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Drilling Report

Lubbock Machine Co., Cockerham 1, NE NE 34-18-26. Total depth 2540. Preparing to deepen. Buffalo Oil Co., Baish 12-B, NW SW 22-17-32, deep tes: in Lea County. Coring 13,021. C. L. East et al, State 2, NW SE 33-17-29. Total depth 3100, cleaning out. Finkley-Curry No. 1 Murry SE NW Sec. 1-21-27. Total depth 743, shut down for repair. G. Kelley Stout No. 1 M-R-Y, SW SW 24-19-27. Total depth 1222 shut down for orders. Continental Oil Co. No. 1 H. W. Bass, SE SE 5-22-21. Total depth 1551 waiting on rotary. Fred A. Bonó No. 1 G. G. Isem NW SE 24-21-27. Total depth 800, shut down for repair. Owen Haynes No. 5 Harbolt SW E W 26-17-27. Total depth 1566, fishing. G. B. Suppes No. 5 Johnson, NW SE 35-16-31. Drilling at 2575. Malco Refineries, Inc., No. 1 Boyd, SE SW 14-19-25. Drilling at 2743. Harvey E. Yates No. 7 Travis SW SE 6-18-29. Drilling at 2355. H. N. Smith No. 1 W. W. Simpson Jr., SW NE 29-21-27. Drilling at 560. Malco Refineries, Inc. No. 1 State "A" NW NW 2-18-27. Old well drilling deeper. Total depth 8317, fishing. Williams & Reed No. 6 State SW SE 17-18-28.

Total depth 2500, cleaning out. Aston & Fair No. 8-B Schuerich SE NW 32-17-30. Drilling at 3112. Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. No. 12 Keel "B" 8-17-31 NE NE. Total depth 3551, preparing to shoot. Allan Hargrave No. 1 State, NW NE 22-24-27. Plugged and abandoned. Welch and Yates, Welch et al 2, 5-21-27, total depth 566, testing. Robert E. McKee No. 1 State "D" SW SW 32-17-30. Drilling at 900. J. S. Curtis No. 1 Curtis SE SW 27-19-27. Drilling at 740. Nix & Curtis, No. 1 Delhi State NW NW 30-17-28. Total depth 438, preparing to treat. General American of Texas, No. 9-B Maddern NW SE 27-17-30. Drilling at 2012. Southern Prod. Co. No. 34 Turner SW NE 20-17-31. Drilling at 1997. Southern Prod. Co. No. 30 Turner NW NE 20-17-31. Total depth 1979 waiting on cement. Artesia Gas & Appliance Co., No. 1 State NW SE 15-18-28. Drilling at 2413. Stanley L. Jones No. 6 Cont. State SW SE 9-19-29. Total depth 2900, cleaning out. Jeffers & Johnson No. 2 Yates NW SE 5-20-27. Drilling at 1003. Continental Oil Co., No. 1 Duffield NE SW 21-16-27. Rigsing up. D & H Oil Co., No. 1 State SE SE 8-18-28. Preparing to spud. John H. Trigg No. 3 Trigg SW SE 26-17-27. Drilling at 420. Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. No. 13 Keel B SW SE 5-17-31. Drilling at 3092.

New Locations

Completed Wells. Emperor Oil Co. No. 11 Puckett SE SE 25-17-31. Total depth 3940, pumps 20 barrels oil per day after acid.

Cattlemen To Convene In Fort Worth

More than a hundred New Mexico cattlemen and their wives are planning to attend the 55th annual convention of the American National Cattlemen's Association in Fort Worth, Jan. 6-9, according to Roy Forehand, Carlsbad, president of the New Mexico Cattle Growers' Association. "The meeting will be of particular importance to state livestock producers, because problems effecting the western livestock industry will predominate throughout the convention program," Forehand said. A special convention train of delegates from Arizona, California and New Mexico will pick up the state group at El Paso, on Jan. 5. Officers of the national association from New Mexico who plan to attend include: Albert K. Mitchell, Albert and A. D. Brownfield, Deming, both past presidents; Forehand, a member of the Advisory Council; and George A. Godfrey, Animas; John Davenport, Espanola; Lee S. Evans, Marquez; K. G. Hayward, Cimarron; Floyd W. Lee, San Mateo; Huling Means, Silver City; W. H. Merchant, Jr., Carlsbad; and W. R. Thompson, Santa Rosa, all members of the executive committee.

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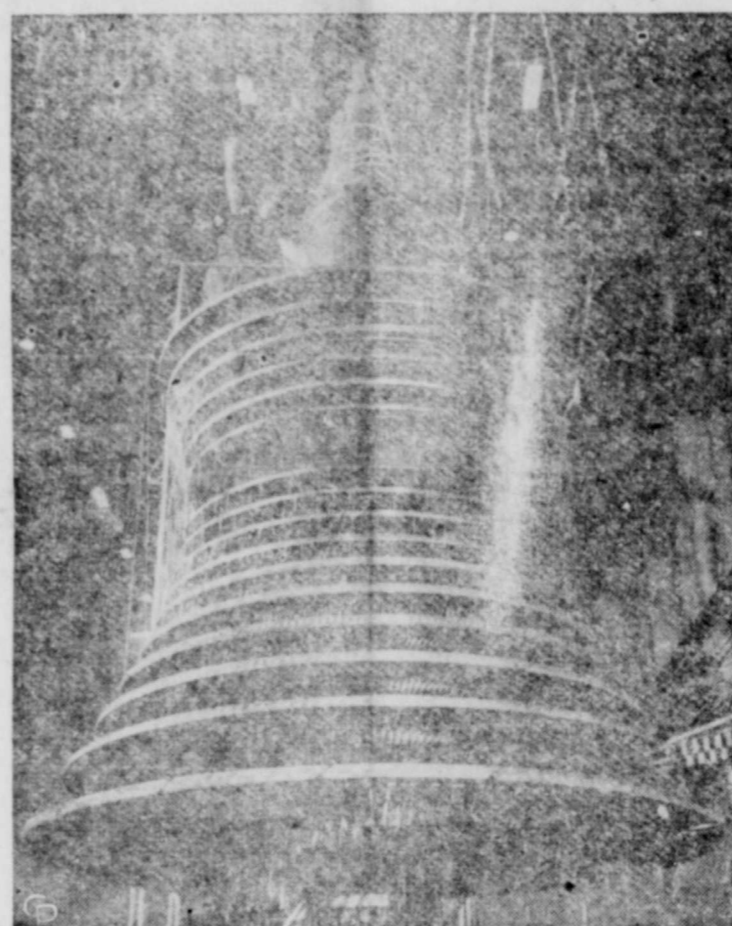
THE FATHER OF OUR COUNTRY WAS A "NATIONAL GUARDSMAN" COMMANDING THE FIRST VIRGINIA INFANTRY THEN A PART OF THE COLONIAL MILITIA



Others from the state who have announced plans to attend include: Hal R. Cox and Dr. Robert Nichols, Las Cruces; G. W. Evans and Frank Teal, Magdalena; Walter Hanna, San Antonio; Sam Means, Noel Rankin, and John Stark of Silver City; J. S. Culbertson and Rex Kipp of Lordsburg; Buster Driggers, Santa Rosa; L. R. Hammond and Bud Williams of Clovis; T. J. Heimann, J. R. Morgan and George Ray of Roy; Roy K. Stovall and Joe Pankey of T. or C.; John Lusk and Huling Ussery, Carlsbad; J. L. York, Horace H. Henning and W. L. Mumford of Albuquerque; Jack Dean, Estancia; T. A. Spencer, Three Rivers; James Morrow, Raton; and Joe J. Lane of Roswell.

Mrs. Roy Forehand, Carlsbad, wife of the president of the New Mexico Cattlemen's Association, is one of five committee women spearheading a movement to organize a nationwide Cow Belle Association, which will serve as an auxiliary to the American Cattlemen's Association. The plan is to be considered at the January meeting of the association slated for Fort Worth. A member of the U. S. Air Force stationed at Walker Air Force Base in Roswell is wanted for military service by the French government. Pie. Alexander Mari Boyer is an American citizen, but was born in Nice, France, in 1932. He has lived in the United States since he was five years old. The legal affairs office at the base is working on the case to prevent Private Boyer from being drafted by the French or becoming "an international incident."

GE-E-E, WHAT A CHRISTMAS BELL



30-FOOT STEAM TURBINE at GE's 20-acre turbine plant in Schenectady, N. Y., looks like a giant Christmas bell during construction. "Times" actually is water cascading down sections for cooling. (International)

New Mexico Range

An Eddy County man was elected vice president of the Southeastern New Mexico Grazing Association at its 18th annual convention in Roswell. He is John A. Lusk of Carlsbad; Don D. Merchant, Captain, was elected president, while Hugh A. Wall, Roswell, got the job of secretary-treasurer.

An Eddy County ranch woman, Mrs. Iva P. Driver, of Carlsbad, recently invented a "push over" ranch type gate, which automatically opens and closes as a car passes by. The gate is designed with wheel guiding traction rails, which protect the gate and car from damage. Mrs. Driver has been carrying on negotiations with a Texas firm for production of the gate.

Plexiglass, the material that bombers used to withstand pressure is being installed to replace broken glass in some 40 parking meters of the old variety all over Carlsbad. Objective — to guard against the juvenile past time of meter glass breaking.

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

No. 12640

SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF HEARING. THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO GEORGE HUFF, GREETINGS.

You are hereby notified that Paul Ray Raglin and Nora Mae Raglin have filed in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, a petition to adopt as their own children, Paulette Mayes and Susette Mayes, and to dispense with your consent as the legal parent of said children, said cause being No. 12640 on the civil docket of said Court. You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said proceeding on or before the 9th day of February, 1952, the petitioners will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Petition.

A. J. LOSEE is attorney for the petitioners and his office and post office address is Harper Building, Artesia, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand and seal in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on this 22nd day of December, 1951.

(SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, Clerk of the District Court, Carlsbad, New Mexico.

By Callie Whittington, Deputy. 103-41-T-5

'THE' JONES BOY - - - By Alan Mavor

Cartoon featuring a boy in a 'DUB JONES' shirt with various sports-related text and illustrations. Text includes: 'CLEVELAND BROWNS HALFBACK, WHOSE RUNNING AND PASS CATCHING WILL PLAY A BIG PART IN THEIR BID FOR A 6TH STRAIGHT PRO PLAYOFF WIN!', 'ONE OF THE TOP GROUND GAINERS, HIS RUNNING THREAT KEEPS THE OPPOSITION FROM CONCENTRATING TOO MUCH DEFENSE ON GRAHAM'S PASSES!', 'THEN TO CONFUSE THE Foe FURTHER, HE'S ABOUT THE BEST PASS-RECEIVING BACKFIELD MAN IN THE LEAGUE-TIED THE PRO RECORD WITH 6 TD'S IN ONE GAME!'.

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KSVP PROGRAM SCHEDULE

1450 ON YOUR DIAL

Table with 4 columns and 15 rows listing radio programs and their times from Tuesday to Wednesday. Programs include Neighborhood News, World News, Sports, and various news and entertainment segments.

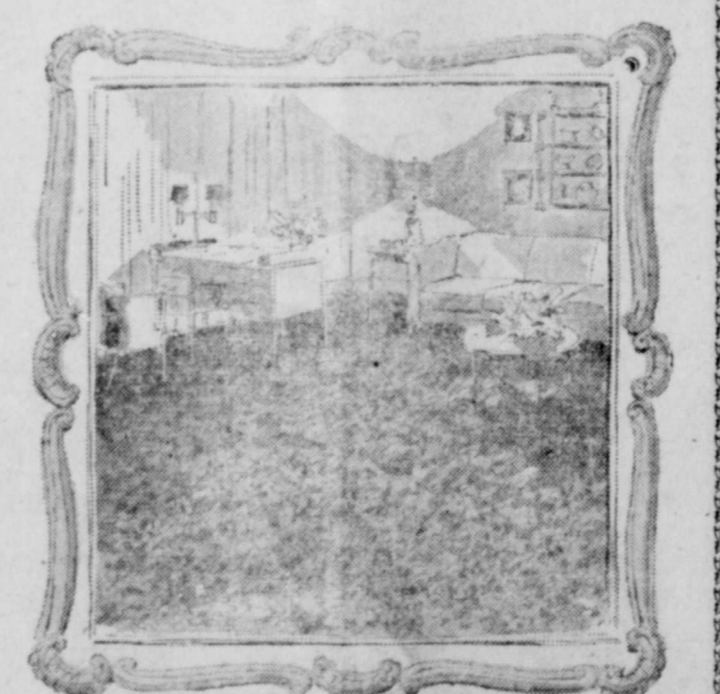


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* FOR THE MANTEL * FULL LENGTH DOOR * CUSTOM MADE. Mirrors for Every Need The Ideal Christmas Gift

Artesia Paint & Glass Co. 824 South First Phone 1091

Advertisement for Office Supplies. Text: 'Check With Us for Your Needs in Office Supplies. A Good Selection of Dependable Brands. WEBSTER'S (Famous Micrometric) CARBON PAPERS. BOXED BOND (Hammermill Line) TYPEWRITER PAPER. BRIEF CASES. ZIPPER RING BINDERS. Top Quality or Inexpensive Brief Cases in a Good Selection of Styles and Prices. Also Several Styles Student's'. Artesia Advocate Office Supplies PRINTERS PHONE 7.

Plays, Parties—

(Continued from Page 1) entertainment card, for the Sunday night affair.

An international theme was followed in the Presbyterian pageant also presented Sunday night, at the Church at Fourth and Quay.

Another special feature of the occasion was the recitation of a prayer by nine-year-old Donnie O'Dell. Young Donnie wrote the prayer himself, according to his father, Rev. Ralph L. O'Dell.

England, Finland, and China were represented in the pageant. Narration for all three parts was by Joanne Nunn.

The English Christmas featured the story of the Yule log and was the portrayal of a log being dragged across the stage by a group of boys.

The scene was accompanied by singing of "Deck the Halls" under the direction of Mrs. Bill Paris.

Christmas in Finland showed a group of children dressed in night gowns and pajamas, carrying flashlights and electric candles.

As the group passed the tree under which the Christ Child was lying, they flashed their lights.

Chinese Christmas showed a tree in the middle of the stage with children dressed in kimonos carrying lanterns marching around singing a Chinese chant.

American Christmas showed the manger scene with Mary and Joseph. Mary was portrayed by Charlotte Paris. Joseph was played by Joe Lamar Guy.

The stage was lit by means of Christmas tree lights and a blue flood light erected by Robert McCaw. The tree had a big star on top of it.

Following the last scene of the pageant the choir sang "Joy to the World," which was followed by sounding of bells, singing of "Jingle Bells" and appearance of Santa Claus.

Treats were given by Santa Claus to the 300 persons present. Santa Claus also presented bonus checks to Rev. Ralph O'Dell, Shirley O'Dell, Mr. and Mrs. Booker Newton, Mrs. Tom Cox, and Mrs. Bernice Vallejo.

The story of Christmas was presented in a pageant entitled, "Come to Bethlehem" put on by a 16-member cast of the Church of the Nazarene, Fifth and Quay, Sunday night.

Cast—Eva Beatty, spirit of Christmas; Ray Schildneck, Joseph; Rutheda McMahon, Mary; Mary Jo Carder, angel of the Lord; Kenneth Tyson, Caesar Augustus; Daryl Wilson, inn keeper.

Ruth Lytle, Rose Lytle, Naoma Brown, Shirley Morgan, Jeanette Hair, angels; Don Carder, James Belvin, J. B. Kincaid, shepherds; Harold Wilson, Stanley Belvin, Carl Shelton, wise men.

Eight songs were part of the pageant. Rose Lytle sang "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne," Rutheda McMahon, "Star of the East."

The angels sang "Ivory Palaces," "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "Silent Night," "O Come All Ye Faithful."

The congregation joined in singing "Joy to the World."

The pageant was directed by Mrs. William McMahon. Costumes, described by Reverend McMahon as "unique" were made by the Women's Missionary Society under the direction of Mrs. McMahon.

Attendance was 100. Pageant and Party—An indoor and outdoor pageant as well as a party were presented by the First Baptist Church, Grand and Roselawn.

Realtors—

(Continued from Page 1) Valley Exchange and resides at 1305 Yucca.

Don Teed, secretary, has called Artesia his home since 1943, coming here from Hobbs, where he lived three years. Before that he resided in Denver.

He has been in the real estate business five years and is a partner in Southwestern Realty Company.

His home is at 1309 Hermosa Drive.

Orval Kiddy has the shortest period of residence in Artesia of the quartet, having lived here only one year.

He came here from the Sooner State where he was also engaged in the real estate business.

He is associated with the Kiddy Agency and lives at 1504 Hank.

All officers of the Artesia Board of Realtors are also members of the chamber of commerce, according to Teed.

Highway Board—

(Continued from Page 1) showed that the highway department "made a much greater effort to get this project started than the people of Eddy County give them credit for."

Clyde Simpson of Fairacres is secretary of the Mesilla Valley group.

All the New Mexico groups have used silver iodide for seeding clouds to produce rain.

However, way down under, in Australia, Dr. E. G. Green, a member of the Australian Commonwealth Scientific and Research Organization has developed a new method, under which low hanging clouds are sprayed with water.

A ton of water sprayed from a plane into the base of a low cloud can produce 1,000,000 tons of rain, according to Dr. Bowen.

Water spraying is said to be effective where there are low hanging clouds.

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He again repeated rules for those coming from other states and registering cars for the first time in Artesia.

These persons should also have both titles and registration slips. If no registration slips accompany their title, the capital of the new-comer's state must be wired to confirm registration.

If a person comes from a non-title state they must have registration slips and all previous bills of sale.

Jensen reiterated that all possible aid would be given to persons who had lost essential documents.

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Carlsbad—

(Continued from Page 1) of what numbers will be available and at what time.

This year's plates for passenger cars have red numerals on white background measure 13 3/8 by 5 3/4 inches. Thickness of the plates is equivalent to a two-point rule.

Weight of the plates is six and one-half ounces.

The inscription "Land of Enchantment" and the Zia emblem, both in red, also appear on the plates.

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WANGER MOVES TO HOTEL, RECONCILIATION REMOTE



Joan Bennett leaves All Saints Episcopal church, Beverly Hills, with press agent Chuck Cochard. Walter Wanger unpacks in Beverly Hills hotel. Photos on bureau are of daughters.

WHILE HIS WIFE, Joan Bennett, went to church, film producer Walter Wanger moved to a Beverly Hills hotel and Santa Monica police prepared a formal charge against him in the shooting of Miss Bennett's agent, Jennings Lang, while Lang talked with her in a parking lot. "Miss Bennett questions her husband's stability," said her attorney, explaining that a reconciliation was remote. (International)

However, researchers point out that two more years will be needed to thoroughly explore this potential new method of rainmaking.

Carlsbad; two daughters, Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Healdton, Okla.; Mrs. Lawana Patterson, Richmond, California, and Mrs. Wini Jo Spence, Pensacola, Fla.

Mr. Harper is survived by five brothers, Albert, of Shawnee; William, of Asher; Floyd, of Comanche, Okla.; Lee, Holliday, Texas; and Theodore, Arvin, Calif.; sister, Annabelle Sullivan, San Diego. Survivors of Mrs. Harper include three sisters: Mrs. Lulu

Funeral Rites— (Continued from Page 1) last week, after the Christmas holidays. Survivors include a son, Jack, manager of the Helsum Bakery in

Advertisement for 'Calendar Refills' from 'The Artesia Advocate Office Supplies'. It features a stack of calendar refills and text promoting 'Complete Calendars or Refills Stocked in the Following Popular Sizes...'. It lists various sizes and prices, such as 'Nos. 1 13 17' and 'Nos. 19 64 85'. It also mentions 'The Artesia Advocate Office Supplies' and 'Complete line of FARM SUPPLIES'.

Advertisement for 'Artesia Implement & Supply Company' featuring a cartoon about giving presents. The cartoon shows a man saying 'I DON'T CARE AS LONG AS IT'S YOUR CUSTOM!' and another man replying 'And We Can Prove It! (Proof Next Week)'. The ad promotes 'The System of Giving Presents on Christmas is not common to all Christian countries' and offers 'Proof of Last Week's Ad' where 'Santa Claus Was Not Originally Fat and He Had No Reindeer'. It also mentions 'In Holland "Saint Nicholas" was austere and dignified as became a bishop and a saint. He rode abroad on a donkey and still does in portions of Europe. In America he developed into the fat, jolly fellow we all know and love. 1—"Story of Santa Klaus"—Wm. S. Walsh.'

Large advertisement for 'Dan River Sheets' by Anthony's. It features a tall stack of folded sheets and lists various sizes and prices. Key items include 'TYPE 128 MUSLIN DAN RIVER SHEETS' for \$2.19 (Full Bed Size, 81x99-in.), 'EXTRA STRENGTH TYPE 140 SHEETS and PILLOW CASES' for \$2.79 (81x108) and \$2.69 (72x108), and 'TYPE 180 PERCALE SHEETS' for \$2.69 (72x108) and \$3.29 (81x108). The ad also promotes 'Matching Pillow Cases' for 49¢ and 'Extra Quality White Sheet BLANKETS' for \$2.88. The bottom of the ad features the 'Anthony's' logo and 'Artesia'.

Annual Banquet Of Girl Scouts Set for January 10 The Artesia Girl Scout annual banquet will be held Thursday, Jan. 10, at the Veterans Memorial Building, it was announced today by Mrs. W. F. Hinde, program chairman. This affair is held every year at the end of the Girl Scout year. All Girl Scout workers, their wives and husbands are invited. The dinner will be served by the DAV Auxiliary at \$1.50 a plate. Time of the banquet is 7 o'clock. Reservations should be made with Mrs. Hinde by Jan. 8, phone 710. There will be a business meeting and a program. The details are being worked out. New Mexico Range Veterans administration regional office in Albuquerque will be closed Monday, Dec. 31, Saturday, Dec. 29 and Saturday, Jan. 5, will be regular work days and the office will be open, Manager Gene A. Robens says. New Mexico was 10th in defense bond sales Sept. 3-Nov. 13, according to the savings division of the U. S. Treasury Department. For the period Nov. 5-30, New Mexico bought \$1,095,756.25 worth of bonds. Eddy County purchased \$35,100 of the total. Top county was Bernalillo, \$212,748.50; runner-up was Grant, \$99,612. More than 10,000 Mexican nationals are now employed in New Mexico according to the latest figures of the agricultural placement division of the state employment service. The Mexicans are subject to replacement by domestic workers when available. Bill Martin, W. L. Trembley, Sr., Dallas Callahan, W. E. Fleming, Bill Dooley, Harold Cochran, all of Artesia. Honorary pallbearers, all of Artesia, Pat Evans, G. W. Hill, Rev. Everett Ward, Henry Johnson, Walter Marlin.

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