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Prices Soar As Crops Burn In Middle West

Authorities Say
Prevailing Heat and
Weather Cause of
Rise in Agricultural
Products.

GO—Farmers in the arid
west, watching farm
prices rise while crop
waxed, faced continua-
tely dry weather yesterday.
Concerned over the spread
of drought, they received more
from meteorologists. Gen-
eral and warmer conditions
east.

Authorities cited the pre-
valent and lack of rain as
the factor in the advance of
prices to points at
seasonal price peaks.

Wheat at Chicago passed
cent mark yesterday. A
year ago, the quotations was ap-
proximately 97 cents; a week ago
November butter was at
level yesterday compared
week ago and 23 a year
ago on hogs yesterday
50, up 25 cents in seven
months in a year.

Federal agricultural ex-
ports selected for a ten-day
the Dakotas and Montana
rehabilitation of dis-
families.

Weather bureau reported the
drought was not as severe as the
drought of 1934 but con-
siderably bad.

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mittee to make an investigation of
the potash industry and submit at
the next session any recommenda-
tion for legislation to conserve the
supply and protect the American
farmer.

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of our Illinois tourists in a small
lake northwest of Roswell. E. J.
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of the lake in an effort to find the
bodies of the four missing tourists
would be suspended until a de-
cision was reached in regard to
draining the lake.

Spotted Rains Fall Over Area Last Three Days

Scattering showers fell here the
past three days with a sprinkle
here Monday night. The added
humidity has brought sultry and
disagreeable weather, notwith-
standing the fact that the thermo-
meter has ranged under the 100
mark.

Monday and Tuesday, showers
fell in the Seven Rivers section
and on the Upper Cottonwood.
Tuesday night a hard rain fell in
the Lovington-Hobbs district, ex-
tending to within a few miles of
the west edge of the Cap Rock. On
the same night a fairly heavy rain
fell from Sacramento to Pimon and
several miles down the Penasco.
Scattering showers also fell in the
oil field.

Demo Platform Now In Making

Expected Disagreements
At Minimum; To Carry
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A week's search of the lake bot-
tom by a Houston, Texas, diver
was futile. His efforts resulted
only in the discovery of an auto,
buried in the lake mud, said to
have been the property of J. G.
(Jiggs) Roberts, a former Roswell
attorney, now of Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Burrows
and family of Maricid Cafil are en-
joying a two weeks visit with
friends and relatives here. Mr.
Burrows left here seven years ago.

Funeral Services For
John Humphries Held
Here On Saturday

Judge Says Court Has No Power To Set A Sale Price

Judge Renders Decision in
Carlsbad Paving Suit;
Promises Delay If the
Property Does Not Get
Satisfactory Price.

Decision of District Judge J. B.
McGhee at Carlsbad Tuesday that
the court had no authority to set a
minimum price on property to sat-
isfy judgment in the suit of J. D.
Ackerman, Colorado Springs, Colo-
rado, banker, to foreclose on Carls-
bad properties on which paving as-
essments are due will be of in-
terest to many people here since
the same situation exists here with
reference to paving assessments.

Judge McGhee said, however,
that if it appears that sale of any
property does not bring a proper
price, he may delay sale until a
reasonable price can be obtained.
Only avenue of defense left open
to the property owners, Judge Mc-
Ghee informed the counsel is the
plea of confiscation.

He said that if the cost of pav-
ing exceeded the cost of the prop-
erty before the paving was com-
pleted, and still exceeds the value
of the property, and the bond owner
takes the property without com-
pensation, it amounts to confiscation.

George Reese, district attorney
and counsel for the Home Owners
Loan corporation, said all properties
covered by the corporations' mort-
gages would be cleared by pay-
ment of paving assessments.

Judge McGhee said that he will
do all within his power to protect
the property owners in the matter.
Many of the property owners
named in the original Ackerman
suit, which involved 300 Carlsbad
properties, both business and resi-
dential, valued at \$500,000, have
paid off their assessments since the
suit was filed.

Monday the court sustained Mr.
Ackerman's demurrer to about
fifty answers to the suit, testing
the constitutionality of the paving
contract, made by a former city
council with the New Mexico Con-
struction company.

Joyce Pruit To Celebrate 47th Anniversary 26th

Beginning Friday, June 26th, the
Joyce Pruit stores will celebrate
the 47th anniversary of this insti-
tution. The form of celebration is
a special value-giving, the details
of which are to be found on a page
of this issue of The Advocate.

The anniversary party of values
will run through July 3rd and the
many items offered by the dry
goods and ready-to-wear depart-
ment are fitting for the occasion,
not only for yourself and family,
but will provide appropriate gifts
for the friend or relative.

Thus Joyce Pruit Stores, serving
the southwest, west of the Pecos
since 1890, passes another mile-
stone in the history of the pioneer
firm, or almost a half century.
You may participate in the birth-
day celebration in a substantial
manner. See for yourself!

We also learn the meat market
and grocery department of the
Joyce Pruit stores are joining in
the celebration and will offer spe-
cial values in both departments
on Friday and Saturday only.

Dr. J. J. Clarke, Sr., and son
Laurence left Sunday for Santa
Fe, where Laurence will take the
state dental examination before
the state board of dental exam-
iners. Laurence is a recent graduate
of the Loyola College of Dentistry
at New Orleans, Louisiana.

Local Oil Allowable
Cut 220 Barrels For
Latter Part of June

The oil allowable for New Mex-
ico for the month of June was cut
2,000 barrels under the month of
May and for the last half of June
the allowable for the Eddy county-
Maljamar district was reduced from
3,450 barrels daily to 3,230 barrels
daily. The allowable for the state
the latter part of June is 73,000
barrels daily compared with 75,000
daily for the month of May.

STORES TO CLOSE FOR JULY FOURTH

Practically all the Artesia
merchants, with the exception of
the filling stations and drug
stores, have reached an agree-
ment to close their places of
business all day July 4th. While
the filling stations and drug
stores have not had an agree-
ment on hours to be kept on
this date, they are expected to
observe Sunday hours.

Only two merchants refused
to agree to close all day when
approached by an Advocate
representative. One said he
would close most of the day.
The other said he would close,
but refused to pay the fee
necessary to have his name
inserted in the advertisement.
A list of the merchants who
have agreed to close all day
Saturday, July 4th, are to be
found elsewhere in this issue.
We also invite your attention
to the leading editorial in this
issue of The Advocate.

ROSWELL TO CLOSE FOR 4th

The Roswell Merchants' Associa-
tion yesterday voted to close all
stores on July 4th, it was an-
nounced at Roswell.

Monument District Still Leads In the Number Producers

Five Wells Completed In
Monument, One Failure
Recorded; Seven New
Locations Staked For
The Period.

Southeastern New Mexico's ma-
jor oil activity continued to be
centered in the Monument district,
Lea county, the past week, where
five producers were completed, and
one failure recorded. A well was
also finished in the Jal area and
one in the Eunice sector.

Among the wells finished at
Monument was one for the State
Aggies, being the State Aggies
No. 1 of the Humble Oil and Refin-
ing Co., sec. 31-20-37, which was
drilled to 3850 feet. On an initial
production test the State Aggies
flowed at the rate of twenty-nine
barrels per hour, thru a half-inch
choke on tubing with 250,000 feet
of gas.

Other new wells in the same dis-
trict included the Ohio Oil Co.,
Elliott No. 3, sec. 30-19-37, which
was drilled in at 3935 feet, flowing
ninety barrels per hour, thru an
inch choke on tubing. The Fred
Turner, State No. 1-A, sec. 2-20-36,
which flowed at the rate of fifty-
eight barrels an hour at 3899 feet,
flowing natural thru tubing. The
Amerada Oil Co., State 1-T, sec.
25-19-36, the biggest well of the
week, flowed at the rate of 111
barrels per hour when drilled to
3939 feet. The Continental Oil Co.,
Britt 6-A No. 2, sec. 6-20-37, flowed
at the rate of forty-six barrels per
hour thru tubing from 3895 feet,
with 1,500,000 feet of gas.

One well is being plugged and
abandoned in the Monument field
after developing a hole of sulphur
water, this being the Gulf Produc-
tion Corp., Burk No. 1, sec. 28-19-
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Dr. H. C. Graham of N. M. Teachers College Is Dead

Dr. Hoyt C. Graham, president
of New Mexico State Teachers Col-
lege of Silver City, died at mid-
night Sunday at Grant County hos-
pital after an emergency operation
and two blood transfusions.

Dr. Graham underwent a sudden
relapse after an appendicitis op-
eration and went under the knife a
second time Saturday as physicians
fought to save his life.

Coach Ray Brancheau of the col-
lege gave blood for the two trans-
fusions, one Friday and another
Sunday.

Dr. Graham was a member of
the Silver City Masonic lodge and
had been active in civic organiza-
tions. The widow survives.

Ex-Service Men Use Bonus Money To Pay Old Debts

Sixty-Five Per Cent of the
Money Received Here
To Date Has Gone To
Settle Bills and Debts
Say Estimates.

Up to yesterday morning, the
Artesia post office had certified
bonus bonds for eighty-five ex-
service men, according to J. L.
Truett, local postmaster, the sum
of the bonds aggregated \$42,400,
or slightly less than \$500.00 per in-
dividual. About forty certifications
are yet to be made out and for-
warded to the distribution office,
which represent a valuation of ap-
proximately \$20,000.

Current estimates say that World
war veterans who have received
their bonus money to date have
used about sixty-five per cent of
the money thus secured to liquidate
old obligations, which means that
\$27,560.00 worth of old debts have
been paid in the community.

Printing bonds to pay off the
3,000,000 veterans over the United
States presented quite a problem
to the federal bureau of engraving.
One hundred and twenty-five tons
of paper were required for print-
ing.

The bonds are printed in black
on white paper with a greenish tint
and are featured by an engraving
of Andrew Jackson.

Printing was the greatest rush
job the federal bureau of engraving
and printing has had in its
history.

The first bond was printed on
February 26, 1936, by Robert V.
Montgomery, a veteran, employed
at the bureau.

CAVALCADE BOOSTERS DUE THIS MORNING

A group of Carlsbad Cavalcade
boosters, wearing cow boy hats,
are due here this morning to dis-
seminate information regarding the
celebration to be staged at Carls-
bad over July 4th. They will make
a trip up the valley as far as Ros-
well and visit all intervening com-
munities.

Colliding Autos Kills Man Near Hobbs Monday

John B. Henderson, 36, Brecken-
ridge, Texas, a hitch-hiker, was
fatally injured and his 24-year-old
brother, L. D. Henderson, was
critically hurt a mile west of
Eunice Monday when they were
caught in the path of colliding
automobiles and were run down.

John was brought to a hospital
at Hobbs where he died without
regaining consciousness. His brother
was taken to a hospital at
Eunice and it was feared he would
die.

The colliding machines were
driven by Ray Hughes and D. C.
Benton, tool-pushers in the oil
fields near Eunice. Although Ben-
ton's machine turned over three
times, neither of the drivers was
badly hurt.

8,025 EMPLOYED
Works Progress Administration
figures released at Santa Fe Tues-
day showed a total of 8,025 persons
employed on WPA projects in New
Mexico for the week ending June
19, a drop of 20 from the previous
week but still 129 more than for
the week ended June 5.

Lonnie Meadows, III, small son
of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Meadows of
Deming is visiting his grand-
parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Cowan.
They expect to take him home
within the next week or two.

Peak Reached In Consumption of Water In Artesia

The average daily water con-
sumption in Artesia is surprisingly
high, if the figures submitted by
City Water Superintendent Robert
Ohnemus are correct. Mr. Ohne-
mus figures the average daily
water consumption here is 1,224,-
000 gallons daily. The two refin-
eries are, of course, the two big-
gest water users and the refinery
demand has been increased over
last year due to the addition of the
cracking unit of the Malco plant.

So far as known this is the big-
gest daily consumption in the his-
tory of Artesia.

Trade Trippers Invade Mountains

Get Off To Early Start
Here Yesterday; Thirty
Six Cars Go.

The Artesia delegation making
the good will tour of the Sacra-
mento mountains and the interven-
ing communities got off to a flying
start yesterday morning and left
on schedule of about 8:00 a. m.
Cars with the bus carrying the
band and the tow car numbered
thirty-six, carrying approximately
132 passengers, including twenty
members of the Artesia Junior
band, under the direction of E. L.
Harp.

Most of the cars carried banners,
advertising business firms in Ar-
tesia and practically all of the
delegates wore red hats. Many
carried favors to be distributed
among the people visited. C. R.
Blocker, representing The Ad-
vocate, carried a supply of small
booklets with the names of the
various firms in Artesia. The
booklet extended an invitation to
the people to the west to make
Artesia their trading headquarters.

R. G. Knoeder, agent of the Stan-
dard Oil Co., carried toy balloons
for distribution. A. P. Mahone of
the Dr. Pepper Bottling Co., car-
ried coupons good for a drink of
Dr. Pepper at the local plant.

Oscar Samelson of the Smoke
House carried cards. Others car-
ried novelties of various kinds for
distribution.

Additional cars are expected to
join the motortrade at Elk today
for the feed and for the baseball
game.

PAINTING LIGHT POSTS

The Southwestern Public Service
Co., has had a crew of men busy
the past two days painting the
lamp posts of the White Way on
Main street. The color of the posts
has been changed from a green to
a silver, which adds to the attrac-
tive appearance of the posts.

ALAMOGORDO PIONEER DIES

John Meadows, 83, pioneer cattle
man who hunted buffalo and fought
Indians in the early days of the
west, died at Alamogordo Tuesday
at the home of his nephew, Joe
Dunstan.

A native of Alabama, he drove
cattle over the Chisum trail in the
'70s and settled in New Mexico in
1880. He had lived here for the
last three years. Burial was made
yesterday in the family plot at La
Luz.

Savoie Rites Are Held On Monday

George F. Savoie, aged 75, passed
away at his home northwest of Ar-
tesia Sunday morning after an ill-
ness of about two weeks. The
death of Mr. Savoie was a shock to
friends and members of the family.

Mr. Savoie, a native of Kanka-
kee, Illinois, was of French decent.
He came to the Artesia section in
1910 and has lived here continu-
ously since that time. He was a
good neighbor, a true friend and a
faithful member of the Catholic
church.

A widow, two daughters and six
sons survive him. The sons are:
Lee Savoie, Oscar Savoie, George
Savoie, Fred Savoie and Bryan
Savoie, all of Artesia, and Chris
Savoie of Carlsbad. The daughters
are: Mrs. Wilford Weske of Hobbs
and Mrs. Paul Terry of Artesia. In
addition to members of the imme-
diate family, all of whom were here
for the funeral services, the de-
ceased is survived by forty-one
grandchildren and seven great
grandchildren, also by a sister,
Mary Agnes Savoie of Cordena,
Kansas.

Funeral services were held Mon-
day morning with Father Martin
Collet, rector of the local Catholic
church, directing. Pall bearers
were: Wilfred Weske, Steve Weske,
Frank, Lawrence, Paul and David
Savoie.

Tax Valuations Jump A Million In Eddy County

Board of Equalization
Ends Session Leaving
Taxes As Listed; Values
Expected To Exceed
Sum of \$13,000,000.

The Eddy county board of com-
missioners, serving as a board of
equalization, adjourned at Carls-
bad Monday, leaving valuations as
they had been listed by Assessor
Westaway. Only one complaint
from a small taxpayer was made
during the entire time the com-
missioners sat as a board of equal-
ization.

County valuations this year were
increased approximately a million
dollars over the valuations last
year, it was learned, and the total
sum will be in excess of \$13,000,-
000. Most of the increase is at-
tributed to the potash industry.

"There is a slight gain in livestock
valuations, but nearly all the gain
can be checked directly to potash
mining," Westaway is quoted as
saying.

The property valuations in Carls-
bad jumped about \$200,000 over
last year and the increase can also
be attributed to the potash activi-
ties, Westaway said.

SIX POLITICAL PARTIES IN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

SANTA FE—There are six polit-
ical parties of record today in
New Mexico, entitled to a place
on the ballot this fall.

The parties are the republican,
democratic, socialist, farmer-labor,
united peoples and progressives
third party.

Mary Gutierrez, assistant secre-
tary of state, explained that the
vault in the office had been locked
when an inquiry was made Satur-
day and she quoted only from
memory. Today, when the vault
was reopened, she checked the re-
cords and found the six parties
listed.

ARCHIE ALEXANDER DEAD

Word was received here recently
by Mrs. C. Bert Smith of the death
of Archie Alexander, which oc-
curred at his home in Mexico, Mis-
souri, Saturday. Mr. Alexander
had been in poor health for several
years and his death was not un-
expected.

Mr. Alexander, a cousin of the
late C. Bert Smith, lived here for a
period of about six months, seven
years ago and was employed for a
time at the Joyce Pruit stores.

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TELEPHONE 7

OBSERVING NATIONAL HOLIDAYS

Some several months there has been an apparent disagreement among some local merchants on observing uniform shopping hours and this lack of uniformity has cast an uncertainty as to the prospects of closing in observance of the 4th of July. At least we were informed this was the outlook the first of the week.

If an agreement could be reached local merchants could do just as much business in keeping shop eight to ten hours as they do in staying open sixteen hours per day. The public will accommodate itself to the uniform hours, if uniform shopping hours are set, otherwise if the people know they have sixteen hours in which to do their shopping they will more than likely take the sixteen hours. Rarely does an individual object to doing his or her shopping at a regulated time, because the storekeeper and his employees should be permitted to enjoy the same leisure time as do the store customers.

There is no law governing the time a man shall eat, sleep or work, but either of these three carried to the extreme creates harmful effects many times; harmful to the individual who may overindulge.

There is no law that says the individual must observe a national holiday, but aside from a display of patriotism, the observance of such days has a wholesome effect, not only on one, but all of the people.

One should not lose sight of the fact there are many things worthwhile in this world besides spending all time and energy in trying to get a nickel ahead. In the mad race to make a few pennies, one is often inclined to overlook the little things along the way that adds so much to happiness. It may be fun to get ahead, but at the same time there are health laws to be observed and there are little courtesies we owe our friends and neighbors.

Human slavery was abolished over a half century ago. Since that time the American people have enjoyed more leisure time and more happiness as a result of a rising standard of living. In view of the present-day opportunities brought about by better living conditions, shall we go back to the days of a horse and buggy and to the days when it was necessary to perform sixteen to eighteen hours of labor in order to make ends meet? Would you think it was logical to spend sixteen hours doing something that should be done in ten? You ought to answer the question yourself and if you are as fair-minded as you ought to be you should be willing to let those who serve you enjoy a little leisure time and time to spend at home with their families as you do yourself.

THE DEADLINE

One thing the newspaper employes learn to respect is the deadline. Establishment of a deadline in a newspaper or any other publication for that matter enables the patrons to get their paper on time. The deadline to the newspaper means that the forms will be closed at a certain time and the paper will go to press.

Regardless of the frequency of the issue, whether the newspaper be a daily or weekly, the publisher is confronted with the same problem, namely in getting the public to cooperate so the deadline may be observed and the paper come out on time.

We have spent thirteen years in trying to overcome one popular fallacy that a weekly newspaper works only one day a week and if a news item or an ad reaches the office on the morning of publication, the arrangement should be plenty good for the publisher. A weekly newspaper follows the same routine as the daily and as fast as one paper is issued, preparations are started to issue another.

Suppose everybody waited until the day of publication to hand in the news items, or the advertiser hung back to the last minute with his copy, do you suppose it would be possible for you to get your paper on time? This truth applies to whatever newspaper or magazine you may read. You appreciate the fact that your paper does reach you on time, in fact you demand it and the reason it does reach you on time is because enough people are willing to give the proper cooperation to enable the publisher to assemble and print the material at the appointed time.

BELLYACHES

Turn your mind along the path of memory, and you may recall this childhood jingle:

"A little fly flew past my door,
Right into the grocery store.
He ate so much jelly-cake,
It made his little belly ache."

The verse says nothing about the bellyaches that afflicted humans after eating fly-blown jelly-cake and other foods, but there were plenty of them. The old-time grocery store, as a matter of fact, was an unsanitary marvel. The storekeeper customarily brushed the flies off the cheese before cutting you a slice. His cakes and breads were exposed to the ravages of any passing insect, as were his fruits and vegetables. What a chemical analysis of his cracker barrel would have disclosed in the way of foreign elements is unimaginable.

That was in the good old days, you hear so much about and hear so many people long for. Would you like to go back to those days?

ANTIQUATED IDEAS

Thirty-five years ago, you might have been marked as an aristocrat, if you saved up your money to go shopping in the large centers. It was really worth something to your pride although probably not to your pocketbook to proudly display your wares bought in the big city.

Today the antiquated idea still exists in the minds of some people that to shop in the large centers tends to make one a social leader in the community. They still think a dress bought in the big city is just a shade better than the dress made by the same manufacturer and sold to the small town merchant. What difference does it make if the goods are manufactured in New York, for instance, whether you purchase the manufactured goods in Hong Kong or in Artesia?

If you still cling to this idea, maybe you ought to have an examination. You may be trying to live in 1936 with 1890 ideas.

People go to war to decide which is right, but the only thing they find out is who is left.

Chislings

There is an old cow story going the rounds that probably influenced the goodwillers to invade the mountains this week. The story might have had its setting in this country. Anyway the papa cow, the mamma cow and son calf started off on a journey. They got out so far the first day they decided to spend the night. After a peaceful night, the papa cow arose and the first thing he noticed was the boy calf was missing. He was much perturbed and called to the mama cow, who grabbed her binoculars and gazed at the countryside longingly. After much effort she discovered a tiny speck and handing the glasses to papa cow, the father also looked long until he was satisfied and remarked: "It's strange how far a little bull will go."

With both parties sporting Brain Trusts, there has been some discussion about what the various degree initials stand for. Some of us, says Ridin' Rudolph, have had a meetin' and the following are our interpretations of these letters when worn by politicians:
A. B.—Altogether Batty.
B. S.—Bit Squirrelly.
A. M.—Airy Minded.
M. S.—Mentally Skidding.
Ph. D.—Doctor of Phumadiddles.

"I'm losing my punch," she said, as she left the party in a hurry.

Father: "Why were you kissing my daughter in that dark corner last night?"
Youth: "Now that I've seen her in daylight, I sort of wonder myself."

History Prof.: "Who was Talleyrand?"
Student: "A fan dancer, and cut the baby talk."

Suitor: "I wish to marry your daughter, sir."
Dad: "Do you drink, young man?"
Suitor: "Thanks a lot, but let's settle this other thing first."

In the snake pits at the zoo there was much gossip. A new family had been added to the colony. It was suggested by Mr. Rattler that they call on the newcomers in their pit.
"Not me," hissed Mrs. Rattler. "She snubbed me once, though I knew them when they didn't have a pit to hiss in."

Modern Republican Lullaby
Rock-a-bye baby, why do you fret;
Are you aware of the national debt?
Father has gone 'round the corner to vote
Millions in bonds for his snookums to tote.
Ahe you suspicious? Sleep while you can.
You can squirm later, dear, when you're a man.

Employment Manager: "Well, Sam, what can I do for you?"
Sam: "Yuh-all don't know nobody what don't want to hire nobody to do nothin' fo' nobody, does yuh?"—Exchange.

Zane Grey, the novelist, tells this story of a gentleman in Savannah, Georgia, Captain George Walker, who had a negro on his plantation who was inordinately fond of fishing and loafing. When he wasn't fishing he was loafing, and when he was tired of loafing

he would go fishing. One night it rained so hard and long that the next morning all the low places on the plantation were filled with water. Passing his tenant's cabin Captain Walker found the negro seated in an easy chair just outside the cabin door, dangling a fishing line in a puddle of water that had formed there.

"Henry, you old fool," exclaimed Captain Walker, "What are you doing there?"
"Marse George," replied the negro, "I'se jes' fishin'."
"Say, don't you know that there couldn't be any fish in that puddle?"
"Yessuh," replied Henry. "Ah knows dat. But dis yere place am so handy."

The two major political parties take occasion to officially notify their presidential nominees that they have been nominated as if they were not aware of the fact before the official notification. Take the case of Landon, for instance, he may sweat blood between now and July 23rd for fear the GOP ramrods will forget to officially notify him.

Famous sayings of thirty years ago: "I don't have to advertise, everybody knows where we are anyway."
Excited Young Father: "Quick! Tell me! Is it a boy?"
Nurse: "Well, the one in the middle is."
Lawyer: "You want to divorce these women? Can you name any co-respondents?"
K. Solomon: "Not offhand, of course, but I strongly suspect the 97th Regiment of the Royal Light Infantry."

Sweet Young Thing (teacher) to Motorman of Street Car: "Are you the father of one of my children?"

Mrs. Hooligan: "What's your husband's name?"
Mrs. Grogan: "Pat."
Mrs. Hooligan: "I mean his full name."
Mrs. Grogan: "Aw, hell, when he's full he thinks he's Gene Tooney, but when I lay hands on him he's just plain Pat again."

MUNICIPAL BAND TO GIVE CONCERT
The Artesia Municipal band, under the direction of C. W. Bartlett, will give a concert at the City Park Friday evening, June 26th, beginning at 8:00 p. m. The public is cordially invited to hear this concert.

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Arthur Mayes, John W. Colwell, S1/2 31-25-24.

Troy McCall, Cesarine A. Kerr, Lot 31, Block 148, Lakeside C. C.
Julian Montoya, W. Leslie Martin, part SWNW 26-17-26.

C. E. Hughes, Chas. H. Hughes, NENESWNW 1-22-26.
Robert L. McCall, H. B. Bingham, Lot 2, Block 79, Lowe.

Troy McCall, H. B. Bingham, Lot 4, Block 79, Lowe.
Thomas H. Blakeney, Mary McDonald, 4 acres SWNE 30-17-23.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kite spent Sunday in Hobbs as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Q. Haley and other friends.



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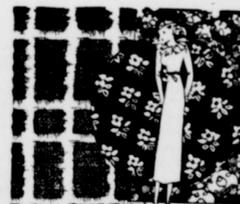
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SOCIETY

WILLIAMS-JOHNSON ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Miss Edith Elizabeth Williams to Wallace Johnson of Hope was announced at a lovely garden party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lynn in Las Cruces Saturday evening. The wedding will occur in Las Cruces on August 8th.

Miss Williams is a member of a prominent southern family, born in Arkansas and has lived in Las Cruces for the past nine years. She is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma and a member of the Pi Epsilon Alpha sorority. For the past three years she has been secretary to the superintendent of the Las Cruces municipal schools. Miss Williams, an accomplished musician, is president of the choir of Saint Paul's Methodist church and secretary of the Las Cruces Music club. She is popular in the social circles of Las Cruces.

Mr. Johnson is the son of Mrs. Nora Johnson of Hope and a brother of Mrs. J. R. Attebery of Artesia. He is a member of one of the pioneer families of the Hope community. Mr. Johnson is a student at the New Mexico State College and is employed in the Seed and Fertilizer Control office at the college. He expects to continue his studies at State College this fall.

MORGAN TWINS CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY WITH PARTY

Mrs. Charles Morgan entertained with a surprise birthday party Friday afternoon, complimenting her twin sons, Don and Val, on their 11th birthday.

The party guests met a nearby neighbor's and were ushered into the Morgan living room as Mrs. Morgan read to the boys in the rear of the home. Their first knowledge of the party was when they went into the living room to investigate a noise which they had heard as the last guests entered.

The children formed a line party to the afternoon matinee and returned to the Morgan home where Mrs. Morgan served two beautiful birthday cakes, one pink cake decorated in green and the other a green cake decorated in pink, each had eleven candles. Ice cream and punch was served with the cake. The boys each received a nice assortment of birthday gifts.

The party guests were: Bernice Marie Baldwin, Margaret and Margorie Clowe, Kathryn and Margaret McDermott, Margaret Attebery, Thelma Handcock, Guinevere Ellis, Roderick Watson, Bobby Morris, Dickie Attebery, Allen Mills, Albert Linell, Jackie Don Woodside, Everett Wayne Lapsley and Max and Perry Schulze.

MRS. FRANK SEALE HONOREE AT LOVELY MORNING COFFEE

Mrs. Frank Seale was honoree at a lovely morning coffee, given Friday morning at the Artesia hotel by members of her bridge club, the Fortnightly Bridge club.

Mrs. Seale, a charter member of the club which was organized more than ten years ago, expects to move to Lubbock to join her husband within the near future. The entertainment in her honor came as a complete surprise to her.

Covers were laid for twelve at a beautifully appointed table with a gorgeous bouquet of mixed garden flowers used as a centerpiece. A tasty menu was served at nine o'clock.

Games of contract were played on the mezzanine floor, the high score prize was awarded to Mrs. Attebery and the lovely guest prize to Mrs. Seale.

Club members and friends sharing this occasion with the honoree were: Meses. John Lanning, William Linell, C. R. Baldwin, J. R. Attebery, Leslie Martin, C. R. Blocker, I. L. Spratt, Charles Morgan, Howard Gissler, Ben Pior and Miss Dora Russell.

FIRST AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB MEETS

Mrs. S. E. Ferree entertained the First Afternoon Bridge club Tuesday afternoon.

Guests were seated at two tables for the session of contract in which Mrs. Beecher Rowan was the winner of high score. Others playing were: Meses. S. D. Gates, Jeff Hightower, Wallace Anderson, J. J. Clarke, Maude Ployhar, Walter Nugent and Leslie Martin.

The hostess served delicious refreshments in two courses.

VIERNES BRIDGE CLUB

The Viernes Bridge club met with Mrs. Ed Gillispie Friday afternoon. Mrs. Marvel Archer and Mrs. Merrill Sharp were substituting guests.

At the conclusion of the games of contract, Mrs. Barnett received high score prize, Mrs. Gillispie second high, and Mrs. Compary low.

The hostess served a refreshing ice course at the close of the afternoon.

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FRIDAY

The Viernes Bridge club meets with Mrs. Albert Glasser at 2:00 p. m.

TUESDAY

The Fortnightly Brige club will meet with Mrs. John Lanning at 1:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

The Abnormis Sapiens Bridge club meets with Mrs. Jessie Morgan at 2:00 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The Methodist Missionary Society meets at the church parlor at 3:00 p. m.

The Presbyterian Missionary Society meets with Mrs. R. G. Knoedler at 2:30 p. m.

METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY WITH MRS. WARD

The Methodist Missionary Society was entertained at the home of Mrs. S. S. Ward Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Emery Carper was co-hostess.

The attendance was good. An interesting program, in charge of Mrs. Brainard, was given from the leaflet entitled, "The Church and Disadvantaged Communities." The hostesses served a summer refreshment plate at the close of the program and during the social hour which followed. Mrs. T. H. McCreary of San Pedro, California, a former resident and a former member of the Methodist church here, was a guest.

PAST NOBLE GRAND CLUB AT McCRAW HOME

Miss Mary McCaw and Mrs. Walter Douglas were co-hostesses in entertaining the Past Noble Grand club at the McCaw home Friday evening.

A social hour followed the usual business meeting. Those present were: Meses. Mary Abbott, Nellie Cogdell, Ed Stone, Walter Amstutz, Ed Conner, Frank Thomas, Effie Wingfield, Beulah Jones, George Johnson, W. H. Cobble, C. Bert Smith, Harve Muncy, John Williams, Leland Price and Misses Ella Bauslin and Linna McCaw.

The hostesses served a delicious salad course at the close of the evening.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARY

The Presbyterian Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Gus Hoagland with Mrs. D. E. Buckles as co-hostess, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Knoedler presided during the business session. The devotionals were led by Mrs. Gail Hamilton and the program on mission work in the West Indies was interestingly presented by Mrs. Hugh Kiddy.

A delicious refreshment plate was served by the hostesses.

MRS. WELCH'S MOTHER SAILS FROM NEW YORK

Mrs. Mary A. Hill and son John, Jr., left Roswell recently for New York City from which port Mrs. Hill will sail June 30th for a two months tour of Europe, visiting England, the British Isles, France, Italy and Germany. John Hill, Jr., will remain in New York City and will study dramatics at the New Theatre League, during his mother's trip abroad.

Mrs. Hill is the mother of Mrs. Van P. Welch of this city.

LITERARY CLUB MEETS

The Literary club held its fortnightly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Martin Friday evening. "Highlights From the Life of John Chisum," the cattle king of eastern New Mexico, were discussed by W. C. Martin. After the program, light refreshments were served to the following members: Meses. and Meses. I. L. Spratt, N. M. Baird, Thomas Massie, W. Leslie Martin and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Martin.

Miss Ruth Morgan, teacher of home economics at Simmons in Boston this past school year, arrived Tuesday to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. Jessie Morgan. She drove through in her own car and was accompanied by Miss Judith Matlack of Boston, professor of English at Simmons, who took the train from here Wednesday for California. Miss Morgan visited en route with her sister, Miss Esther Morgan, who is attending school at Bowling Green, Kentucky, and also visited the Texas Centennial in Dallas.

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Hope Items

Miss Frances Johnson, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schrier of Capitan visited here last week.

Mrs. J. P. Parks visited and attended to business in Carlsbad over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watts were in Hope from their ranch near Dunken Wednesday.

Mrs. Rex Seeley has been ill this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Coffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bryant of Carlsbad spent Sunday here visiting Mrs. Bryant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Swift.

Frances Johnson, who is employed with the WPA in Roswell, spent the week-end here visiting her mother, Mrs. N. L. Johnson.

The Rev. and Mrs. Willingham and family of Millsap, Texas, spent the week-end here visiting their son, the Rev. Willingham and wife.

Kenneth Goddard and Sam Lovejoy, who are working in the resettlement office at Artesia, spent the week-end here visiting their families.

Mary Plowman, who is attending Draughon's Business College at Lubbock, Texas, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Plowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Altman and Bobbie Wood left Monday morning for Long Beach, California, where they will visit friends for the next two weeks.

Mrs. Charlie Hannah drove to Hobbs Sunday and returned bringing with her her son, Jack and wife, who have been employed there by Hal Hamill.

Several pupils of the Hope school will be taken to Artesia this week by officers of the PTA where they will have dental work done by Dr. John Clarke, Jr.

Hal Hamill, who has been in Roswell the past two weeks attending a meeting of the Taylor grazing committee, spent the week-end here attending to business in his store.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Wilburn and family left Sunday morning for California where they will visit friends and relatives in Los Angeles and Taft for the next two weeks.

A birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Charlie Cole was given at her home Thursday evening by friends. The dinner consisted of covered dishes brought by those who were present, who surprised the honoree. There were thirty-five guests present.

Friends of Mrs. Kenneth Goddard surprised her at her home Friday evening with a dinner honoring her birthday. Thirty-five guests were present. After the dinner the guests visited until a late hour when they returned to their homes.

Two baseball games were played on the Hope field Sunday afternoon. The club from the Potash mines of Carlsbad played Weed, winning with a score of 10 to 4. The second game was between Atoka and Hope, with Hope winning 21 to 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Johnston of Portales arrived here Thursday to spend the summer with their daughter, Mrs. Bryant Williams. Mrs. Harve Walton and daughter, Mary Alice, accompanied them here, but returned to their home in Portales Monday.

Gene Chambers and Hoyt Keller left Sunday late with the Rev. R. W. Jordan of Carlsbad for the Methodist assembly grounds above Weed where they will assist in the work necessary during the intermediate and adult assemblies which will be held there during the present week.

Mrs. H. J. Dunne and Max Johnson, who have been visiting here the past three weeks with their mother, Mrs. N. L. Johnson, returned to their home in Taft, California, Monday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Johnson, Margorie Johnson, and Mrs. J. R. Attebery of Artesia, who will visit friends and relatives in California for the next three weeks.

Mrs. Anna H. Coffin and daughter Martha who were visiting here from Albuquerque left Saturday for Las Vegas where they were called to be with Mrs. Coffin's daughter Mrs. Max Salazar, who was injured in an automobile accident. The details of the accident are not known, but she was not injured seriously. She is in a Las Vegas hospital. Thomas and Paul Coffin accompanied them as far as Vaughn.

Quarterly conference was held at the Methodist church Sunday by the Rev. Hightower of Roswell, the Rev. Willingham of Hope and members of the Methodist church here. Previous to the conference the Rev. Willingham's father of Millsap, Texas, delivered a sermon and members of the church enjoyed a dinner spread in the basement of the church. The Rev. and Mrs. Hightower left immediately for the Sacramento assembly camp above Weed where they are spending the week at the intermediate and adult assembly.

Bruce Bush Killed
Bruce Bush, recent resident of Hope, was accidentally killed Friday at Kolton, California, by a cement mixer. His sister, Mrs. Chester Teague, and father, Vine Bush of Hope were informed of the

SACRAMENTO ITEMS

The Rev. G. A. Schlueter spent the week-end in Roswell.

Ras Roberson is building a substantial addition to his hotel.

Mrs. Roy Calkins visited in the Spence cabin Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Loring were shopping in Sacramento Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ehart and children were visiting in the Roy Calkins home Saturday.

A light hailstorm visited Perk Canyon Monday but did little damage to crops and gardens.

E. C. Wasson, Miss Madie and Mrs. J. F. Wasson made a business trip to Alamogordo Saturday.

Mr. Cobb made a business trip to Clouderoft Saturday and while there visited with his brother.

The Rev. A. C. Douglas, pastor of the Methodist church of Artesia, is attending the assembly.

Asbury Methodist church of El Paso, Texas, has most of the lumber on their lots to build a nice cabin.

George Mitchell and family of Monument visited Friday in the home of his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Mitchell.

Prof. Pyburn, superintendent of Lovington high school, and son were visiting Mrs. Pyburn and children Saturday night.

Mrs. McCarroll and daughter, after spending two weeks in the Kemp cabin, returned Friday to their home in Sweetwater, Texas.

The Rev. Mitchell and wife returned Tuesday from Lubbock, Texas, where they had been to be with his brother in his last illness.

Mrs. Pyburn and children, Mrs. McCarroll and daughter spent Wednesday and Thursday in El Paso, Texas. They reported a good time only it was hot in El Paso.

The Rev. Clark and wife of Hobbs are attending the assembly. They are also visiting with old friends as the Rev. Clark served as pastor of the Weed circuit last year.

The Rev. Hightower, presiding elder of Roswell district, occupied the pulpit in the Young Peoples building Sunday evening and remained to attend the assembly which convened Monday.

C. E. Notes

Another very interesting lesson was prepared and given by our new president, Alvin Hadley, Sunday evening, June 21. The name of the lesson was "Friends That Last." The following topics were fully explained and discussed: "What Is A Friend?" "How To Tell A True Friend." "Characteristics of A Friend." "How to Cultivate Friendships." "De We Always Share Our Best With Our Friends?" "Do We Fully Trust Our Friends?" "Tests for A Friendship."

The Endeavor topic for next Sunday evening is to be led by Dean Martin, and we all know he has a great lesson planned for us.

Topics of Interest To C. E. Members

Yes, she's a mighty fine girl, especially when you have to drive 18 or 19 miles to bring her to Endeavor. Is that right, Bubs?

One of our Endeavor members, Vivian Haldeman, was back to

accident immediately. His mother and sisters and brothers, who moved to Phoenix recently, arrived here Sunday to await funeral services which were held Tuesday at the Church of Christ by the Rev. Allen Johnson. Bruce was a graduate of the Hope high school. The many friends of the Bush family are sympathetic with them in their great loss.

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A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Joy of Elk this morning.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Walters died yesterday noon after living for nine hours.

Mrs. Wendell Welch and children left the first of the week for Clouderoft where they will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole took their small daughter, Hattie Ruth, to Roswell today for medical examination.

L. P. Glasscock, Hope sheepman, was trading here yesterday. Mr. Glasscock finished shearing his wool crop the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cooper and son Joe Lane of Santa Fe visited Mr. Cooper's grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Cooper, Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bartlett and their granddaughter Shirley Bartlett, are spending this week at the Bartlett cabin at the Artesia Sacramento camp.

Mrs. J. M. Story has as her guests at her cabin at the Artesia Sacramento camp this week, Mrs. H. A. Stroup and her grandson, Master Lewis W. Story.

Mrs. Fred Brainard returned home from a Carlsbad hospital Sunday where she has spent the past week or more. Mrs. Brainard is very much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. William Linell expect to leave Wednesday for their summer vacation trip. They will visit the Texas Centennial at both Dallas and Fort Worth.

Mrs. Sallie Attebery and daughter, Miss Jennie Mae Attebery, are spending the next few weeks at the home of her son, J. R. Attebery while Mrs. Attebery is vacationing in California.

Dr. J. J. Clarke, Sr., was re-elected secretary of the State Dental Board of Examiners at Albuquerque Tuesday along with D. D. Lord of Santa Fe, president and Dr. H. S. Smith of Clovis, vice president.

Miss Phoebe Welch visited in Carlsbad this week and was a luncheon guest at a lovely bridge luncheon Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Will Ed Carter, when she and Mrs. Allen Richardson were co-hostesses in entertaining.

The Rev. A. C. Douglas and family drove up to the Artesia Sacramento camp Monday and are spending the week at the Hannah cabin. The Rev. and Mrs. Douglas are attending the five-day session of the Methodist Assembly at Sacramento.

Endeavor Sunday evening after a visit near Weed.

We missed Harold Bradshaw Sunday evening, and sincerely hope he can be with us next Sunday.

The gigilo mentioned last week seems to have lasted only one round.

We should like to see Bettyne Lanning, Harold Bradshaw, Laurent Gordon, Marion Coll, Olin Woodside, Robert Garner, Earl Schneider, Dick Burnett, and Edward Kissinging at the next Endeavor meeting.

Mrs. Lapsley (to Chester): "Did you see that bunch of boys staring at that flapper getting on the bus?"

Chester: "What boys?"

Our new song leader, Dean Martin, was present Sunday evening for the first time since his appointment by the executive committee. We want to see more of you, Dean.



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Locals

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vermillion Friday.

Leo Matkins of Carlsbad was a business visitor here Monday.

Mrs. W. C. Martin and children are spending the week at the Artesia Sacramento camp.

Mrs. W. E. Simmons of Big Spring, Texas, is spending a few days here looking after property interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clady and Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett are enjoying a fishing trip in the north part of the state this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Conner drove up to Capitan Sunday to see their son Roby Conner. Mrs. Conner is spending the week visiting there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ward returned Sunday evening from a short vacation spent at San Diego, California, and other western points.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Reed of Wichita, Kansas, spent the first part of the week here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linell and old friends. Mr. Reed is the son of J. H. D. Reed, early-day Artesia merchant.

Homer Pickens of Silver City, predatory animal hunter, has been named to succeed Bert Baca as deputy game warden of the Santa Fe district after July 1st, when Baca assumes the job of foreman of the Taos hatchery.

They're Off For A Grand and Glorious 4th

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FOR SALE

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Baxter Heard came in from Jal Saturday and spent Sunday with home folks.

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Lakewood Items

Mrs. M. C. Lee, Reporter (Delayed) Roy Angell is working for the highway department near Artesia.

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Cut Alfalfa Hay At Proper Time

New Mexico farmers and ranchmen can improve the quality of their hay materially and increase its feeding value and sales value by paying attention to the time of cutting, says T. M. Reid of the New Mexico State College.

Alfalfa should be cut when one-tenth to one-fourth in bloom. If new growth has started from the crowns, it should be cut without regard to bloom. Delaying cutting until the greatest yield of hay per acre may be obtained sometimes involves a loss of quality.

When other hays are mixed with alfalfa, it should be cut when the alfalfa has arrived at the proper stage of maturity, without regard to the other varieties in the mixture.

According to rules and regulations in the U. S. D. A. Handbook of Official Hay Standards, U. S. Grade No. 1 alfalfa hay should show 40% or more leafiness (per cent leaves), 60% or more green color and a maximum of 5% foreign materials (sand burrs, poisonous plants or other plants injurious when fed to livestock).

Sample grade alfalfa is hay which contains more than 15% foreign matter, or which contains more than a trace of injurious foreign material, or which has an objectionable odor, or which is undercured, heating, hot, wet, musty, moldy, caked, badly frosted, badly weathered, badly broken, overripe, or otherwise of distinctly low quality.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Vines arrived here Tuesday from Los Angeles, California, for a visit with Mrs. Vines' mother, Mrs. Ross, and her brother, W. H. Ross and family. They will also visit Mrs. Vines' brother at Lakewood, Taylor Ross and family. Mr. Vines is employed by the Southern Pacific Railroad.

W. E. Kerr returned Tuesday evening from Las Vegas, Santa Fe and Albuquerque, where he attended to school matters. In Las Vegas he attended a conference on "Guidance of Curriculum in Our Schools." In Santa Fe he attended to school matters and while in Albuquerque he conferred with Dr. Tireman on a program of improving the instructions in our state.

When Abraham Lincoln's mother died of milk sickness in 1818 the illness was common. It is now very rare but cases do occur occasionally in the Pecos valley due to cattle eating the rayless goldenrod which contains the poison tremetol.

Epidemics have often occurred due to germs getting into the milk from some person in the dairy business who is a carrier or who has a mild unrecognized attack of the disease. Such epidemics are found to be "explosive." That is instead of the epidemic spreading gradually many people are taken sick within a few days. Since children drink more milk than adults the epidemic is found to be especially severe among children.

Epidemics caused by milk are becoming scarcer because more and more people now drink pasteurized milk. In cities of 10,000 population or more over 90 per cent of the milk now sold is pasteurized. People are learning that this is the only safe milk.

However, some people like to buy raw milk because they know that it comes from a very fine herd of cows, or because it is sold by a neighbor and friend. Also in smaller towns there often is no pasteurizing plant. Under these circumstances the U. S. Public Health Service advises people to pasteurize their own milk and gives the following instructions:

"Place the milk in an aluminum vessel on a hot flame and heat to 155 degrees F., stirring constantly; then immediately set the vessel in cold water and continue stirring until cool."

Advocate Want Ads Get Results!

Oil Men Reported Willing To Boost Valuations \$2,000,000 Past Five Years

Petroleum Shorts

While proven petroleum resources of the U. S. were estimated at only 5,321,000,000 barrels in 1925, more than 8,692,000,000 barrels subsequently have been produced. Authorities now place proven reserves at more than 12,000,000,000 barrels of oil.

The commercial process of making gasoline, known as "cracking," was developed about twenty-five years ago. From \$10,000,000 to \$12,000,000 is spent annually by the American petroleum industry on research and experimental work designed to improve the quality and to increase the yield of its products.

Petroleum and its products constitute more than ten per cent of U. S. exports.

More than one-fourth of all seagoing vessels of 1,000 tons, or over, flying the American flag, are oil tankships.

Federal and state taxes on motor fuel now comprise a retail sales tax averaging about forty per cent.

More than 1,000,000 workers are employed by the petroleum industry, which produces oil in twenty-two states, refines it in thirty-five, and markets oil products in all states.

It is estimated that sufficient motor fuel can be obtained from U. S. deposits of bituminous coal and oil shale to supply the nation for centuries.

It is estimated that the average motor vehicle consumes more than 600 gallons of gasoline annually. In 1926 annual consumption was only 520 gallons.

Several oil wells in the United States have been drilled to depths greater than 10,000 feet, or about two miles, and present equipment permits drilling to more than 15,000 feet, or nearly three miles.

Supposedly exhausted oil fields have been restored to production by injecting water into the sands, forcing the unrecovered oil to the surface.

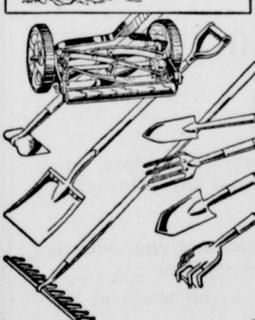
More than 2,500,000 barrels of oil are produced daily in the United States.

The average daily production of American oil wells is only about eight barrels. There are 250,000 wells which produce less than one barrel per day.

Some oil wells have been producing for more than fifty years.

More than seventy per cent of the world's motor vehicles are owned and operated in the United States, where motor fuel is less than one-fourth as costly as in some foreign countries.

Mr. and Mrs. Bynum, Miss Eula Bynum and some friends of Artesia, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Buck, Eugene Buck, Charlie and Robert Anglin, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Bivens, Hollis Bivens, and Douglas O'Bannon were among those who were spending a part of Sunday afternoon at the Clark lake.



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Locals G. B. Dungan returned Tuesday from Gallup, this state, where he underwent a month's treatment for his feet. Sid Cox is spending a few days here from his summer home in Red River. Mr. Cox reports fishing good in his section. Mrs. Perley George and Miss Jewel Anderson of Claypool, Arizona, who is visiting in the George home, Mr. and Mrs. John Fullilove, Mr. and Mrs. Cavitt Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Pollard and Lord Sharp composed a party that enjoyed a picnic at Sitting Bull Falls Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Green and family returned Sunday from Jonesboro, Arkansas, called there by the illness of Mr. Green's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keinath of Los Angeles arrived this week for a visit with Mrs. Keinath's father, Dave Runyan, her sister, Mrs. Reed Brainard and family, and her brother, John Runyan and family. They came by way of Yellowstone National Park and will be here a week or more.

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NOTICE OF THE APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTORS

It is hereby given that we, undersigned, were duly appointed Executors of the Estate of Anderson Bruce, deceased, son of P. J. McCall, judge of the Court of Eddy County, N.M., and that all persons claiming against the Estate present them and file same with the clerk of said Probate Court within one year of the said date, as provided by law, or the same will be barred.

LAND G. SOUTHWORTH LLA SOUTHWORTH. 26-4t

More police got a call from who said groans coming from apartment house sounded like one was being killed. The blue coats, after arousing the second floors, hurried to the first floor, where they forced a door and found a woman in bed snoring.

The national capital a man and taking his naked infant to roll. "This is the way I said the man. He had no law permitting this. Ambassadors are from local laws. Perhaps some had credentials from."

TYPEWRITERS second-hand and factory in portables and standards. before you buy—Artesia

Health Column

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

Safe Milk All milk is not safe. More diseases are conveyed by milk than by any other food. Among the more important of these diseases are tuberculosis, typhoid fever, paratyphoid fever, diarrhea, scarlet fever, diphtheria, septic sore throat, undulant fever and milk sickness. All except the last are infectious. Milk sickness is due to a poison named tremetol which causes trembles in the cattle that

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, General Land Office at Las Cruces, N. M., June 11, 1936.

NOTICE is hereby given that Homer Morgan, of Artesia, N. M., who, on July 7, 1931, made home-stead entry, No. 043140, for All Section 9, Township 16 S., Range 29 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 23rd day of July, 1936.

Claimant names as witnesses: Walter Duncan, of Hagerman, N. M., Len A. Gibson, of Lake Arthur, N. M., J. B. Champion, Robert J. House, both of Artesia, N. M.

PAUL A. ROACH, Register.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1394 Santa Fe, N. M., June 17, 1936.

Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of June, 1936, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, W. E. Simmons of Big Spring, County of Howard, State of Texas, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change the location of the Artesian well declared under Declaration No. RA-1394, from the SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 27, T. 17 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., to the SW corner NW 1/4 SE 1/4 of said Sec. 27, the same to be accomplished by ceasing to use the first-described well and by commencing to use the second-described well for the irrigation of 40 acres of land located in the SE 1/4 SE 1/4 of said Sec. 27, the drilling of a new well being unnecessary in order to make the change.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 27th day of July, 1936, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1397 Santa Fe, N. M., June 18th, 1936.

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of June, 1936, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, J. G. Moutray & Sons of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground waters of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 1800 gallons per minute by the drilling of a 16 inch well approximately 270 feet in depth, located in the NE 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 8, T. 20 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., to be used for the irrigation of 367 acres of land described as follows:

SE 1/4 Section 5	160 acres
E 1/2 SW 1/4 Section 5	77 acres
W 1/2 NW 1/4 Section 8	80 acres
NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 8	5.1 acres
N 1/2 NE 1/4 Section 8	44.9 acres

all being in T. 20 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 28th day of July, 1936, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

TYPEWRITERS

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Penasco Items

Miss Madie Reeves, Reporter

Lee Reeves and Marvin McGuire were Alamogordo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crockett were Roswell visitors Tuesday.

Lonnie Reeves and Adam Donhgee were Hope visitors Sunday.

Virginia Woods of Artesia visited with Agnes Ann Williams Sunday.

Lee Reeves, Truth Reeves and Madie Reeves were Roswell visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cox visited in the E. L. Chandler home Saturday night.

Jim Harwell and Austin Reeves were El Paso business visitors on Wednesday.

Church services were held all day Sunday with the Rev. G. G. Mitchell preaching.

Mrs. Melton and children of Roswell are visiting with her sister, Mrs. Tom Runyan.

Mrs. J. B. Runyan and Jacqueline are visiting Mrs. Runyan's mother at Slaughter, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Longbotham and daughter Virginia Ann were Artesia visitors Friday.

Virginia Ann Longbotham visited in the W. A. Reeves and J. W. Harwell homes over the week-end.

Sandy Harris turned a truck load of lumber over Saturday at the foot of the Powell hill. No one was seriously injured.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reeves and daughter Thelma attended a family reunion at the S. W. Lewis home Saturday. Mrs. Lewis' sister, Mrs. Fred Hunter of Pamona, California, is visiting her. Marilyn Jeanne Prothro returned home with Thelma for a week's visit.

The Club met at the home of Mrs. Jack Vickers Thursday. A very enjoyable day was spent. At noon a very delicious lunch was served to the following: Mmes. Tom Runyan, Austin Reeves, J. W. Harwell, Boyd Williams, Will Culbertson, Bernard Cleve, Oris Cleve, Hood Farmwalt, Agnes Cleve and Mrs. Milton and Misses Agnes Williams, Truth Reeves and Katherine Cleve.

The A. C. E. club met at the church Saturday night and initiated six new members who were: Truth Reeves, Lynn Strickle, Virginia Longbotham, O. J. Trotter, Arnell Trotter and Elwin Van. Members present were: Misses Rachel and Hazel Powell, Madie Reeves and Louise Reed, Messrs. Mac Griffin, Loren Reeves, Ernest Harwell, Fred Griffin, J. C. Reed, Jack Reed and Roland Wiley.

NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

The following new books have been received at the Artesia Public Library since May 30th:

"Henry the Sheriff," Tuttle.
 "Feather," Ayres.
 "The Moon's Our Home," Baldwin.
 "Happy Jack," Brand.
 "American Family," Baldwin.
 "Strangers At Sea," Solver.
 "Death Blew Out the Match," Knight.
 "Seventeen," Tarkington.
 "Argentine Interlude," Hipwell.
 "Give Me One Summer," Loring.
 "Stormy Weather," Holton.
 "Narrow Corner," S. Maughn.
 "Jimmie Dale and the Missing Hour," Packard.
 "The Story of America In Pictures from 1901 to 1933," Claud G. Bowers.
 "Life of Charles Dickens."
 "My Country and My People," Lin Yutang.
 "Tongues of the Monte," Dobie.
 "Omar Khayyam," Chas. Lamb.
 "America and Alfred Stieglitz," by five fine authors.
 "Better Home and Garden Cook Book."

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

CHURCHES

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 7:00 a. m. Mass—English.
 8:30 a. m. Mass—Spanish.
 For sick calls telephone Carlsbad 379J.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
 613 West Main St.

10:15 a. m. Sunday school.
 11:00 a. m. Sunday services.
 "Christian Science" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches and Societies of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 28th. The golden text is: "The kingdom of heaven is like unto leaven, which a woman took, and hid in three measures of meal, till the whole was leavened." (Matt. 13:33)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible:
 "And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." (John 8:32)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science text book:
 "The principle of divine metaphysics is God; the practice of divine metaphysics is the utilization of the power of truth over error; its rules demonstrate its science."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor, P. G. Woodruff.
 Sunday school superintendent, A. L. Wilkinson.
 General B. T. U. director, Louis Cole.

9:45 Sunday school.
 11:00 Song service and sermon.
 7:00 Baptist Training Union service.
 8:00 Song service and sermon. Sermon by the pastor will be from the first part of the eleventh chapter of Romans.
 Mid-week prayer service at the church on Wednesday night at eight o'clock.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Corner 7th and Grand Ave.

Be sure and reserve the time from July 5 to 19 and attend our summer meeting at the Central school auditorium. John T. Smith of Lubbock, Texas, will do the preaching. The singing will be led by the congregation led by Howard Haynes. We would be glad to have you come.

Ladies Bible class Thursday 2:30 p. m.
 Regular classes Sunday 10:00 a. m.
 Lord's Supper and preaching 11:00 a. m.
 Young folks class Sunday 7:30 p. m.
 Sermon 8:00 p. m.
 ALLEN E. JOHNSON, Minister.

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Satisfaction Service

State Precincts Boosted To 904

New Mexico will have a total of 904 voting precincts in the coming general election in November, an increase of almost 200 over a year ago. Records at the secretary of state's office showed this number of voting precincts after a canvass of all counties. Of this number Eddy county will have twenty-one precincts.

The large increase in precincts parallels the increase in number of candidates the voters will select this fall—the greatest ballot casting, office filling in the history of the state, if memories of old timers may be relied upon. A greater number of offices to be filled, election experts said, this year than any time, not excepting the first statehood office filling.

While the interest in the November election should be unusual, due to the fact this is a presidential year and to the large number of candidates for state offices, the same condition does not prevail in county politics for the democratic primary on August 8th. So far there are only seven active candidates for six county offices and three for district or precinct offices. Two of the candidates, one for sheriff and one for county clerk are up for reelection without opposition and only one candidate has announced for probate judge. If additional candidates are to seek office in the democratic primary they must file with the county central committee before July 14th, the deadline.

Even national, county and state offices will be filled with the exception—at this time—of four supreme court justice places and two corporation commission jobs.

That means president, vice president, two senators, one congressman, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, state auditor, state treasurer, attorney general, superintendent of public instruction, commissioner of public lands, one state corporation commissioner, one justice of the state supreme court, nine district judges, nine district attorneys, and 310 county offices—ten to each of thirty-one counties.

Of all the office holders, only State Land Commissioner Frank Vesely is barred by the constitution from seeking a state office. No other office holder in a state place has served more than one consecutive term. The constitution prohibits more than two.

In the state offices, the term of Justice A. L. Zinn expires. He was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Frank W. Parker. Corporation Commissioner Don K. Casados' term also expires. One senate seat, long term, is to be filled; the short term to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Senator Bronson Cutting is to be filled also.

Mathematically, such a large election could occur every twenty-four years, except for one office, if there had been no changes in the future. Senators are elected for six years, justices of the supreme court for eight, district judges and district attorneys for six years—but only one senator is elected each six years with a two year

3rd Party Formed At Albuquerque

Formation of a third party for participation in the November elections was announced Saturday by James H. O'Connor, Albuquerque justice of the peace, and Robert H. Lafollette, Albuquerque attorney.

The party plans cooperation with the Townsend movement and various liberal groups, but will support Landon for president.

O'Connor, executive committee chairman of the new United Peoples party, issued a call for a state committee meeting in Albuquerque July 2 to arrange for a nominating convention.

"The party cannot join the nationwide third party movement, but will give hearty support to the republican presidential candidate to end the practice of using the public funds for political purposes," Lafollette said.

CARLSBAD PROJECT BILL SIGNED TUESDAY

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President Roosevelt Tuesday signed the interior department bill, including \$900,000 for the Carlsbad project.

The bill included \$31,000,000 for work on reclamation projects in western states.

It assures the Carlsbad irrigation district of completion of the Alamogordo dam, and gives the district about \$400,000 extra for cementing canals and laterals on the project.

gap, which stretches out the mathematical combination.

However, this year death has entered the calculations and swelled the total by one more than calculated.

This fall's election will be under the new election code, there will be no legal absentee votes, and a greater vote than ever is anticipated. Last election 153,651 votes were cast of which 1,915 were absentee ballots. These latter were thrown out by the supreme court.

Precincts by counties, as selected in records of the secretary of state shown by counties:

Bernalillo 67, Catron 22, Chaves 29, Colfax 43, Curry 23, De Baca 14, Dona Ana 33, Eddy 21, Grant 25, Guadalupe 24, Harding 15, Hidalgo 12, McKinley 23, Mora 27, Otero 20, Quay 27, Rio Arriba 48, Roosevelt 26, Sandoval 26, San Juan 17, San Miguel 72, Santa Fe 44, Sierra 18, Socorro 41, Taos 31, Torrance 27, Union 38, Valencia 33. Total 904.

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Congress Appropriates Funds To Develop State's Natural Resources

WASHINGTON — Development of New Mexico natural resources and conservation of water so important to the southwest provided the theme for many measures enacted by the seventy-fourth congress.

Along with the other Continental Divide states of Colorado, Wyoming and Montana, New Mexico particularly was affected by legislation dealing with the public domain and correlated government land functions.

Carlsbad Project

In its only reclamation project before congress, New Mexico received \$900,000 for new construction on the Carlsbad project. With Colorado, it shared a \$50,000 fund for the survey of a probable diversion of water from the San Juan to the Rio Grande.

The Conchas reservoir on the Canadian river, near Tucumcari, was given final authorization in the omnibus bill to the extent of \$12,270,000. Already under construction with emergency funds, the Conchas reservoir also received \$2,500,000 for 1937 construction in the war department supply bill.

Preliminary examination work

for possible future projects on the Gila and Cimarron rivers in New Mexico was provided among the minor projects authorized by the bill. Separate river legislation was enacted for New Mexico, including the authorization of the \$3,000,000 Rio Grande canalization project and a \$1,000,000 appropriation for the all-American diversion dam on the Rio Grande.

Carlsbad Caverns

Improvement work at Carlsbad Caverns was included in special appropriations, mostly under \$200,000, authorized for national park improvement.

Indians of New Mexico received the regular interior department appropriations—nearly \$200,000—for water projects in lump sum allotments to the Indian Bureau of Education, sanitation and agricultural purposes; and the special appropriations were \$30,000 for Navajo, \$10,000 for Pueblo, \$13,000 for Jicarilla and \$50,000 for Navajo and Pueblo domestic and stock water projects and irrigation projects.

A bill to increase from 80,000,000 to 142,000,000 acres the area of public lands under the Taylor grazing

act, designed largely to create additional grazing districts, carried interest to western livestock men operating on the public domain. Other important revisions to the basic act were written.

In appropriations for national forest improvement in the west were provisions for road and trail building, expansion of fire fighting facilities and a campaign against tree disease.

In separate appropriations for the four states were contained items for game and wild life conservation, including allocations for fish hatcheries, game feeding grounds and added regulation personnel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Smith have been the guests of Mrs. Smith's mother, Dr. Lura L. Hinshaw, this week. They visited the Carlsbad Caverns while here. Mr. Smith is detective lieutenant in the Los Angeles, California, police department.

New way to get bones from children's throats. At Alton, Illinois, one year old son of Joseph Leedy swallowed a bone. On the way to the doctor the auto bounced over a chuc khole, baby bounced, and out came the bone. "Awful jolt," mused Joseph, "but I can take it better than a doctor's bill."

L. B. James of Malaga Announces for County Commissioner, Dist. 3

L. B. James of Malaga has authorized The Advocate to announce his candidacy to the office of county commissioner, district No. 3, subject to the action of the democratic primary August 8th. Mr. James, well known in south Eddy county, met numbers of the people in this district during the campaign of two years ago.

Mr. James feels that he is entitled to a second term in the office of county commissioner and pledges the same faithful service he has given the county the past two years, in the event the voters see fit to honor him with this office again.

DUKE CITY MAN IS HEAD OF VETERANS

RATON—Samuel R. Angell, Albuquerque, was elected commander of the New Mexico department of the Veterans of Foreign Wars at the concluding session of the annual encampment at Raton Tuesday.

Other officers, all installed Tuesday night, were: Ray Cheley, Clovis, senior vice commander; J. B. Paiz, Albuquerque, junior vice commander; Cash Austin, Farmington, quartermaster and adjutant; C. E. Plymmer, Raton, chaplain; Dr. Morgan, Farmington, surgeon; J. D. Schuster, Albuquerque, judge advocate.

The veterans organization chose Farmington for its next encampment city, after hearing an appeal by Lake J. Frazier, Roswell attorney, to "rededicate itself as a body to secure the disabled veterans their just rights."

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Crop Prospects In Argentine Poor

Argentine planters, induced to put in a record cotton acreage this year, are disappointed by results. They planted a record area of 909,000 acres, but the crop will not exceed 230,000 bales, according to a report to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics from Agricultural Attache P. O. Nyhus at Buenos Aires.

Last year 707,000 acres was planted and the crop totaled 295,000 bales. The average area during the five years ended in 1934 was 355,000 acres, and the average crop for that period 162,000 bales.

This year's crop has been damaged by cotton leaf worms and pink bollworms as well as by unfavorable weather. The crop is late because planting was delayed by drought following excessive rains in November and December. In many districts of the Chaco Territory, which normally produces about 90 per cent of the Argentine cotton crop, the promise of a crop this season is limited to new top growth.

Argentine is the fourth largest cotton producing area south of the United States, and is exceeded in importance only by Brazil, Mexico and Peru. High prices for cotton in recent years have stimulated interest in expanding production, especially in the Chaco Territory. Last year the Argentine government created a cotton board to bring about an expansion in acreage and ginning facilities, improvements in production and marketing methods and transportation facilities, to establish grades, and to improve varieties planted.

Oilfield Items

Mrs. Margaret McCrory, Reporter

Mrs. Luke Alexander and children visited in Lake Arthur Tuesday.

Mrs. Wendell Welch and children left Tuesday for Cloudcroft where they will spend the summer.

Margaret McCrory and Robert McCrory visited a few days with Miss Florine Muncy of Atoka last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Francis are the proud parents of a son born on the 20th. Both mother and son are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Knowles and family and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. McCutcheon visited in Carlsbad last Saturday night.

Frank Marshall and children and Mrs. Muller of Maljamar were Sunday dinner guests of Rusty McCrory and family.

Mrs. Freddie Knowles was hostess at a surprise party given in honor of her daughter, Wanda's, fifth birthday last Wednesday afternoon. After a delightful afternoon of games refreshments were served by the hostess. The honor guest received many lovely gifts. Guests were: Robert McCrory, Robert Painter, Betty Ruth Matthews, Lola Matthews, Phoebe Welch, Tommy Welch, Wendell Welch, Bobby Francis, Jimmy Francis, Wayne Francis, Virginia Lee McCutcheon, Edgar Mann, Emery McGonagill, Ralph Williams, Harold Williams, Ralph Knowles, Mrs. O. L. McCutcheon, Mrs. Aleck McGonagill and Miss Margaret McCrory.

CCC Camp News

(Camp DG-41-N Co. 2842, Lake Arthur, New Mexico) (Contributed)

The recreation hall is now equipped with three pool tables and two ping-pong tables. W. Jewett of Roswell delivered two pool tables last week.

The tennis players of this camp are looking forward to a tennis court in the near future. Work on the court was started Monday evening after supper. It will be a red clay court with regulation backstops.

Bill High, foreman, of Carlsbad, is on his annual vacation. He, with his family, is visiting in Texas.

Lieut. Jack I. Davis is in Fort Bliss with both GI trucks after supplies.

Sunday, Camp DG-39-N, Tularosa, will play a softball game here in camp.

Capt. J. N. Bujac, Carlsbad sub-district commander, is supervising an inspection of his fine camps by the senior leaders or the first sergeant in each camp. Senior Leader V. E. Irby joined the group at Artesia Wednesday morning. They will visit Dark Canyon, Veterans, Mayhill, Tularosa, and Lake Arthur camps.

TYPEWRITERS

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

To Enroll 60 Vets In A CCC Camp

The state will enroll sixty veterans for the CCC camp just north of Carlsbad, Mrs. Ethel C. Rockwood, sub-district supervisor, New Mexico relief and security authority, announced Tuesday.

Veterans will be enrolled between the dates of July 1 and 15, Mrs. Rockwood said.

Twenty-five per cent of the number enrolled will neither be on relief rolls nor eligible for work relief, Mrs. Rockwood said. Others will have to be certified for relief.

The period of enrollment will be six months, and the pay \$30 the month, room, board and clothing. Three-fourths of the pay will go to dependents. If the veterans have no dependents, the government will give him the entire amount at his discharge.

Monument—

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37, which was abandoned at 4020 feet.

In the Eunice district of Lea county, which by the way, is now practically connected with the Monument sector, the Gulf Production Corp., finished its Arnot-Ramsay 7-G, sec. 21-21-36, at 3914 feet for 330 barrels of oil in twelve hours, flowing thru tubing with 500,000 feet of gas.

In the Jal field, southeastern Lea county the Sun Oil Co., has completed its Stuart No. 1, sec. 15-25-37, for 883 barrels a day at 3390 feet.

Monument also leads in the number of new locations staked for the period with five new wells to start, one for the Eunice area, one for the Cooper sector and one in Eddy county. In the Monument field: Shell Petroleum Corp., State G-1, sec. 16-20-37; Shell, State 3-B, sec. 36-19-36; Skelly Oil Co., State 1-F, sec. 17-20-37; Ohio Oil Co., Barber No. 1, sec. 32-19-37. In the Eunice area: Continental Oil Co., State D-1 No. 2, sec. 15-21-36, and in the Cooper district the Samedam Oil Co., Hughes No. 1, sec. 4-23-37, and one in Eddy county being the Pecos Valley Gas Co., Andrews No. 1, sec. 2-17-28.

SCREW WORM CONTROL WORK EXTENDED TO SOUTHWEST BY GOVT.

The southwest will participate this year in the U. S. Department of Agriculture campaign to control the screw worm. Last year the campaign was limited to the southeast. The screw worm has been a serious livestock pest in several southwestern states since the middle eighties. Until it suddenly invaded an entirely new territory, creating consternation among the farmers and stockmen unfamiliar with it and threatening to spread even farther north and east, no federal funds were appropriated for actual control work. The methods followed in the cooperative campaign of 1935, when their value was demonstrated, may now be ex-

tended across the southern part of the country, all the way to the Pacific, according to Lee A. chief of the Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine.

A special appropriation of \$25,000 is available for both inspection and control work. Mr. Strong says, spent to show farmers and stockmen how to protect their livestock from treating with and infested animals and as defendant.

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JESSE I. FUNK, Cottonwood

For Commissioner, District 3
L. B. JAMES, Malaga

For County School Superintendent
R. N. THOMAS, Otis

For County Clerk
GEORGE R. SPENCER, Carlsbad

For County Treasurer
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