!"

Highhat: "Certainly not! My people had a boat of their own."—Ex.

Perl Morris says me and Eph Bullock missed another good Legion convention at Carlsbad over the week-end.

V. D. Bolton established a new record for flat-footed jumping about ten days ago when a freight train hit his oil truck on the Santa Fe spur. We didn't say anything about how far he jumped last week because we did not want to be called a liar.

Here's a letter on contributions

us money, which will be placed elsewhere if it is not used here, perhaps in some other state. And it ought to be up to the people directly affected to accept or reject the proposal, rather than accept the dictation of some outside interests.

The shortest thing in the world—is not a mosquito's whisker, a gnat's eyelash, a microbe's imagination, or an infinitesimal blush of realization; but it is PUBLIC MEMORY!—Carlsbad Current-Argus.

### Filed for Record

Warranty Deeds—  
Callie King, Belle McCord, Lots 9, 11, Block 51, Stevens.  
E. Barker, Frank Vanek, Lot 10, Block 3, Greene's Hilland.

In the District Court—  
No. 6023 In the matter of the designation of district judges.  
No. 6024 City of Artesia vs. I. C. Keller, W. E. Ragsdale, M. G. Schulze, L. R. Simon, Ben L. Dunn, W. H. Steiwig, Lee Burns and J. O. Wood; Keller and Ragsdale subdivision.

No. 6025 Nell Ham vs. Homer Ham, divorce.  
No. 6026 Ella Floyd vs. Richard Floyd, divorce.  
No. 6029 H. Hawley vs. Mary H. Martin, N<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>S<sup>1/<sub>2</sub>; S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>N<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>; 29-27-26.</sup>

No. 6030 Petition of guardian to borrow money, estate of Chas. William McLenathen, Lots 25, 27, Block 6, Original Carlsbad.

Marriage Licenses—  
L. R. Pipkin and Mrs. Julia C. Wilson, Carlsbad.  
M. A. Carraway and Melba Lee, Hope.

PRORATION TALKED AT SANTA FE MEETING  
Plans for prorating the southeastern New Mexico oil fields were discussed at Santa Fe Friday and Saturday when the state conservation commission met with about fifty operators. Decision on the rules and regulations adopted will not be announced immediately, it was said.

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that might interest you, although you might have read part of it; you have to read all of it to catch the drift:  
The following is a reply to a letter asking for a contribution—  
"Dear friend: In reply to your request to send a check, I wish to inform you that the present condition of my bank account makes it almost impossible. My shattered financial condition is due to federal laws, state laws, county laws, city laws, corporation laws, liquor laws, mother-in-laws, brother-in-laws, sister-in-laws, and outlaws.  
"Through these laws I am compelled to pay business tax, amusement tax, head tax, gas tax, light tax, carpet tax, food tax, furniture tax and excise tax. I am required to get a business license, truck license, and dog license.  
"I am also required to contribute to every society and organization which the genius of a man is capable of bringing to life, to the women's relief, the unemployed relief and the gold-diggers' relief.  
"Also to every hospital and charitable institution in the city, including the Red Cross, the black cross, the purple cross, and the double cross.  
"For my own safety I am required to carry life insurance, property insurance, burglary insurance, accident insurance, business insurance, earthquake insurance and fire insurance.  
"My business is so governed that it is no easy matter for me to find out who owns it. I am expected, inspected, suspected, disrespected, examined, re-examined, informed, required, summoned, fined, commanded and compelled until I provide an inexhaustible supply of money for every known need, desire or hope of the human race.  
"And simply because I refuse to donate to something or other, I am boycotted, talked about, lied about, held up, held down and robbed until I am almost ruined.  
"I can tell you honestly that only for the miracle that happened I could not enclose this check. The wolf that comes to many doors nowadays just had pups in my kitchen. I sold them and here is the money."

They say you can't fool all of the people all of the time, but Huey Long has been fooling 'em several years in Louisiana.

A colored man here said he took his wife to the hospital to have her X-rated, but before she got out she had been ultra-violated.

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### LOCALS

Henry Weddige, Hope sheepman, was trading in town Saturday.

Miss Bessie Fletcher underwent a tonsillectomy last Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Jones announce the birth of a son on August 10th.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Frazier of Lake Arthur on August 8th.

Mayor and Mrs. Hollis Watson and two children spent the weekend in Cloudercroft.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Eilers of Las Cruces spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vandagriff.

Pat Reilly of Pampa, Texas, spent a few days here last week attending to business matters and visiting friends.

Mrs. Will Ed Carter and daughter Martha of Carlsbad spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stagner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sinclair and family left Monday for Los Angeles, California, where they will make their future home.

Miss Ella Bauslin, who has been visiting and attending to business at Peabody and Wichita, Kansas, for the past two months, returned to her home here last Thursday afternoon.

Fred Knowles, Sr., Preston Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Runyan and Edmond and Edson Runyan returned the first of the week from a fishing trip to Eagle Nest lake and vicinity.

Mrs. S. G. White returned the latter part of the week from Amarillo, Texas, where she spent several weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Collins and Mr. Collins and family.

Fletcher Collins and his brother drove over to Carrizozo Saturday and returned with Fletcher's mother-in-law, Mrs. Johnson, who is visiting her daughter and Mr. Collins here this week.

Mrs. Cavitt Jackson returned the latter part of last week from El Paso for a visit with home folks. She came with friends to Carlsbad and was met there by her father, the Rev. A. C. Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Chincowith and small son James Earnest of Borger, Texas, stopped off here a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Howard Williams and family, as they returned from a vacation trip to Yellowstone National Park.

Mrs. Preston Dunn and her family are enjoying a visit with relatives who arrived last week, Mrs. S. P. Hall, her son Charlie and his small daughter Darlene, all of Leedy, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Richard Houston and small son Dickie of Woodward, Oklahoma. Mrs. Hall is a sister of Mrs. Dunn and Mrs. Houston a niece. Mrs. Dunn's son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn, drove up to Cloudercroft Thursday with Mrs. Dunn and the visitors. They visited the White Sands, Indian reservation and many places of interest before returning here Saturday. Mrs. Dunn accompanied them through the Carlsbad Caverns Tuesday.

### Presbyterians Win The Championship Game From Brown

The Presbyterian team won the softball league city championship Friday by defeating Brown 6 to 2. This gives the Presbyterians a record of five straight wins and no defeats for the season. Monday the Merchants won second place in the championship fight by defeating the Baptists 6 to 2. The Merchants came thru the season with one defeat at the hands of the Presbyterians earlier in the season. In winning the championship, the Presbyterians were presented with an engraved loving cup by E. T. Jernigan, jeweler, and a \$5.50 meal ticket by the Oasis Cafe. The Ocotillo Theater presented the Merchants complimentary tickets for winning second place.

The lineup in the city championship game Friday was as follows:

Presbyterians—Roberts, lf; Marshall, c; Glasser, 3b; Wheatley, 1b; Linell, cf; Gates, lf; Grayson, rs; Reynolds, rf; Gates, 2b; McCrory, p; Kiddy, rf; Partee, lf.

Brown—Brown, p; Naylor, ss; Cave, c; Price, 3b; Kuykendall, lf; Walker, 1b; Stone, 2b; Fleming, cf; Gilmore, rs; Webb, ss.

New interest was created in softball this year, despite several efforts to organize teams here in former years. In a summary of the season, Alton Partee, director of the summer recreational activities, states six softball teams were organized, fifty and sixty players, participating in the season. The six teams played three days each week and three days each week the younger fellows played from 2:30 to 5:30 p. m. And on two days a week the girls played volleyball and basketball at the Central gym.

The activity committee and Mr. Partee, playground supervisor, appreciate very much the public interest and the support during the season just passed.

For the next few days practice games of softball will be held on the diamond in preparation for the softball tournament in Roswell on August 26th.

Players selected to represent Artesia in the softball tournament at Roswell August 26th include: Brown, Price, Webb, Pashea, McGuire, Grayson, Lewis, Baker, McCutcheon, Rideout, Condiff, Kuykendall, Burch and Walker.

### ALMANAC

LISTEN BO DERE AINT NUTTIN I DONT KNOW!

"He who boasts of his own knowledge proclaims his own ignorance."

AUGUST

- 13—Manila surrenders to U. S. fleet and army, 1898.
- 14—John Galsworthy, English novelist, born 1867.
- 15—Indian massacre at Ft. Dearborn (Chicago), 1812.
- 16—First Siamese twins shown in U. S. at Boston, 1829.
- 17—The Sioux Indians go on the war path, 1862.
- 18—Patent leather invented by Seth Boyden, 1822.
- 19—U. S. S. Constitution captures the Guerriere, 1812.

CASE AGAINST WHITE AND CORN CONTINUED TILL SEPTEMBER 11th

The case against Elza White, Jr., and Corn, which was scheduled for trial in the district court last week was continued until September 11th. This action was made necessary because the defendants had not been arraigned in court at the time the case was scheduled for trial.

The defendants are charged with transporting horses across the state line from New Mexico to Texas in a truck without having first secured a certificate of inspection from a representative of the New Mexico Cattle Sanitary Board.

Considerable interest is attached to the case on account of the prominence of the parties.—Lovington Leader.

### Ocotillo

ALWAYS COOL AND COMFORTABLE

FRI.	BARGAIN NITE 5c & 16c Robt. Young—Madge Evans
AUG. 16	"Calm Yourself" All Comedy
SAT.	TWO BIG PICTURES John Wayne in "DAWN RIDER" —and— Norman Foster "Behind The Evidence"
AUG. 17	
SUN. MON. AUG. 18-19	We positively guarantee this picture to be the greatest musical treat in years. "Naughty Marietta" Jeanette McDonald Nelson Eddy

### Roswell Goodwill Trippers Greeted Here On Saturday

The Roswell goodwill party arrived here shortly after 11 o'clock Saturday morning, after making stops at Dexter, Hagerman and Lake Arthur. The goodwill party headed by the sixty-five piece Roswell high school band, headed south for Carlsbad at 1:30 o'clock where the band paraded with the Legion and Auxiliary parade at the state convention in Carlsbad at 4:00 o'clock.

The Roswell high school band gave a concert and parade here shortly after the arrival of the trippers, while the Roswell merchants visited among the local business men and distributed favors to kiddies on the streets.

The personnel of the party included about fifty business people in addition to the high school band. Party members were:

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gill, Roswell Seed Co.; J. C. Nelson, Spring River Camp; J. A. Strong, Pecos Valley Advertising Co.; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Nelson, Pecos Valley Advertising Co.; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Davis, Roswell Auto Co.; Oscar Greene, Greenhaven Camp; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Markl, Mountain States Telephone Co.; Claude Simpson, Chamber of Commerce; L. O. Fullen, attorney; H. L. Gifford, Oasis Ranch; A. F. Madison, Sunset Creamery; Paul Wilmot, Mabie Lowrey Hardware Co.; Julian Atwood, Pecos Valley Drug Co.; J. H. Geelmuyden, Price & Co.; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McKeg, Roswell Mattress Co.; J. E. Johns, Pecos Valley Coca-Cola Co.; Geo. Carrothers, Roswell High School; Col. D. C. Pearson, New Mexico Military Institute; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bird, Spring & Forging Co.; Pauline Bullard; Mrs. Harry Woodman, New Mexico Service Station; G. H. Sellmeyer, Roswell Production Credit Association; Don Wilkins, Roswell Daily Record; Mrs. V. F. Givan, Roswell Daily Record; George H. Hill, Roswell Morning Dispatch; J. W. Miley, Roswell Tractor & Implement Co.; J. B. Savage, The Praetorians; Mr. and Mrs. Will Purdy, Purdy Furniture Store; Wyatt Johnson, real estate; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Childress, First National Bank; George B. Jewett, Jewett's; J. Q. Cummins, Cummins Garage; Charlie Morrison, Hinkle Motor Co.; Earl Patterson, Wilson & Co.; Mrs. Howard Glover, Glover's Flowers; Ralph H. Brown, University of Minnesota; Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Butler, Court House Garage; Mr. and Mrs. H. D. O. Hammond, Roswell Building & Loan; Mrs. Austin Porter, Old Mission Beauty Shop and School; Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Fowler, Central Drug Store; Mrs. T. D. Haines; Mrs. Sol Tarlow, Realistic Beauty Shop; Mrs. Willie Teague, McNally-Hall Motor Co.; Will C. Lawrence, New York Life Insurance Co.; Mrs. H. D. Burdette.

### Cotton Letter

(Courtesy Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association)

Cotton market declined this past week from 11.38c for October to below 11.00c reaching the lowest level made since the last March decline. A larger than expected report had something to do with the decline but the greatest factor was failure of the secretary of agriculture to make a definite statement regarding the government's loan policy.

It is just another example of the effect of unpredictable government participation in business. Mr. Wallace says he expects to maintain prices. But he doesn't say at what level and of course the market now being above the real value of cotton (based upon the supply and demand for it) it is but a consequence that it will continue its course toward its real value until checked by the pronounced loan value. In the meantime farmers are selling cotton daily at 11c in south Texas, knowing that they are to be taxed 6c later on when exemption certificates are all used, and knowing too that 50% of its value is the legal amount of the tax.

Under these conditions we can see lower prices coming until the market has declined to a point sufficiently low to scare the administration into activity, forcing it to name another loan value above the market to sustain further artificial values. Where is the end of such a policy? And who in the final analysis will pay?

### Penasco Items

Miss Madie Reeves, Reporter

There was a dance at Fred Grifins Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crockett were Roswell business visitors Friday.

Jim Harwell took a truck load of cabbage to Lubbock, Texas, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cox took a truck load of cabbage to Texas Thursday.

Several families of Elk went to Mountain Park to a singing convention Sunday.

H. J. Powell, J. E. Hooten and Miss Rachel Powell were Roswell visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cox spent the day with Mrs. Austin Reeves and Loren Reeves Sunday.

Marvin McGuire who has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Reeves, returned to his home in Artesia.

Mrs. W. S. Hogsett and Mrs. A. B. McGuire of Artesia and Truth Reeves of Elk who have been visiting in the northern part of the state, returned home Saturday.

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### Constipation

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when car repairs can be obtained for so little. We can repair your lights and brakes to meet the state requirements.

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Auto Repairing At Popular Prices

### DOW SEEKS JUDGESHIP

Former Attorney General Robert Dow, and former Lovington attorney, may be the next federal judge in the Virgin Islands, according to word from Washington received in Santa Fe last week.

Dow, who is an attorney in Washington for the NRA and expects to wind up his work in that position in the next few months, has been actively seeking the island judgeship. He has been endorsed by many New Mexico citizens and officials.

Among those reported to have endorsed Dow is A. L. Zinn, supreme court justice, who was reported recently to have been seeking the Virgin Island bench place for himself.

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Artesia Auto Co.  
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### DR. McCOLLUM HERE SUNDAY

Dr. E. V. McCollum, Ph. D., Sc. D., of the school of hygiene and public health of Johns Hopkins University, stopped here Sunday for a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. Hise Myers. Dr. McCollum is a friend of their son, Dr. Robert Page Myers of Baltimore. He was en route to the Carlsbad Caverns while on a vacation trip. He left the train here and was taken on to Carlsbad by Mr. and Mrs. Myers. Dr. McCollum writes for the McCall's Magazine. His articles appear each month.

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# Social Activities

## AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY MEETING

The August meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held at the Legion hut Monday afternoon with a good attendance.

Mrs. Ben Prior, president, presided. Mrs. Charles Dungan was appointed by the president to act as secretary until the fall election of officers, filling the vacancy made by Mrs. Bert Sinclair.

Regular reports of chairmen were heard and followed by reports of the annual state convention held in Carlsbad last week, given by delegates who were Mrs. Ben Prior, J. M. Story, Aleck McGonagill, Francis Painter, Jess Truett and Charles Dungan. Also reports were heard from Mrs. Albert Richards, past department president, and national chairman of the bulletin, Mrs. P. V. Morris, district committeewoman, and Mrs. Frank Linell, state department Fidae chairman.

A nominating committee was appointed by the chair who were requested to submit names at the September meeting to be voted on at the annual election in October. The following were named on this committee: Mmes. Albert Richards, J. M. Story and Dick Vandagriff.

Mrs. P. V. Morris read a letter of thanks and appreciation from Fort Bayard for the local unit's part in financing a party at the fort for the disabled veterans recently.

Mrs. Jess Truett was the winner of the lucky prize.

The September meeting will be an all-day affair, with covered dish luncheon to be held at the home of Mrs. George Dungan.

Mrs. Earl Darst of Belen was a visitor.

The following hostesses, Mmes. Frank Linell, Dick Vandagriff and Walter Douglas, served iced refreshments.

## COOK-BLAKEY

Miss Wanda Cooke, daughter of the late Dr. F. W. Cooke, and granddaughter of Mrs. Margaret Threlkeld, was married in Kansas City, Missouri, last week to Bob Blakey.

Mrs. Blakey, with her grandmother, Mrs. Threlkeld, are spending the summer in Missouri with relatives. She met Mr. Blakey in Kansas City for the ceremony as he was en route to Chicago where he expects to attend the Coyne Electrical School. The bride will join her husband in Chicago within a few weeks.

The bride was born in Artesia and was reared by her grandmother. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blakey. Both bride and groom are well known in this community.

## FAREWELL PARTY FOR GAGE SISTERS

Misses Zanna Filbert, Juanita Richards and Elnora Gage were co-hostesses at an informal farewell party for Misses Anna Louise and Irene Gage at the home of Miss Filbert's parents, Thursday evening. The Misses Gage left with their parents Saturday for Deming to make their future home.

Three quartet tables were set up on the brilliantly lighted lawn for games of hearts and after a delightful evening, ice cream, cake and punch were served to the following guests: Misses Irene and Anna Louise Gage, Dorris Inskip, Messrs. Cyril Stone, John Shearman, Jr., Ormand Loving, Lynn Shelton, Tony King and Osburn Keller.

## MARTIN-RUSSELL NUPTIALS

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of F. Myrick Russell to Mrs. Lillian Martin of Roswell. The wedding occurred at Roswell Saturday at the First Presbyterian church, with the Rev. Leroy Thompson, officiating.

The newlyweds made a short honeymoon trip to Albuquerque and will be at home in Carlsbad shortly after September 1st, where Mr. Russell is directing the Little Theater there.

Mr. Russell has directed several plays here and is well known to many of the local people.

## LITERARY CLUB MEETS

The Fortnightly Literary club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Martin Friday with all members present except one. Mrs. W. Leslie Martin had the program for the evening and discussed in an able manner the subject of "Tolerance and Intolerance," showing how these two factors had affected our civilization down through the ages. Refreshments of sherbet and cantaloupe were served at the close of the program. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Leslie Martin.

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### THURSDAY (TODAY)

The C. H. B. class of the Presbyterian Sunday school will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Linell, picnic supper at 6:00 p. m.

### TUESDAY

First Afternoon Bridge club, postponed.

### MRS. SEALE ENTERTAINS THE FORTNIGHTLY CLUB

Mrs. Frank Seale entertained her club, the Fortnightly Bridge, at her home Tuesday.

The hostess served a delicious one o'clock luncheon in two courses. Five rounds of contract followed with high score going to Mrs. John Lanning.

Guests were: Mmes. Albert Richards, Glenn Booker, B. D. Clarke, I. L. Spratt, William Linell, Charlie Martin, John Lanning, C. R. Blocker, Lewis Story, Henry Caudie, J. R. Attebery and Mrs. E. F. Eissler of Beeville, Texas.

### ABNORMIS SAPIENS BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Jeff Hightower was hostess Wednesday afternoon to members of the Abnormis Sapiens Bridge club and substituting guests.

At the conclusion of the rounds of contract Mrs. S. E. Ferree held high score. Substituting guests were Mrs. Elza Swift, Mrs. Wallace Anderson and Miss Esther Morgan.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of the afternoon.

### H 2 O BRIDGE CLUB WITH MRS. HIGHTOWER

Members of the H 2 O Bridge club and substituting guests enjoyed their regular session of contract Friday afternoon with Mrs. Jeff Hightower at her home.

The hostess held high score at the conclusion of the games. She served light refreshments to members and substitutes, Mrs. S. E. Ferree, Miss Esther Morgan and Miss Marion Coll.

### TURNER-COPPEDGE WEDDING ANNOUNCED

The marriage of Miss Mildred Turner to Harold A. Coppedge of Roswell was announced here Saturday, following the marriage of the young couple at Roswell Friday. Mr. Coppedge, who is project engineer for the WPA is known to many people here.

## TYPEWRITERS

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## OUR CHILD AND THE SCHOOL

By Dr. ALLEN G. IERLAND  
Director, Physical and Health Education  
New Jersey State Department of Public Instruction

### Touring

The summer auto trip with children along takes a little planning. Wherever you go, conditions are not exactly the same as at home.

Some families carry water from home in glass bottles. Others boil water and some use the chlorine treatment, which your physician or druggist will explain. Pasteurized milk is your one safeguard when traveling.

Always wash thoroughly all fruit and vegetables purchased along the route. Do this even when you buy direct from the farmer. Just remember he may have used poisonous sprays to kill insects.

Take along a supply of paper cups. The glasses at roadside stands are not always as clean as yours at home.

It is wise to consult your family physician about first aid needs and laxatives. A little kit is often a blessing when least expected. Be sure to put in the soothing lotions you use for poison ivy and the cold cream for sunburn.

A word about eating. The danger is in eating too much and at irregular times. Avoid particularly the temptation to drink sodas and bottled drinks. And conquer the desire to overload the stomach with ice water. No vacation can be had while riding on a sea-sick stomach.

## GOLDEN PHANTOMS

Fascinating Tales of Lost Mines  
by Edith L. Watson  
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### DUTCH-IRISH MYSTERY

FORT COLLINS, COLO., was really a hot in early days, and the soldiers of that era were much like those of today—intensely interested in the curious happenings that came to their attention.

So when an Irishman and a Dutchman came to Fort Collins with a load of gold and proceeded to go on a lively spree, the soldiers noticed it, and when this was repeated several times they began to wish that they knew the source of all this wealth. They even went so far as to hire an Indian to follow the pair on their next trip out.

One day the partners set out up the Cache-la-Poudre, and their red shadow lurked behind just out of sight. The Indian had made one mistake—he had not figured on a long journey, hence had not taken much in the way of provisions with him. After three days, the smell from his quarry's campfire grew to be entirely too tantalizing; the Indian took time out to hunt a deer and prepare a square meal for himself, and while he was following this new trail a deep snow fell, blotting out all signs of the two miners.

On a later visit to Fort Collins, the odd pair invested in a burro to carry their packs, and a little later they disposed of the small beast and bought an ox. Apparently, business was good. Then, one day, they came in on foot, tired and disgusted, and said that a bear had killed the ox.

It was during this visit that the Irish and Dutch temperaments began to pall on each other. They fought and the Dutchman went down, and died as a result of his wounds.

Now was a splendid chance for the soldiers to satisfy their curiosity, and they grasped it eagerly. The Irishman was a murderer, and must be punished—unless he might be persuaded to tell the secret source of the gold. With a rope around his neck, he was harangued by the men in uniform.

"Perhaps the prisoner felt that he could out-bluff his captors. No, he shouted, he would tell nothing! He would die rather than let them know the source of his gold!

"Let's hang him a little, boys—give him the feel of the rope. Maybe that will loosen his tongue," was the suggestion, and the unfortunate Irishman was hoisted into the air. "Now let him down," and the rope was slackened. But the experiment failed; excitement, fear, and rough handling had proved too much, and the Irishman was dead.

Billy Melms left Nebraska in 1880 and went to Fort Collins to haul lumber for a sawmill on the Cache la Poudre. He often stopped at a mining camp, halfway on his route, called Manhattan. One Saturday night he heard that some tourists were anxious about their son, who had ridden away on his pony and had not come back. Melms joined in an unsuccessful search, but the lad showed up next day, and he had a strange story to tell.

He had become confused the afternoon before, he said, and when his pony started to follow an old trail near nightfall, he was glad enough to give the animal its head. The trail led to a deserted cabin, where the bones of an ox lay before the door, and some specimens of ore sat on a shelf inside.

Melms was interested. This must be the lost mine that the Irishman and the Dutchman had worked. He found an old prospector, a half-crazy soul whose mind had gone wandering out into the mountains, and the two set out to find the cabin, guided by the boy's story.

Sure enough, the cabin was there as he had said, and a dim trail—evidently the trail to the mine—led back up the canyon. The old prospector lost all sanity at the sight. He rushed up the path, and Melms hurried after, in time to see him dash into a tunnel and almost immediately dash out again, followed by a bear! The crazy prospector was wild with rage. In his fury, he leaped at Melms, and it was all the younger man could do to protect himself and get the old fellow back to camp. After that Melms made no more trips in search of treasure.

Previous to this time there had been a large number of murders on the old Overland trail. Men returning from California, bringing sacks of gold "to show the folks back East," had been waylaid and killed, and their valuables taken. The criminals had never been caught.

But, with the death of the quarrelsome partners, the depredations ceased. Some one who had a mind for adding two and two, began to investigate, and this is what he learned:

There never was a mine. The boy and his pony, and Billy Melms and his crazy prospector, either told fables or were part of the legend themselves. For the source of the Dutch-Irish gold was in no Colorado ore but in the pockets of the murdered travelers.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved.—The Advocate.

## "THAT LITTLE GAME" Inter-national Cartoon Co., N.Y.—By B. Link



## Cottonwood Items

Mrs. Roy Vermillion and children of Raton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Funk this week.

Oliver Rawls of Fort Bliss, Texas, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Monroe Howard and family.

The Glenn O'Bannon home is being remodeled and made into a modern seven room residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henderson of Hope have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard this week.

Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mary Frances and Miss Helen Parker were Roswell visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. M. B. Culpepper and daughter

of Carlsbad and Miss Frankie Wailles of Dayton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reed and family Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Burgess and family accompanied by Truman Howard left this week for an extended visit to Duncan, Oklahoma, and points in Arkansas.

A ten-day revival meeting was started at the Cottonwood church Sunday. A Bible class is conducted each afternoon from 3:30 to 4:30 o'clock and a singing class from 4:30 to 5:30 o'clock and preaching services each night. The services are in charge of a brother of the Rev. Butler.

## TYPEWRITERS

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

## A. B. C. SEWING CLUB (Contributed)

The A. B. C. club met with Mrs. Arthur Rowland Thursday. All members were present except Mrs. Hughes and Mrs. Cave. The afternoon was enjoyed by everyone.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Bailey.

## MISS DOSS TO RUSSIA

Miss Mildred Doss, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Doss of Artesia, is sailing tonight for Russia. She will board the steamer at New York and go by way of London, England. She is with the biological research work of the Bureau of Animal Industry and expects to be gone about ten weeks. Her work will take her to the principal parts of Russia.

## NOTICE OF CALLING BONDS

Notice is hereby given that bonds number 9 and 10, Eddy County Rural School District 27, in the principal amount of \$500.00 each, dated June 1, 1926, are hereby called for redemption and payment on the first day of December, 1935. And said bonds will cease to draw interest on that date.

Said bonds were originally issued to Benwell & Company, of Denver, Colorado, and the present holders thereof are requested to present same to the First National Bank, of Artesia, New Mexico, or to the undersigned County Treasurer, on or before said date for payment.

JOE JOHNS,  
County Treasurer, Eddy County,  
New Mexico. 33-2t

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We want you to see especially our complete display of new fall dresses just received in sizes 12 to 46, in Black, Brown, Green, Wine and Plum colors.

Every dress on our racks is outstanding for individual style, quality merchandise and fine tailoring. These dresses were individually selected from the style centers of Los Angeles and eastern markets.

In inspecting the new dress wear we want you to note the new sleeve effect of each garment, These dresses are styled from cellophane crepe, blister crepe and novelty rough crepes. A wide choice of styles, colors and fabrics for your choosing.

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### FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Two residences in good repair and in good location. Can be bought for small down payment, balance monthly installments. J. S. Ward. 22-tfc

FOR SALE: Methodist church parsonage property consisting of three lots, residence and double garage. Located corner Fifth and Richardson. See Dr. Stroup. 15-tfc

FOR SALE: Three-room cabin located in Artesia Sacramento camp. Cabin has new metal roof and is partly furnished. Apply to this office. 31-tf

FOR SALE: Our property on North Roselawn, consisting of five-room house and four acres. Also 20 acres irrigated land. See J. W. Stone. 31-3tp

FOR SALE: At sacrifice price, on terms, 7 1/2% royalty (preferred) on government oil and gas permit located in Eddy county, serial No. 029137, Las Cruces office. Address Lottie Reiff, Detroit Lakes, Minnesota. 33-1tp

### FOR RENT

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### MISCELLANEOUS

CLASSES in dramatic art including all phases of public speaking and children's theater work. Starting September 2nd. Best conservatory methods. Phone 110—Annie Laurie Buie. 33-1tp

I have taken over the Meat Market at the Beatie Grocery on Roselawn and solicit the trade of the public. W. T. Gissler. 33-2tp

### ADMINISTRATION ASSAILED

SANTA FE—The democratic administration was assailed at a republican meeting at Santa Fe last night for what its critics described as "unkept promises," the greatest peace-time spending of any administration and the "desertion of the real democratic statesmen for 'pink tea theorists' possessing no practical experience in government."

The young republicans of Santa Fe county, at a banquet which marked the reunion of the state's old guard and progressive elements for the first time in five years, as well as the first event in anticipation of the 1936 campaign, were addressed by former Judge E. R. Wright, M. F. Miera, unsuccessful candidate for United States representative in 1934, former Judge Reed Holloman and M. W. Hamilton of Santa Fe.

### MORE SALES TAX TOKENS ORDERED BY NEW MEXICO

SANTA FE—With a new order of 200,000 sales tax tokens to be purchased, Ben D. Luchini, director of the sales tax division, announced Wednesday that the total in the state soon will exceed 1,000,000, valued at approximately \$1,000.

## MUTT AND JEFF—Bill Fields Has Nothing On Jeff As A Juggler



By BUD FISHER

## WHEN TO PLANT FALL VEGETABLES

Some of our readers may be interested in planting fall gardens. A. B. Fite, meeting with the Atoka Woman's club last week, gave an outline of planting time for many vegetables. Planting time for these vegetables is shown as follows: Carrots, August 1 to August 15; beets, August 10 to August 20; Onion seed, August 1 to August 10; head lettuce, August 25 to September 1; spinach, October 1 to November 15; turnips, September 1 to September 20; radishes, most any time.

He also stated that such crops as turnips if planted too early will get woody and will be of poor eating quality. For most all of these plants the seeds are planted approximately one-half inch deep, with the exception of carrots, and they should be barely covered. He particularly stressed the use of New York Special No. 12 head lettuce, as this is about the only variety that will head. This lettuce may be planted the first of December for spring lettuce that would come up along in May.

## Potash Output Is Less for 1934

Potash production in the United States during 1934 amounted to 275,732 short tons of potassium salts equivalent to 114,342 tons of potash, a decrease of 17 percent in gross weight but an increase of .7 percent in k20 content, compared with the 1933 production when 333,110 tons gross weight and 143,378 tons of k20 were produced, according to figures recently released by the department of interior.

During 1934, 224,875 tons of potash salts with a k20 content of 114,122 tons, which was 18 and 21 percent respectively less than the production, were sold. The sales were 31 percent for salts and 18 percent for k20 content less than in 1933 when 325,481 tons of potash salts with a k20 content of 139,067 were sold.

The value at the plant of potash sold was \$2,813,218, a decrease of 47 percent below the price at the plant of potash sold in 1933 which was \$5,296,793. The average value per ton was but \$12.51 in 1934 as compared with \$16.27 in 1933. The per unit value consisting of 20 pounds of k20 was 25 cents in 1934 and 38 cents in 1933.

About 96,000 tons with a potash content of 50,000 tons remained in producer's stock at the close of the year.

The average k20 content of the 1934 production was higher than in 1933, being 50.7 percent as compared with 42.7 percent.

Chief sources of potash in this country were the natural brines at Trona, California, and from potash minerals mined in Eddy county. During 1934, 486,167 short tons of potash salts were imported with an estimated k20 equivalent of 178,533 short tons. This was an increase of one percent in gross weight over the 1933 importation which was 479,429 short tons.

Eighty-eight percent of gross imports were used in fertilizers and this product, 428,156 short tons with a potash equivalent to 154,736 tons of k20 content and valued at \$7,769,286, was an increase of .6 percent in gross weight and a decrease of 7 percent in value from 1933 figures when 425,571 tons of potash salts, an equivalent of 148,090 in k20 content and a value of \$8,351,428 was used.

During the year, 58,011 tons were imported for chemical uses, valued at \$3,847,632, an increase of 8 percent in gross weight and 4.5 percent in value over the 1933 figures when 53,858 tons were imported at a value of \$3,465,030.

Exports amounted to 2,121 of potash salts valued at \$466,929; 27,988 tons of potash fertilizers valued at \$918,169. This was an increase of 66 percent in quantity and 55 percent in value over 1933 exports.

Japan, South America, Canada, Central America, the West Indies and the Philippines were nations receiving American potash.

### SEA FOOD MARKET OPEN

Mrs. Bert Shipp has opened a sea food market in the Club Cafe building, corner First and Main and has a nice selection of seasonal sea foods. See her announcement in this issue.

## AMAZE A MINUTE

SCIENTIFACTS BY ARNOLD



## Fall Ranch At Three Rivers Is Reported To Be Sold Yesterday

LOS ANGELES, California—The historic Albert B. Fall ranch at Three Rivers, New Mexico, where the Fall family have resided as "tenants at will" since foreclosure by the Pacific Securities Company, either has been sold or is on the auction block.

R. M. Sands, general manager of the company, yesterday denied that the sale had taken place or that the Fall family had been ordered to move off, as reported by the El Paso, Texas, Times.

Sands freely admitted, however, that a deal was pending. "If Mr. Fall has been asked to vacate the ranch, where he and his family have been tenants at will, I am unaware of it," Sands said. "In case the ranch is sold he naturally would expect the new owners to take possession."

The Times, at El Paso, said that the E. L. Doheny interests operating the ranch had sold it to the Palomas Land and Cattle Company and that members of the Fall family had been notified to vacate the property by August 15.

Miss Bertha Eaton and Mrs. Lois Landrum and daughter Alene, all of San Angelo, Texas, drove over Tuesday bringing home John Paul and Reece Edward Otts, who had made a fortnight's visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eaton. Miss Eaton and Mrs. Landrum will spend a few days visiting their sister, Mrs. Paul Otts and Mr. Otts and family.

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## Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johns were in from the potash field the first of the week for a visit at the Joe Richards home.

Supt. and Mrs. W. E. Kerr and daughter Marjorie returned Tuesday from Kansas City, Missouri, where they made a visit with their parents.

John Infield, former resident of Artesia and well-known to many early-day residents, was here the first of the week renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. S. S. Ward, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Jack, left Saturday for Denver, Colorado, where Miss Ward entered a hospital for medical attention.

Mrs. P. G. Klopenstein and her daughter Miss Velma arrived the first of the week from Wilmington, California. They are at their home on Grand street.

Mrs. Boone Barnett and her two children who have been visiting relatives in Oklahoma for several weeks, returned to their home here the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Simmons and daughters, Misses Beverly and Olive, of Mt. Vernon, Missouri, and Mrs. A. W. Gilmore of Kansas City, who have been visiting at the home of T. J. Stagner, departed Wednesday for their respective homes. En route they will visit various points of interest in the northern part of the state. Mr. Simmons is a brother of Mrs. Stagner.

## Alamogordo Dam Is To Be Built

The Texas-New Mexico controversy over the Alamogordo dam and the allocation of waters of the Pecos river is expected to work out so that the present water distribution will be retained and the dam will be built, according to Attorney General Frank Patton, who attended the conference in Washington and returned to Santa Fe the first of the week.

The attorney general said that Texas had tentatively agreed to withdraw its protest against the building of the \$1,500,000 Alamogordo dam near Fort Sumner, in view of New Mexico's agreement to allow the same amount of water to continue to flow into Texas for the Red Bluff irrigation district.

James Hervey, Roswell attorney, counsel for the Carlsbad irrigation district, remained in Washington to complete the details, Patton said.

"Secretary of the Interior Ickes took the position," said Patton, "that the whole matter was one of facts-finding and referred it to Dr. Elwood Mead, commissioner of reclamation. We conferred with Dr. Mead several times and I believe reached a definite agreement."

"The Alamogordo dam will not retain any more water than the McMillan and Avalon dams were intended to impound. Both of those dams are affected by gypsum conditions and McMillan is impounding only about 20 per cent of the amount it was believed it would hold."

"The Alamogordo dam will be

built out of the gypsum district and will hold the required amount of water. Building of that dam will not increase the present irrigated acreage but will insure it water."

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NOTICE

IN THE PROBATE COURT, COUNTY OF EDDY, NEW MEXICO. No. 732.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM BARNETT LUCAS, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 21st day of June, 1935, appointed administratrix of the estate of William Barnett Lucas, deceased, by the above court.

Therefore all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, within one year from date of said appointment or the same will be barred. MYRTLE E. RANDOLPH, Administratrix.

NOTICE OF SUIT

Notice is hereby given that the City of Artesia, as plaintiff, has commenced suit against I. C. Keller, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: W. E. Ragsdale, M. G. Schulze, L. R. Simon, Ben L. Dunn, W. H. Stiewig, Lee Burns and J. O. Wood, in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, being No. 6024; that the general object of said suit is to annex to said City of Artesia property outside its limits and abutting Main Street and 10th street of said city, being Keller & Ragsdale Sub-Division, laid out in lots, and containing less than four acres; that S. E. Ferree is plaintiff's attorney and his office address is Artesia, New Mexico; that said defendants and all unknown claimants of interest in said property are hereby notified that unless they enter their appearance in said cause on or before October 7, 1935, judgment will be rendered in said cause against them and each of them by default.

R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk. (SEAL) 33-4t

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

BE IT REMEMBERED, That the Board of County Commissioners of Eddy County, New Mexico, met in special session Friday, July 26, 1935.

Present and presiding: G. R. Brainard, Chairman Joe Lusk, Commissioner, District No. 1

L. B. James, Commissioner, District No. 3 R. A. Wilcox, Clerk Dwight Lee, Sheriff.

Application for Beer and Wine License was presented to the Board by J. A. Moritsky.

Motion was made and seconded that this application be approved, subject to his securing State Permit.

The following liquor Bonds were approved by the Board:

J. A. Moritsky C. L. White.

The following projects, to be sponsored by the Board of County Commissioners, were approved:

Loving Project County Road Otis Project County Road Malaga Project County Road Potosi of America Project Artesia Project—Southeast—County Road National Guard Stables Project Cemetery Project—Road Rocky Arroyo Project—County Road.

There being no further business, the board adjourned, subject to call.

G. R. BRAINARD, Chairman.

ATTEST: R. A. WILCOX, Clerk.

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT THE Board of County Commissioners, of Eddy County, N. M., met in Regular session August 5th, 1935.

Present and presiding: G. R. Brainard, Chairman Joe Lusk, Commissioner, District No. 1

L. B. James, Commissioner, District No. 3 R. A. Wilcox, Clerk Dwight Lee, Sheriff.

The clerk was instructed to issue warrants Nos. 18078 to 18158. There being no further business, the Board adjourned, subject to call.

G. R. BRAINARD, Chairman.

ATTEST: R. A. WILCOX, Clerk.

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT THE Board of County Commissioners of Eddy County, N. M., met in Special Session August 12, 1935, at 9 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment previously had.

Present and presiding: G. R. Brainard, Chairman Joe Lusk, Commissioner, District No. 1

L. B. James, Commissioner, District No. 3 R. A. Wilcox, Clerk.

The following committee was appointed to view the old Highway 62, with request to report as to the advisability of closing it: C. A. Pearce Tom Wood W. R. Fenton.

No action was taken on the petitions of the Bond issue, for the building of the Court House.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned subject to call.

G. R. BRAINARD, Chairman.

ATTEST: R. A. WILCOX, Clerk. 33-1t

TYPEWRITERS

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Outlook For Beef Cattle

Total cattle numbers in the United States in July of this year are considerably smaller than a year earlier and federally inspected slaughter of cattle and calves during the last half of 1935 is expected to be somewhat smaller than the relatively large slaughter for commercial purposes in the last half of 1934. The reduction in slaughter supplies from those of a year earlier probably will be most marked in the number of calves and in the better grades of steers slaughtered. With prospective feed grain production this year much larger than last, the number of cattle feed in the corn belt next fall and winter is likely to be larger than a year earlier. During the first half of 1936 marketings of grain-fed cattle are expected to be larger than in the corresponding period of 1935, but total slaughter of cattle and calves probably will be less.

Consumer demand for beef and veal in 1935 has been considerably stronger than last year and much stronger than the comparatively weak demand in 1932 and 1933, and there are indications that some further improvement in demand may occur during the remainder of the year. Prospects for larger supplies of feed this year than last in relation to the number of cattle and hogs available for feeding, and the favorable returns on cattle fed last winter and spring, are expected to result in a much stronger demand for feeder cattle this fall than in the fall of 1934.

In line with current prices of slaughter cattle, the prices of stocker and feeder cattle this fall probably will average much higher than for any year since 1930. The combined cost of feeder cattle and of finishing them for market next winter and spring is likely to be the highest since the winter of 1930-31.

In view of the probable increase in the marketings of grain-fed cattle in the first half of 1936, prices of the better grades of slaughter cattle in that period are likely to average lower than in the corresponding period of this year, and the seasonal price movements on such grades will be more nearly normal than they were this year.

Although the number of cattle on farm and ranches at the beginning of 1936 may be little different from the number at the beginning of this year, it is probable that the trend in cattle numbers will be upward in the next few years. Most of the increase in numbers will be in the states west of the Mississippi river where the number was sharply reduced in 1934 as a result of the severe drought and the government cattle buying program.

The number of cattle on farms January 1, 1935, was 60,667,000 head, according to the estimate of the United States Department of Agriculture. This was 7,623,000 head, or 11.2 percent, less than the number January 1, 1934, but was about 3,000,000 head more than on January 1, 1928, the last low point of the cattle number cycle. Compared with 1928, however, all of the increase was in the number of cattle kept principally for milk—cows, heifers and heifer calves—and there was a small decrease in the number of cattle, mostly cattle kept principally for beef.

TATUM BOY DROWNED LAST WEEK

Little Albert Lerone Shultz, 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shultz of Tatum, was drowned in a surface tank last week.

The little fellow had been playing alone in the yard and had been seen only a short time before. When his mother looked for him he had disappeared and after a search his lifeless body was found in the tank.

Frantic efforts were made by his parents and neighbors for his restoration and all approved life-saving expedients were used to revive him until late in the afternoon, but to no avail. Life had already departed from his little body.—Lovington Leader.

N. M. PRACTICALLY FREE OF BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS

The agricultural department recently announced that Colorado and New Mexico have been officially designated as modified accredited areas, which means "practically free" from bovine tuberculosis. The department said the work in both states was completed earlier than had been expected and very little infection had been found in either state. There are now twenty-four states in the tuberculosis-free area.

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THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN

By GENE BYRNES



Health Column

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

Beloved Parasites

However beloved, every human baby is a parasite. For nine months it is a parasite of necessity. For several more months it remains, as a rule, a parasite by permission.

Various schemes have been tried for keeping the baby small or for keeping the bones of its head soft so that childbirth may be made more easy. These schemes do not work well. As a parasite the baby is a great success. The mother may starve herself of calcium but the baby will still take calcium from her blood and her blood will yield up calcium to the baby for its bones even though the mother's own skeleton must be raided. It is still said among the people that a mother must give a tooth for every child she bears.

A better plan is for the mother to eat enough of the essential minerals and vitamins so that there will be enough for both. That is one reason that she should be constantly under a doctor's care and having his advice while the parasite is growing.

It is easy to poison these parasites, if you do not mind poisoning the mother too. Poisons that are fatal to one are quite likely to be fatal to both. Syphilis is a living poison. Eight per cent of our New Mexico mothers have it. If the mother has syphilis, the little parasite will be infected with syphilis. That is why the mother's blood should be tested every time early in pregnancy. And for this too a doctor should be consulted.

Many New Mexico mothers find it difficult to pay a doctor's fees. To help them in some parts of the state—in Silver City, for example—doctors have arranged a prenatal clinic where they take turns of service for the care of poor mothers. Our district health officers would like to arrange for prenatal clinics to be made available to all mothers in the state.

VALUATIONS OF CORPORATIONS DROP

SANTA FE—A decrease of slightly more than \$2,500,000 was recorded in the state's 1935 corporate valuation, \$129,111,797 from that of 1934, \$131,638,967, Chairman Byron O. Beall of the state tax commission, said Friday. Principal factor in the slump, Beall explained, was the \$2,000,000 reduction in valuation granted the Chino Copper company plant at Hurley. Certified corporate valuations were mailed Friday by the commission to all county inclusion in county tax rolls.

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Many Will Attend Home-Farm Week

Many different groups and organizations interested in agriculture and home economics will meet at the New Mexico State College during Farm and Home Week, August 19-24. The annual conference of high school agricultural teachers and the conference of vocational home economics teachers will be conducted during Farm and Home Week. The Rural Rehabilitation Service of the state will have a conference, which will include between 50 and 60 men and women agents.

County extension agents from all parts of the state will attend this conference with farm people and 4-H club members from their counties. The state 4-H club encampment will be held during the Farm and Home Week and the New Mexico Crop Improvement Association will also hold an important meeting.

In addition to these groups meetings of vegetable growers, poultrymen, dairymen and livestock men will be conducted during the week. The program will include a general session in which speakers of state-wide and nation-wide importance will speak. Classes will be conducted in all lines of agricultural subjects for farmers and farm women and rural young people. Tours will be conducted to the many points of interest about the college campus and the agricultural experiment farms.

Special Spanish sessions will be conducted for the benefit of Spanish-speaking people; farm men and women are being invited to spend the week at New Mexico State College and enjoy a week of valuable information, rest and recreation and visiting with farm people from other parts of the state. Those planning to attend Farm and Home Week should notify their county agent or write directly to the Extension Service, State College, New Mexico, making reservation in the college dormitories, in advance, to be sure of having accommodations.

The purchase of a meal ticket entitled one to lodging at the dormitories, access to the swimming pool and various other activities. Only beds and mattresses are furnished so each person must bring all other bedding desired.

LA LUZ BRIDGE WASHED OUT

According to information Monday a ten-foot wall of water, flowing down a tributary wash into the La Luz canyon at the La Luz Clay Products plant six miles east of La Luz, washed out a large timber bridge spanning the draw.

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A Prairie Chicken Season Not Likely

Eastern New Mexico, only area of the state which has prairie chicken shooting, will probably have no open season this year, according to J. Stokely Ligon, consulting game specialist of the state department of game and fish, who was here Sunday night and Monday morning with M. Stevenson, deputy game warden.

Mr. Ligon and Mr. Stevenson had made a study of conditions of these birds throughout the occupied area and after talking with a great many ranchers and farmers, as well as local sportsmen, stated they would recommend to the commission at its meeting on August 10, that no open season be permitted this year.

The past three years of drought have been very severe on the popular prairie chicken, and last spring appeared so antagonistic to their propagation that none were planted following a heavy killing last fall.

Overgrazing resulted throughout the range, along with scarcity of feed crops. Shelter became scarce and especially the hens, which depend not so much on their speed as the cocks, have been lost to falcon hawks which are common.

The present season suddenly turned very favorable for the birds and it is believed that with this and next year's breeding seasons to go on, a plentiful supply will provide excellent shooting next fall.—Clovis Times.

FINE HOME-GROWN PEACHES

One of the finest specimens of peaches seen here were home-grown on the Monroe Howard farm in the Lake Arthur community. Mr. Howard brought two peaches into The Advocate office Saturday to show what really can be grown here in the way of fine fruit.

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By Ad Carter



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The independence of Mexico will be celebrated again this year by the Mexican people of this community. The Mexican people gathered in the building of the C. M. "Sangre Azteca" society, the 14th of July and elected a directors committee, which will be in charge of preparing an extensive program, in which to give homage to the memories of the heroes of Mexico of September the 16th, 1810. The coming program demonstrating that even though being born here in this great country of North America, they do not deny the origin of their race. The committee consists of the following officers: Candelario Villa, president; Brigidio Oropeza, vice-president; Bruno Balderas, secretary; Ricardo Herrera, treasurer. The patriotic committee cordially invites the American people of this community to participate in this celebration, the 15th and 16th of September of this year. Programs will be extended to the public in the future.

Lake Arthur Items

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter Mr. and Mrs. Joe Funk of Artesia made a short visit at the D. Ohlenbusch home Tuesday morning. Miss Betty Jo Stevenson of Central, New Mexico, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting with Miss Loraine Gibson. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lampton of San Antonio, Texas, made several short visits in Lake Arthur Tuesday. Mr. Lampton was a former Lake Arthur boy. The Misses June Moots and Neomi Hedges returned home Monday after spending a week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Alexander, east of Artesia. Dr. O. E. Puckett, district health director, and Mrs. Schaubel, county nurse, spent Monday afternoon giving the typhoid serum. The serum was given to about eighty-one.

Oilfield Items

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dungan spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Francis Painter. Joe and Edwin McGonnagill spent last week visiting their grandmother in Dexter. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy and family spent the week-end in the Sacramento mountains. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pepper spent the week-end in Hobbs as guests of Fred Provance and family. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Corbin and daughter Mary and Miss Inez Blakney spent Sunday evening in Carlsbad. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Shildneck spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sinclair who were leaving for California. The Oilers met the Barbers in an interesting game of softball at the Artesia diamond Tuesday evening. The Oilers lost 11 to 3. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dungan and Mr. and Mrs. Alex McGonnagill spent the week-end in Carlsbad attending the Legion and Auxiliary convention.

COMMISSION WILL NOT ENFORCE U. S. DOVE SEASON DATES IN N. M.

RESTORES SPANISH WAR PAY WASHINGTON—Asserting that his action established no precedent for World War pensions, President Roosevelt Tuesday signed the Spanish-American war veterans bill. The bill restores all pensions to the dependents and the veterans of the Spanish-American war, Boxer rebellion and Philippine Insurrection at a cost estimated by the veterans administration as \$45,581,000 a year. It will return approximately 50,000 persons to the rolls. Widows will gain by about \$6,000,000. The state of New Mexico, the state game and fish commission decided at Santa Fe, will make no effort to enforce new federal regulations governing dove season dates. The commission decided the state dates for dove shooting will not be changed, from September 1st to December 15th. The duck and goose dates were fixed to conform, however, with the federal season. A doe season in the Magdalena mountains was fixed for November 20 to 24 inclusive with 125 permits at \$2 each. New game refuges are at Patos in Lincoln Forest, East Elk Mountain near Beaverhead and the Tom Summers west of Quemado. There will be a short open season on pheasants October 20 and 21 in Chaves, Eddy, Bernalillo, Valencia, Socorro, Sierra and Dona Ana counties, with the bag limit three cocks for the season. The commission opposed purchase now of Bassett Lake in Luna county and decided against an open season on prairie chicken this year due to last year's drought. Lake Van, near Roswell, was closed until October 15 on reports big bass were not striking but smaller fish were being caught.

New Game Refuges Are Created; Short Season On Pheasants Here.

BOY SCOUT JAMBOREE HAS BEEN CANCELLED It was announced at Washington Friday that the Boy Scout Jamboree had been cancelled and Boy Scout officials sought to turn back thousands of Boy Scouts already en route to Washington. The truth of that you will have to discover for yourself by analysis. I can't do it in the space at my disposal. Nor can you prove it, if you're an adult, playing the game. Adults play for fun. They re-create. Boys work at it. To them baseball is serious. There's all the difference in the world. Look into the face and the eyes of a boy standing at home plate when the bases are filled and a hit means winning the game. Try to imagine what's going on inside. What a situation! Pitcher against batter. Skill against skill. Wits against wits. No fooling there. But a real case of "delivering the goods." He's got to "come through." It's no time to say "Gee, fellers, I gotta go home, my mother wants me." No quitting under fire. No alibis. No faltering. Just nerve, concentration, giving every bit of one's self. Such are the times when character is born and tried. If he tries, that is all the boys ask. He may not hit the ball, but if he did his best, he passed the test. He's got the "stuff." He's good material for shaping into a man.

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Back in the days when there was less haste, A checkered suit, a diamond of paste, A gay cravat and a limber cane, Such were the marks of a male who was vain. But now he "struts" in a car with flash He's always out for a crazy dash. His brakes may be worn and out of line But both of his horns are always fine. He drives like a demon, even though He hasn't a single place to go. He cuts around when chances are slim— Danger to others means naught to him. He thinks that a "Stop" sign just means "Slow." And jumps the lights before they say, "Go." He shows no quarter to those who walk And thinks that their rights are so much talk. Many automobile accidents are simply the outcome of showing-off



Outlook For World Peace Discussed At Rotary By Dr. Crile

Dr. A. D. Crile of Roswell was the principal speaker at the luncheon program of the Artesia Rotary club Tuesday, speaking on the subject of "Outlook For World Peace." In discussing the subject, Dr. Crile said: "This subject is a thing none of us know anything about, because we can't tell what is likely to happen." He said if the world would follow the teachings of Jesus Christ there would be no war. This would be the idealist side, while the realistic side presents a different picture for war in Europe is very likely just as soon as the nations get money enough to fight with. In talking of the Italian-Ethiopian conflict he said all Italy wanted was some of the natural resources of Ethiopia and if they got these there would be no war, at least not a long drawn out conflict. He further stated that all wars were based on the old theory of "get and beget" and asked the club members and visitors present to think through the significance of this statement and think back on past wars to determine if all wars were not based on this theory. Visitors present at the luncheon in addition to Dr. Crile were W. J. McGinnis of Roswell and C. Grandi of Carlsbad.

LONG MAY RUN FOR PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON—Senator Huey Long of Louisiana has told colleagues in the senate that he has decided definitely to run for the nomination for president of the United States on the democratic ticket in 1936. If President Roosevelt is renominated he would run as an independent unless the republicans put up a candidate he could support. Plans were reported to the Associated Press by several senators with whom Long talked. Senator Long, however, refused to discuss the rumors, saying he had no comment.

JOB PRINTING AT THE ADVOCATE

HUDSON'S TWENTY-SIXTH "BIRTHDAY" CAR



On July 9, 1909, the first Hudson car came off the production line at the then recently organized Hudson Motor Car Company's little plant in Detroit. It received its final inspection and was turned over to the sales department, then headed by Roy D. Chapin, now president of the Hudson Company. On July 9, 1935, exactly twenty-six years later, Hudson-built car Number 2,262,810 rolled off the production line at the huge, modern Hudson plant covering 77 acres. To mark the completion of the anniversary car, I. B. Swegles, vice-president in charge of manufacturing, personally supervised the final inspection and turned the car over to W. R. Tracy, vice-president in charge of sales. The Hudson advertising department prizes a copy of the first advertisement, now framed in the office of W. A. James, advertising manager, which describes the original Hudson, a roadster model. This car, the Hudson Twenty, had a 4-cylinder engine and a wheelbase of 100 inches. Tires were 32 by 3 inches. The list price was \$900, including "2 large headlamps, generator, 2 side oil lamps, tail lamps, full set of tools and horn."

COMBINE STATE FORCES IN TEXAS

AUSTIN, Texas—A modern state police department combining the famed Texas Rangers with the mobile highway patrol came into active being Saturday. The two organizations were welded by legislative act. The thirty-six rangers will act as the detective department, the highway group of 140 will cruise the state at large. Personnel of the two bodies went into the new force unchanged but all are on probation pending rigid civil service examination. Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate

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27 Rural School WPA Projects OK

The following rural schools will be open for enrollment and assignment of text book lists August 26th, and open for regular class room work September 3rd: Otis, District 1—R. N. Thomas, principal; J. A. Butler, Mrs. Ruth Ingalls, Mrs. Ida Weems, Mrs. Alice T. McKim, Miss Arminda Carpenter, Miss Mary Poteet. Loving, District 10—J. A. Morrow, principal; Eli Canady, Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Mrs. Bertha Snyder, Mrs. Brooksie Donaldson, Mrs. Margaret Baker, Mrs. Anna Narramore, Miss Sue Wyman. Malaga, District 11—N. M. Campbell, principal; Mrs. Inez Beeman, Mrs. Maye Lazenby, Miss Ruth Hoese, Miss Frances Walker, Miss Lila Estlack. Harroun Farm—Miss Zuma Skinner, Arthur Lewis. Rocky Arroyo, District 6—Mrs. Ralph Thayer. El Paso Gap, District 5—Mrs. Carrie Wright. Dark Canyon, District 5—Miss Billy Hegler. Lakewood, District 7—W. S. Clary, principal; Mrs. Sadie Wilson. Dayton, District 12—Miss Frankie Wailles. Oil Field, District 12A—Mrs. Robert Page. Cottonwood, District 27—F. R. Zumwalt, principal; I. H. Burgess, Monice Yarnell, Miss Ione McMinn, Miss Lucille Baker. The Atoka school will not open until later.

State Lease Sale Brings \$17,699.62 At Sale Held At Santa Fe Aug. 10

The monthly sale of state oil and gas leases held at Santa Fe Saturday by the state land commissioner netted the state a total of \$16,351.83 in addition to four bids sold for minimum after the sale. Tract 3, sold to Roy Barton of Clovis for minimum, brought \$127.79. Tract 5 was purchased for minimum of \$100.00 by Dorothy Heard of Santa Fe. Tract 12 was purchased for minimum by the Ohio Fuel Supply Co., for \$800.00. Tract 25, purchased for minimum by Roy Barton brought \$320.00, which made a total for the sale of \$17,699.62. Tracts 2, 4, 15, 19, 20, 21 22 and 24 were not sold at the time of the sale. Tracts 3, 5, 12 and 25 were sold for the minimum after the sale. The remaining tracts were sold on the 10th to the following bidders: Tract 1, consisting of 720 acres and located in twps. 21, 22 and 23, range 33, sold to Cary P. Butcher of Midland, Texas, for \$721.00. Tract 6, consisting of 522.47 acres and located in 15-35, sold to the Shell Petroleum Corp. for \$635.00. Tract 7, consisting of 880 acres and located in 15-36, was sold to the Sun Oil Co., for \$1,432.00. Tract 8, consisting of 479.89 acres and located in 15-36, sold to the Sun Oil Co., for \$772.80. Tract 9, consisting of 960 acres and located in 16-34, was sold to the Continental Oil Co., for \$2,218.00. Tract 10, consisting of 1,790.60 acres and located in 16-34, was sold to the Texas Company of Houston, Texas, for \$4,157.97. Tract 11, consisting of 320 acres and located in 17-34, was sold to the Ohio Oil Co., for \$1,936.00. Tract 13, consisting of 320 acres and located in 17-36, was sold to the Humble Oil and Refining Co., for \$1,232.00. Tract 14, consisting of 968.44 acres and located in 19-34, sold to the Texas Company for \$982.97. Tract 16, consisting of 640 acres and located in 18-34, was sold to Homer A. Jacobs of El Paso, Texas, for \$695.00. Tract 17, consisting of 80 acres and located in 34-18-37, sold to Roy G. Barton of Clovis for \$100.00. Tract 18, consisting of 160 acres and located in 16-18-38, sold to Cyrus Jones of El Paso, Texas, for \$245.00. Tract 23, consisting of 200 acres and located in 32-22-38, was sold to Cary P. Butcher of Midland, Texas, for \$1,206.00.

Carlsbad Firm Is Robbed of \$500 In Cash and 2 Rings

The Carlsbad Building and Loan Association vault at Carlsbad was robbed of two diamond rings, valued at several dollars, and \$500.00 in cash Sunday night, according to word reaching here. Thieves entered the building by breaking open the front door and the combination was knocked off the vault door to gain entrance to the money. The cash loss was covered by insurance but there was no insurance on the diamond rings. No arrests had been made by officers, according to an early report.

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My Favorite Recipes

Frances Lee Barton says: I WAS making this upside down cake, and Bill (he's one of my younger offspring) remarked: "But why is it upside down, mother? It looks topside-up!" Did you ever try to describe a circular staircase without using your hands? Try it sometime—and you'll know just how I felt trying to explain to my young son why the topside is down and the bottom side is up, with the elegant brown sugared coconut, and pineapple slices on it. Bill finished an experimental slice and decided: "Aw heck, mother, it's awful good, and my stomach won't know the difference anyhow!" So there's upside down cake for you!

Upside Down Cake 1 1/2 cups sifted cake flour; 1 1/2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder; 1/2 teaspoon salt; 1/2 cup granulated sugar; 1/2 cup softened butter or other shortening; 1 egg, well beaten; 1/2 cup milk; 1 teaspoon vanilla. 4 tablespoons butter; 1/3 cup brown sugar, firmly packed; 1/2 cup shredded, toasted coconut; 4 slices pineapple, cut in wedges. Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, salt and sugar, and sift together three times. Add butter. Combine egg, milk and vanilla. Add to flour mixture, stirring until all flour is dampened; then beat vigorously 1 minute. Melt 4 tablespoons butter in 8x8x2-inch pan or 8-inch skillet over low flame; add brown sugar and coconut and cook, and stir until thoroughly mixed. On this arrange pineapple wedges. Turn batter out on contents of pan. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 50 minutes, or until done. Loosen cake from sides of pan with spatula. Turn upside down on dish with pineapple on top. Garnish with whipped cream, if desired. Serve warm.

Rancher Is Shot To Death Monday

Murder charges were filed late Monday against Silas McCabe, 50-year-old Pleasant Valley rancher, in connection with the fatal shooting shortly before noon of J. J. Rose, 43-year-old rancher, at Portales. A coroner's jury at Portales in the afternoon found Rose came to his death from a gunshot wound inflicted by McCabe. Both ranchers are residents of the Pleasant Valley community, about 16 miles southeast of Elida, and Deputy Sheriff Bob Poindexter of Roosevelt county, said family trouble was responsible for the shooting. Rose was shot while he sat on the banister of the county court house veranda, Poindexter said. McCabe, he said, allegedly walked up near Rose and pulling a revolver from his shirt, fired five times. Rose died almost instantly.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER

Real estate transfers reported through Gilbert and Collins this week included the sale of forty acres of the C. B. Gifford farm, near the Harve Muncy farm to S. O. Higgins. L. O. Brazel has purchased the Spencer property, consisting of a house and three lots at the corner of Dallas and Fourth streets.

WYOMING PUBLISHER DIES

CASPER, Wyoming—A. J. Haglett, 70, publisher of the Inland Oil Index, died at his home here early Tuesday after a long illness.

LOCALS

Miss Edith Samuels of Carlsbad was a guest of Miss Zanna Filbert here at her home Sunday.

Will Robinson, state liquor inspector for this district, was a business visitor here Monday.

O. A. Pearson of the Cottonwood left by plane Sunday to visit with his daughter, Mrs. Floyd Senter and Mr. Senter and family.

K. A. Bivens of the Cottonwood returned Sunday from Sacramento, this state, where he spent several weeks for the benefit of his health.

Miss Irene Whitley of the Artesia Beauty Service, is visiting friends and relatives at Belton and Ft. Worth, Texas, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Golden and family returned Friday from a visit with relatives in Arkansas, Oklahoma and Kansas. Mr. Golden reports the area visited is needing moisture except in the lowlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn took their cousins, Charlie Hall of Leedy, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Richard Houston of Woodward, Oklahoma, to El Paso and Juarez Sunday.

C. E. Estes, employe of the Continental Refinery, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the St. Mary's hospital in Roswell Monday. Although Mr. Estes' condition was regarded as serious Monday, he is reported to be recuperating nicely.

John W. Collins, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Collins, is home after spending the past 19 months with the Coastal Geodetic Survey of the western states. He has worked in the following states: New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, California and Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gelwick and sons Charles Richard and Allen, Jr., of Bristow, Oklahoma, are visiting Mr. Gelwick's sister, Mrs. Dick Vandagriff and Mr. Vandagriff. Mrs. Vandagriff is also enjoying a visit from her nephew, Dudley Howard, of Denver, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Brown of the Cottonwood community have been enjoying a visit from their two daughters, Miss Margaret Brown of Winters, Texas, and Miss Eloise Brown of El Paso, Texas. Miss Eloise returned to her home Monday and Miss Margaret on Tuesday.

Mrs. Nancy Eipper and her granddaughter, Miss Natilee Filbert, who have been at the Eipper cabin on the Ruidoso for several weeks, returned Saturday and are at the home of Mrs. Eipper's daughter, Mrs. Grover Kinder. Mrs. Eipper, who was ill for several days before leaving the mountains, came down for medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Martin and their daughter-in-law, her sister and two children of Electra, Texas, arrived last Thursday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Martin's niece, Mrs. Ben Dunn. Mrs. Gladys McDermott, sister of Mrs. Dunn of Portales, joined them for a visit here. The entire party enjoyed a trip thru the Carlsbad Caverns Saturday. They left for their homes the first of this week.

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ICC ASSUMES NEW DUTIES

WASHINGTON—The Interstate Commerce Commission busily prepared Saturday to assume its new duties as administrator of the motor carrier act. Under terms of the act, signed by President Roosevelt Friday, the commission will take over supervision of common and contract motor vehicle carriers engaged in interstate transportation after October 1. Much of the work will be done by trained personnel of various states, working through joint boards. Joseph B. Eastman, railroad coordinator, said the act provides for the states to continue exercising full authority over intrastate transportation.

FIRE GUARDS REMOVED

Fire guards have been removed from all but two lookout towers in the Sacramento mountains, including one at Mayhill, it was announced at Alamogordo last week. General rains over the mountain section has made the presence of the guards unnecessary, it was stated.

TYPEWRITERS

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

Advertisement for Peter Lorre and Keye Luke. It features a large portrait of Peter Lorre and smaller portraits of Keye Luke. Text includes: "IT'S TRUE! By Wiley Padan. PETER LORRE HUNGARIAN STAR OF 'M' and 'THE MAN WHO KNOWS TOO MUCH' MAKES HIS AMERICAN SCREEN DEBUT AS A MAD SURGEON IN 'MAD LOVE'." and "KEYE LUKE CHINESE ARTIST WHO BROKE INTO PICTURES AS A PHYSICIAN IN 'GARBO' 'A PAINTED VEIL' ACTS AS AN ORIENTAL SCIENTIST AGAIN IN 'MAD LOVE'." A central question asks "WHICH IS WHICH?" and a bottom caption reads: "AN EXACT WAX COUNTERPART OF BEAUTIFUL FRANCES DRAKE APPEARS IN 'MAD LOVE'. HIS STATUE IS SO LIKE HER THAT SHE IS ABLE TO CHANGE PLACES IN THE PICTURE! (MISS DRAKE HAD TO PUT THE FACIAL 'MAKE UP' ON THE STATUE HERSELF!)"

Large advertisement for Hudson and Terraplane cars. It features a large image of a car with a woman standing next to it. Text includes: "ARE YOU A SAFE DRIVER? ... ask yourself these questions" followed by a list of 6 safety questions. Below the car, it says "HUDSON and TERRAPLANE \$585 and up for Terraplane... Hudson Six \$695 and up... Hudson Eight \$760 and up. All prices f.o.b. Detroit for closed models." At the bottom, it says "CITY GARAGE HANNAH-COX MOTOR CO. ARTESIA, N. M. See the New Hudson Country Club Sedan—124' Wheelbase—113 or 124 H. P.—\$890 f. o. b. Detroit. 5 1/2 to 7 inches more body length than sedans costing \$180 to \$375 more."

## The Churches

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY 613 West Main St.

10:15 a. m. Sunday school.  
11:00 a. m. Sunday services.  
"Soul" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches and Societies of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, August 18th. The golden text is: "I will set my tabernacle among you; and my soul shall not abhor you. And I will walk among you, and will be your God, and ye shall be my people. (Lev. 26:11, 12).  
Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible:  
"For thou hast delivered my soul from death, mine ears from tears, and my feet from falling. (Ps. 116:8).  
The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science text book:  
"Life demonstrates life. The immortality of soul makes man immortal. If God, who is life, were parted for a moment from His reflection, man, during that moment there would be no divinity reflected."

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH A. C. Douglas, Pastor

Church school for every age group at 9:45 a. m. George Frisch, superintendent.  
Morning worship begins at 11:00 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Irreparable Past."  
Epworth League will meet at 7 p. m. We wish to urge the young people to be present as we must plan for the annual election of officers.  
Evening worship in cooperation with the First Christian church and the Presbyterian congregation at the City Park at 8 o'clock.  
We especially invite those who are visitors and strangers in the community to come and worship with us.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor, P. G. Woodruff.  
Sunday school superintendent, A. L. Wilkinson.  
B. T. U. director, T. F. Wilson.  
9:45 Sunday school. Topic: Martha (A Home-Maker). Lesson passage Luke 10:38-42; John 11:17-28. Golden text—Now Jesus loved Martha, and her sister, and Lazarus. John 11:5.  
11:00 Song service and sermon.  
7:00 Baptist Training Union service. A place of training in service for young and old alike.  
Monday and Tuesday the nineteenth and twentieth, our association meeting is to be held here with us. As the entertaining church we have a special responsibility to be present and do our part.  
Wednesday night at eight o'clock we have our regular mid-week prayer meeting.  
Beginning the twelfth of August and extending through the following week we are to have a School of Missions in which we hope the entire church membership will take part. Miss Burnett, with other possible leaders, will have charge of this school. Remember, this school is to be for the whole church—men and women, boys and girls.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST Corner 7th and Grand Ave. A. G. Hobbs, Jr., Local Evangelist.

Bible study 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
Young People's meeting 7:15 p. m.  
Sunday night service 8:00 p. m.  
Ladies Bible class 2:30 p. m. Thursday.  
Mid-week service Thursday 8:00 p. m.  
Our work is still growing. One was baptized into Christ at the close of the evening service Sunday, and one the Sunday before. The believer has a right to become a child of God "But as many as received Him, to them gave He the right to become children of God even to them that believe on His name." Jno. 1:12. He is therefore not a child of God but has the right to become one. But before a person comes to God he must be lost because Christ came to seek and save the lost. (Lk. 19:10). It takes both faith and obedience to please God.  
Everyone is invited to our services.  
The lesson for ladies Bible class is the 5th chapter of James. All ladies are invited to bring a Bible and study with us.

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Services for the week:  
Thursday—  
7:30 Young people's choir rehearsal. Mrs. John Lanning, director.  
Sunday—  
9:45 Bible school, Ben Dunn, superintendent.  
11:00 Morning worship and Communion. Sermon subject: "Prayer and Christian Living."  
7:00 Young People's meeting. Topic: "Planting Men." Leader: Chester Lapsley.  
8:00 Evening preaching service at the Park.  
THOMAS MASSIE, Pastor.

## Hope Items

Frances Johnson, Reporter

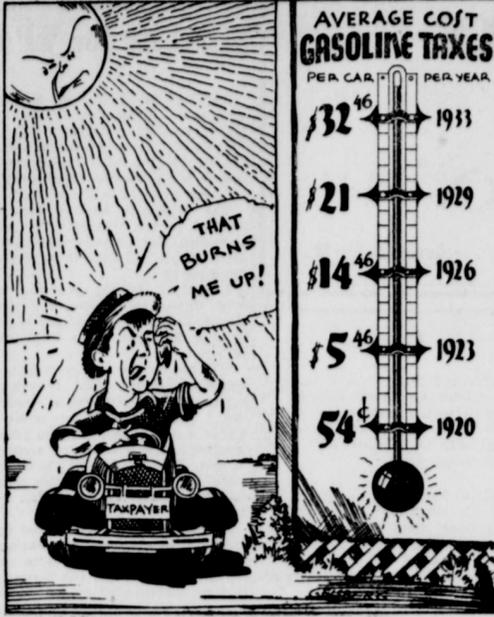
Mr. and Mrs. Damon Guess stopped in Hope Thursday returning from the valley to their home at Pinon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Robinson of Lake Arthur were here visiting and attending to business matters Wednesday.  
Helen Sanders who has been here this week visiting the Coles and Teels returned to her home in Globe, Arizona, Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Glasscock spent the week-end in Ruidoso visiting. They were accompanied by Mrs. A. J. Cox of Artesia.  
Edgar Williams and son John and Jim Williams of Lovington returned to Hope Sunday from Deming where they were last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Prude are vacationing in the Yellowstone National Park. They expect to return this week to their ranch southwest of Hope.  
F. E. Davenport, who is with the Hammill store, is in Roswell for a few days. He plans to return to his home here after taking a short vacation.  
Jack McClellon, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey McClellon of Lubbock, Texas, arrived here last week for a few weeks visit with his aunt, Mrs. Bryant Williams.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cal Beckett and sons Lon and J. D. and Miss Dorothy Sinclair left for their home in Canoga, California, after visiting here and in Carlsbad with relatives.  
The Rev. Allen Johnson closed a two-weeks meeting here Sunday evening at the Church of Christ. The Rev. and Mrs. Johnson and their little daughter left for Hobbs Monday morning.  
Mrs. J. P. Roach and son Jess Perry and Criss Roach, nephew of Mrs. J. V. Alexander were here from Paint Rock, Texas, as guests of the Alexanders. They returned to their home Tuesday.  
The Methodist Missionary ladies gave an ice cream social on the yard of the Methodist church Monday evening. A baseball game was held between the young people of the Methodist church and those of the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Crain of McCamey, Texas, returned to their home Saturday after spending several days here with Mrs. Crain's aunt, Mrs. New Teel. Mrs. Crain is a former resident of Hope, formerly known as Mary Neomi Gibson.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curry returned to their home here Monday after having spent a month in Iowa, Illinois and Ohio traveling. They were accompanied by Mr. Curry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Curry of Hagerman.  
Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Sipe and Mrs. Lonnie McKenney and daughter, Dickie Maye of Longworth, Texas, were here visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brunson, over the week-end. They returned to their home Tuesday.  
Mrs. Fred Fite arrived in Hope Sunday and left Monday morning for her home in Los Angeles, California, accompanied by her little daughter Ruth who has been here this summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Fite. Maxine Bunting left with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bunting and Puzie Bunting for Camp Mary White where she will be in camp for the next two weeks. The Buntings were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Brewer of Weed.

Myrtle Cox of Winslow, Arizona, and Curtis Cox and Iva Ruth Glasscock of Flagstaff, Arizona, returned to their homes here. Miss Cox and Curtis Cox will return to their homes within two weeks and Miss Glasscock will remain here. She will be in the Artesia schools next year.  
Mrs. J. W. Mellard and children returned to the home of R. T. Mellard Saturday from Van Horn, Texas, where she visited relatives. She expects Mr. Mellard to come from Van Nuys, California, the latter part of the week to take them home. They have been here two months visiting.  
Effie Fite returned Sunday from Las Cruces where she has been visiting the past three weeks. She was accompanied home by Lawrence Boutz of Deming, who will be here a few days as a guest in the Fite home. Effie will leave the latter part of the week for Las Cruces where she will attend a teacher's institute after which she will go to El Rito, sixty miles above Santa Fe, where she is employed in the high school as home economics teacher.  
A picnic lunch was served on the lawn of the home of Mrs. Hilary White, Sr., Sunday by the Church of Christ congregation. Out of town guests were: the Rev. and Mrs. Hobbs, Paul Otts, Mrs. Carrie Cobble and children of Artesia; Dr. and Mrs. O. E. Puckett and daughter, Edna, Mrs. Ray Zumwalt and son and Mrs. Claude Brown and Mrs. Pleas Puckett of Carlsbad; Mr. and Mrs. Hunt Puckett of Augusta, Arkansas, and Mrs. J. O. Sorrels of Antlers, Oklahoma, who are here visiting the Joe Puckett family, were also present.

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## Another Relief Problem!



## Girl Scout News

One hundred and six Girl Scouts are beginning the third period of camping at Camp Mary White, Girl Scout regional camp in the Sacramento mountains near Roswell, this week.  
There are girls in camp from as far east as New York, as far west as California, as far south as Houston, Texas, and as far north as Lansing, Michigan. Eleven states are represented by 106 campers from thirty-seven localities.  
They were introduced to the camp with a program of a medieval Norman monastery "Gabriel and the Hour Book," a story in which the prayer of a poor peasant boy comes true. Girls from the "Escondido" ranch presented the dramatization.  
Tuesday, August 13, the program was "Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves," presented by girls in the "Fern dust" group.  
Girl Scouts in camp from Artesia are: Helen Gates, Irene Gillespie and Margaret Mahone.

## GAME COMMISSION IS AGAINST PLAYS PLAN

SANTA FE—The state fish and game commission, at the concluding session of its regular meeting here Monday, decided to continue "bucking" the establishment of the Playas Wildlife refuge in Hidalgo county.  
A letter from State Game Warden Elliott Barker to Senator Carl Hatch, in which Barker insisted on the state's administration of game within New Mexico boundaries, both "as a matter of principle and from the standpoint of practicability," was discussed, with the commission voting to maintain the present attitude.  
The commission approved an approximate budgeted working budget of \$111,380, which would leave a balance of \$25,045.84 at the end of the 24th fiscal year. The budget was based on estimated receipts of \$112,960 during the current year. Balance on July 1, Barker said, was \$23,465.84.

## The AAA Program Brings \$11,928,571

The agricultural adjustment programs, which have as their objective the control of crop acreage and the raising of farm prices to pre-war parity, have brought in to New Mexico a total of \$11,928,571. By commodities, these benefit payments are listed as follows, according to Ralph R. Will of State College, who has just received a report from the comptroller of the agricultural adjustment administration: Cotton, \$5,562,312; wheat, \$4,454,058; corn-hogs, \$1,907,500; sugar, \$4,641. These figures are for total benefit payments to New Mexico farmers through May 31, 1935. Since that time, however, a considerable amount of money has come in for cotton, wheat and corn-hog benefits.  
The agricultural adjustment administration recently reported that it had collected from New Mexico firms processing taxes from May, 1934, through May, 1935, in an amount of \$256,787. The processing taxes are presumably passed on to consumers. It appears, therefore, that from the standpoint of income and out-go, the agricultural adjustment programs have been an immense financial benefit to the state of New Mexico. New Mexico as an agricultural state has profited from the "farmers' tariff," as the processing taxes are commonly termed.

## MEXICAN DIVORCES ILLEGAL

District Judge Harry L. Patton held in the trial of a case in Clovis recently that a "fifteen-minute" divorce obtained in Mexico is not valid in the United States.  
A Clovis woman was asking the court to grant a divorce to her from her husband. He contested the action upon two counts—that he had been granted a divorce by a Mexican court, and that the couple were never legally married because the marriage ceremony was performed by a probate judge, who, he alleged, has no right to perform marriage ceremonies.

## Cotton Forecast Above Set Quota

WASHINGTON—An administration prediction of a 11,798,000 bale cotton crop for 1935 Friday sent cotton prices tumbling downward and drew a statement from Secretary Wallace that he saw no cause for "anxiety."  
The forecast, which was hundreds of thousands of bales above both Bankhead act allotment and most private estimates, was accompanied also by an administration statement that ample credit facilities to market the crop would be made available to farmers.  
In a formal statement, Wallace told the cotton trade that prices would be maintained. There was no mention of the amount of a possible loan on the 1935 crop, and in some quarters it was indicated that an effort would be made to delay rising a load price until late fall.  
Wallace's statement said if world consumption was maintained at present levels, foreign and domestic mills could be expected to require considerable more than 11,000,000 bales of American cotton.  
Wallace said that if, when the new crop begins to move in volume, there appears to be a tendency for prices to be depressed, the administration will not hesitate to offer "ample loans" that would immediately absorb excess supplies.  
The Bankhead allotment for 1935 was 10,983,264 bales.  
The carry-over of American cotton on August 1 was estimated at 8,500,000 to 9,000,000 bales.

## BOTTS HEADS STATE BAR

Clarence M. Botts, Albuquerque, was elected president of the State Bar association at the conclusion of the meeting at Santa Fe Saturday. He succeeds James A. Hall of Clovis.  
Alvin N. White, Silver City, was named first vice-president; William G. Haydon, Las Vegas, second vice-president, and Herbert Garhart, Santa Fe, re-elected secretary and treasurer.  
The commissioners re-elected for three-year terms were: Frank Butts, White and Fletcher Catron, Santa Fe.  
Early Saturday lawyers went on record as favoring appointment of committee to work out plans taking the election of the judiciary out of politics.

## SHELBY FUNERAL HELD AT CARLSBAD

Funeral rites for A. G. Shelby, pioneer Carlsbad grocer, who died Thursday morning, were held at a Carlsbad funeral home Saturday. The Rev. Hall Pierce, Episcopal rector, assisted by the Rev. A. G. Tozer, Presbyterian pastor, conducted the funeral services. His widow, Mrs. Gail Shelby, is principal of the Edison school at Carlsbad.

## ARRESTED IN GAMBLING RAID

Several men were placed under technical arrest at Carlsbad late Saturday night following a raid on a Carlsbad hotel, it was learned here. Paraphernalia seized included a roulette wheel, "chuck-a-luck" game and two dice tables. The offenders disappeared while Justice Frank Richards was being called to the court house to accept bond, it was said.

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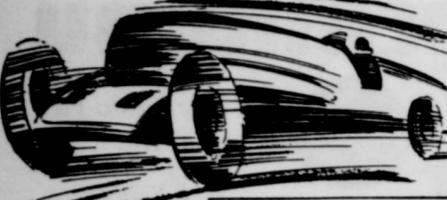
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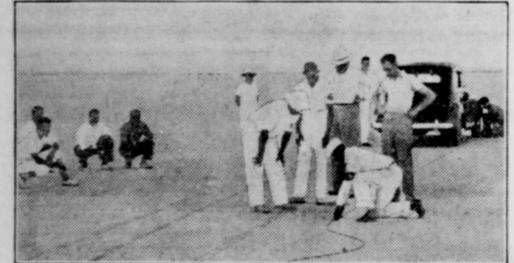
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**Pueblo Oil Co., Is Absorbed By Parent Republic Prod. Corp.**

The Pueblo Oil Co., subsidiary of the American Republics Corporation, has recently been absorbed by the parent company, the Republic Production Co., it was announced here Monday. All properties heretofore operated by the Pueblo Oil Co., are now being operated by the Republic Production Corp., of Houston, Texas. There has been no change in the company personnel.

The Pueblo Oil Co., which started operations here in about 1925, was producing nine wells in the Artesia field and a gas well in the Jal area.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved.—The Advocate.

**OLD TIMERS DAY TO BE AT ROSWELL**

For their thirteenth annual meeting, the Old Timers of New Mexico and especially those of the Methodist church, South, of Roswell, will assemble in Roswell September 8, to celebrate a day given over to them.

Each year this church, which is the oldest in Roswell and Chaves county, sponsors this gathering of the pioneer settlers of this section, at which the Sunday sermon, and the following "Old Timers" banquet are arranged especially to please the honor guests.

The only qualification for those who wish to attend this affair, is that they have resided in New Mexico 30 years or more. There is no other qualification, the committee in charge states.

A meeting of the central committee will be held in the church tonight for the purpose of selecting other committees to work out the details of the occasion.

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**Locals**

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Cole drove over from Lovington Tuesday for a visit with friends and relatives. Mrs. Cole remained for a few days visit with her mother, Mrs. C. F. McGeorge.

G. V. Price and son Lowell left for Los Angeles, California, Sunday where they will spend some time visiting with Mrs. Price. They expect to visit the San Diego exposition before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vandagriff and her brother, A. G. Gelwick and family of Bristow, Oklahoma, who have been visiting here the past week, left Wednesday morning for a trout fishing trip on the Chama.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stagner and family and Mr. and Mrs. Will Ed Carter and family visited at the Stagner home on Sunday. Mrs. Carter accompanied their visiting relatives through the Carlsbad Caverns on Monday.

V. S. Welch, Sr., left for a business visit to Ft. Worth and Dallas, Texas, Tuesday. Mrs. Margaret McCrae, who has been the guest of the Welch family at their cabin in the Sacramento camp, returned with him to her home in Ft. Worth.

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**State Allotted Sum \$1,244,000 for WPA**

SANTA FE—The New Mexico senatorial delegation Tuesday night notified Governor Clyde Tingley of the approval of \$1,244,000 by the Federal Allotment Board, WPA, for the initial works progress projects in the state.

The allotment now is recommended to the president for his signature, the message from Senators Hatch and Chavez informed the governor.

Launching of the program in New Mexico by September 1 was the prediction given Tuesday night by Lea Rowland, state WPA director.

"Of course the money will not become available until President Roosevelt has signed the allotment but I probably shall be notified within a day or two that the presidential approval has been given," he said. The state is ready to begin work on its first projects as soon as the money is available, he added.

Rowland Tuesday was asked by federal officials for more detailed information on some projects recently submitted, and the segregation by counties of others which were submitted as of a state-wide basis. This request was answered by return mail and action should be taken on the projects soon, he said.

**Wildcat—**

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barrels of oil and the second seventy-four barrels.

The Humble Oil and Refining Co., completed its Cooper No. 1, sec. 14-24-36, at 3527 feet for twenty-six barrels of oil per hour.

The Coates No. 1 of the Tidewater Oil Co., sec. 31-25-37, was also completed as a pumper at 3332 feet. From this depth the well pumped 124 barrels in fifteen hours, fifteen percent of which was muck and water.

The Atlantic finished a small producer in its State 2-C, sec. 5-21-36, at 3885 feet. On an initial production test the State 2-C flowed thirty-five barrels of oil per hour thru tubing.

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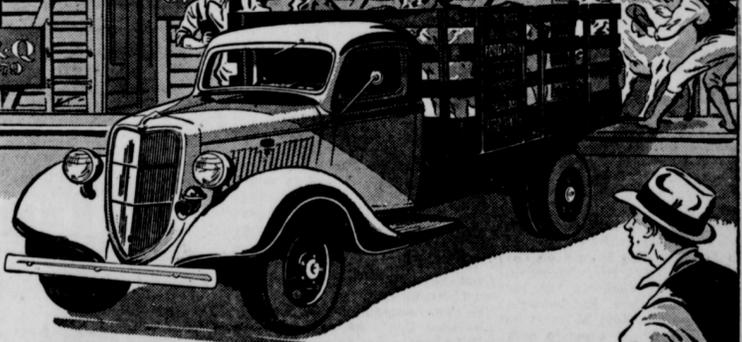
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