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HOMESEEKER DIVERSIFIED
INTERESTS

Lowest State Tax Rate In Last 7 Years

Set At 5.592 Mills,
Including 1.52 Mills for
Public Debt Which Is
Reduction of Four-
tenths of a Mill.

The state tax rate for the 25th fiscal year, ending June 30, 1937, was fixed yesterday by the state tax commission at 5.592 mills, which figure includes 1.52 mills for public debt. The rate represents a reduction of four-tenths of a mill from last year, and the lowest since 1929.

The taxpayers are entitled to a lower rate, Beall said, inasmuch as the public figures, "because of the money raised for the appropriation with a lesser levy and still within the 20-mill limit."

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Sears Motor Co. Opens A Branch Here September 1

It was announced here yesterday by Paul Bomar, that the Sears Motor Co., planned to open a sales and service department for the Chrysler, Plymouth and Packard automobiles. Arrangements have been made to occupy the Bullock building west of the Artesia hotel, formerly occupied by the D. & R. Motor Company. The opening date has been set as September 1st.

Mr. Bomar will serve as manager of the branch house here and display of new cars as well as used cars. The public is cordially invited to visit the Sears Motor Co., workmen on the opening day.

Large Number Wells Finished In This Sector

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Eddy County's First Bale of Cotton Is Ginned At Loving

Eddy county's first bale of cotton for this season was ginned Monday by the Loving gin, it was announced by Edgar Pate, manager. The cotton was delivered by Elario Urquides, Loving farmer, and was raised on the land of Pardue and Guitart.

Most Game Fish Saved When Lake McMillan Drains

Lake Runs Dry When
Gate Jams; Game Men
Work Overtime Trying
To Save Fish; Tons of
Rough Fish Die.

Lake McMillan has been drained the second time in the past two years. The lake was allowed to run dry last week because of a jammed gate, according to an announcement from Carlsbad. Two years ago it was permitted to run dry and drain the lake because officials of the Carlsbad irrigation project claimed they misread the lake gauge.

Thirty men worked at feverish pitch over the week-end in an effort to save all the game fish. Thousands of tons of rough fish were destroyed, but most of the catfish, bass, perch and crappie were saved. The work of saving and transplanting the fish was under the direction of M. Stevenson, deputy game warden. Six additional laborers were secured here Saturday. Fish saved were transplanted in the various lakes and streams of this region. Many went to the ponds of the federal fish hatchery near Dexter. Equipment of the federal fish hatchery was used to help transplant the fish.

Reclamation officials said it was impossible to fix the gates at the dam in time to save the fish because of its age. Complete draining of the lake was ordered in order that the damaged gate might be repaired. Workmen attempted to shut down the gate, but failed when something became wedged beneath it. Hundreds of buffalo fish were taken from the lake by visitors.

Observers here said enough water ran down the river three weeks ago to have practically filled the lake, if the passage of the water had not been obstructed. Instead of running into Lake McMillan most of the water spread out in the bogs and in the tamaracks and was lost through seepage.

At this time water ran down the river bank full for practically three days. Under these conditions nothing but a flood would fill the lake. Fish rescued from the dry lake number approximately 16,600, it was announced Monday by Mr. Stevenson. Among these were 10,500 catfish, 4,600 bass and 1,500 bream and perch. A few other fish were saved as the channel dried up. Two tank trucks were used to transport the fish.

Choose Delegates To Demo Meeting

Peace Move At County
Meet Fails; Committee
Also Named.

The Eddy county democratic convention, which convened at Carlsbad Friday afternoon was more peaceful than the precinct convention held at Carlsbad three days previous; however, peace overtures made by Judge J. B. McGhee at a called recess and in a private caucus failed to bring about harmony between the insurgents and the regulars. Offers of a third of the representation at the convention was refused by the insurgents, who demanded a majority.

TUGWELL TO BE HERE

It was learned from unofficial sources this morning that Rex Tugwell, resettlement administrator, of Washington, D. C., will make an inspection trip of the Pecos valley in company with Governor Clyde Tingley on September 15th. The visit of Prof. Tugwell is made in the interest of the resettlement administration and will likely strengthen the possibilities of this area for the establishment of a resettlement project.

Ginners Getting Ready for Start of Cotton Season

Preparing To Gin One of
Largest Crops; Price of
Picking Is Expected To
Open At About Sixty To
Seventy Cents.

Local ginners are conditioning machinery at the gins for the biggest cotton season in the history of the valley, at least outlook points to the largest season since cotton has been planted here, barring no unusual weather.

It is doubted if any attempt will be made to have a get-together meeting between farmers and pickers with a view to working out uniform picking prices. Such meetings in recent years have brought very little if any beneficial results. The picking price will open this fall around sixty to seventy cents per hundred. This price, farmers say, is about in line with the opening of the season last year and is based on the present cotton market.

Terry Residence Is Destroyed By Fire Yesterday

The two-story nine-room frame residence of Tom Terry near the Cottonwood school house was completely destroyed by fire about 4:00 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The origin of the blaze remains a mystery. None of the family were at home at the time the fire started. Mrs. Terry and daughter, Mrs. J. A. Clayton, Jr., had gone over to visit another daughter, Mrs. Orval Gray, about a mile and a half away when they discovered the blaze. Mr. Terry had come home in time to see the entire house ablaze, but too late to save anything.

Five Supervisors Named In County

State Supervisor Will Ap-
point Others At Later
Date.

Albert Mitchell, state supervisor of the agricultural conservation program, returned to State College Tuesday after several days spent in the county giving examinations and instruction to five new county supervisors. The new supervisors and districts they represent are: Henry Grandi, Carlsbad; Truman Howard, Cottonwood; L. A. Horne, Otis; Bill Hart, Loving, and Ben Gerlach, Malaga. They will be employed for two months measuring farm land for compliance with the agricultural conservation program.

Fifty Present At Chamber Meeting In Roswell Tues.

Representatives from Ten
Communities Discuss
Common Problems; To
Meet Again At Clovis
On September 15th.

Fifty representatives from ten communities of southeastern and eastern New Mexico met at Roswell Tuesday evening to discuss several problems common to these communities. The meeting Tuesday night grew out of a proposal made by Lovington several weeks ago to organize an Eastern New Mexico Chamber of Commerce, similar to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, now serving that area.

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Donna Bell Morris Killed Tuesday Near Grants; Two Others Fatally In- jured When Auto and Truck Collide.

Donna Bell Morris, aged 17, Hot Springs high school student and former resident of Artesia, met her death with two other young people in an auto-truck collision two miles west of Grants, this state, Tuesday while en route to the Indian Ceremonial at Gallup, according to word received here yesterday. Miss Morris was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morris. Mr. Morris still resides here, but Mrs. Morris and children moved to Hot Springs several months ago.

White Windshield Stickers Are Due On September 1st

White windshield stickers are due September 1st. These stickers indicate your car has been inspected for defective brakes, lights and steering gear. An inspection every four months is required under the state law and a sticker indicates your car is safe so far as these factors are concerned.

1,894 OLD AGE PENSION CHECKS ARE MAILED

SANTA FE—Old age assistance checks, payments to the blind and dependent children were mailed to 1,894 persons in the state this week, Fay Guthrie, director of the New Mexico Relief and Security Authority, announced.

Polk's Toggery Shop To Open On Monday, Aug. 31

Mrs. Tex Polk yesterday announced the opening of the Polk Toggery Shop at 213 West Main, the first door east of the Purdy Furniture Store. The Toggery Shop is to be an exclusive woman's store. Ladies ready-to-wear and novelties will be displayed.

Mrs. Polk, with her daughter Glenn, returned Saturday from Denver, Colorado, where they spent the past month vacationing and buying new goods for the Toggery Shop. Mrs. Polk and daughter visited many places of interest in and around Denver and also points of interest in the northern part of the state.

Former Artesia Girl Dies In An Auto Accident

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Companions of Miss Morris fatally injured included Beatrice Stinson, aged 19, Hot Springs high school senior, and Bruce Klutings, aged 25, formerly of Peacock, Texas. John Dale McCuan of Farwell, Texas, the fourth member of the party, was critically injured but is expected to recover.

Homer Osborn of Grants, driver of the truck involved in the accident, escaped injury. He told investigating officers the auto carrying the four young people apparently went out of control while approaching a railroad underpass at a high rate of speed and the collision resulted. A coroner's jury, summoned at the scene of the accident, returned a verdict the trio met their death as result of an auto collision. Authorities were unable to obtain a clear version of the cause of the accident other than that told by Osborn.

Estimate Crop 350,000 Pounds Alfalfa Seed

Ten threshers are at work in the Pecos valley threshing one of the largest alfalfa seed crops harvested in a number of years. According to preliminary estimates, there is a prospective crop of 350,000 pounds.

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Big Enrollment Anticipated In Local Schools

Three Days Given Over
For Enrolling At The
High School; More Free
Text Books Are Added
This Year.

The Artesia schools will open next Monday, August 31st, with prospects for the largest enrollment in the history of the school. The procedure for enrollment in the various schools will be as follows:

High School
Monday—Seniors 9:00 to 12:00 a. m.
Tuesday—Juniors 9:00 to 12:00 a. m., and 1:30 to 3:00 p. m.
Wednesday—Sophomores 9:00 to 12:00 a. m., and 1:30 to 3:00 p. m.
Thursday—Freshmen 9:00 to 12:00 a. m., and 1:30 to 3:00 p. m.
All high school students entering from other schools must present a transcript from the school last attended before enrollment.

Junior High
Pupils entering grades six, seven and eight will enroll at the Junior high school building Monday from 9:00 to 12:00 a. m. Pupils entering from other schools should present report cards from the school last attended showing their grade placement.

Central
All pupils enrolling in grades one to five should go to the Central school building Monday from 9:00 to 12:00 o'clock. Pupils from other schools and beginners should be accompanied by their parents in order that teachers may obtain certain information about the children. No children will be accepted as beginners whose sixth birthday comes after November 1st. All children must present a certificate showing that they have been successfully vaccinated for smallpox or have had the disease. This should be seen to by the family physician before the beginning of school.

More Free Textbooks
Three more books have been added to the free list this year. English texts have been added in grades three to eight, readers in grades four to eight, and New Mexico history and civics in grade eight. In addition to these a number of sets of supplementary readers will be furnished in the primary grades.

Faculty Meeting Monday
Faculty meetings by building will be held from 1:00 to 2:30 on Monday afternoon followed by a general faculty meeting from 2:30 to 4:00.

Anticipating some disruption during the latter part of the school year on account of a building program, everything possible will be done to get as much of the school year over as possible before that time comes. We also desire to cover as much of the work of the school as possible before then. School will close a little earlier next spring than usual. The loss of time on account of holidays and other events will be kept to a minimum.

HALDEMAN LAD HURT

Vernon Haldeeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Haldeeman, was painfully hurt Tuesday morning when a bottle exploded and cut him over the left eye. Details of the accident were not learned.

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TELEPHONE 7

WHAT IS THE USE?

The republican party leaders keep up a vigorous whistling in respect to the prospects of putting Candidate Landon in the presidential chair. They go on the principle that "faint heart never won fair lady." If they speak hopefully, they assume that possibly the on-the-fence voters will flop in their direction and turn the tide in favor of Landon.

Yet, after all, what would be the use, even if so unexpected an event did take place? The senate, when congress adjourned, counted for the democrats a clear majority of forty-four seats. There are to be thirty-six contests but only twenty-three of these are held by democrats and more than half of these are seats in the democratic south. By no possibility can the republicans win the senate.

The house has 435 seats. Presumably if the election were a great landslide toward the republican party, the democrats might lose the house. But the present membership is about three to one democratic. This is an unwieldy majority and it would not hurt the democrats to lose forty or fifty of the close seats. But the republicans have at present 100 seats only and would have to win 118 from the democrats to get a bare majority. Not even in the most sanguine dreams would Landon expect to win so many seats, even in a landslide.

But what is the use of having a president who would find both houses of congress dominated by the opposition party? He would be unable to pass his desired legislation. His nominations made to the senate would be looked on askance. All he could do would be to protest against the system and hope for better results in 1938. But the results of the election in 1938 might be worse for his party, not better.

In his heart Candidate Landon must say—What is the use of running?—Dallas News.

SLOW DOWN AT NIGHT

Here is some worth-while advice to motorists: As soon as darkness descends, slow down pronto!

In spite of the fact that the bulk of cars are operated almost entirely during the day, well over half of all the fatal accidents last year occurred at night. Sixty-nine per cent of the victims were pedestrians. And the death rate for the evening rush hours was over 100 per cent greater in winter than in summer, due to darkness.

Unconsciously or otherwise, many motorists chronically "over-drive their headlights"—that is, they could not bring their cars to a stop within the illuminated distance before them. And more powerful lights are no cure for this—they produce glare, a potent cause of head-on crashes, and are justly illegal in most states.

The pedestrian, of course, is not wholly free from blame. It has been extensively publicized that one should always walk on the left side of the highway, facing oncoming traffic—but a great many night-walkers apparently haven't heard the news yet. And many of them also don't seem to realize that to walk on a dark highway wearing dark clothes is an invitation to the coroner. Light refraction is an eccentric thing—and a darkly-dressed pedestrian often can't be seen by the motorist until it is too late.

Thus, we need education for the pedestrian as well as for the auto driver. But in the meantime, the driver should take every precaution—and even go to what may seem ridiculous lengths—to operate his car safely. After all, he is in command of a potentially lethal vehicle that literally kills more men than war does. Don't take a chance!

LOOKING FOR SUGGESTIONS?

In lots of public meetings, some time is given over to the consideration of suggestions for the good of the order. Inasmuch as we are indirectly interested, we would be delighted to see farmers and taxpayers under the Carlsbad project look into the feasibility of dredging the Pecos river channel in the Dayton vicinity and above so that water will flow into Lake McMillan unobstructed. Otherwise the Alamogordo dam will not prove the solution to the water problem of the lower valley farmers. Ample storage facilities are no doubt necessary to the success of the Carlsbad project, but unless there is a way provided for the water to reach the farmers, the Alamogordo dam will be of no more value than Lake McMillan is at the present time.

The point we are driving at is there is apparently a large volume of water wasted in the bogs and in the tamaracks because the river channel does not permit the water to run through to Lake McMillan. Seepage of water in the Dayton area is no good to any farming district. Little benefit was realized from a ten-foot rise in the river about three weeks ago and Lake McMillan is dry as result. Under these conditions, Lake McMillan even as secondary storage will be of practically no value to either the farmers or the sportsmen.

CLEAN UP

The Artesia community could stage a clean up and weed cutting campaign very profitably. Weeds detract from the appearance of the community and they are a health menace as well. Some progress is being made toward cleaning the weeds from city property, but the effort of a few individuals is not enough. Cooperative effort is needed. A clean town is a matter of civic pride and it should not be necessary to start some sort of a competitive campaign to arouse community interest in a project of this sort.

Removal of tin cans in such a manner that they cannot provide a mosquito breeding ground is also important to the health of the community and of course no great objection would be made to the removal of some of the junk piled along the highway.

SHEEP SALE AT SALT LAKE

SALT LAKE CITY—Sheepmen flocked to the Salt Lake City stockyards Tuesday to pay fancy prices for choice breeding stock.

Nearly 2,000 head of the western rangeland's finest animals were offered at auction in the twenty-first annual national ram sale of the National Wool Growers' as-

sociation. Nine western states and two Canadian provinces were represented in the pens.

The U. S. tobacco industry leads in advertising.

Iowa claims the greatest percentage of cultivated land of any state.

Chislings

A woman four and a half feet tall weighs 400 pounds. We presume that is in round numbers.

Brevity is the soul of wit, and the bathing suits are getting wittier and wittier.

It is claimed that gold can be made of other substances. A combination of energy and perseverance has always given good results.—Field News.

Lady: "So you are on a submarine. What do you do?"
Sailor: "I run forward and hold her nose when we want to take a dive."

"Yes," said the retired insurance agent, "I once induced a man to take out a \$25,000 insurance policy and the very next day after he got the policy he dropped dead."

"I suppose you wished your persuasive powers had not been so successful?"
"Well, hardly. You see, I married the widow."

City Girl: "Have you ever kissed a girl before?"
Rustic: "No, but I've put crosses at the end of a letter."

Boss: "My wife heard that I took you out to dinner the other evening."

Secretary: "Well, what does that make me?"
Boss: "I guess that makes you my former secretary."

The average man lives thirty-one years longer than he did in 1800. He has to in order to get his taxes paid.

Flossie Gay: "You'll never catch me going out to dinner with a newspaper man again."

Girl Friend: "Was he broke?"
Flossie: "I don't know whether he was broke or not, but he put a blue pencil through about half of my order."

Voice (over telephone): "Are you the game warden?"
"Yes, ma'am."

"I am so thankful I have the right person at last! Would your mind suggesting some games suitable for a children's party?"

The astronomy professor had shown his fair young visitor all through the observatory and explained the work in minute detail.

"I can understand how a new star might be discovered," she remarked sweetly, "but how do you clever people ever find out its name?"

Some candidates want to save the whole county, while others want to save only the old people.

Macpherson arrived at the office an hour late.
Chief: "What does this mean?"
Macpherson: "Well, it was like this: I squeezed the tube of paste a little too much, and it took at least half an hour to get the stuff back."

We do things with less effort. Now days you don't even have to dream. A lot of politicians and college professors will do that for you over the radio.

Paw Folkner is alleged to be entering his second childhood; at least he is threatening to cut a second set of teeth. Maybe he is finding Ma's beef steak a help.

A lot of these local windjammers can air-condition a building, but they don't seem to be able to lower the temperature.

FORTY-SIX COTTON GINS ARE OPERATED IN STATE

The census bureau, completing its survey of cotton ginning machinery and equipment in New Mexico, reported last week that the state had forty-six gins with a total bale capacity of 2,091 bales for a twelve-hour period.

The report was based on figures for 1935. Forty-four gins were reported active and two ginned no cotton during the season last year.

The report by counties showed Chaves with nine and a capacity of 366 bales for a twelve-hour period; Dona Ana with eighteen gins and a 926-bale capacity; Eddy with thirteen gins and a capacity of 604 bales, and all others with six gins and a capacity of 195 bales.

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Better Sight Is Important To All School Children

During the early years of a child's life, those years from two to twelve, are the years in which the child is learning to see. It is just as improper to force visual demands on this child as to force him to learn to walk. Since it is advisable to fit the child with proper shoes, to assist in teaching him the proper posture and gait in walking, so it is advisable to surround him with proper levels of illumination, to keep him from peering and straining to see during these learning stages of seeing.

The child, having to strain to see accurately under poor lighting levels, naturally aggravates to a serious point the strain co-existent with the use of this newly acquiring faculty. Too many of our poor students, truants, and "drop-outs" in the first and second years of high school and the first year of university are due to visual inefficiency. Every year we are faced with the problem of readepting these youngsters in order that they may go on with their school work. This has been recognized as a serious condition by eyesight specialists for some time. It is necessary that parents and teachers also recognize this very serious problem.

One other thing of equal importance, due to the same cause is the alarming increase in near-sightedness among school children. At the present time, from recent surveys made, it has been found that 20 per cent of the children in school are near-sighted. This in the face of the fact that 10 or 12 years ago, considering children and adults both, only 5 per cent were near-sighted. Eyesight specialists are fighting this condition but it is absolutely necessary that we have your cooperation. Else, inevitably, we shall raise a race of neurotic near-sighted children.

In the office again is the matter of improper lighting and the imperfectly developed eyes which cut down the efficiency of the employees. Unfortunately, up until now, the employer has shown no interest in the personal equation of his office help, the end result being that too many of these people are developing highly neurotic tendencies, mental and physical, which makes it impossible for them to enjoy life outside of the office, due to the fact that this excessive drain on nervous energy from imperfectly functioning eyes has exhausted their nervous reserves to the point that they no longer are normal human beings. Of serious importance is the number of stenographers who are being forced each year to either quit their jobs or take extended vacations due to actual or approaching nervous break-down.

Much research work has been done along this line in the past few years, with the result that the public service companies are prepared to make a lighting survey of your home, office or factory, and to give you valuable information at very little cost. The modern optometrist is prepared to make an examination and prescribe the amount of light necessary to give you the most efficiency and comfort in your visual tasks. So in order to avoid as much as possible the ever increasing need of glasses among school children, office and industrial workers, and in order to increase the visual efficiency of the nation, we sincerely advise that this lighting survey be made, and that proper lighting facilities be installed.



SCHOOL DAYS Are Here Again

THIS IS "Sight Saving Time"

GIVE A LITTLE THOUGHT TO YOUR EYES!

Do you see efficiently, without tiring your eyes; are you subject to headache that might be caused by overworked eyes; are your eyes being damaged by poor seeing conditions, such as lack of proper lighting?

Not one home in ten is properly lighted for comfortable, easy seeing. We recommend the I. E. S. CERTIFIED LAMPS for greatest lighting efficiency and comfort. Ask your electrical appliance dealer to demonstrate these lamps for you, or call by the utilities office and see them.

Be sure that your lighting conditions are correct, a Light-Sight Meter Test will determine this.

Be sure that your eyes are visually efficient. An eye examination by a competent eyesight specialist will reveal the true condition of your eyes.

Early attention to seeing-troubles often prevents serious consequences later on. See your eyesight specialist once each year.

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EDWARD STONE

LEGAL BLANKS---THE ADVOCATE

Announcing...

The Opening of a

Chrysler, Plymouth and Packard SALES and SERVICE

In the Bullock Building West of the Artesia Hotel

We Expect To Be Ready For Business By September 1st

We will have a complete line of new model cars as well as a select list of used cars. You will find our prices are right on used cars.

We Cordially Invite Our Friends and Customers To Call and See Us

Sears Motor Company

By PAUL BOMAR

Artesia Lodge No. 2 A. F. & A. M. Meets Third Night of Each Month. Visiting members invited to attend these meetings.

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Artesia Advocate
PHONE 7

Property Valuations Over New Mexico Show A Four Million Dollar Increase

SANTA FE—Property valuations for tax purposes in New Mexico showed a net increase of more than \$4,000,000 in a tabulation made public last week by the state tax commission. The figures will be used in fixing the state levy, to be announced in the next few days, for the next tax year.

Lea county accounted for the increase, with the other counties up and down, to about balance. The Lea county increase was \$4,048,756.

Eight counties showed decreases, the largest being Grant county, which dropped \$3,586,989. Others lowering were Colfax, Curry, McKinley, Rio Arriba, Sandoval, Santa Fe and Union. All other counties showed increases with Eddy showing next to the largest with \$1,648,826.

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Warranty Deeds—
Pecos Valley Trust Co., Earl J. Neville, Lot 11, Block 86, Love Addition.
Ramon Vera, Eduardo Martinez, Lot 3, Block "G", San Jose.
Earnest W. Bowman, C. C. Smith, Lots 1 and 2, Block 5, Tyler Addition, Artesia.
John R. Hodges, Louise E. Woods, Lot 3, Block 15, Lot 10, Block 8, Morning Side Addition, Artesia.
C. F. Davis, Mrs. N. J. Bibb, SWNW 1-18-25.
T. W. Carter, W. W. Burke, Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, Block 3, Morningside Addition, Artesia.
Mary C. Calvani, Oscar W. Hanson, part SSW 17-22-27.
Mary C. Calvani, Oscar W. Hanson, part SESE 18-22-27.
Earl J. Neville, Edward C. Sleas, Lot 11, Block 86, Love.

In the District Court—
No. 6235 The Abner Manufacturing Co., a corporation, vs. J. H. Bryon, et al., suit on note.

TOWNSENDITES SEEK REMOVAL OF FORRESTER

ALBUQUERQUE—Petition addressed to Dr. Francis Townsend asking the removal of George Forrester as area manager of the organization was circulated at Albuquerque last week.

The petition charged that he "advocated the nomination of two candidates who are not Townsendites."

The petition said Forrester was "in a position to advocate and secure the nomination" of two candidates who "favored the Townsend plan 100 per cent."

These were J. D. Schuster and Caswell S. Neal.

Instead, said the petition, Forrester "advocated the nomination of two candidates who were not Townsendites."

Advocate Want Ads Get Results!

LOCALS

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pior here last Thursday.

Howell Gage of Carlsbad, former resident of Artesia, was transacting business here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis drove up to the Lewis ranch near Pinon Sunday for a visit with their parents.

An inch of rain fell in the Portales and Clovis section last Thursday. The rainfall extended to Hereford, Texas.

Mrs. Charles Horne visited her husband, Charles Horne in Santa Fe over the week-end, returning here Sunday afternoon.

Misses Dorothy Vogel, Betty Lee McDonald, Joyce Dean and Wanda Lou and Agnes Allen underwent tonsillectomies here Friday.

Landis Ed Feather underwent a successful appendicitis operation at the St. Mary's hospital in Roswell last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gray of Eunice, former residents of Artesia, spent the first of the week here visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. A. D. Hill, who has been a patient at the St. Mary's hospital for the past two weeks following an attack of diabetes, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Clowe and family drove over to El Paso, Texas, Friday where their daughter, Miss Marjorie, underwent an eye inspection.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. Claypool of Fort Worth, Texas, are spending a fortnight here visiting Mrs. Claypool's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bullock and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Martin and family attended a reunion of the Martin family held at the home of Judge and Mrs. A. B. Martin at Amarillo, Texas, over the week-end.

Miss Eunice McKinley of Bernadillo county began her duties last week as county nurse at Carlsbad, succeeding Miss Agnes Covalt, who held this position until June 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stevenson of Santa Rita arrived last week for an indefinite visit with Mrs. Elizabeth Cooper, mother of Mrs. Stevenson, and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Blocker.

Joe Stafford and son-in-law, D. L. Baldwin of Clinton, Oklahoma, visited in the homes of Mr. Stafford's cousins, Hollis and Ed Watson and their families the first of the week.

Junior Cornelies of San Angelo, Texas, stopped off Sunday for a brief visit with Edgar Bishop. Messrs. Cornelies and Bishop were roommates at Baylor University last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bartlett and family left Sunday afternoon for Dallas, Texas, to visit the Centennial exposition. They also plan to visit the Frontier exposition before returning home.

Mrs. J. I. Pittman and granddaughter Hazel Louise Birlew of Oklahoma City, sister and grandniece of Mrs. Howard Williams, arrived last week for a two weeks visit at the Williams home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Basel of San Angelo, Texas, stopped off here for a brief business visit the first of the week en route to Santa Monica, California, where they plan to spend a short vacation.

Mrs. V. H. McNutt and daughter Miss Amie Lillian of San Antonio, Texas, former residents of Artesia, visited friends here and at Carlsbad last week before going to Clouderoft and Albuquerque to spend a short vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson and family, accompanied by Mrs. Thompson's mother, Mrs. M. E. Dorsey of Jackson, Mississippi, spent Tuesday and Wednesday visiting various points of interest in the Sacramento mountains, including the Artesia Sacramento camp. They also visited the White Sands, the Indian Reservation and Ruidoso.

Misses Doris Wilson of Fowler, Colorado, Stella Woodring of Pueblo, Colorado, and Ethel Woodring of Canyon, Colorado, spent a short time here last week visiting their uncle, F. L. Wilson, and Mrs. Wilson and family. Accompanied by Miss Helen Sage they made a trip to the Caverns, Juarez, Mexico, and El Paso, Texas, returning to Ruidoso, where they visited another uncle, George Wilson and family.

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Loans Extended In Dry Areas

WASHINGTON—W. I. Myers, governor of the Farm Credit Administration, said Monday that farmers in drouth areas who owe money to FCA agencies "will get extended time in which to meet their payments provided their cases are meritorious."

"No blanket extension of interest payments is contemplated," said the head of the federal agency, which supervises more than \$3,000,000,000 loaned out on both long and short term credits to farmers.

"Where the drouth or grasshoppers have caused extensive crop failure and seriously restricted income," Myers said, the FCA agencies "will consider extension—treating each case on its own merits."

The farm credit head predicted, however, that even in the areas hardest hit many borrowers will repay loans from livestock sales or reserves.

Myers said farmers voluntarily paid \$45,000,000 on the principal of their indebtedness last year although not required to make principal payments until 1938. He said normal payments would have been only \$41,000,000.

Texas Democratic Primary Results

DALLAS, Texas—Victory Saturday over Thomas L. Blanton, veteran congressman, Clyde Garrett, stocky Eastland county judge, was an interesting feature of the Texas democratic primary Saturday.

Garrett, advocating "more jobs and less dole," decisively defeated Blanton, representative from the 17th district in congress for twenty years, for the democratic nomination which in Texas ordinarily is tantamount to election.

With only about 500 votes uncounted, Garrett held 33,314 votes in 18,218 for Blanton.

Texas also nominated Colonel Ernest O. Thompson, chairman, to a second term on the state railroad commission; W. D. McFarlane to resume his seat in congress from the thirteenth district, and Albert Thomas to succeed Rep. Joe Eagle from Harris county.

200 ATTEND INTER-CITY ROTARY MEET

Nineteen Rotarians and Rotary Anns were among the 200 to attend the inter-city Rotary meeting held at Roswell last Thursday evening. Eight clubs were represented, including Juarez, Mexico, El Paso, Texas, Alamogordo, Albuquerque, Carlsbad, Portales, Roswell and Artesia. Dr. James F. Zimmerman, president of the University of New Mexico and governor of the 42nd district, spoke of the aims and plans of the district for the coming year. Sharing honors unexpectedly with Dr. Zimmerman was his guest, Dan Malloy, governor of the 74th district of Rotary International, Costa Rico, Central America.

Among the local Rotarians and Rotary Anns attending the meeting at Roswell were: Messrs. and Mrs. Arba Green, W. E. Kerr, Roy Lowe, A. P. Mahone, H. G. Watson, H. S. Williams, W. Leslie Martin, W. B. McCrory, Mrs. C. T. Gaskins, D. I. Clowe and Chas. Morgan.

WANTED SUGGESTIONS
SANTA FE—John E. Miles, democratic state chairman said Monday the party's platform committee will be "glad to receive suggestions from interested groups throughout the state."

He made the statement in announcing membership of the committee, which will draw up a tentative platform to be submitted to the state convention in Albuquerque a week from today.

Conoco Oilers Defeat Miners Score of 15 to 4

The U. S. Potash Miners of Carlsbad invaded Artesia Sunday to avenge a twelve to six defeat on their home field two weeks ago by the Artesia Conoco Oilers. The Miners were greeted with a 21-hit attack against three of their pitchers, resulting in a 15 to 4 victory for the Artesia club.

Despite the one-sided score, the game furnished plenty of excitement and fast action. Although "Lefty" Wright of Artesia surrendered ten safe blows, they were well scattered and he hurried effectively in the rough spots, striking out eight Carlsbad batters and giving no free passes. Wright was backed by fast, accurate play from his teammates, as well as a hitting attack that saw Roberts slop two balls out of the park over left field with two men on base the first time, and all corners filled the next time, as the Oilers hit three Miner pitchers at will.

The score by innings:
Miners.....001 000 003— 4 10 2
Oilers.....301 320 060—15 21 3

The box score:
MINERS AB H R E
McAllister, cf5 1 0 0
Watson, 2b4 1 0 0
Horne, ss4 0 0 1
Kenzora, lf & p4 1 1 0
Stamp, c4 3 1 0
Ward, 3b & p4 0 0 1
Haas, rf4 1 0 0
McFall, lb4 1 1 0
Matteson, p & lb4 2 1 0

Totals.....37 10 4 2
Hits: Two doubles and eight singles.

OILERS AB H R E
W. Smith, cf5 2 3 0
L. Smith, lb5 3 2 0
Roberts, 3b6 4 3 0
Ferguson, 2b6 4 1 1
Pashea, ss5 2 1 1
Grayson, lf5 1 0 0
Bryan, c5 0 0 1
S. Smith, rf5 2 3 0
Wright, p5 3 2 0

Totals.....47 21 15 3
Hits: One home run, two triples, four doubles and fourteen singles.

Output of Gold Is Up In State

WASHINGTON—The Bureau of Mines Friday reported New Mexico's mineral production in 1935, compared with 1934, showed an increase of 18 per cent in gold output, a slight increase in silver, and large decreases in copper, lead and zinc.

The state produced 33,430 fine ounces of gold, an increase of more than 6,000 ounces, and slightly more than a million ounces of silver. Copper production was 4,500,000 pounds, a decrease of nearly 20,000,000 pounds. This was attributed to idleness of the Chino mines near Santa Rita.

Grant and San Miguel were the leading county producers.

AIR POCKET BLOWS IN A HOBBS WELL

HOBBS—Drilling crew workers attempted Tuesday to plug a well of the Gulf Oil company southwest of here after an air pocket blew in at 2,040 feet late Monday, hurling the drill pipe bit out of the hole and smashing the derrick. None was injured.

Typewriters for rent—Advocate.

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May I repeat: "If elected, I shall endeavor to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability."

Again I thank you.

B. F. Montgomery
NOMINEE FOR PROBATE JUDGE

THE FALL SEASON --

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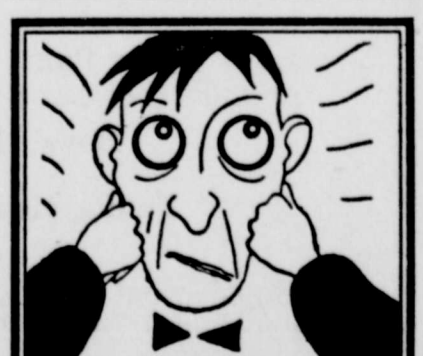
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SOCIETY

COTTONWOOD LADIES AID MEETS THURSDAY

One of the most delightful and enjoyable meetings of the year was held in the new basement of the Cottonwood church Thursday afternoon at 2:30. The church basement was beautifully decorated with garden flowers which added much to the pleasant affair.

The president, Mrs. E. P. Malone, opened the program with the devotionals which was followed by prayer led by Mrs. D. A. Bradley. A very interesting and impressive program was given by the following: Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Montgomery. A special song was rendered by Mrs. Bob O'Bannon and Mrs. E. P. Malone, and a reading by Miss Lois Howard.

At the close of the business meeting members and visitors presented a shower to the lovely new basement which consisted of everything useful for the kitchen. It was a very pleasant and happy occasion for all who were present. It was decided to give a supper on Friday night, August 28th, at the new basement in honor of the men who have so willingly and faithfully contributed their time and money to the building of the basement of the Cottonwood church.

Delicious refreshments of cake and iced fruit punch were served by the charming hostesses, Mrs. Monroe Howard and Mrs. Glen O'Bannon. Those present at this happy affair were: Mmes. Golden, Terry, Gressett, Middleton, Brown, Montgomery, Bob O'Bannon, Doering, Shultz, Knowles, Oscar Pearson, Clarence Pearson, Malone, Owens, Wayne Norris, Tomlinson, Bailey, Bradley, Howard, Glen O'Bannon, Misses Bradley, Parker, Mary Frances O'Bannon, Lois Howard, Tomlinson and Minnie Opal Parker.

The next meeting will be held at the church on September 17th, with Mmes. Oscar and Clarence Pearson as hostesses. (Contributed)

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS WEDNESDAY

The first meeting of Woman's club for the coming year will be held at the club house Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. Jeff Hightower, club president, urges every club member to be present at the opening meeting. Education was the theme used in the programs for last year. Progress will be the theme used this year. The program committee, with Mrs. John Lanning as chairman, has spent much time and thought on the programs for this year. The woman who does not belong and attend club this year will miss many worth-while programs.

The membership committee will ask for applications for new members at this first meeting or will accept them by telephone before the meeting.

M. E. MISSIONARY SOCIETY AT BULLOCK HOME LAST THURSDAY

Mrs. E. B. Bullock and Mmes. Landis Feather and R. O. Cowan were co-hostesses in entertaining the Methodist Missionary Society at the home of Mrs. Bullock, last Thursday afternoon.

About twenty-five ladies were present to hear the splendid program on "Hospitals in China," with Mrs. George Frisch as leader. The Rev. A. C. Douglas also spoke to the ladies on the evangelistic campaign which is being sponsored by a group of the churches.

The hostesses served delicious ice cream and cake during a social hour following the program. Mrs. M. E. Dorsey of Jackson, Mississippi, was a visiting guest.

MRS. WATSON ENTERTAINS MIERCOLES BRIDGE CLUB

Members of the Miercoles Bridge club were entertained by Mrs. Hollis Watson Friday afternoon.

Those enjoying the session of contract were: Mmes. J. R. Attebery, C. R. Baldwin, Ben Pior, Howard Williams, Elza Swift, A. P. Mahone, Lewis Story, Donald Marshall, John Lanning, Jack Spratt, Raymond Bartlett and Mrs. Will Spencer of Los Angeles. High score award went to Mrs. Swift.

The hostess served ice cream and cake at the conclusion of the games.

C. H. B. PICNIC AND MELON FEAST

Members of the C. H. B. class of the Presbyterian Sunday school enjoyed a picnic and melon feast at the golf course west of the city Monday evening.

About fifteen were present to enjoy this delightful outing.

Augusta Spratt announces the opening of her studio for piano and voice September 1st at her home. A graduate of voice and piano, Ouachita College, Arkadelphia, Arkansas, and an Arkansas state accredited teacher of piano, also a pupil of Alice C. Henniger School of Bel Canto vocal study, invites your patronage. 34-2t

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FRIDAY

The H 2 O Bridge club meets with Mrs. G. R. Brainard at 8:00 a. m.

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

TUESDAY

The First Afternoon Bridge club meets with Mrs. Beecher Rowan at 2:15 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

The Woman's club meets at the club house at 2:30 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The M. E. Missionary Society meets at the church parlor at 2:30 p. m.

Baptist W. M. U. meets at the church at 2:30 p. m.

The Presbyterian Missionary Society meets with Mrs. Russell Rogers at 2:30 p. m.

VIERNES BRIDGE CLUB WITH MRS. COMPARY

Mrs. Andy Compary entertained the Viernes Bridge club at her home Friday afternoon.

At the conclusion of the games of contract, Mrs. Ed Gillispie was awarded high score prize, Mrs. Albert Glasser, second high, and Mrs. Marvel Archer, consolation prize. Others enjoying the session of bridge were: Mmes. Joe Foster, Boone Barnett, W. H. Barker, Merrill Sharp and the hostess.

A light refreshment course was served by Mrs. Compary at the close of the games.

FORTNIGHTLY BRIDGE CLUB

The Fortnightly Bridge club was entertained by Mrs. Albert Richards Tuesday afternoon.

A delicious one o'clock luncheon was served in three courses to the following guests: Mmes. Charlie Martin, John Lanning, J. R. Attebery, Leslie Martin, J. B. Atkeson, William Linell, C. R. Blocker, Hollis Watson, Frank Smith, A. P. Mahone, Mrs. Will Spencer of Los Angeles and Mrs. Fred Stevenson of Santa Rita.

At the close of five rounds of contract Mrs. Charlie Martin held high score.

ABNORMIS SAPIENS BRIDGE CLUB

The Abnormis Sapiens Bridge club met with Mrs. J. J. Clarke Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Morgan and Miss Catherine Clarke were substituting guests. At the conclusion of the games of contract Mrs. J. M. Story held high score.

The hostess served light refreshments at the close of the afternoon.

BARBECUE AT GOLF COURSE

Members of the Artesia Golf club with their wives and friends will gather at the golf course this evening for the barbecue given in connection with the annual city tournament, which is underway now. The tournament will end September 10th. Thirty-six players have entered the tourney.

COUNTY'S TEXT BOOKS ARRIVE

The county superintendent's office at Carlsbad Monday was in receipt of 2,500 free text books from the state department of education, to be distributed to every grade school in Eddy county, both urban and rural.

The list includes all history, English, reading, and geography text books, and supplementary reading for several subjects.

Included in the free school books is "The Story of New Mexico" for eighth grades.

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Locals

G. G. Mitchell, Dunken rancher, was attending to business matters here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spivey of Hobbs spent the week-end here with their home folks.

Mrs. George Walton of Gallup is here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jackson.

Mrs. Leland Austin (Gladys Cowan) of McAllen, Texas, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Cowan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams and daughter Georgia Lee of Lovington were week-end visitors with their home folks.

Mrs. R. B. Young of Roswell was a guest of Miss Jennie Mae Attebery and her mother, Mrs. Sally Attebery, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Boggs and son of Iowa Park, Texas, and Mrs. Mary Crowley and children of Duncan, Oklahoma, visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Boggs and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edson Jones and their small daughter and son of Waukegan, Illinois, are expected Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Jones' mother, Mrs. C. Bert Smith, and her sister, Mrs. John Lanning and family.

The sale of the E. S. Shattuck ranch in the Queen section was announced at Carlsbad. The purchaser is Eli J. Jones, formerly of Lovington. The sale includes both patented and forest land. Mr. and Mrs. Shattuck, pioneer residents of Eddy county, plan to make their home in Carlsbad.

Mrs. Will Spencer and daughter, Miss Marjorie Helen, of Los Angeles arrived last week for a visit with her cousin, Mrs. J. R. Attebery and family. They expect to leave for their home today. Mrs. Spencer and daughter have just returned from a visit to the Texas Centennial at Dallas and Fort Worth. They visited the Carlsbad Caverns Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. Attebery and her mother, Mrs. N. L. Johnson of Hope.

The Advocate's Tested Recipe

By Frances Lee Barton

SUNDAY'S pork roast puts on airs and steps out—as pork timbales — savory with onion and a hint of sage.

You'll find it hard to believe that there's "nary an egg" goes into the making of these tender, shapely molds.

Serve them up on slices of tart apples that have been delicately browned in butter and with gay cockades of parsley, or frills of carrot top.

Savory Pork Timbales
2 tablespoons chopped onion; 1 tablespoon butter; 3 cups ground cooked pork; 3 tablespoons quick cooking tapioca; 1 teaspoon salt; dash of pepper; 1/2 teaspoon sage; 1 cup milk.

Saute onion in butter; combine with remaining ingredients in order given. Bake in greased custard cups in hot oven (450° F.) 30 minutes. Unmold and serve with thick slices of apples sautéed in butter. Serves 6.

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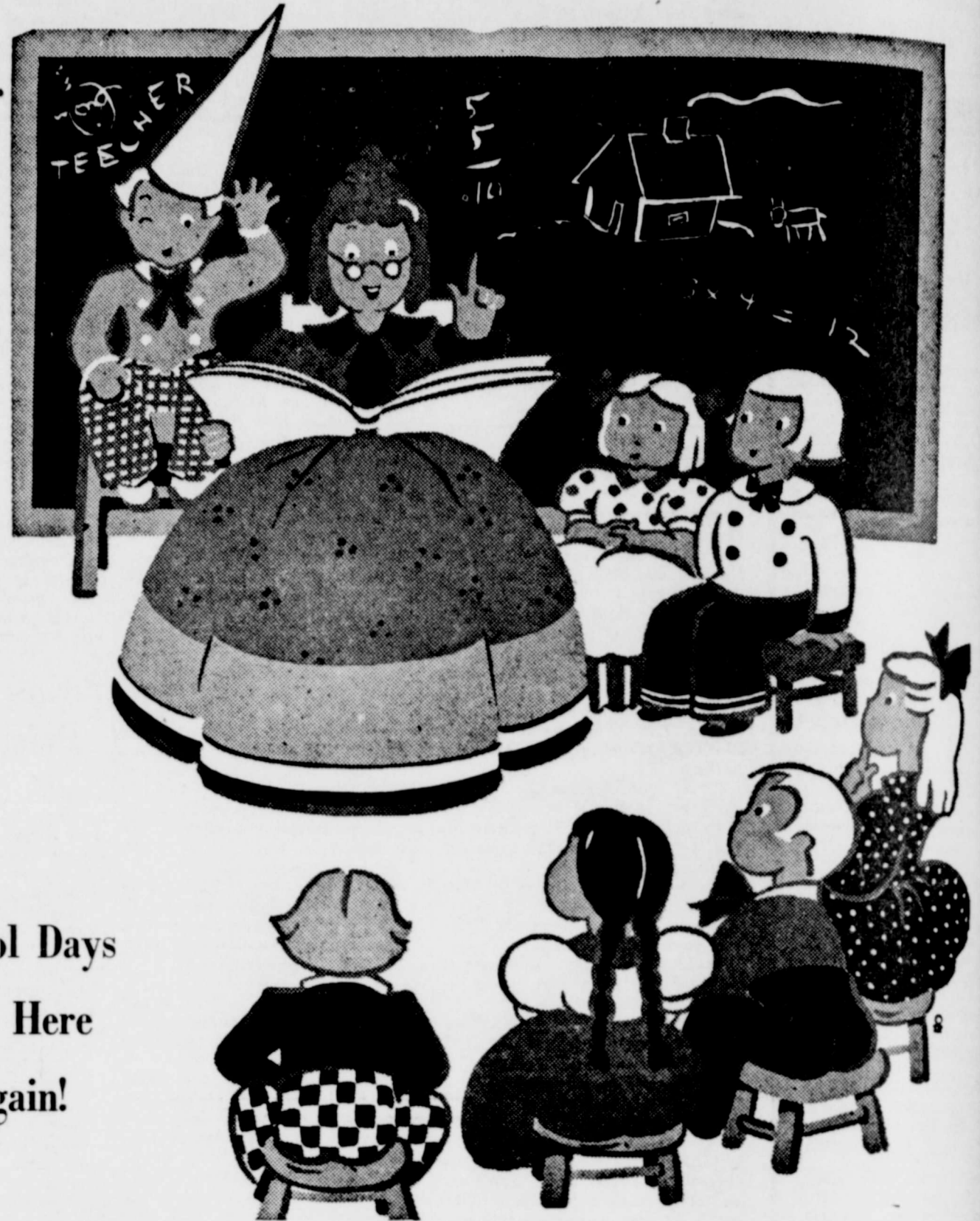
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THE PROBATE COURT OF THE COUNTY OF WARREN T. BOATWRIGHT, DECEASED No. 756

NOTICE

is hereby given that W. T. Boatwright, administrator of the estate of Warren T. Boatwright, has filed his Final Report as administrator of said estate together with his Petition for his discharge; and the said P. J. McCall, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, set the 17th day of September, 1936, at the hour of 2:00 P. M. at the courtroom of the County of Warren, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing objections, there be, to said Report and before any person or persons to object are hereby notified to file their objections with the Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the date said hearing.

R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk. By DOTTE C. CRAFT, Deputy. 34-3t

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What is the Tuberculin Test? The tuberculin test is a simple method to discover whether or not an individual has at some time been exposed to the germs of tuberculosis to such an extent that the germs have entered the body. The test is given by a small amount of fluid under the first layer of the forearm; forty-eight hours later "reads" it—grading according to the amount of induration at the point of the injection. The amount of induration is an indication of active tuberculosis. If the individual is sensitive the test the doctors may have a positive reaction, but this means that at some time in contact with a tuberculous person some germs entered the body—in all probability they do no harm. To be absolutely sure however, an X-ray is taken of the lungs of every positive individual who is given the test. If the X-ray shows any evidence of active tuberculosis or any need for caution the person tested and his physician will be so advised. Discovery of tuberculosis in an early stage insures recovery at a minimum expenditure of money.

Information regarding this may be obtained from the New Mexico Tuberculosis Association, Box 1089, El Paso, New Mexico, free of charge.

"THAT LITTLE GAME" Inter-nat'l Cartoon Co., N.Y.—By B. Link



Oilfield Items

Miss Margaret McCrory, Reporter

Joe Solt was a week-end guest of Raymond Kennedy.

Miss Jean Solt is visiting Miss Ada Kennedy this week.

Kenneth Williams visited with Buddy McCrory this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Solt and family made a business trip to Roswell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Matthews and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vogel of Artesia Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Miller of Borger, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Knowles and family made a trip to Cloudercroft Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goff of Oklahoma City and Miss Lillian Goff of Seminole, Oklahoma, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beard last week.

Mrs. Newt Farquharson, Miss Maxine Farquharson and Walter Giddens of Oilton, Oklahoma, and Mrs. James Francis visited with Mrs. William Foster Friday afternoon.



FIVE Meals a Day!
Or Why Cooks Leave Home

SHALL we eat three meals a day—or five? Is there any particular reason why, for years, we have accepted three, rather than four or five as the correct number of daily meals? On what number of meals is human efficiency highest?

These are some of the questions which Howard W. Haggard and Leon A. Greenberg seek to answer in their new book, "Diet and Physical Efficiency." They are questions which will be worth the consideration of housewives whose task it is to keep modern families fit.

Worth Considering

The authors maintain that the conventional arrangement of three meals per day is not determined solely, or even chiefly, for the greatest nutritional advantage. Breakfast is a light meal because it requires that someone should get up early to prepare it; the evening meal is eaten fairly early so that someone does not have to work late to wash dishes. The factory worker eats light lunch at noon while the farm laborer eats his dinner at noon—partly because the farmer's wife likes to get her work out of the way in the morning hours.

Yet, this volume points out, a household often includes young, middle aged and aged people whose nutritional needs are widely different. By checking up the industrial output of factory operatives, the authors found that as much as 10 per cent greater efficiency was achieved by a change from three meals a day to five, with no alteration in the total amount of food eaten, and this plan abolished a fall in production in the late hours of the morning and afternoon.

But how about cooking five meals a day, the housewife will ask? Cannons have provided a modern means of preparing satisfactory and delicious meals. It is as simple today to prepare five good meals as it was, years ago, to prepare three—simpler perhaps. Nourishing soups, delicious canned meats, vegetables, ingredients for salads, specialties, beverages and desserts greatly simplify modern meal preparing. Perhaps you'll try it!

MOUNTAIN SHEEP IN THE GUADALUPES

ALBUQUERQUE—Mountain sheep in unknown numbers range over the almost inaccessible Guadalupe peaks in the southern part of the Lincoln national forest.

Game experts of the forest service have established the presence of herds of this scarce game animal in brief surveys of the area but have been unable to determine their numbers.

Ranger Pinson, who, with R. P. Boone, game expert of the regional forester's office, Supervisor Beall of the Lincoln forest, and J. Stokely Ligon, made surveys of the area, said he would cover the southwest breaks of the Guadalupe this winter in an attempt to determine the extent of the herds.

DISTRICT SINGING CONVENTION HERE

The Fifth Sunday district singing convention, composed of Eddy, Chaves and Lea counties, will convene here Sunday for an all-day meeting. A. D. Hill of the Cottonwood announced yesterday. The place of meeting is at the Nazarene church. Lunch will be served on the grounds. Bring your lunch. The Meadow Sisters quartette of Portales will be present and will render several selections. The public is cordially invited to attend. Singers from the communities of the three counties are expected to attend.

DRINK MANUFACTURER FORCED TO RETURN TO OKLAHOMA, IS DECREE

Joe Lewis, Hot Springs soft drink dealer, last week was sent to Oklahoma to finish an unexpired ten-year sentence assessed against W. L. Birchfield, who escaped from the Oklahoma penitentiary in 1923.

Prison officials allege Birchfield and Lewis are the same man. Lewis continued to deny he is Birchfield.

Dr. John Clarke, Jr., accompanied by his mother, Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Sr., and his sister, Miss Catherine Clarke, expect to leave for New Orleans the first of the week. They will visit the Texas Centennial at Dallas and Ft. Worth en route. Miss Catherine will enter the Loyolla School of Dentistry in New Orleans in September.

ROSWELL GETS 1937 MEET

Carding a two under par 69 for the 18-hole Clovis golf course, R. E. (Red) Gober led the field of qualifiers in the New Mexico state golf tournament at end of play at Clovis Thursday.

Carl Jones, 1931 state champion, was closely on Gober's heels with a 71 and Shorty Hornbuckle, tittle-threat for the past two years, disappointed his followers with a 74.

A field of thirty-four players to compete in the several flights to be organized spread over the course and were trailing in slowly as darkness began to fall.

Roswell was awarded the 1937 tourney at a meeting Wednesday night which opened the 22nd annual meet.

SAN JUAN WATER RIGHTS VACATED

SANTA FE—A recently signed district court order which honored thirty-year-old claims to approximately 78 per cent of all the waters of the San Juan river, important tributary of the Colorado which supplies Boulder dam, has been vacated, Judge M. A. Otero, Jr., said Tuesday.

A garbage grinder attached to the sink reduces waste to pulp and it is then washed down the sewer.

Locals

Melvin Allen, Reece Otts and Clyde Miller underwent tonsillectomies here yesterday.

Miss Inez Knowles returned last week from an extended visit with relatives in Oklahoma and Kansas.

C. E. Mann returned the latter part of last week with his wife and daughters who have spent several weeks in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Hamilton and family spent the week-end in Cloudercroft, returning by the White Sands near Alamogordo.

Mr. and Mrs. Tex Henson and small son of Hobbs visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mann, the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Carter and son of Memphis, Texas, former residents of Hope, were visiting friends here for a short time today.

Mrs. Hooper Groh and small son Delbert Muncy who have spent the summer here visiting relatives, left the first of the week. They expected to be joined by Mr. Groh at Colorado, Texas, and from there they will visit the Texas Centennial at Dallas before returning to their home at Overton, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Compton of Fort Worth left Friday after visiting Mrs. Compton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Wilson for several days. They were joined in Santa Fe by Mr. and Mrs. William Compton and Mrs. R. D. Compton for a trout fishing trip in the northern part of the state this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stovall and two sons of Huntsville, Texas, and Mrs. Ethel Jones and daughter Margaret of Houston, Texas, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Brainard last week while they visited the Caverns, Cloudercroft, and other places of interest, left for their homes Saturday, going by way of El Paso.

About Mosquitoes

Excerpts from the following letter received from the United States Health Department should be of interest to our readers since it tells about the origin of mosquitoes and some of the control methods used.

The letter:

Washington, D. C. August 20, 1936.

Mr. W. C. Martin, The "Artesia Advocate" Artesia, New Mexico. Dear Mr. Martin:

This will acknowledge your letter of August 15, requesting information on the breeding places of mosquitoes in connection with the malaria control project which you propose to institute in the vicinity of Artesia, New Mexico.

For your information, mosquitoes breed only in water. Some species require still, quiescent water for breeding purposes, while other species will breed in slowly moving streams. It requires the services of a trained person to make an adequate survey for the purposes of defining a mosquito problem and devising methods for its control. There are effective methods of mosquito control other than drainage and the application of oil. For example, a larvicide made from Pyrethrum flowers is not harmful to vegetation, clothing, man, or the larger animals, but is effective against the larvae of mosquitoes. Still another method of mosquito control for control of malaria is the use of a dust larvicide mixture containing paris green which has a deleterious action on only malaria transmitting mosquitoes.

A copy of this letter is being sent to Dr. Earp, and should you communicate with him, I believe he will supply you with full information in this matter.

Sincerely,
L. L. WILLIAMS, JR., Medical Officer in Charge.

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SIX-FOOT LION SLAIN IN PINE LODGE SECTION

A six-foot mountain lion was killed Monday near Pine Lodge, chase originating in the Capitan mountains, in a lion canyon and ending with the killing of the beast in Dolores Sequa canyon. The lion was jumped at 5:30 a. m., and killed at 11:55 a. m.

The lion, no doubt, had been preying on deer in the vicinity as the meat of a young fawn was found in its stomach. Both ears of the fawn were found.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF W. S. WILLIAMS, DECEASED No. 788

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 25th day of July, 1936, appointed executrix of the estate of W. S. Williams, deceased, by Honorable P. J. McCall, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

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

MINNIE A. WILLIAMS, Executrix. 32-4t

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, General Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, July 30, 1936.

NOTICE is hereby given that Vera A. Mann, heir and for the heirs of Roxie May Mann, deceased, of Artesia, N. Mex., who, on June 8, 1931, made desert land entry, No. 041577, for NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 12, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. Mex., on the 12th day of September, 1936.

Claimant names as witnesses: Will Benson, Hubert L. Jones, George W. Jones, Roy Bisbee, all of Artesia, N. Mex. PAUL A. ROACH, Register. 32-5t

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-3 & RA-389 (Consolidated) Santa Fe, N. M., August 18, 1936.

Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of August, 1936, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Ira S. Reser & I. P. Johnson of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the underground waters of Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 2000 gallons per minute by the drilling of a 12 1/4 inch well approximately 900 feet in depth, located at a point in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 8, T. 16 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 387 acres of land situated in T. 16 S., R. 26 E., and further described as follows: NW 1/4 Sec. 8, 135 acres; W 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 8, 80 acres; N 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 8, 57 acres; North Part E 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 8, 55 acres; North Part W 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 9, 60 acres.

All of said lands are claimed to have been beneficially irrigated by waters of artesian origin. The applicants agree to plug well No. RA-3 located at a point adjacent to the W 1/4 corner of said Sec. 8 and Well No. RA-389 located at a point in the NW corner of SE 1/4 NE 1/4 of said Sec. 8. 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 September, 1936, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested. THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer. 35-3t

Health Column

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

Diarrhea

Last year 237 babies died from diarrhea in New Mexico. Of these deaths 87 were reported in September and October. Chief causes of diarrhea are (1) infected food (2) too much food (3) irritating food. The first two of these causes are greatly increased by hot weather. Infecting germs, like the bacillus of dysentery, multiply rapidly and live much longer when it is hot. Also there are many flies to carry them from the deposits of human waste back into the home. In hot weather the baby gets thirsty just like the grown-ups. But the baby cannot reach the water jug. He can only cry. If then mother gives him milk instead of water he soon gets too much food.

The treatment of diarrhea varies somewhat according to the cause. But in all forms of diarrhea the great danger is the same: nearly every baby that dies from loss of water. A baby with diarrhea loses ten times as much water as he is able to drink. The first thing to do therefore is to stop giving food and start giving water or weak tea. But do not give too much water at a time. Babies with diarrhea are easily made to vomit and if they start vomiting they lose water just twice as fast. So give the drinks often but in small quantities.

Danger signs are: Numerous (over five daily), loose, watery stools. Blood and mucus in the stools

Heavy Buying Livestock Seen

WASHINGTON—Heavier government purchases of drought-distressed cattle unless good fall rains occur were forecast Tuesday by William O. Fraser, chairman of the agriculture department's drouth cattle committee.

Twenty-three counties in five states were added during the day to official drouth territory eligible for emergency federal relief.

"Total purchases will be only a fraction of the 1934 cattle numbers taken by federal agencies, but the future buying tempo may approximate on a percentage basis the increase in purchases during the latter part of the 1934 season."

There were some feeding areas, short on forage and water, in the twenty-three counties in Arkansas, Illinois, Minnesota, Nebraska and Virginia which were added to official drouth territory.

STRIP CROPS ON CONTOUR ELIMINATE "POINT" ROWS

Contour farming is a fine way to reduce run-off and erosion on sloping fields, but strip cropping is even better, according to reports to the Soil Conservation Service.

Strip crops on the contour not only retard run-off but in most fields the close-planted crops take up the short, "point" rows that result from variations in the contour. Very few fields have the same angles of contour from one side to the other.

An experiment in the south showed that land planted on the contour to cotton alone last ten times as much soil as a similar field strip cropped with cotton and oats.

Land in cotton alone with rows up and down hill lost soil at the rate of seventeen tons an acre and more than half of its rainfall. The strip cropped land averaged only half a ton per acre soil loss and lost only a little of its rainfall. Strip cropping is alternating strips of close-growing, many-rooted crops—such as grasses, legumes or small grains—with rows of clean-tilled crops like corn and cotton. Strip crops spread out and soak up the water that runs off the row crops and act as barriers to any small gullies that may form in the freshly tilled soil.

Next Sunday Miss Ruby Rowland will be in charge. Thursday, August 27th, the conference club will meet at Mrs. J. W. Graham's at 7:30 p. m.

WE WONDER WHY CHESTER DOESN'T WANT ANY PARTIES, PICNICS, ETC., ON WEDNESDAY NIGHTS?

Wednesday, September 2nd, is the date for the next C. E. social and election. All members be sure to remember this and be there.

Be seen 'ya at C. E.

DROUTH CONFERENCE

HYDE PARK, New York—President Roosevelt, from his Hyde Park home, last week wired invitations to Governor Alf M. Landon of Kansas, presidential candidate on the republican ticket, and to the governors of Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri, and Oklahoma, to meet him in conference Tuesday, September 1, in Des Moines, Iowa. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the drouth in the states named and to lay plans for relief that is needed and will be needed.

Penasco Items

Miss Madie Reeves, Reporter Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vickers spent the week-end at Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Runyan are on a fishing trip to Fairview.

Jim Harwell is hauling cattle for Bernard Cleve to Alamogordo.

Marian Gatlin of Ajo, Arizona, is visiting in the Tom Runyan home.

Austin Reeves made a business trip to Roswell Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

Lamar Williams of Corpus Christi, Texas, is visiting his brother, Boyd Williams.

Lee Reeves returned home Sunday from Three Rivers where he has been for the past month.

Miss Blanch Freeman, who is visiting Mrs. Oris Cleve, plans to return to her home in Louisiana this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hogsett of Artesia spent Saturday night at the Austin Reeves home en route to Red River on a fishing trip.

The Club met at the home of Mrs. J. W. Harwell Thursday. A very enjoyable day was spent. At noontime a very delicious dinner was served to the following: Mmes. Oris Cleve, Earl Paxton, Boyd Williams, Austin Reeves and H. J. Powell, Misses Blanch Freeman, Rachel Powell, Truth Reeves and Madie Reeves.

C. E. Notes

(Cecil Fletcher, Reporter)

A large group enjoyed the lesson under the capable leadership of "Bubs" Coll last Sunday night. The theme of the program was: "What To Tune In and What To Tune Out." Applicable to both radioing and to our lives.

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CHURCHES

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH 504 S 9th St.

Sunday services: 7:00 a. m. Mass—English. 8:30 a. m. Mass—Spanish.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY 613 West Main St.

11:00 a. m. Sunday services.

"Christ Jesus" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches and Societies of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, August 30th.

The golden text is: "God sent not His son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved." (John 3:17)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "For the law was given by Moses, but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ." (John 1:17)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science text book: "The Christ was the spirit which Jesus implied in his own statements: 'I am the way, the truth, and the life,' 'I and my Father are one.' This Christ, or divinity of the man Jesus, was his divine nature, the godliness which animated him."

NEW BOOKS FOR AUGUST

"Gone With the Wind," Mitchell. "The Last Puritan," Santayana. "The Clansmen," Boileau. "Rolling Years," Turnbull. "Eyesless in Gaza," Huxley. "American Flags," Norris.

GIRLS' BOOKS

"Cheer Leader," Singer. "Helen in the Editor's Chair," Wheeler.

The original constitution is kept in a glass case in the Library of Congress.

Forest Fire Damage More Than Double Over Same Period Last Year

ALBUQUERQUE—Due to the increased hazard, forest fire damage to the national forests of New Mexico is over double for this year at the present date as compared with the same date of 1935, statistics recently compiled by the regional forester's office showed here recently.

Rains were considerably heavier last year and aided forest rangers in battling flames to keep down acreage burned over to only 293 acres. At the same date for 1936 the damage reported is 598 acres.

There have been 406 separate forest fires for 1936 as compared with only 238 for last year. The man-caused fires, however, have decreased considerably from 88 in 1935 to 65 in 1936.

According to figures recently compiled by the regional office, smokers caused more acreage to be burned in 1935 than did natural causes. Out of 316 acres burned over last year, smokers damaged 144 acres, lighting 103 acres, campers 39 acres, incendiary 2 acres, and lumbering only 1 acre.

Expenditures from the forest service fire fund to put these fires out totaled over \$7,000.00. Salary and expenses of forest officers amounted to over \$2,000.

Compared with any four-year average of previous years the fire damage to the lands within the National Forests has been considerably lessened since the CCC and other relief organizations were made available for use of the forest service. This reduction in damage has resulted despite the increase, on a whole, of the actual numbers of forest fires.

STATE RECEIPTS FOR LIQUOR UP \$190,000

SANTA FE—The state liquor board Saturday stated receipts for the last fiscal year totaled slightly more than \$190,000 more than for the previous twelve months.

Notice of Office Remov

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Hope Items

Miss Frances Johnson, Reporter

Lit Prude was in from the ranch this week attending to business in Hope and in the valley.

Jeanne White visited Thursday and Friday with her sister, Olive Blanche White in Hobbs.

Mrs. John Prude left over the week-end for Deming where she is visiting her brother, Dee Jernigan and family.

John Prude returned Saturday from Tularosa where he has been several days visiting his uncle, Andrew Prude.

Anna Frances Keller, who has been in Altus, Oklahoma, almost all summer, returned to her home here this week.

Misses Margaret and Alice Ruth Williams spent the week-end in El Paso shopping and visiting friends, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Buck.

Miss Lucille Morris of El Paso, Texas, principal of Central school of Artesia, is spending the week here with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Riley.

Misses Alma and Maggie Lane passed through Hope Friday going to the Sacramento assembly camp near Weed where they are spending the week.

The Methodist meeting which has been held for the past two weeks closed Sunday evening with the Rev. R. L. Willingham giving his closing sermon.

Peggy Hamill spent the week-end in Hobbs visiting her aunt, Olive Blanche White. Mrs. Hamill drove to Carlsbad Tuesday afternoon to get Peggy.

Thomas Conway and Charles Fink left Monday morning for Mayhill where they attended to business concerning the resettlement project at Hope.

The Hope Music club was re-organized Monday afternoon at Hope when the instructor, Mrs. C. J. Ferrell of Artesia came up and started class work.

Dick Waggernsmith from the regional resettlement office at Amarillo attended to business in the local office Monday morning, returning to his home that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Ogle arrived Wednesday from Greeley, Colorado, where they have been spending the summer. Mr. Ogle will continue his position in the Hope high school as coach.

Mr. and Mrs. Novis Reed and son John Wesley of Kansas City, Missouri, arrived in Hope Saturday to spend several days visiting Mr. Reed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Reed.

Mrs. Bonnie Altman and Bobbie Wood, who have been in Wilmington, California, since the latter part of June, returned to their home here Thursday to remain definitely.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey McClellan and son Jack of Lubbock, Texas, arrived here Saturday evening and spent Sunday with Mr. McClellan's sister, Mrs. Bryant Williams. They returned to Lubbock Sunday.

A large number of hunters attended the coyote drive held on the Tom Coffin ranch southeast of Hope Sunday. Several cars and twenty horses were used in the drive. Only one coyote was shot.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mullins and family of Crystal City, Texas, arrived here Monday evening to spend several days visiting Mrs. Mullins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Cox, and her brother, Irvin Cox and family.

Mrs. Harold Mehrens and family who have been spending the past two weeks here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Swift, left Wednesday for Carlsbad where she visited a few days before returning to her home at Portales.

Mrs. William H. Spencer and daughter Marjorie Helen of Los Angeles, California, who have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. N. L. Johnson, left Thursday for Prescott, Arizona, where they will visit relatives before returning to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Y. Haley and children of Klondike, Arizona, are here visiting Mrs. Haley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Buckner and family. Margaret Buckner, who has been spending the summer with them in Klondike, returned to her home here with them.

Frank Curry, agriculture instructor in the Hope high school, and Hoyt Traylor, graduate of the Hope high school, left Monday morning for Las Cruces where they are spending several days attending the Farmers Institute. Mr. Traylor is planning to attend school there this fall.

Mrs. Harve Walton and daughter Mary Alice drove to Hope Sunday and returned Monday after visiting with Mrs. Walton's sister, Mrs. Bryant Williams and family. Mr. and Mrs. McKewen Johnstone, parents of Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Walton, returned to Portales after spending the summer here on the Williams farm.

Twenty-two per cent of Oregon's area is national forest land.

The first executive mansion was the home of Robert Morris in Philadelphia.

Petroleum Shorts

The giant among oil pools is the east Texas field which covers over 100,000 acres and is expected to produce some 3,000,000,000 barrels of oil. Since its discovery in 1930 this field has produced 800,000,000 barrels.

The cost of petroleum oil for lubricating watches, due to the great care used in refining and treating it, runs into many hundred dollars per barrel.

The oil industry is conserving millions of barrels of oil every day by stopping waste from evaporation and fire.

The country's consumption of gasoline for the year 1935 was in the neighborhood of 17,700,000,000 gallons.

The deepest oil wells in the world are in the United States. The deepest is as deep as Pikes Peak is high.

It is difficult to imagine a world without the means provided by petroleum to keep in motion the millions of motors employed in transportation and power production from the farm to the factory.

Today there are 1,200,000 tractors on farms using gasoline and lubricating oil.

The French liner "Normandie" consumes about 80,000 barrels of oil each round trip across the ocean and has twenty-nine oil-fired water tube boilers for main propulsion.

Gasoline tax collections—federal and state—have cost more than five and three-quarter billion dollars in the past seventeen years.

Crude petroleum, from its natural state in the ground, must undergo refining to the earth's surface, refining, treating, storing and transporting hundreds, perhaps thousands, of miles before it serves its useful function in the tank of your automobile or in the form of some other oil product, adds to your comfort and convenience.

The electricity used at service stations throughout the country—for floodlighting the station exteriors, inside lighting, for the motors which drive the gasoline pumps, air compressors, and greasing equipment, costs \$2,720,000 per month.

Oil industry prices are the result of competition of some 10,000 independent oil producers, big and little, in all fields of this country; the result of the competition of fifty-three principal pipeline companies; the competition of 638 refineries owned by 480 companies; the competition of more than 10,000 jobbers who are owners of bulk distributing stations and service stations, and 250,000 retail dealers.

Oil, the lubricant, made possible the age of machinery. Gasoline, the liquid fuel, made possible the age of motor transportation.

Average motorists are prone to waste gasoline. Sources of such waste include improper carburetor adjustment, excessive choking, unnecessary idling or racing, high-speed travel, neglect of lubrication, leaking piston rings, sticking valves, soft tires, dragging brakes, and unskilled driving.

There are 201 different taxes on petroleum and its products.

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Fair Outlook For Pinon Nut Crop

Prospects for a fairly good pinon nut crop are in view for this fall, the regional forester's office said at Santa Fe Saturday.

This little-known industry of New Mexico is estimated to produce about 7,000,000 pounds during good years.

Good crops of nuts will probably be taken from the vicinity of San Mateo and Mt. Sedgwick on the Cibola national forest. The supervisor of the Carson national forest believes that another good crop will come from the country between Taos and Questa, and prospects are excellent for the Jemez country on the Santa Fe national forest.

Other sections of New Mexico's national forests will produce fair to poor crops.

Many hundreds of persons throughout the state earn either part or all of their livings from pinon picking during the fall.

It was said by foresters in the regional office that only about once every seven years is there really a good crop of nuts, with about three years of practically barren picking. The other three years furnish only fair yields.

It has been estimated that if the pinon nut crop were properly cultivated that the annual yield would closely approach five or six million dollars yearly revenue to the people of the state.

Between fifteen and thirty pounds can be gathered in a day by an industrious picker, depending greatly on the amount of luck he has. If he should find large numbers of squirrel nests or well dried cones from which the nuts shake easily, he can make a good average. But if he has to dry the cones first, the process is slow.

BOTANICAL RULES BROKEN BY CORN

DES MOINES, Iowa—Charles D. Reed, government meteorologist, said last week "corn is breaking all botanical rules in its fight to produce seed in spite of the drought."

"New tassels," he explained, "are coming on in many fields to furnish an abundance of pollen capable of fertilizing any silks that are receptive in the cooler hours."

"New ears are continuing to shoot on stalks that are not dead."

"Of course, it's too late in the year for such desperate efforts to produce results, but they show the terrific fight many fields of corn have made to adapt themselves to the heat and drought."

The peculiar part of it is, he said, Iowa's corn is going to produce at least a seed crop in nearly every township, while in part of the state it will make a fair crop.

Queen Victoria was the first Empress of India.

Early Romans raised asparagus for food and medicine centuries before the birth of Christ.

Cottonwood Items

(Bonnie Rowland, Reporter)

Clarence Pearson made a business trip to Lakewood Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carder made a business trip to Roswell Saturday.

Mrs. Monice Yarnell of Roswell, who will teach at Cottonwood, was here the first of the week.

Gene Rowland of Santa Monica, California, is visiting his brother, Lewis Rowland, this week.

Marjorie Bell Funk and Geraldine Felton spent Sunday at the Bottomless Lakes near Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Vertis Hatchfield left Saturday for Hatch where he is planning to hold a revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Powell, Jess Funk and Noah Buck made a business trip to Roswell Tuesday.

Cottonwood's Ladies Aid met at the church Thursday. Mrs. Glen O'Bannon and Mrs. Monroe Howard were co-hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Powell of Alamogordo and N. G. Daugherty of Pinon are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Clint Powell this week.

Among those who went to Lake McMillan to fish during the week-end were: Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Reser, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard, Pat Owens, W. J. Lamar, Lige and Jeff Davies, Wayne Rowland and Joe Miller.

TWENTY-FIVE COUNTY YOUTHS TO GET AID

ALBUQUERQUE—A total of 1,203 high school pupils in the state will receive national youth administration aid during the coming school year. Tom L. Popejoy, state director of the movement, said last week in announcing county quotas for the program for the fall opening of school.

The quotas announced in number of pupils by counties follow: Bernalillo 96, Catron 16, Chaves 62, Colfax 34, Curry 50, De Baca 15, Dona Ana 25, Eddy 25, Grant 55, Guadalupe 31, Harding 52, Hidalgo 16, Lea 5, Lincoln 13, Luna 9, McKinley 25, Mora 49, Otero 25, Quay 60, Rio Arriba 43, Roosevelt 27, Sandoval 30, San Juan 14, San Miguel 123, Santa Fe 64, Sierra 14, Socorro 28, Taos 48, Torrance 22, Union 90, Valencia 37.

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SPECIAL MASONIC MEETING

Members of the Artesia Masonic lodge will be privileged to hear talks on the first degree with instructions at a meeting in the lodge hall tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the talks. Visiting Masons are cordially invited to attend.

BULLFIGHT FOR CENTENNIAL

DALLAS, Texas—An unusual bullfight is scheduled at the Texas Centennial, exposition by Sidney Franklin, American bullfighter. There's a state law against the real thing. In the event planned the matador will take all the chances of a usual fight, while the bull takes none.

PROMPTNESS In school work as well as in business life is essential. Let us repair and check your timepiece. PAINA OILS JEWELRY REPAIRING SHOP AT THE SIGN OF THE WATCH

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