

HAGERMAN COTTON
AND HAGERMAN ALFALFA—
THE BEST IN YEARS

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Hospital Open Artesia On September 25

Representative Date, Mrs. [Name] Announces, to [Name] on Arrival of [Name] Equipment, Which Has [Name] Ordered.

The opening day for Artesia Memorial Hospital has been Monday, Sept. 25, by Mrs. [Name] John, lessee and superintendent, but the date cannot be set until arrival of some necessary equipment. Mrs. [Name] John, who arrived Friday from Kansas City with her husband, [Name] John, said she plans to open the hospital on opening day and members of the staff will be glad at that time to answer questions.

Contract between the city and Mrs. John for the hospital opened this week for a period of two years. The terms of the contract, details at a conference between the city council and Mrs. John, and published in The Advertiser, according to law, with the exception of a petition of 10 per cent of the qualified electors asking it not be accepted would be in effect on election day. No such petition was presented within the required twenty days which expired Friday, Sept. 8. The contract was completed, and the arrival of which will bring up definite opening of the hospital has been ordered and set for within the next few days. Mrs. John said it will take her 6 days to set it all up and the hospital ready for use. By next week, she said, she would be able to set a positive date for the opening, but that Sept. 25 probably will maintain.

SCHOOL GIRLS MARRY

Hagerman High School lost members of the senior class when two girls decided matrimony was preferable to their duties. Billie Mae Millsap married to Aubrey Massie of Artesia and Geraldine Kiper to Taylor of Artesia. The marriages were a double affair and in Carlsbad. The young people home the next morning with parental approval which bestowed in each case. Miss Taylor is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Millsap of Hagerman. Her husband is employed at the Garmins Garage in Roswell. She has worked for several years at the home of Mrs. Kiper. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kiper is in the oil business in Artesia. The Messenger joins the wishes of the young people in best wishes for their future happiness.

FRUITS FEATURED AT FAIR

One of the interesting displays at the Hagerman Community Fair will be the gourd display. Two Hagerman ladies are striving for the largest gourd and are watering and watching their choice specimens with anxious eyes. Mrs. [Name] Hams had one so large it broke its stem, fell from the frame and broke. This catastrophe may give the prize to Mrs. [Name] Mason, who is coddling some gourds. Mrs. Losey is said to have some rare ones and many still may come along with still larger and rarer kinds. Gourds were a necessary part of the garden crop and were used as cooking cups and as containers for many valuable articles that are to be kept from moisture and

Hagerman Men's Club Holds First Meeting of Year

The Men's Club of Hagerman held its first fall meeting at the Presbyterian Church basement Tuesday evening. The long table was filled despite the fact that several of the most active members were absent. A bountiful supper was served by the ladies of the church, after which President McCarthy took charge of the meeting and some interesting talks were made by new members.

Charles Warren, the new music teacher in the schools, promised a local high school band before the session is over. This announcement was received with applause. The Rev. H. Cox, in his inimitable way, put life into the meeting by a number of stories and expressions of confidence that Hagerman would go on from here to better and greater things. Coach Ledbetter told about the football team and promised a better performance by the boys than last year.

Methodist Revival Services Have Been Highly Satisfactory

The two-week evangelistic campaign in progress at the Methodist Church has been highly satisfactory so far. Organized groups of workers have been doing some fine work. A large number of decisions for Christ have already been made. The boys and girls will have a special program Friday night, at which time a number will be received into the fellowship of Christ. Last evening the young people had a special service under the direction of Miss Swisher. She has brought to the young people some very fine guidance in Christian living, out of her rich experience in work among students. Young people and adults desiring admission into the church by transfer or otherwise will be received Sunday.

Everyone is enjoying the fine song services under the leadership of Miss Swisher. Wednesday night was "choir night," at which time the choir rendered a number of specials. A growing attraction is the singing of "request" numbers by Miss Swisher. Anyone having a favorite song which they would like to have sung, may request it. While this has been a "worker's evangelistic campaign" in which people have been challenged to act upon the knowledge and conviction which they already have, still the short messages on the great Christian fundamentals, which the pastor has been bringing each evening, have been interesting and helpful to clear thinking. The two closing sermons, Sunday morning and evening, will be on "Things to Come in This World" and "Things to Come Beyond This World."

B. F. Adams, who lives southwest of Hagerman about two miles has put down a new well to a depth of 190 feet and is installing a new pump this week.

Community Fair Preparations Are Well Under Way

Event Is Only Two Weeks Away—All Hagerman Looking Forward to It

The Hagerman Community Fair is only two weeks away and preparations are well in hand for this biggest event in Hagerman community life. Committees are all at work looking after their particular departments.

Prof. Al Woodburn is in charge of the booth construction and has a new arrangement for booths in the gym. He also announces that there will be arbors built for the horse and cattle department so that owners of fine stock can rest assured the horses and cattle will not have to stand in the sun all day.

Mrs. O. A. Pearson, Cottonwood, Dies Sunday Evening

Services in Artesia Tuesday for Member of Prominent Family

Mrs. Oscar A. Pearson, member of a prominent Cottonwood family, died late Sunday evening in St. Mary Hospital, Roswell, after an illness of several weeks. She was thought to have been improved somewhat during the day Sunday, but had a change for the worse in the evening.

ELECT NEW PRESIDENT

The Young People's Society of the Nazarene Church met Sunday evening at their regular hour to elect a new president. Miss Ruby Rhodes, who has served the society efficiently and faithfully for the last few years, has gone away to college at Portales. The society has appreciated Miss Rhodes' a great deal and shall miss her leadership.

NAZARENE BAPTISMAL SERVICE SUNDAY

The Church of the Nazarene closed a very successful revival recently. Several members are to be taken into the church Sunday morning and a fine class is to be baptized next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The baptismal service is to be at the home of Fred Pilley, two miles southeast of Hagerman. The church has been dismissing their Sunday night services in order to attend the revivals of the other churches in town. This will be true again next Sunday night. But beginning Sept. 27, our regular evangelistic services will be held every Sunday night at 7:45.

RATTLESNAKE AT ARTESIA DINNER

Rattlesnake as the piece de resistance has been heard of for a number of years, but so far as is known the first time it ever was served in Artesia was Monday noon, when Mrs. W. A. Jones, wife of the high school janitor, cooked and served three rattlesnakes to a few members of the faculty and students.

THIS IS "MAIL BOX IMPROVEMENT WEEK"

Last week the local postmaster mailed a letter to every rural box holder, informing them of mail box improvement week and also stating the regulations regarding mail boxes. The letter also requested the observance of this week and asked that all try to make some decided improvement of their mail box.

Football Prospect for The Year Are Good

Coach Ledbetter is pleased with the showing made by his boys in practice and is rejoicing at the addition of three new men to the squad. Finis Kiper, Earl Worley and Lloyd Worley are the new men. This brings the number on the squad up to 18 and will make possible some scrimmage practice, very much needed with a young team.

CCC Grazing Camp Moving Day to Be On Oct. 1 in State

Lake Arthur to Carlsbad Is One of Five Division Transfers

The transfer of CCC camp DG-41-N, now west of Lake Arthur, to camp DG-148-N, near Carlsbad, buildings and all, will be part of a wholesale moving day Oct. 1 of five Division of Grazing CCC camps in New Mexico.

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The cotton harvest is in full swing in the Hagerman vicinity. The two local gins report a total of more than 300 bales already ginned and some night work has been necessary to keep up with the pickers. The quality still holds up and the price quoted Wednesday was \$8.22 per hundred. Very little has been sold. The price of cotton seed was \$18 per ton at the gins Wednesday.

New Brake and Light Rules Have Been Released

Initial Strict Regulations Voided Because of Stringent Character

New brake and light regulations were released Wednesday by Gov. John E. Miles as a substitute for initial regulations voided because of their stringent character.

The new regulations, 10 in number, were made available to garages and the public for suggestions and study.

METHODIST CHURCH PRESENTS SERVICE

Friday evening at 8 o'clock, the girls and boys who have attended the Bible Booster Band during the series of special meetings will present a program of Bible drills and songs directed by Miss Mattie Mae Swisher, who has had charge of this department during the last two weeks.

STOLEN CAR RECOVERED

Dr. Willoughby's car, which was missed from his home Thursday morning was recovered about 30 miles north of Roswell at the side of the highway. The car was towed into Roswell by the highway patrol and except for some minor damage is unharmed. The damage and expense were covered by insurance. The gasoline in the car was not exhausted and why it was abandoned far from any town is a mystery. No definite clue to the thief has been found.

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

Last Wednesday the FFA boys held a meeting at which new officers were elected for 1939-40. Jack Langenegger was elected president, Bobby Cumpsten vice president, Johnnie Boykin secretary and treasurer, Joe Richardson reported and Jim Langenegger was elected watchdog and parliamentarian.

After the election of new officers the members discussed the initiation of green hands. Bobby Cumpsten, Bobby Utterback and Robert West were selected as program committee by the president, Jim Langenegger, Johnnie Cassabone and William Solomon were selected as eats committee at the initiation of green hands.

Rally at Artesia On Sunday for Valley Baptists

The Pecos Valley Baptists will meet at Artesia at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon for their annual Sunday school rally.

The rally will be in charge of B. F. Fields, of Roswell, superintendent, and E. A. Herron, of Albuquerque, state secretary, for the annual simultaneous enlargement campaign for the Pecos Valley.

Eleven churches are expected to have representatives present. An interesting program has been arranged, including as speakers all the pastors and Sunday school superintendents of the churches represented. Herron will bring the closing message and adjournment is expected by 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

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Increased activity in the Southeast New Mexico oil fields was seen the last week, when twenty new locations were made, seven in Eddy County and thirteen in Lea County. Eddy County was overshadowed in completions, with three reported to fifteen in Lea County. However, oil is flowing and being pumped from a number of wells in this county, which as yet are not considered as completed, but should be so classified within the next few days.

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Progress among wildcats and other wells of general interest in Eddy County and the adjacent Maljamar area in Lea County: Allen, Fair & Pope, Snowden-McSweeney 4, SW NW section 36-17-29. Total depth 3,252 feet; treated with 3,000 gallons acid; swabbed estimated 75 barrels oil per day after treatment.

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FIFTH ANNUAL HAGERMAN COMMUNITY FAIR
Hagerman, New Mexico
September 29 and 30, 1939

The first day of the fair, September 29th, from 9:00 a. m. until 10:00 p. m. will be devoted to exhibition and judging of all entries.
Band concert by Roswell High School band, at 7:30 p. m.
Second day, September 30th, will be devoted to athletic events and band concert by Artesia High School Band.

man; Mmes. Lester Hinrichsen, A. L. Nail, L. E. Harshey, Lazelle Huckabee, Miss Sammy McKinstry.
Merchants' Booths—Bill Still.
School Division of Home Economics—Miss Peggy Harrison, director.
School Division of Farm Products—Manual Training—Al Woodburn, director.

Sec. 3—All merchandise and decorations must be removed from booths by noon, Saturday, September 30th.
Sec. 5—No community domestic arts exhibit is eligible which has previously won prizes.
Sec. 6—All exhibits must be brought in Thursday afternoon and evening, September 28th, with the exception of flowers and perishable farm products which will be accepted until 8:30 a. m., September 29th.

Sec. 2—The fair board reserves the right to take any exhibit at the Hagerman Community Fair to the Eastern New Mexico State Fair at Roswell for exhibition in eligibility booth.
Rule 4—Judging
Sec. 1—Judging of farm products, domestic arts, canning and baking and flowers will start promptly at 9 a. m.
Sec. 2—Judging of livestock and poultry starts promptly at 10 a. m.

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

Rule 1—Entry of Exhibits
Sec. 1—Competition open only to Hagerman community.
Sec. 2—Every entry must be made in the name of the bona fide owner at the time of entry.
Sec. 3—Exhibits erroneously entered may be transferred at the discretion of the superintendent of the department to which they belong, if done prior to the awarding of premiums in the class to which they belong.

Rule 2—Livestock and Poultry
Sec. 1—Livestock will be brought in for exhibit and judging Friday, September 29th by 9:00 a. m.
Sec. 2—No animal shall compete for more than one premium.
Sec. 3—Exhibitors shall furnish feed and care for stock during fair.
Sec. 4—Pens and shade will be furnished for swine and fat cattle.

Rule 5—General
Sec. 1—No exhibit may be removed from exhibition until 9:00 p. m., September 29th.
Sec. 2—All exhibits must be removed from building by noon, Saturday, September 30th.
Sec. 3—Night watchman will be arranged by the fair board for Thursday, September 28th and Friday, September 29th.

Rule 3—Reception of Exhibits

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Rule 6—Merchants' Booths
Sec. 1—Space will be provided for booths for local merchants free of charge.
Sec. 2—Merchants may start decorating their booths at noon Thursday, September 28th, but they must be completed by 8:30 a. m., Friday, September 29th.

COMMUNITY DIVISION

All entries must be made on Thursday, September 28th, except those of a perishable nature, which may be entered on September 29th by 8:30 a. m.

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Table with columns for Pork, Chicken, Mince Meat, Sausage, Chili, RELISH, Canned Vegetables, and Canned Fruits. Lists various items and their corresponding prizes.

Table with columns for Lunch cloth, Tea towel, Garment not mentioned above, CLASS III—QUILTS, CLASS IV—CROCHET, CLASS V—KNITTING, CLASS VI—INFANTS' DEPARTMENT, CLASS VII—REMODELED GARMENTS, CLASS VIII—RUGS, CLASS IX—CUTWORK EMBROIDERY, CLASS X—WHITE EMBROIDERY, CLASS XI—COLORED EMBROIDERY, CLASS XII—MISCELLANEOUS, CLASS XIII—SEWING, CLASS XIV—FANCY PILLOWS, CLASS XV—ARTICLES MADE FROM FLOUR OR FEED SACKS, BANTAMS, PIGEONS, RABBITS, HEN EGGS, DUCKS, GOOSE, DOMESTIC ART—SCHOOL DIVISION, CLASS XVI—CANNED VEGETABLES, CLASS XVII—CANNED PICKLES, CLASS XVIII—CANNED MEATS.

SCHOOL DIVISION

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Hagerman MESSENGER 10 Years Ago

E. B. Bullock bought the alfalfa seed grown by Harry Cowan at 15 cents per pound. From 70 acres there was a yield of 18,772 pounds or \$40 per acre.

Cotton production estimate was 14,825,000 bales.

Miss Nadine Mann entertained a group of twenty-two young folks at a lawn party at her home.

C. G. Mason returned from Tucumcari, where he had attended a state meeting of undertakers and embalmers.

The "Bobcat" staff had just been selected with Moss Jessie George as sponsor. On the staff were: Miss Mary McIntosh, Miss Madge Belle Dozier, Roy Langford, Tom Utterback, Hazel Zimmerman and Basil Barnett.

Mornings in Hagerman were foggy, giving the feeling of impending winter. One day of the week there was a mist all day, increasing to rain several times.

A birthday party for Mildred Key was held at the Key home with nine young people present.

Five Years Ago

The old well near Lakewood, which never flowed was plugged. According to stories told, an early day promoter drilled the well to increase the water supply beyond any well in the area.

The prairie chicken crop was so short that the hunters were requested to refrain from hunting the birds, even though the open season was on.

The cotton forecast was 9,252,000 bales. (For 1939 it is 12,380,000 bales.)

Earl Stine took Kenneth Stine and Betty Mason to Albuquerque, where they were to attend school.

John Garner left Monday for Roswell, where he entered New Mexico Military Institute for his senior year.

Clifford Wimberly recently rode his pony, "Nipper," home from Capitlan, where he spent the summer. He made the trip in two and one-half days.

Senator Huey Long, surrounded by 2,000 troops, was trying to oust T. Semmer Walmsley, mayor of New Orleans.

Seifers, Harvey Are Bound Over In Assault Case

Elbert Seifers and Fred Harvey, farm workers of near Dexter, entered pleas of not guilty to charges of assault with intent to kill, when arraigned in justice court in Roswell last Thursday and were bound over to District Court.

They were specifically charged with assault on Casper O. (Cap) Fulton of Artesia, who was seriously cut in an alleged altercation with the men early Sunday morning, Aug. 27.

Fulton, who was taken to St. Francis Hospital, Carlsbad, in critical condition after the affair, was brought home Wednesday of last week, convalescing rapidly.

Supt. E. A. White has been suffering with a very sore throat for several days, but reports the school running smoothly.

THE CHURCHES

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. Harold Morris, pastor. 9:45 a. m., Sunday school. Oscar Kiper, superintendent. 10:45 a. m., morning service. 7 p. m., N. Y. P. S., Miss Ruby Rroades, president.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Arthur Shaw, pastor. 10 a. m., Church school. Howard Menefee, superintendent. 11 a. m., divine worship. 7 p. m., Epworth League, Miss Dean Condit, president.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

C. A. Strickland, pastor. Feno Bramblett, superintendent. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Morning message, 11 a. m. Evening service, 7 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. R. E. Harrison, pastor. F. W. Sadler, superintendent. Mrs. O. J. Ford, associate superintendent. R. M. Middleton, Baptist Training Union Director.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, Sept. 17 At the regular worship service of the First Presbyterian Church at 11 o'clock Sunday morning the minister will preach on the subject of "Friendship," from the text, "Ye Are My Friends," John 15:14.

A rich man may have trouble getting into the kingdom of heaven—as we are told in Holy Writ—but it's a safe bet he can get on the board of trustees of his church.

A Works Progress Administration program for landscaping New Mexico Normal University to the extent of \$6,410 contributed by the WPA and \$1,301 by the sponsors, N. M. N. U., is scheduled to start soon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Mason were in Roswell Tuesday on business.

Little Known Facts and Sidelights on Oil Industry

Sea's Secrets Revealed—

Ingenuity of oil explorers in locating hidden oil pools with seismographs, instruments which record the behavior of artificial earthquake waves as they travel through varying rock layers, is aiding biologists in revealing the secrets of the sea.

To set off earthquakes on the bottom of the Atlantic Ocean off Bermuda, they're using toy balloons filled with TNT. The scientific bomb is set off by an electric signal. Batteries and relays are contained in a water-tight metallic cylinder. Inside the cylinder is a watch with an electric switch which can be set to time the explosion.

Seismograph instruments are encased in cylinders, connected to microphones which rest directly on the floor of the ocean. The mikes pick up the vibrations caused by the explosion, and transform them into electric waves which are amplified by radio tubes and then fed into an electric meter.

Whatever the practice, "editions" can be cast or cut to any figure desired. If they are signed by the artist, reproduction standards must be high—craftsmen responsible for the "replicas" are instructed to consider each piece an original work of art.

Paving by approved and practical street methods costs as little as \$7.50 for each home owner with a 60-foot front lot on a 50-foot wide street, compared with \$500 for expensive type pavings for the same amount of surfacing.

Although Mr. and Mrs. Average Income are inclined to believe that sculptures belong in a museum, metropolitan art dealers firmly disagree. To prove their point, they're putting miniature "first editions" of choice pieces into mass production at prices ranging upward from \$10.

Clue to low prices is the important role which industry plays in the production of sculpture. If the figure is in metal, mechanics may cast any number of identical "originals" in the mold constructed from the artist's plaster model.

Just tumbled to what these fellows mean that's always talking about "overhead expense." It's these new hats. Humor, being rare, is just naturally bound to come high!

Bein' jealous is mighty near a sure sign that you've got a poor opinion of yourself.

Th' calendar can help teach you th' law of these here consequences. Ain't the "Month of Brides" followed by fireworks, Labor Day by Thanksgiving, 'n' Christmas by New Year's resolutions, 'n' Valentines by April Fool?

Even the "Golden Rule" won't work unless you use it!

Liberalism means barbarism—restraint develops culture. Those who are feared are hated. Taboos foster curiosity and yearning. Ever hear of anyone knocking an inferior? Songs are remembered longer than sermons. It is a democracy as long as the people have the privilege of saying "No."

Embattled housewives built a barricade of bricks, railroad ties and household equipment across a dusty mid-western small-town street, recently. They even threatened to toss flatirons at the street workers unless their demands for an oil road were granted.

These pioneer rebels knew what they wanted. Oiled streets bring better living, small town folks have discovered. Those whose taxable wealth is so low as not to afford luxury type pavements have discovered, also, that oiled, low-cost bituminous roads give equal service without a heavy tax assessment.

A full truckload of old shoes was delivered to the Alamo Ice & Coal Company plant in Alamogordo to be used for fuel. They were collected in a contest conducted by a store there.

John Duke Garner was a Roswell visitor Tuesday.

Should Keep Farm, Ranch Records Up to Date Always

Sometimes Are Neglected During the Summer and Fall Months

The old, familiar proverb, "Never put off until tomorrow what you can do today," applies very well to the keeping of farm and ranch records, says A. E. Triviz of the New Mexico Extension Service.

If the record book has been neglected for some time, where at all possible, it should be brought up to date as some kind of record is better than none. For accuracy and convenience, however, the record should be kept up to date all the time, especially during the summer and fall months.

In order to make recommendations and adjustments in the farming or ranching unit, one must have facts, Triviz declares. One way of knowing facts is by keeping records. To obtain the best records, they should be kept up to date.

A farmer or rancher should not only keep a record in order to show his financial standing at the end of the year, but should also keep records or notes of any specific problems in connection with his business. Information, such as difficulties encountered in harvesting a crop or marketing crops or livestock, will prove valuable towards the solution of those problems.

The secret of making friends is to know when to stop talking and listen.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

GENERAL LAND OFFICE at Las Cruces, New Mexico, August 17, 1939.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mark Dockray of Hagerman, N. Mex., who, on September 20, 1934, made homestead application, No. 050380, for Lots 3, 4, S 1/4 NW 1/4, SW 1/4 Sec. 4, Lots 1, 2, S 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 Section 5, Township 14 S., Range 27 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3 year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Joan Savage, United States Commissioner, at Roswell, N. Mex., on the 5th day of October, 1939.

Claimant names as witnesses: Wesley S. Greer, Chalmer O. Holloway, Clarence Dozier, Giles V. V. Barron, all of Hagerman, N. Mex. PAUL A. ROACH, Register 34-5tp-38

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF J. P. MORGAN, DECEASED.

No.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, W. A. Losey, was appointed administrator of the Estate of J. P. Morgan, deceased, on the 7th day of August, 1939, and that any and all persons having claims against said decedent or his estate are hereby notified to file the same within six (6) months from the above date, with the Clerk of the Probate Court of Chaves County, New Mexico, or else the same will be barred.

This Week At the THEATRE MOTION PICTURES and your BEST ENTERTAINMENT!

AT THE ROSWELL THEATRES FRIDAY-SATURDAY 10c 21c LOUIS HAYWARD JOAN BENNETT "MAN IN THE IRON MASK" OWL SHOW SAT. NITE SUN.-MON.-TUES. JACK BENNY DOROTHY LAMOUR EDWARD ARNOLD PETTY GALS ROCHESTER "MAN ABOUT TOWN" YUCCA PECOS THEATRES Roswell OLD FIDDLERS HURRY We Are Now Taking Entries For Our Old Fiddlers Contest PECOS SATURDAY NIGHT

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notified to file the same within six (6) months from the above date, with the Clerk of the Probate Court of Chaves County, New Mexico, or else the same will be barred. W. A. LOSEY, Administrator 35-4t-38 NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION STATE LAND SALE CHAVES COUNTY OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS Santa Fe, New Mexico Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1910, the laws of the State of New Mexico and the rules and regulations of the State Land Office, the Commissioner of Public Lands will offer at public sale to the highest and best bidder at 10:00 o'clock A. M., on October 20th, 1939, at the front door of the Court House in the town of Roswell, county seat of Chaves County, New Mexico, the following described tracts of land, to-wit: SALE NO. 2677 TRACT NO. 1 N 1/4 S 1/4, SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 13; N 1/4 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 14; Township 15 South, Range 30 East, N. M. P. M., containing 320.00 acres, more or less. TRACT NO. 2 SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 19; E 1/4 SW 1/4, W 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 26; NE 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 30, NW 1/4

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR GENERAL LAND OFFICE at Las Cruces, New Mexico, August 10, 1939. NOTICE is hereby given that Elgin Bartlett of Box 333, Roswell, N. Mex., who, on August 8, 1934, and on September 10, 1934, made homestead entries No. 050207 and No. 050257, for SE 1/4 NW 1/4, S 1/4 Section 28, SW 1/4, W 1/4 SE 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 22, Township 14 S., Range 22 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3 year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Joan Savage, United States Commissioner, at Roswell, N. Mex., on the 28th day of September, 1939. Claimant names as witnesses: James H. Hemphill, of Felix, N. Mex.; Star Route; J. S. Smith, of Felix, N. Mex.; Ernest Keller and Carney Pendergrass, both of Roswell, N. Mex. PAUL A. ROACH, Register 33-5t-37

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WHAT'S WHAT

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News Briefs of the "Sunshine State," Gleaned from Many Sources

Receipts of the liquor control division of the Bureau of Revenue during August totaled \$55,473.84. S. T. Jernigan, division chief, reported. Jernigan's report said the receipts represented an increase of \$8,712.37 over August of 1938, when receipts totaled \$46,761.47. The report stated the division chief and liquor inspectors traveled 16,364 miles, making 724 calls, 14 inspections, ten investigations and answered 23 complaints. The division accepted \$800 in compromises in lieu of suspension or revocation of licenses, according to the report.

Sixteen convicts in the state penitentiary were granted commutations of sentence by Gov. Miles last week on recommendation of the state board of pardons and paroles.

The state corporation commission granted charters to 21 domestic and 13 out-of-state companies in August for its biggest month of the year. The corporations' capital stock structure totaled \$31,774,000, Commissioner Don Casados said.

The New Mexico garages have given a "general acceptance" to Governor Miles' plea for a 50-cent limit on brake-light inspection fees, Chief Clerk Alfonso de Baca of the Motor Vehicle Department said. Garages also, he said, were being "more liberal" in their interpretations of the new regulations.

Referring to a suggestion by the State Game Protective Association for the planting of more fish of legal size in New Mexico streams, State Game Warden Elliott Barker said any increase in such planting would raise sharply the cost of furnishing hatchery-bred fish. The GPA recommended an increased license fee to defray the cost.

Chief of Police Joe Johns of Carlsbad says "Those Texas people sure are friendly." The other night, the chief saw a Texas-tagged car pass the station without any lights. He blew a whistle—and three young ladies turned their heads to gaze through the rear window of the vehicle. The chief blew the whistle again and waved—and the three young ladies smiled and waved back!

Showing an increase of approximately \$20,000 over the highest previous month in history, New Mexico gasoline taxes for August totaled \$456,189.24, P. E. Culver, division chief, announced. They topped the August, 1938, figure by \$34,432.83.

Employees at the statehouse began working "winter hours" Monday. They now come to work at 8:30 a. m. and quit at 4 p. m., half an hour later than the summer schedule.

New Mexico's collections of miscellaneous state tax revenues jumped from \$152,000 in 1932 to \$873,000 in 1937, the Bureau of the Census reported. Unemployment compensation taxes, the bureau said, were almost entirely responsible for a national increase. New Mexico's non-tax revenues were \$3,277,000 in 1937, as against \$1,573,000 in 1932.

Colorful dahlia gardens at the executive mansion are attracting more than 200 daily visitors, Governor Miles said.

Oil Activity—

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back to 2,475 feet; estimated swabbing 40 barrels oil per day after shot.

Carper, Keohane & Saunders, Miller 1, NW NE 5-18-29. Drilling at 2,661 feet.

Barney Cockburn, Graham 1, NE NE section 16-18-31. Derrick.

Barney Cockburn, Miller 4, NW NW 26-17-32. Shut down for repairs at 3,712 feet.

J. R. Cone et al, Saunders 1, SE NW 13-17-27. Drilling at 509 feet.

Dixon & Yates, Ballard 1, SW NE sec. 1-18-29. Cellar and pits.

L. E. Elliott, Elliott-Selby 1, SE sec. 24-18-29. Drilling at 3,170 feet.

Elliott & Taylor, Cannon 1, SW sec. 4-19-30. Total depth 2,355 feet; shut down for orders.

R. W. Fair, State 1-B, NW NW section 36-17-29. Total depth 3,050 feet; fishing for tools.

R. W. Fair, Brainard 1, NW NE 10-18-29. Drilling at 2,600 feet.

Flynn, Welch & Yates, Gissler 10-A, NW SE 14-17-30. Drilling at 2,960 feet.

Franklin Petroleum Co., Coppedge 1, NW sec. 5-18-30. Total depth 3,092 feet; rigging up new machine.

Franklin, Ballard 3-B, NE NE 1-18-29. Drilling at 2,550 feet.

Franklin, Masteller 1, NW NE 7-18-30. Location.

Franklin, Yates 3, NW NE 6-18-30. Drilling at 540 feet.

Grayburg, State 1, SE SE sec. 36-17-29. Seven-inch casing cemented at 2,649 feet.

G. A. Grober, Wright 1, SE NW 25-18-28. Drilling at 900 feet.

Jones & Yates, Bassett & Birney, et al 1, SE SW sec. 2-18-29. Total depth 2,538 feet; 7-inch casing cemented.

Edward S. McAuliffe, Coates 1, SE NE section 3-18-23, Hope. Drilling at 1,010 feet; gas and oil show.

Me-Tex Supply, Stroup and Yates, Ballard 1-B, NW NW section 8-18-29. Total depth 3,017 feet; plugged back to 2,635 feet; cleaning out after shot.

Me-Tex, State 1, NW NW 16-18-31. Drilling at 770 feet.

B. N. Nolan, Abbie Iles 1-X, SE SE sec. 27-16-29. Drilling at 380 feet.

Plains Production Co., Swearingen 1, NE sec. 14-18-31. Total depth 4,330 feet; pumping 10 barrels oil per day.

Republic Production Co., Robinson 3-B, SE SE sec. 35-17-29. Drilling at 3,205 feet.

Plains Development Co., Massie 1, SW SW 27-18-29. Drilling at 1,820 feet.

Rhoades Drilling Co., Swearingen 2, NE sec. 14-18-31. Total depth 3,535 feet; pumped 16 barrels of oil in 10 hours.

Sallee & Yates, Ballard 1-B, NW NW sec. 1-18-29. Drilling at 2,415 feet.

Sanders Bros., Travis 1, NE NE sec. 17-3-29. Total depth 2,603 feet; plugged back to 2,578 feet; flowing estimated 60 barrels per day while cleaning out.

Sanders Bros., Murdock 1, NW SW sec. 4-18-29. Total depth 2,625 feet; flowing estimated 100 barrels oil per day while cleaning out.

Trojan Oil Co., Grant 1, NE sec. 33-20-25. Total depth 1,300 feet; waiting on pipe.

Underwood & Sanders, Miller 2, NW NW sec. 4-18-29. Total depth 2,405 feet; side-tracking tools.

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Frank Good, old-time Kenna rancher, has discovered that an outcropping of caliche rock on his ranch is a better feed mix for his cattle than calcium concentrates which cost him between \$16 and \$45 per ton. He is operating a mill at the caliche pit where he grinds the rock into fine powder and sells it for \$5 per ton to nearby ranchers. Laboratory tests from New Mexico State College and Missouri Agricultural College show that the caliche contains from 74.8 to 83.88 per cent calcium carbonate, and is rich in iron and phosphorus, both valuable minerals in feeding the cattle.

All New Mexico WPA employees and applicants for WPA jobs must sign before Sept. 16 a mimeographed form certifying they do not advocate overthrow of the United States government by "force or violence." The forms, being prepared by the state administration office, are to be distributed as soon as possible, State Administrator J. J. Connelly said, and will be a necessary part of relief certification.

Typewriters for rent—The Messenger.

Underwood & Sanders, Miller 3, SW NW sec. 4-18-29. Total depth 3,295 feet; plugged back to 2,660 feet; running tubing.

Underwood & Sanders, Guy 1-O, NE NE sec. 9-18-29. Total depth 2,537 feet; cleaning out after shot.

Underwood & Sanders, Guy 1-N, SW SE 9-18-29. Total depth 265 feet; shut down for orders.

Watson & Smith, Brookover 1, NE SW 4-18-29. Drilling at 2,120 feet.

Yates et al, Yates 2, SW NW 6-18-30. Drilling at 2,030 feet.

Woolley, Woolley 2-D, SW SE 31-17-30. Rigging up machine.

Carson & Kelly, Berry 1, SE NE 22-17-27. Location.

Stanolind, Zorichak 1, NW SW 7-20-31. Spudding.

Receipts of the state land office for August aggregated \$244,223.74, a gain of \$12,970.96 over those for the month last year. Chief increases were in oil and gas rentals and potash royalties.

Santa Fe's army, which also will be headquarters for the New Mexico National Guard, is expected to be completed within 60 days, Adjutant General R. C. Charlton said.

Six applicants for United States citizenship, including two natives

of Germany and one of Poland appeared in Federal Court at Santa Fe Saturday for preliminary examination. The final oath to be administered Monday those approved.

Enrollment in Santa Fe school Wednesday of last week was 118 at 2,901, an increase of 220 of that of the second day of school term last year, Superintendent Raymond P. Sweeney said.

Social Security forms and returns—The Messenger.

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