

## Track Meet For Caliente

Plans are fully worked out for the Third Annual High School Invitational Track Meet, which will take place at Caliente Saturday afternoon, April 17, 1937, on the Alice Culverwell Dixon Athletic Field.

Schools entering their crack teams are Lincoln County High, Las Vegas, Ely, Dixie, Bunkerville, Beaver, Parawan and Cedar City. All of these teams have entered the meets in the past and the fans can look forward to some record breaking events, over the past two meets we have held other years.

You can expect some spirited competition, and a real meet to take place with Ely, Las Vegas and Lincoln High all contesting for the fine trophy to be awarded.

We can look forward to Dixie bringing a fast relay team. We have a nice trophy ordered for the winner of this event. Ribbons will be awarded winners of the first four places in each event. Fourteen events will be run off during the meet.—Caliente Herald.



New strains of chrysanthemums enable you to have a show of your own in the fall garden—investigate them for yourself.

Remember that you can grow better vegetables than you can buy, even if you cannot grow them cheaper.

Start French endive early this spring to have a winter supply next year.

Stakes are always a problem when summer comes; there's never enough of them, and if you keep this in mind now you will have gathered sufficient for the time they are needed.

Order a plentiful supply of gladiolus bulbs. You will need more than you think when it comes to cutting them next summer. Six stalks make only one bouquet.

Try some of the dwarf dahlias as annuals. They grow as easily as asters or zinnias.

A sieve is a necessity in flower seed sowing. The soil should be sifted for seed boxes and it is best sifted over seeds when planted in the open ground.

Garden plans should be finished by this time to furnish the basis for the seed order. Draw them to scale. Garden advisors always say you ought to draw plans. Do it just once for the experience.

Lawn seeding and feeding will be one of the earliest spring tasks. Get your order in for seed and plant food and make arrangements to borrow a roller to smooth over the rough spots caused by winter heaving.

Seed is one of the cheapest garden materials; order enough.

## Minimum Wage In Effect Soon

Employers of feminine help in the state of Nevada will have until May 29 to comply with the terms of the new minimum wage act for women which requires the payment of at least \$18 for a 48 hour week, it has been announced.

The measure becomes effective sixty days from its approval by the governor who affixed his signature on March 30. It affects all classes of female employes except those in domestic service or that of the federal government.

It sets a minimum working day of eight hours and a week of 48 hours, but allows a worker to be employed up to 12 hours in one day and 56 in one week during emergencies provided she receives pay for over-time work at the rate of time and a half.

A probationary or apprenticeship period of three months is allowed before the minimum wage goes into effect, but an apprenticeship period in any line of work is made applicable to any other line of work.

For example, if a woman serves three months as a waitress, gives up the work and becomes a stenographer, she is automatically eligible for the \$18 minimum wage as soon as she starts work.

The state labor commissioner and the district attorneys of the various counties are made responsible for enforcement of the act. Failure to enforce or failure on the part of the employer to comply with the law's provision is made a misdemeanor punishable by a \$500 fine or six months in jail or both.

## Vegas Enjoyed Jeffries Visit

James J. Jeffries, former heavyweight champion of the world, seemed to enjoy Las Vegas as much as Las Vegas enjoyed him last weekend.

Jeffries came with a little group of fighters from his training stable and acted as referee for the main event at the Legion boxing card last Friday night, and the crowd seemed as much interested in him as in the fight. Prior to the fights Jim was guest at a little dinner at the Apache, arranged by John Cahlan, among others present being Sheriff M. E. Ward, Ralph Lowry, District Attorney Foley, Chief of Police Dave Mackey, Chief of Police Adams of Burbank, Calif., Frank Gussewelle, Guy Baker, Jack Dennis and C. P. Squires.

Following the fights Jeffries was the center of interested groups in Las Vegas' brightest bars. While here he also visited Boulder Dam.

The Jeffries visit was arranged by Jack Dennis, new fight promoter for the American Legion.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Waldron of Billings, Montana, arrived in Las Vegas Wednesday evening for a short visit with their old time friends, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Squires. Thursday they visited the dam and left for Los Angeles via Palm

Mesdames Guy Baker and W. E. Ferron have issued invitations for a bridge luncheon to be held at the Ferron home on Fremont street Saturday afternoon.

## Local Pilot Escapes Injury

Chuck Lodwick, local pilot, escaped serious injury and possible death Wednesday afternoon when he made a test flight of the "Helloplane" on the dry lake. The new type plane took off from the dry lake on its first flight and when it had reached an elevation of fifty feet, turned over and nose-dived to earth.

Lodwick was shaken up but received no injuries. The ship was a total loss.

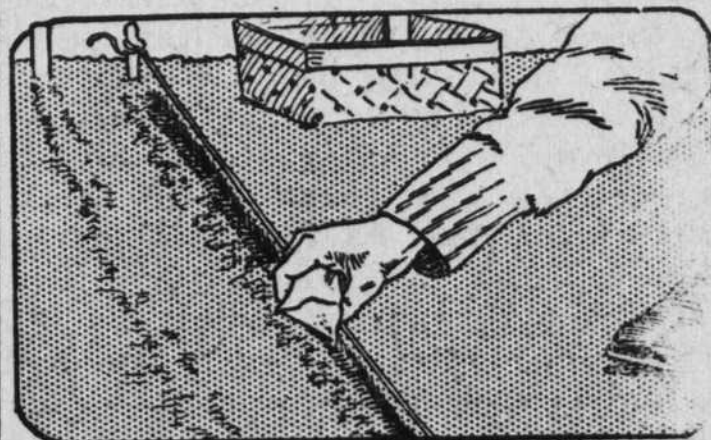
Mrs. J. T. Hesse entertained the Wednesday Contract Club at luncheon at its last meeting. Covers were laid for Mesdames F. R. Mildren, W. E. Ferron, W. S. Park, Leo A. McNamee, O. C. Boggs, Charles P. Squires, J. W. Squires and the hostess.

Now they say that rattlesnake filets are good to eat. We presume they are especially tasty when garnished with spinach.

### Why Fail With Flowers?

Failure with annual flower seed is likely to be due in most cases to one of two causes—the time they take to germinate and the thinness of the seedling plants.

Annuals which germinate quickly, such as zinnias, which come up in a few days, are easy for most garden makers. But larkspurs take fifteen days; petunias, twenty; sweet peas, fifteen, and in general there is a great variation in the time it takes flower seeds to start growing, with many varieties taking much longer than the beginner is likely to expect.



### Straight Rows, Careful Planning and Thinning Pay Out in End.

Consequently many a sowing is given up for lost before the seed has had time to grow, and when the seedlings do come they are not discovered.

Tiny flower seedlings are easily destroyed by the wash of rains across the bed. They are subject to other hazards which will usually destroy them unless the gardener has discovered and is taking care of them. A beginner is well advised if he sows his flowers in a seed bed, in rows which can be marked. The bed should be surrounded by a wooden curb 2 inches high, which will keep rain from washing over it.

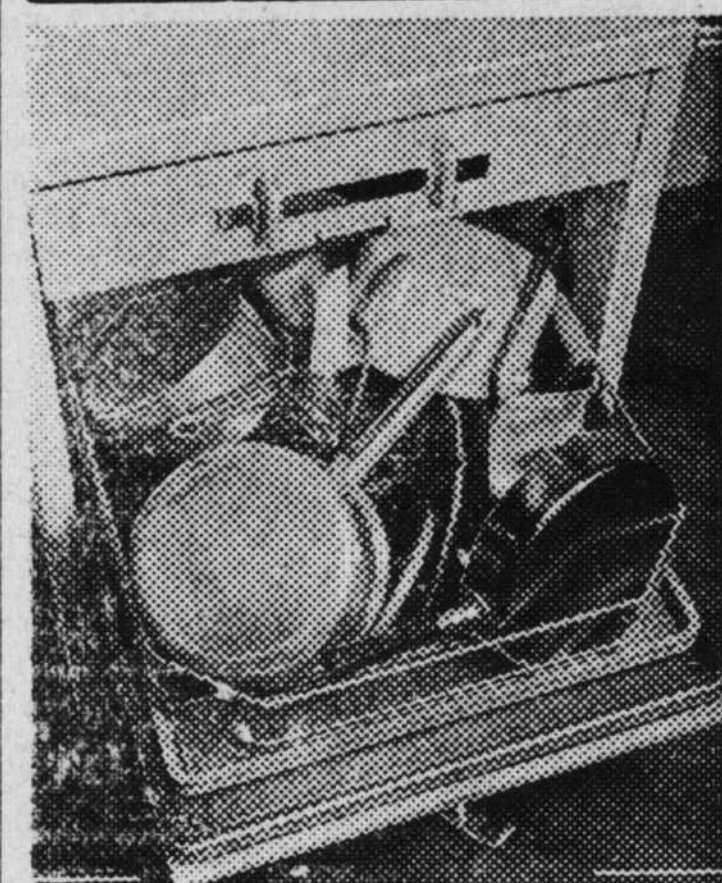
When the seedlings appear they will be recognized because they are in the row, and can be identified from the label. The gardener can become familiar with the appearance of the different flowers in the seedling stage. He will then be equipped to sow them broadcast in the border another year with the assurance of being able to tell flower seedlings from weeds.

## ELECTRIC DISHWASHER PROTECTS HEALTH

Washes Dishes in Scalding Hot Water Until They Are Safe: Also Protects Hands

In this super-particular age of ours, where babies drink from sterilized bottles and most of the cooked food we eat is sterilized, isn't it logical that our dishes, silverware and glassware used for serving food should also be protected?

This is a problem that cannot be solved by the old method of "hand" dish washing. The hands simply cannot stand water which is hot enough to destroy some microorganisms, and rinsing can't always

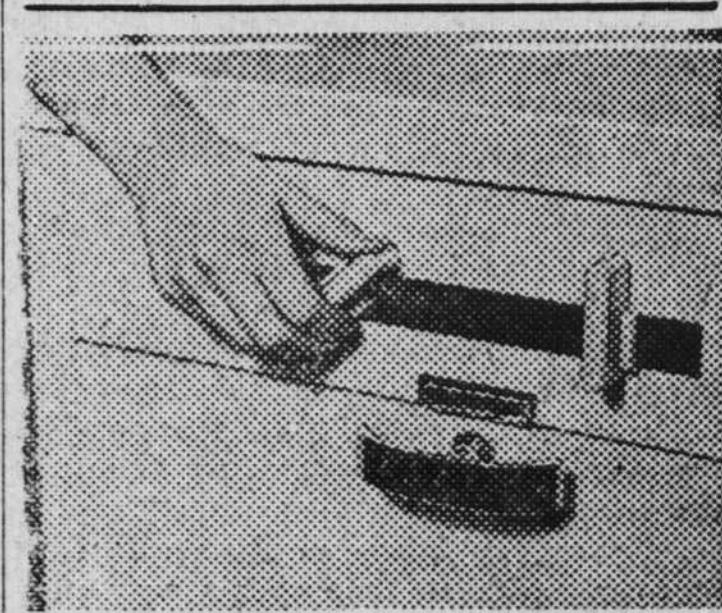


Pots and pans may be washed in the electric dishwasher either with the dishes or separately, as shown.

be depended upon to do the trick. Then, too, dishes may become contaminated when dried by the tea-towel method, regardless of how spotlessly white the towels may be.

In 3 to 5 Minutes

These facts, together with the indisputable fact that women simply do not like to wash dishes, have inspired the development of a new piece of electric equipment—the Hotpoint electric dishwasher. With it, dishes are washed in 3 to 5 minutes with streams of scalding hot



Washing dishes the modern way. A turn of the switch on the Hotpoint Electric dishwasher starts a strong spray of hot water that washes the dishes sparkling clean.

water, then the dishes dry by evaporation—all without turning a hand!

Aside from the sanitary angle of electric dishwashing, there's the human side, too—no "dishwashing" hands—no time spent "doing dishes"—no husbands and children made unwilling victims!