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Shorter Route From Humble Station B To Sonora Wanted

Workers For Oil Company Would Many Enjoy Barbecued Goats and Like Access To Improved County Road

Probability of a road from Humble Station B, in southeast Sutton atmosphere than has prevailed in county, to the Sellman-Ross road leading to the San Antonio highway to Sonora was voiced Tuesday night with the second of two platnoon at the luncheon meeting of the Lions Club.

The proposed road would shorten thirty-five miles from Sonora. the distance to Sonora by several miles and would make the trip here a desirable one for workers the free barbecue at noon when at the station. George H. Neill told between 1,000 and 2,000 persons of an audience which he and R. L. were fed the sixty-three goats and Hallum had with the county com- one beef barbecued by D. Q. Admissioners Monday relative to ams of Camp Allison and his helpsecuring such a cut-off road. Al- er, Burl Fisher of Roosevelt. though no commitment was secured from the county, Mr. Neill expressed the opinion that the pro-

posed road project can and will be barbecue. Men and boys milled accomplished. Land For Road Needed Right-of-way land would have to

be secured from several land owners in that neighborhood. Recently station workers came here to tell

CANDIDATES' DAY AT LIONS CLUB TUESDAY

All Sutton county candidates are being invited to attend the Tuesday noon luncheon of the Lions Club as guests of the organization.

None will be allowed to speak but all will be introduced to their fellow citizens whom they are depending upon to cast ballots in their favor the following Saturday.

of the desire of men there for such a road. It is said that the San Angelo College teacher, esabout \$3,500.

at eight o'clock, Wednesday, July his former employer. Neff re-County Wildlife organization spoke cently would be spent.

Move Made For Cleaner Streets Dr. Joel Shelton, president, was public address systems were made in charge. It was the first regular available by forces of state canluncheon meeting at which he has didates.

Politics Rampant at Camp Allison Two-Day 'Party'

Beef in Shady Grove at Noon Thursday

· Evidencing more of a political recent years, the Camp Allison Celebration and Barbecue ended last form dances in the grove of trees on the bank of the Llano river, Highlight of the second day (Thursday) of the 2-day event was

Many Help By Serving

As always in West Texas it was 'women and children first" at the around the serving square awaiting their turn after the women and children had eaten all they wanted. A. F. Kasper, Earl Lomax, Pink Glasscock, Lee Morris, Big Turney and Alvis Johnson were among those who served the hungry ones who stood at the one-plank "continuous" table under the trees.

About fifteen cut meat. Alfred Schwiening, Sutton county ranchman, was in his glory as he superintended the feeding of so many people. For years and years he has been in charge of the work Sutton county.

Political Fanfare Thursday Merits and qualifications of in-law, Cal Ory. Ernest Thompson and William Mc-Craw-candidates for governorwere outlined Thursday afternoon job. His horse, rope taut, was doby two men. Jack Spratt, lofty ing his best to help his master. monthly payroll at Station B is poused the cause of Thompson, for- that her husband had won first mer Amarillo mayor. Pat Neff, money two days of the rodeo and John Eaton, secretary, read an Jr., son of the former governor also final money. After the B'ack invitation from the Junction club who is now president of Eaylor Hills event the Taylors went to inviting Lions to a group meeting College, declaimed for McCraw, Wolf Point, Montana, for another 27. Joe M. Vander Stucken and signed as an assistant attorney- were mailed from Belle Fourche, Alfred Schwiening of the Sutton general to work in the campaign. South Dakota. Placards of this candidate and briefly in regard to the way in that candidate for state and dis- former Sonoran, and a brother of which money given the group re- trict offices were prominent on Cashes Taylor, deputy sheriff. He nearly every one of the shady trees spent the winter months in Sutton ing for San Angelo, let the Sutton on both sides of the road. Two county.

presided. He read the names of Features Varied This Year nora Lions Club's members will rally by Sonora players netted W. A. Hadden and Joe G. Mon- represent the organization at the three runs but these were not sufand told of two special committees tague, candidates for district judge, convention of Lions International ficient to do the job. which had been named-one for were on hand. C. H. Gilmer and in Oakland, Cal. Dr. Joel Shelton, Smith, Sonora second sacker, Marvin E. Blackburn, Jr., who president-elect, and W. C. Gilmore, was the only Sonora player to better cleaning of Sonora streets, want to represent people of this a past president, left Wednesday romp home in the second game the other to investigate the matter section in the legislature, were evening for the meeting. They are when Bud Smith, Sonora pitcher, "meeting and milling." L. B. Hor- going by way of Denver and Salt did the hurling for the local team.

Speculation of a year or more as to whether James V. Allred would continue his political career or would be given a judicial post was ended with his appointment as a federal judge by President Roosevelt at Wichita Falls.

The governor, who will resign as chief executive of the state of Texas before his term

Tom Taylor Winner in Northwest Rodeo

Picture Postcard Shows Him As As He Finishes Roping Calf

An action picture of Tom Taylor of Sonora ropeing a calf in the at the biennial "get-together" in Black Hills, South Dakota, Roundup rodeo July 3, 4 and 5, was being shown Tuesday by his father-

> indicating that he had finished the afternoon at 2:30 will take on the Mrs. Taylor wrote cards saying rodeo. The cards sent the Orys

Taylor is a son of R. E. Taylor,

Sonora Lions Leave For Coast Not just one but two of the So- ten decisive blows. A fourth inning \$1,856.50.

has expired, will preside in the Southern district court (federal) of Texas. He has not announced where he will live but he may reside in any of

Iraan Ball Team Tackles Sonora in

San Angelo Bests Team From Here in First Games in Permian League This Year

Eager to redeem themselves after two crushing defeats Sunday in being recorded for the month. Permian Basin League baseball Taylor's hands were in the air, conflict, the Sonora team Sunday Iraan players in two games at the from Interstate Public Service Sonora athletic park.

seating about 175, at the park. approximately \$63,000. Sunday will be the first time that the remodeled stand has been used. SONORA POSTAL RECEIPTS The San Angelo team was on the long end of the scoring count Sunday when they took the scalps 8 to 3 and 4 to 1.

In the first game Peeples, pitchcounty playing aggregation down er ending June 30 as \$2,019.19 with only six hits while his own teammates found Lefty White for

New Judge ... His Lady Roosevelt Merchant's Neck **Slashed; Death Here Later**

Rate Reduction of Forty Per Cent For Many Water Users

Sonorans Get Gallonage Over 8000 at 15 Cents Per 1000 Rather Than at 25 Cents

An "irrigation rate" for water customers of the City of Sonora was announced Tuesday morning as of effect in meter readings for the months of July, August and September.

Residential and commercial users will be sold all water over 8,000 gallons at 15 cents per 1,000 gallons rather than at 25 cents as formerly.

The rate of \$3.50 (net) for the first 8,000 gallons was not changed. W. C. Gilmore, mayor, said that bills of about one-half of the 380 users of water from the city's wells on Eaton hill would be affected by the reduction.

The rate, according to Mr. Gilmore, is an experimental one and, if practical and feasible, it or a Two Games Sunday lower rate will be in effect the same months next year. It is very likely, in such a case, that the month of June will be included and perhaps the month of May.

The average daily consumption in June was about 240,000 gallons. with approximately seven million

This month concludes a year's operation by the city of the water system which was bought last year Co. for \$37,935. New construction One hundred dollars has been and improvement work completed spent in covering the grandstand, recently entailed an expenditure of

SHOW GAIN IN 3 MONTHS

Substantial increase in postofof the Sonora players by counts of fice business in Sonora this year is indicated by figues compiled this week by T. C. Murray, postmaster, which show receipts for the quart-During the same period last year

> the business done was only The June business this year totaled \$583.94 as contrasted with \$551.73 in June, 1937.

Sutton Man's Cousin Hurt Fatally at Camp Allison

CLUES LACKING

Jugular Vein As Well As Neck Muscles Severed

Grim tragedy stalked on the bank of the Llano river about midnight Wednesday while dancers made merry on the platform at the Camp Allison Celebration.

Bert Jones, 46, a storekeeper at Roosevelt, staggered to the platform and told that he had been cut in the neck. He was rushed to Sonora by Ralph Crowe and Hugh Shaw, Texas Highway Patrol officers stationed in Sonora.

Death came about fifteen minutes after he was brought to the

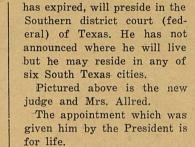
"LEADS" IN JONES CASE FOUND, SHERIFF STATES

B. W. Hutcherson, sheriff, said at eight this morning that work was continuing on the Jones case and thatG-"we have several leads that look pretty good and we are trying to develop them."

doctor's office here. Dr. J. Franklin Howell said that the man's neck muscles and his jugular vein had been cut.

At eight o'clock Thursday morning B. W. Hutcherson, sheriff, Sutton county, said that he had no clues as to how Jones was cut and that he was going to the scene in a few minutes to continue his investigation. Both Hutcherson and his deputy, Cashes Taylor, were at the Celebration when 'Jones reported that he had been cut. Mr. Hutcherson said that dried blood on Jones' body to a point just below his knees and on his clothes indicated to him that the cutting had been done some time before Jones told of it.

A cousin of Jones, Clint Jones, Sutton county resident who has worked for Mrs. N. B. Wilson about three and one-half years. told the NEWS Thursday morning that he found his cousin's new car about 100 feet from the dance platform. The ignition key was in the lock and the door of the car open. The speedometer registered only forty-four miles, Jones said.



those on committees for the year the purpose of trying to secure of securing more light in the postoffice lobby at night. The first group is made up of W. E. James, Jodie Trainer, J. O. Ellington, the second of Robert W. Jacobs and W. R. Parsons.

Committees for the year are:

Sight Conservation and Blind Work: Dr. J. F. Howell, chairman, Alfred Schwiening;

Boys' and Girls' Work: The Rev. R. C. Brinkley, Preston C. Lightfoot, Edwin Sawyer;

Citizen and Patriotism, Civic Improvement, Community Betterment: George E. Smith, Robert Rees, W. W. Gibson;

Education: Roy E. Aldwell, F. T. Jones:

Health and Welfare: Jodie Trainer, Boyd Caffey, Alvis Johnson, W. H. Dameron;

Safety: C. H. Carson, George E. Bean, Hix Hall;

Menu-Luncheon: W. C. Gilmore, H. F. Gilley, Louie Trainer;

Attendance: G. H. Davis, the Rev. R. F. Davis, C. P. Alfrey;

Constitution and By-Laws, Lions Education: W. R. Cusenbary;

Extension: H. V. Stokes, W. J. Fields, Jr., W. R. Parsons;

Finance: George H. Neill, Joe Berger, W. E. Caldwell;

Membership: George Wynn, J. D. Lowrey, H. C. Atchison;

Program: Robert W. Jacobs, E. D. Shurley, Richard Vehle. (To serve for three months);

Publicity: W. E. James.

Jeff Davee, a blind boy of the Camp Allison community who was recently taken to a state institution for the blind, was helped by the club to the extent of \$15 which he needs badly for clothes and other necessities.

(Continued on page 5) Lake City, Utah.

TEXANS' GUEST THIS WEEK



last year when he accepted a A guest in various cities of the state this week was Franklin Delano Roosevelt, President of the United States of America. The President is shown in the picture with Governor Allred and others

The Sonorans made three hits and four errors.

P. McLeod was receiving behind the bat for Sonora in both games.

Vic Montgomery, gridiron star of other days, who lives in Ozona, was one of several new players in the Sonora line-up. Additional players and more traveling will be necessary if the Sonora team is to show up creditably in the faster company of the Permian Basin League in which it is playing.

A plea was made this week that Sonora people support the team better by attending regularly the games that it plays and also by aiding in financial problems that beset the team.

Roy E. Aldwell, in charge of the scorebook for the Sonora team the last few years, is assuming that work again and will be in charge of the record-keeping Sunday afternoon for the two games here.

RAILWAY WORKER VISITOR IN SONORA WEDNESDAY

Thirty-five years ago C. F. Woods came to Sonora after what he says was a wild ride on the stage from San Angelo.

Wednesday Mr. Woods, now district passenger agent of the Illinois Central System, with headquarters in Houston, was here with a friend who was traveling by car. While in the NEWS office for a few minutes he told of the early day traveling by people who came to Sonora from the north.

Mr. Woods had not been in Sonora since the time of his stage ride shortly after the turn of the century.

SONORAN FINDS CROP PROSPECTS IN SOUTH GOOD



Corn and rice crop conditions in the South are reported as quite favorable this week by Dr. J. Franklin Howell who returned Sunday with Mrs. Howell and their children, Marguerite and J. F. Jr., from a vacation trip to Mississippi and Alabama.

Dr. Howell and his family saw the steel mills of Birmingham in operation and also several of the government dams which have caused so much comment in recent years. He was reared in Red Bay, Ala., where he visited. Mrs. Howell's relatives live in Winona, Miss.

The Howells have lived here since 1934 when they came from Sweetwater. During his absence on the trip Dr. S. C. Harrell of San Antonio was in charge of his work here. The San Antonio man returned to his home Sunday.

Cousin Identified Victim

Clint Jones said that he had not seen his cousin and did not know he was at Camp Allison until he joined the crowd around the injured man. He said about \$24 was found in his cousin's pocket.

The Sutton county man said that his cousin was a pleasant, goodnatured person and that he was not the type of man that would be likely to take his own life. He was a World War veteran, serving in the United States. Jones was a member of the Baptist Church at Roosevelt, his aunt said.

Formerly of Tom Green County In business about three years,

Jones was reared in Kimble county and spent most of his life there. He operated the last store on the right as the traveler goes toward Junction. Before going to Roosevelt he was in busines in Christoval. His mother, Mrs. Ed Jones, 77, makes her home with her sister, Mrs. Laura Hoover, known as "Mother Hoover," in Ozona. His father has been dead about six years and is buried in Ozona.

Besides his mother Jones is survived by the aunt in Ozona, who was in Sonora Thursday morning, three brothers and a sister. The latter are: Jack Jones, Hatch, N. M.,; Gus Jones, Pete Jones and Mrs. Lou Guest, all of Utopia, a town in Uvalde county.

Jones mother has been visiting her children in Utopia three or four weeks. Funeral arrangements made by the sons from there, who came here Thursday morning, were that the body would be taken to Utopia that day and funeral held this (Friday) afternoon.

hand-woven serape in the design of the official flag of the Pan American Exposition. The serape, and the sombrero in his lap, were presented to him when he was a visitor at Texas A. and M. College.

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MISSIONARY SWAYS HISTORY OF HAWAII

American Became Adviser to King and Ran Things.

Minneapolis.-The story of how an American missionary influenced the Hawaiian islands during the reign of King Kamehameha III was related here by Lawrence M. Judd, former governor of the islands.

Judd's grandfather, Dr. G. P. Judd, was the American who went to Hawaii as a medical missionary and stayed to become an integral cog in the territory's government. Doctor Judd, who married in or-

der to go to Hawaii, as the church would not send a single man, arrived in the islands in 1828.

Over a period of time, as the only medical man in the kingdom, he virtually became royal physician. And after he had been in Hawaii approximately ten years the king induced him to leave the mission and join the government, then a feudal despotism.

"My grandfather and a Frenchman named Richard were the only white men to renounce their citizenship and become Hawaiian sub-jects," Judd said. "Grandfather became translator and interpreter in the royal court. That meant that he dealt for the kingdom with all foreign nations.

'He had great influence with the king and first induced him to grant a constitutional monarchy. Then grandfather and two others wrote the constitution, patterned after that of the United States."

His influence with the king was illustrated by an incident in which a British admiral, feeling that England had a grievance, almost seized the islands.

A roundtable discussion between his toe the king answered "yes." Two taps and the king answered "no."

States Limit Gasoline Brought in Foreign Cars

line which may be brought inside their borders without payment of additional taxes, according to a suradministrators.

The restrictions are designed to prevent motor vehicles from using highways without contributing to the cost of maintenance and construction.

Thirteen states have specific gallon limits—ranging from 10 gallons in Colorado to 50 in Iowa-while five states admit tax-free only the fuel that can be carried in a vehicle's ordinary fuel tank.

of gallons of gasoline which can be brought across their borders without payment of additional fuel taxes 20; Texas, New Jersey and Louisiana, 30; New Mexico and Nevada, 25; Indiana, 15; and Colorado, 10. States which forbid importation of points is given.

gasoline-without payment of addi- Towns are listed, indexed and tional taxes-in excess of that car- their population as of 1930 listed ried in ordinary fuel tanks: Arizona, Arkansas, Maine, New York and Oregon.



Pacific Coast Stars Sweep Track Meet

Track and field stars from the Pacific coast overwhelmed athletes from the Midwest conference at an interconference meet in Dyche stadium, Northwestern university, in Evanston, Ill. Photograph shows Arnold Nutting of the University of Southern California winning the 100 yard dash, with Mickey Anderson, left, of Southern California taking second place. The time was 09.7, for a new meet record.

State Department's **Road Map Complete**

in Every Respect Detailed Story of Highways in Texas As Well As City Streets Included

rill not extend beyond the state 25:14 refers to. I will tell what the the king and the British officers took will do well to secure one of the popular answer is to this question place. Doctor Judd sat next to the official state highway map pub- and will endeavor to give the king and, by prearrangement, when lished by the State Highway Comhe tapped the king's foot once with mission with corrections up to reveals as the 'goods' of this April 1 of this year.

The new map, like those issued by the department in past years, service at the church. The class at is folded in booklet form, its cov- La Vista Theater will be held as ers in colors. The front shows a usual. In the afternoon the Revpicture of an inviting highway and erend Mr. Brinkley will go to Har-Washington. — Eighteen states bears the legend, "1938 Texas riett where he will conduct a se-have limited the amount of gaso- Hickway Man Issued by Texas ries of meetings at the Baptist Highway Map. Issued by Texas ries of meetings at the Baptist State Highway Department: Rob- Church in that town. ert Lee Bobbitt, commission chairvey made by the federation of tax man; Harry Hines, commission MORTON COUNTY RESIDENT member; John Wood, commission member; Julian Montgomery,

State Highway engineer." The back displays a colored pic- time in twenty-five years, R. G. ture of the Alamo, labeled "Cradle Caruthers of Morton, Bailey of Texas Liberty."

United States highways, state highways, pavements, surfaced his way home from a trip to Braroads, improved earth roads, earth dy. Mr. and Mrs. Caruthers had roads and conditionally designated States which restrict the number roads not maintained are each marked with individual symbols. ployed years ago in ranch work The fact that there are no toll for E. F. Vander Stuckeu. As a are Iowa, 50 gallons; Idaho, Illinois, bridges on the Texas highway sys- young boy the younger Caruthers Kansas, Wisconsin and Washington, tem is pointed out and mileage be- set type in the NEWS office as tween towns as well as accumula- did so many other young fellows in ted mileage between designated the days of Mike and Steve Mur-

ONE SERVICE ONLY AT Great-Grandchild For Sonoran BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY Birth of a son, weighing 7 and -4 pounds, has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. George Dennis of El

THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

Announcing as his Sunday mornng subject "Thustees of the Kingdom," the Rev. R. C. Brinkley, pastor of the Baptist Church, this week had the following to say regarding the morning subject: "Many Bible students wonder

Texans whose vacation travels what the word 'goods' of Matthew thought of just what the Bible

There will noe be an evening

IN SONORA WEDNESDAY

Visiting Sonora for the first county, Texas, was here for a short time Wednesday morning on been visiting his mother in Brady. Mr. Caruthers' father was emphy, early day publishers.

Sonorans Visit in New Mexico Mrs. C. W. Tayor and children, Blanche Lavon and Billy Wright, Mrs. O. V. Mullins and son, Bernard, Mrs. Palmer West and Miss Pauline West of Eldorado returned Monday from a visit in Hobbs, N. M., with Mrs. Elizabeth Wright.

Aldwells Return Home Mr. and Mrs. Lea Roy Aldwell and baby son, Roy Edward, returned Sunday night from San Antonio.

Miss Babcock Studying in Chicago Miss Gertrude Babcock left Thursday of last week for Chicago where she will study at the Chicago Art Institute.

Ice Cold Mason Watermelons-Sonora Ice Company .- adv.

A fair, clear-thinking fact-facing business man TOM F. HUNTER for GOVERNOR (Political Announcement)

To the VOTERS and CITIZENS of the **Eighty-Sixth Representative District:**

It has already been my pleasure to meet many people of this section and I am planning to take every opportunity to make your personal acquaintance and discuss with each individually the problems and issues connected with the office of State Representative for which I am asking consideration at your hands.

For the reason that I may not have such an opportunity with all of the voters of this great livestock and farming district I am taking this means of placing before the people of this section my views upon the matters of public concern and interest.

I believe society owes the worthy old people of this State, and who have made it what it is today, security and independence in their declining years and pledge my support of adequate old age assistance AS THE PEOPLE VOTED FOR IT and not as now administered by a bunch of "case workers" who are not in sympathy with the purpose and intention of the law. The money now available can be made to go at least one-third further if it is apportioned among the Counties on an equitable basis, similar to the division of State School funds, and administered in each County by the Commissioners' Court.

With reference to matters of local importance I call attention to the unsatisfactory laws we now have governing the trucking business of this State. West Texas cannot do business without motor transportation and the business men and truckmen of this section are demanding a change. We must have laws to regulate the business and protect all people including shippers but it is necessary that these laws be reasonable and permit the truckmen to make a fair living and render proper service. There is not a district in the State more dependent upon the truck than this and many business men, and particularly ranchmen, have suffered unnecessary loss of time and money because of the limitations and restrictions of the law. I am in favor of materially increasing the load limit and making other necessary changes in the law.

It is my opinion that we should have a fair and sensible "Fair Trade" law to protect the small town merchant and business man and likewise the consumers so that the big corporations will not be permitted to drive our friends and neighbors out of business and then make it all back with interest when they have killed all competition.

You are selecting a person to look out for your interests in the State Legislature for the next two years, a person who should know all the conditions and needs of this ranch district and when to vote for and when to vote against the measures that will crowd next session of the Legislature. The more experience and contact your representative has had in the business and with the people of this district the more successfully he may be expected to serve and protect your interests in Austin. May I call your attention to the fact that I was born in Edwards County and have spent all of my life, 37 years, in this district. I started out about 25 years ago in vacation and as I had time doing ranch and common labor by the day and through the years have become familiar with all the activities and conditions of this territory. I now own a small ranch in Edwards County and have first-hand information about the problems which confront that business. I will need your help to be elected, and if I am, I pledge myself to merit that help with sincere and conscientious service in your behalf.

It is my intention, if elected, to use every means within my power to fight bitter weed and other injurious plants. I prome to cooperate in any program which has such a purpose and

Simply count your enemy to be that which defiles, defaces and dethrones the Christ-image that you should reflect .- Mary Baker Eddy.

verse."

Honolulu Bird Talks to Self in Two Languages

Honolulu.-Mrs. S. Itakoa boasts of possessing the only bird on the island that can talk in two languages. It is equally fluent in Japanese and English and can throw in a few words of "pidgin" when listeners are not able to understand the two languages in their purity.

The bird, which answers to the name of Charlie, is a nymah, one of the most conspicuous birds on the island although not indigenous here. They were brought from India to aid farmers by feeding on the cut-worms of a moth.

Unlike most talking birds, the nymahs are able to talk without having their tongues slit.

It took Charlie nine years to arrive at his present linguistic achievements and his greatest and most amusing accomplishment is that of being able to carry on a bi-lingual conversation with himself.

Sheep Thriving on Job of Preventing Blazes

Oakland, Calif. - The district which embraces the Alameda County Zoological gardens has obtained fire protection free of cost. Under arrangement with the Kerwin ranch, 1,000 sheep have been driven into the district to feed on the grass in which nearly all local fires start. The ranch in return is saved the expense of pasturing its sheep.

Writer Believes in "Dates" at Any Age

Fort Worth, Texas .- Dr. Henry Neumann, writer, believes the modern miss should have dates just as soon as she pleases.

More harm than good, he said. follows the old-time fashion of keeping the daughters at home until they are eighteen years old -then allowing them to have "dates" for the first time. Youth today is morally better than a century ago, he believes.

at the sides of the map proper.

City maps, showing routes thru cities and designating points of interest as well as nearby lakes, nearby rivers and adjacent airports, are also printed on the face of the map in the borders above West are daughters of Mrs. and below the map proper. These city routes are shown for Amarillo, Wichita Falls, Waco, Austin, El Paso, Beaumont, Fort Worth, Dallas, Galveston, San Antonio, Houston, Fort Worth-Dallas insert and Houston-Galveston insert.

The back of the map is decorated with pictures of various points of interset over the state, being mounted on a light background in the shape of the State of Texas.

Great leader: The man supported by your side. Tyrant: The same man if he is leader of the other side .- St. Louis Star-Times.



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of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Bloodworth

of El Paso and a granddaughter

of B. M. Halbert. The child has

been named George Dennis, III.

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further intend to see that the State Highway Department is required to keep these plants, and particularly the bitter weed, off of road right-of-ways.

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THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

Princess Beatrix Makes Her Bow

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"HIPPO" IS ONE OF NATURE'S ANTIQUES CAN YOU MATCH IT ?

Huge Beast Only Living Relic of Stone Age.

Washington, D. C .- Birth of a nine-pound baby hippopotamus at the National Zoological park in Washington, and the hope that the tiny infant will survive, focuses atcreatures in captivity. The newly located. Richard believes in it arrived hippo is a pygmy, and if right well himself. it reaches maturity will, like its mother, weigh only about 450 pounds. This contrasts with a weight of 4,800 to 6,000 pounds for the ordinary adult hippopotamus.

'Growing as rare as the vanishing American buffalo, that vanishing African, the hippopotamus, receives protection from several governments of middle and southern Africa," says the National Geographic society. "Wardens help the hippo escape the native steak plat- baker in a contest of ivory balls on ters. Left to himself, the cumbersome creature is about as dangerous as a grand piano.

"In spite of his successful zoo career as a very-wild-beast behind bars, the hippo is only a barnyard brute at heart-in short, a pig. Halfpig at least, says the scientist, con- RANCHMEN SHIP CAR OF sidering the short legs, four-toed foot, rasping grunt, rooting muzzle and tusks. Pig-and-a-half, observes the layman with a measuring eye. For this super-porker is outranked for a standard model hippo would average hippo's hide, two inches thick, is draped around three tons of animal.

"Horse of the River."

"'River swine' was the ancient Greek three centuries B. C. as unwieldly as his frame.

"This nightmare of a pig has a face is shaped like a violon-cello gabled at the top with a pair of alert eyes and gnarled at either end of the nose ridge with knobs of eyes and nostrils. Stubby legs and short flattened tail are dwarfed by his bulk.

"One of his odder features is the 'bloody sweat,' a reddish oil which pours from the hippo's pores under stress of pain or excitement.

"This greatest of hogs is one of historic savages of southeastern England brandished stone-headed spears at it along the banks of the hippo once roamed through Europe ice of Texas A. and M. College. and even India. His four-toed feet have beat a slow, thunderous regrowing noticeably scarce around have been a loss to growers and the edges of the continent. "By day the hippo hides his homely face in shady marshes or gallops along river bottoms with whalelike excursions to the surface to spout for air every five or ten minutes. No matter how cumbersome on land, he dives and swims with Olympic skill.

Bob Vicars of Sonora Drug Co is authority for the following story. We didn't see the contest.

It seems that Richard Vehle's prowess with the pool cue is known far and wide; at least it is known well along the block where tention on one of the queerest wild Sonora's only recreation club is

Several weeks ago Richard went down to defeat at the hands of Frank Knapton. Great was the "wailing and gnashing of teeth" because of the defeat of the famous Richard.

When a challenge to another decisive game was thrown down Monday by Vehle it was accepted and Knapton again defeated the the green cloth-covered table. All spectators agree that a barrage of flour or baking powder was not used to help vanquish the Sonora business man.

MIXED CATTLE LAST WEEK

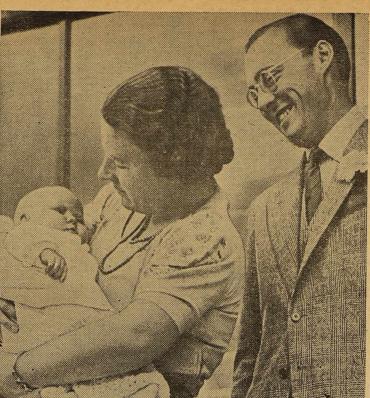
A car of 35 head of mixed cattle left the Sonora stock pens Thursfor sheer bulk by the elephant alone day of last week consigned to Paul among land animals. Parking space Shirley of 'Crowell, Texas, who bought the livestock from Thomas need to be about 14 feet long. The Espy and Espy and Vander Stucken, Sonora ranchmen.

When the cattle were being taken to the pens Wednesday evening a bull became stubborn and refus-Egyptians' name for him. A visit- ed to cross a highway bridge. The animal broke loose twice, jumped dubbed him 'horse of the river,' and several fences and headed toward the Greek for that phrase-hipo- the Sonora Wool and Mohair Co., potamus-became his title, a name in the general direction of the Espy and Vander Stucken ranch. It spongy skin with a network of fine was finally necessary for Howard creases. It is a rich hue of rare Espy to rope the unruly animal beefsteak, shading into blue-gray near the Marion Stokes residence and dappled with chocolate. His and drag him, feet set, behind a truck to the stock pens.

He was sold the next morning.

TEXAS TOMATOES BOUGHT FOR U. S. RELIEF PEOPLE

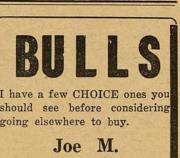
College Station, July 13 .- County agricultural agents and local farmer committees aided the Federal Surplus Commodities Corponature's antiques, a living relic of ration in the purchase of from 2 the Stone age. It may be the only to 172 cars of tomatoes from a big brute left which retains its face county in the 12 leading tomato and figure from the days when pre- growing counties in East Texas during the season just closed, according to J. F. Rosborough, hor-Thames. Remains indicate that the ticulturist of the Extension Serv-In all, the Corporation purchased 458 cars of tomatoes which treat before advancing civilization were distributed to persons on reto the dank heart of Africa, which is now the bewildered hippo's last stand. He lurks among the reedy the work of thsi division more margins of lakes and rivers from than \$250,000 worth of tomatoes the latitude of Timbuktu south to were made available for human the latitude of Durban, already consumption that otherwise would



Princess Juliana and her consort, Prince Bernhard, proudly display their infant daughter, Princess Beatrix, who may one day rule the Dutch empire, at a reception at Soestdjik palace in The Hague for aged persons residing in the surrounding district. Many of these had an opportunity to see the little princess.

Missourians Visiting Here Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Taylor this week are Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Settle of Centralia, Mo. Mr. Taylor, a field man in Missouri for the Liverpool and London and Gloge Insurance Co., travels about 30,000 miles yearly for his company but has never before been in Texas. They will be here all week.

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Vander Stucken PHONE 9013

DANCE AND BARBECUE AT

to each year by many people of West Texas has been arranged for tomorrow (Saturday) night, July 16, by Jack Lane at his Loma Alta service station on the Del Rio Mrs. Raymond Morgan; Misses Jo highway.

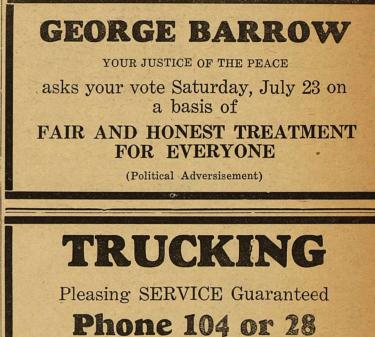
cently and told of arrangements Mabel Anderson of Henderson; he had made for the party. Barbe- Marion Elliott, Web Elliott, Robcued beef and "all the trimmings" ert Allen Simmons, L. M. Roueche, will be served and Tom Dickey and Reginald Trainer. His Show Boys of San Antonio will supply the music for dancing.

Publicity work about the 1938 Sonora Ice Company .- adv.

party, with Mr. Lane as host, has STATION SATURDAY NIGHT been done several weeks and it is expected that a large number of A party that is looked forward Sutton county people will attend.

Sonorans Visit in Christoval Among the young people spending Sunday in Christoval were: Ann Marion, Wynona Hutcherson, Mr. Lane was through here re- Elizabeth Elliott, Joe Nell Miers,

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E. C. (PETE) GARVIN (C. D. "Red" Crumley, Driver)

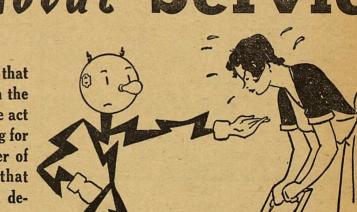
Let's Talk About Service



OST everyone knows that SERVICE, as defined in the dictionary, means: "the act or occupation of working for another . . . the manner of performing work ... that

which is supplied or furnished to meet a demand," etc.

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No Dainty Appetite.

"Catering to their gigantic appetite, which is exclusively vegetari-an, is a hippo size job. In captivity, a baby can drink 15 pints of milk and squeal for more. An adult can stow away in his ten feet of stomach a dozen bunches of carrots, a half-dozen heads of cabbage, a peck of apples, 15 loaves of bread. 150 pounds of hay.

"Short legs make him stumble so easily that low flimsy fences are protection against hippo marauding erator; 7-cubic-foot size. Phone visits. When the husky herds grow numerous enough to trample crops along cultivated riversides, they are transferred from the protected list to the black list. White hunters track them down, finding them about as much sport as a frightened cow. Natives kill them for food, feasting on hippo bacon and smoked tongue, rendering the fat into a pure oil that doesn't turn rancid for years.

"Mild manners and steady habits place the hippo among the respectable bourgeois of the jungle and surely among the favorites of the zoo. His popularity as a captive was well under way in 293 B. C. in the zoo of Octavius. Barnum billed him as Behemoth of the Bible.

"The pygmy hippopotamuses which range through Liberia on Africa's west coast are vest pocket editions similar to fossils found on Madagascar and Sicily. Naturalists wonder whether the small size was a special adaptation to island surroundings, and why this bantam model now lives only in Liberia and zoos.'

Walking Relearned

Montreal. - Canadians have to learn to walk twice a year. Montreal athletic instructor says that the change from smooth sidewalks and grass in summer to snow and ice in winter, and the change in footwear, is responsible.

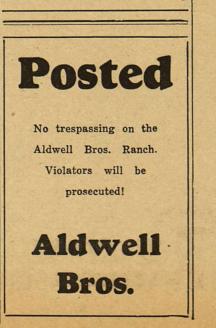
consumers. Ice Cold Mason Watermelons-

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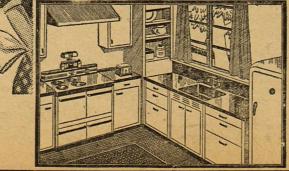


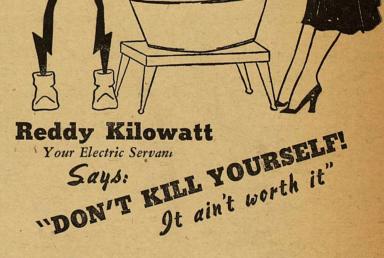
occupation. By that act of providing light and power for your home and business, the electric company renders a service. You pay a small amount each month as compensation for this service.

It, perhaps, seems like a simple transaction: but, in order to perform the work of providing the electric service you demand, this company is forced to employ approximately 1,000 men and women to whom it paid over \$1,200,000 in wages during 1937. As a citizen and property-owner in every community it serves, it paid the equivalent of \$9.25 in taxes per customer in 1937.

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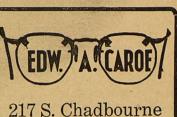
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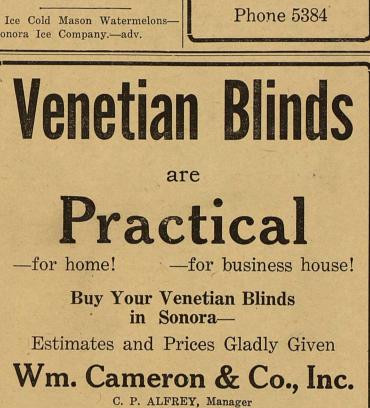
Legal Tablets at the NEWS, tf

In his race for Governor four years ago 457,821 votes were cast for Tom Hunter— within 2% of his election. An intensive survey of the State indicates that in this race more than α half million votes will be cast for his election. Join these half million citizens with your vote in the interest of a fair, sound, sensible, economical State Government.

(Political Announcement)



SAN ANGELO



Challenge Windmills

YOU can

Sonora boys and girls, the Corner Drug Store tomorrow (Saturday) who is the winner of a handsome J. O. Ellington, manager, said until 1,500 quarts of the store's ice cream has been sold. The bicycle is to be given to the boy or girl who sells the largest

test is in progress. Each child will be given three cents a quart "commission" on Lien against A. F. Clarkson, his sales whether or not he or she Mamie E. Clarkson, M. S. Clark- is the winner of the bicycle. Mr. son and Bertram C. Redgrave in Ellington said this week that adthe case of Wool Growers Central ditional details of the contest may Storage Company and others vs. be secured by the children at the store.

> Mrs. Clyde Gardner, Mrs. J. C. Morrow and Miss Nann Karnes spent yesterday in San Angelo.

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BOYS AND GIRLS WILL CONTEST FOR BICYCLE

bicycle.

Making ice cream salesmen of

COUNTY OF SUTTON NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Tom Green County, Fifty First will begin a sales campaign which Judicial District, on a judgment the children will engage in to see rendered in said Court on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1935, in favor of Wool Growers Central Storage Company of San Angelo, this week that the contest will last Texas, First National Bank of So-

nora, Texas, Roy Hudspeth, Sol Mayer, V. J. Turney, San Angelo National Bank of San Angelo, Texas, Mrs. Camille B. Bird, First number of quarts while the con-National Bank of San Angelo, Texas, against A. F. Clarkson, with foreclosure of Deed of Trust

A. F. Clarkson and others, No. 7790 on the docket of said court, I did on the 6th day of July, A.D. 1938, at 2 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described tracts and

parcels of land situated in the County of Sutton, State of Texas, comprising 13,120 acres, as the ants, to-wit:

W1/2 Sur. 69, W1/2 Sur. 70 and all The San Angelo National Bank of Surveys 71,72, 93, 95, 96, 97, 98. & W. T. Ry. Co. lands, as fully described in that deed of trust We have just received a beauti- from A. F. Clarkson and wife, Sutton County, Texas, and on the 2nd day of August, 1938, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a. Fortstockton, Texas m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on said date, July 11, 1938 at the courthouse door of said regard for him as a fellow citizen judgment against the defendant, A. F. Clarkson, and as further di-

B. W. Hutcherson,



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"Without intending to commit our- county, I will offer for sale and selves individually to the support sell at public auction for cash, all of either candidate for the office the right, title and interest of the of District Judge of the 112th Ju- said judgment debtors A. F. Clarkdicial District, we the undersigned | son, Mamie E. Clarkson, M. S. lawyers of the Pecos County Bar, Clarkson and Bertram C. Redthe residence of W. A. Hadden, de- grave, in and to said lands or any sire to attest to all who do not per- part thereof, applying the proceeds sonally know Mr. Hadden, our high thereof to the satisfaction of the

> rected in such Order of Sale. Sheriff, Sutton County, Texas.



few who know definitely of the The Devils River News

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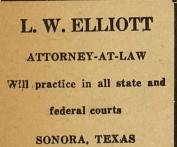
Six Months Three Months ...

character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corpora-tion will be gladly corrected if the matter is brought to the at-privilege Saturday, July 23. Kerrville was in Sonora Saturday wanting to buy about 1000 head of horses from 3 to 7 years old tention of the publisher.

Think Now of Your Ballot

With the primary election only a week away it behooves voters to think seriously of the men for whom they may cast their ballots.

The informed voter who studies the qualifications of those he would have carry on his government is a board. worth while citizen. There are too



qualifications of those for whom they voté. A "Sample Ballot" showing all

precinct, county, district and state candidates will appear in the Col. W. L. Black of McKavett, NEWS the second time next week. 435 stock goats at about \$1.50. It will aid the voter in determining the manner in which he will vote.

Material regarding qualifications of those on the ticket is available at many places other business. than on trees and posts. It would be well if some of this material

were obtained and careful analysis \$2.00 of it made by voters. Granted that draw was in Sonora for a few days 1.25 much of it is wordy and meaning-.75 less, there is still a portion that ANY erroneous reflection upon the any intelligent person may digest as a help in directing him to a

> STATE EMPLOYEE ONE OF THOSE AT CELEBRATION

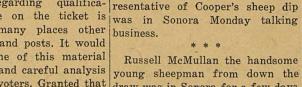
One of those at the Camp Allison Celebration and Barbecue turned to the ranch with them, Thursday was B. H. Murphy, em- being tired of city life. ployee of the Liquor Control Board, Austin.

(Pat) Murphy, San Angelo attor- Sonora this week. Mr. Wark is a ney, has been assigned to this sec- clever gentleman and is well property of said judgment defendtion for special work for the state pleased with the Sonora people.

Liquor act violations in Texas, Mr. Murphy stated, are more prev- at San Angelo has increased its 99, 100, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117 and alent in the small business places surplus and undivided profits to 118, all in Blk. 14, T. W. N. G. Ry. at the edge of a town than in the \$75,000. The San Angelo National Co. lands, and Surveys 1, 2, 5, 6 larger places within the towns. expects to increase this item six and E1/2 Sur. 3, all in Blk. C, H. E. Business houses catering to large months hence. crowds, such as those at night clubs, give little trouble because they know that the reputaiton of ful line of the celebrated Union Mamie E. Clarkson to Roy Aldwell, operation of their businesses. Little difficulty has been en-

countered by the Liquor Control Board in its work in Sutton county, Mr. Murphy commented.

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this week. Kerrville was in Sonora Saturday

unbroke.

E. Jackson and J. C. Johnson

Mr. Murphy, brother of E. E. man of the Pecos country was in

their places depends upon careful League Negligee Shirts, in the la- Trustee, of date August 30, 1930, test styles of silk madras, etc. recorded in Vol. 9, pp. 367, et seq. The best shirt on the market. Do of the Deed of Trust Records of

Hagerlund Bros. & Co.

and member of the lagal profes-

"He is, in our opinion, fully 36-3tc qualified for the position of Dis-

were in Sonora Monday from the Koenig ranch. Fredy Koenig re-W. J. Wark a prominent sheep-

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H. Welge a horse buyer from

35 Years Ago

R. H. Wyatt of Sonora sold to

Rex Board the gentlemanly re-

sion

not fail to see them.

POLITICAL MESSAGE

along without one, take my advice and don't do it any longer!"

GEORGE A. WYNN

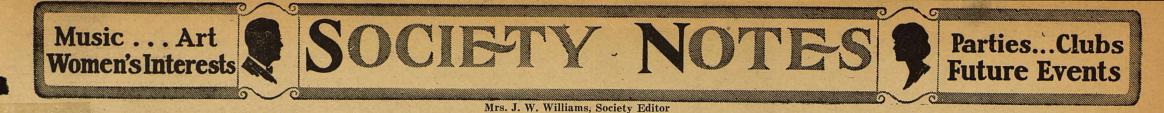
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Miss Roueche Married Thursday To James W. Williams

Thursday night at the home of the Rev. R. F. Davis, pastor of the Methodist Church, Miss Nina Roueche, became the bride of James W. Williams.

The bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Roueche, and four Reiley, Emma Sessions, Joyce Mc friends of the bride and bride- Gilvray, Muriel Simmons, groom-Miss Ches Thorp, Miss Dorothy Penick, H. C. Kirby, J. O. Ellington-were the only ones at the wedding.

Miss Roueche, society editor of old Friess. the NEWS since September, 1935, was graduated from Sonora high Roberts school in 1934. She is a popular member of the Sutton county Hosts at Shower younger group.

Mr. Williams, employed at the Corner Drug Store since February, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Williams of Happy, Texas. He was reared there and was graduated from high school in that town in 1935. Later he attended West Texas State Teachers' College, Canyon, and Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams are living in one of the houses built this year by F. J. Wood.

The approaching marriage of Miss Roueche and James W. Williams was announced Monday night when her mother, Mrs. Lewis Roueche, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Vincent Roueche, entertained with a lawn party for the Gay Dozen Club and several guests.

The hostesses were assisted by Mrs. Jesse Green Barton.

Zennias and shasta daisies were used as decorations. Bridge was played with gold and white tallies of bride's design being used. A cleverly designed plate favor told of the forthcoming marriage of



'Nina To James, July 14." Angel food cake and punch was served after several games of bridge. High club award went to Miss Muriel Simmons and high guest to Mrs. Seth Lancaster. A At an eight o'clock ceremony table lamp was given the honoree by her mother.

> Those present were: Misses Ches Thorp, Dorothy Penick, Joe Nell Miers, Cathryn Trainer, Wynona Hutcherson, Margaret Hull, Ruth Freeman, Florine

Mesdames Seth Lancaster, Batts Friend, C. G. Roe, Raymond Morgan, Rose Thorp, M. C. McDurmitt, J. W. Trainer, J. T. Penick, Har-

Saturday Night

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hollmig, married recently, were honored with a miscellaneous shower Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Volney Roberts.

Dancing and card games furnished entertainment.

Lemonade and cake were served during the evening. Attending were:

Messrs. and Mesdames Gomer Minnick, James Glasscock, Byron Whitten of Eldorado, J. B. Mercer of Eldorado, George Trainer, Jr., Edwin Hollmig, Alvin Hollmig, Sib McKee, Frank Smith, S. E. Adams, Earl Smith;

Miss Alma Louise Glasscock, Billy Partin, Jessie Schrier, Gatha Quisenberry, Irene Calentine, Mary Deland; Mrs. Zola Jungk, Mrs. Bessie Henderson, Mrs. Lula Hollmig, Mrs. Jim Pharis, Mrs. Rena Trainer, Mrs. Nell Calentine, Mrs. Hazel Starnes, Mrs. Ernestine Green, Mrs. Pete Andrews;

Scott Roberts, Duard Roberts, Cloma Roberts, Duard Archer, Emmitt Archer, Pane Bailey of Eldorado, Pete Harris, Louis Hart, Ray B. Glasscock, Melvin Glasscock,

Gordon Wilson, Pete Maxey of San Antonio, Johnnie Andrews, Ernest Woodward, Bryan Reddoch, Gus Love.

Mrs. Simmons Party Hostess Thursday Afternoon

Entertaining members and two Auther Simmons was hostess tots, a "six-legged calf" from

Shirley Has Kiss for Top G-Man

J. Edgar Hoover, director of the federal bureau of investigation, who was made a member of the Variety Club of America at a luncheon given in the main ball room of the Willard hotel in Washington, D. C., where Shirley Temple presented him with a gold engraved membership card in addition to a kiss given to the head G-man as a token from Hollywood.

Politics Rampant— (Continued from page 1)

Bridge Club Entertained By

ton, San Angelo business man, and Spratt were pushing things for Ernest O. Thompson. C. V. Terrell, railroad commissioner candidate, and William McCraw, had cars with public address systems. Many

candidates had workers on hand. Other candidates who spoke Thursday were:

W. A. Hadden, Fort Stockton; Penrose Metcalfe, San Angelo; C. H. Gilmer, Rocksprings; Marvin E. Blackburn, Jr.; Joe G. Montague, Fort Stockton (master of ceremonies).

A horse ridden by Big Turney defeated one owned by Nelson Chadwick in a 280-yard race yesterday afteroonn. Turney's horse also won a race the day before. Goat ropers who won Wednesday

were: Harold Garrett, Lester Garrett, Jack Benton, Ben Reeves, Pete Waddell, Leo Adams, Sam Chadwick, Glenn Reeves, Nelson Chadwick.

Thursday winners were Lester Willman, Curt Schwiening.

guests of the Pastime Club, Mrs. pitching, a merry-go-round for City, Mo., for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison As a compliment to members and guests of the Sonora Night Club, Mr. and Mrs. Sam H. Allison were hosts recently at a bridge party on the lawn of their home.

> A two-course dinner was served. Club guests were:

Messrs. and Mesdames Lea Alison, J. A. Ward, Jr., George E. Bean; Mrs. Stella Keene.

Club members attending were: Messrs. and Mesdames Henry Decker, Duke Wilson, Bryan Hunt, Frank Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. Decker held high club score and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson second high. High guest award was presented Mr. and Mrs. Ward.

Attends Relative's Funeral Mrs. L. E. Johnson left Wednesday for Houston to attend funeral services for her aunt, Mrs. Maggie Hargroves. Mrs. Har-Garrett, Nelson Chadwick, Glenn groves, a sister-in-law of Mrs. A. Reeves, Glenn Chadwick, Marvin J. Smith, taught in the public schools here a number of years A "medicine man" with an ago. Funeral services were con-"honest-to-goodness" snake coil- ducted yesterday in Houston, and ing around his neck, horseshoe the body was sent to Jefferson

Bridge Club Entertained By Mrs. McClelland

Mrs. Joe H. Trainer won high guest score Tuesday when Mrs. Ernest McClelland was hostess to the Jolly Joker Club members and three guests.

Zennias were used for floral decorations. Lime ice and cake were served.

Members attending were: Mesdames R. C. Vicars, Rich-

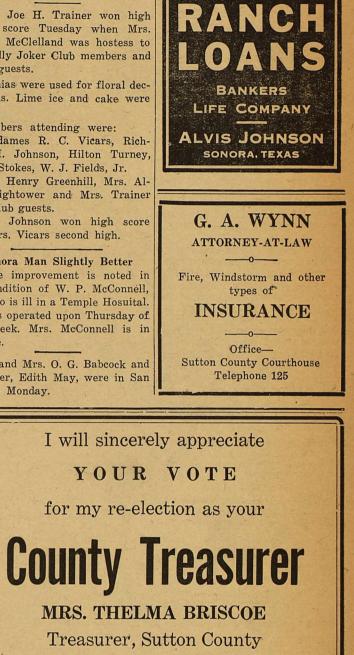
ard M. Johnson, Hilton Turney, H. V. Stokes, W. J. Fields, Jr. Mrs. Henry Greenhill, Mrs. Al-

ton Hightower and Mrs. Trainer were club guests.

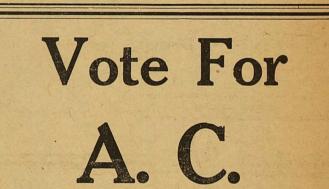
Mrs. Johnson won high score and Mrs. Vicars second high.

Sonora Man Slightly Better Some improvement is noted in the condition of W. P. McConnell, Jr., who is ill in a Temple Hosuital. He was operated upon Thursday of last week. Mrs. McConnell is in Cemple.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Babcock and daughter, Edith May, were in San Angelo Monday.



(Political Advertisement)



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Thursday afternoon of last week Kimble county, a hamburger stand at a forty-two party.

Mrs. George Trainer, Sr., won tracted much interest.

high club score and Mrs. J. T. Mc-Clelland won high club score. Others attending were:

Mesdames Rose Thorp, C. E. er, Hi Eastland, J. A. Cauthorn, Joe Berger, A. W. Awalt, Rita Ross, W. E. Caldwell.

Mrs. Baker Club Hostess **Tuesday Morning**

Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken and Mrs. Robert W. Jacobs weere the only club guests Tuesday when Mrs. Sterling Baker entertained the Idlehour Club with a morning party.

Mrs. Josie McDonald won high club and Mrs. Jacobs high guest.

Members attending were: Mesdames J. Franklin Howell, Hix Hall, W. D. Wallace, G. H. Davis, N. B. Wilson, Richard Vehle, J. A. Cauthorn, J. L. Nisbet.

A frosted drink was served.

Kermit Visitors Here Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pfiester and daughter, Jackie Nell, of Kermit are visiting his mother, Mrs. Beulah Pfiester, and other relatives here.

Bakers Return From California Mr. and Mrs. Terry Baker and Mrs. J. C. Baker of Camp Allison returned yesterday from a two weeks' visit in California and other western states.

Mrs. Mayfield Ill This Week Improving nicely is Mrs. E. C. Mayfield who has been ill at her home several days.

and a beer concession were feat-Punch was served as the guests ures of the Celebration. Joe Obarrived and at the tea hour a de- erkampf of Ozona had a portable lectable sandwich plate was served. display of gas appliances which at-

Dances both nights were directed by Alton Hightower, Sonora business man who was in charge of entertainment features and con-Stites, W. E. James, J. W. Train- cessions. He contracted for the work of promoting the affair and had publicity matter placed in a number of West Texas newspapers.

> Mrs. Mary C. Hunt of Brackettville is visiting her son, Bryan Hunt, and Mrs. Hunt.

W. B. Sherrill of San Angelo was a guest yesterday at the home of Mrs. B. C. McGilvray.

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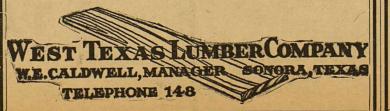
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CANADA TO REBUILD FAMOUS FORT ERIE

Ancient Outpost to Be Historical Monument.

Fort Erie, Ont .- Neglected for more than a century, old Fort Erie -erected originally as a protection against Indians-is being restored as a historical monument.

Located near the Canadian end of the International Peace Bridge, the old fortress virtually has been destroyed by vandals, curio seekers and early Nineteenth century settlers who carried stones away to build houses, barns and even a church

According to John Tielger, in charge of the restoration work, the Canadian government plans to rebuild the one-time stronghold with such authenticity "that a British general of 1770 could come here from Valhalla and feel at home."

Years of Research Work.

Historians and architects have put in years of research in connection with the restoration program. Their search through the archives of the British war office in London resulted in finding plans of the old fort, which will be followed in reconstructing the landmark.

Strategically located at the mouth of Niagara river, the original fort, built of wood, was erected in 1764. It was destroyed by a storm 15 years later. Again the fort was built, but this second one also was demolished by a raging storm.

When the fort first was built there was no thought of an international boundary, as both sides of the river were British territory. It was the first permanent settlement at the source of the river.

Third Fort Started in 1805. A third fort on the same site was started in 1805, but was still unfinished when the War of 1812 broke out. The partly completed fortress was seized by American soldiers, who made it a strong fortification. The British laid siege to it in 1814, but Gen. Peter A. Porter of Buffalo, N. Y., broke the attack, taking British artillery to spike any fur-ther attempts at seizing the fortress

Before they left, the Americans blew up most of the fort, probably thinking it would prove a menace to the new village of Buffalo.

In recent years, the fort site has been used as a rock garden, with only a few monuments and bronze plaques to commemorate a scene of military valor and daring.

When completely restored, the fortress will contain two buildings well protected by about 600 feet of stone wall.

Pupils in This School Must Be 50 Years Old

Pasadena, Calif.-A school for pusoon to be opened here—the second of its kind in the United States. Plans for the school, which will

be called the Pasadena School of Mature-ates, have been announced by Mrs. Lucile M. Cowles, for many years a teacher in the Church of Truth and Unity movement.

The aim of the school is "a phys-



boy, Reverend Charles E. Jaynes Jr., performed his first marriage ceremony at the wedding of Miss Florence Brinkman, twenty-one, and Clifton Hoffman, twenty-three. The young clergyman is pastor of the Foursquare Gospel church and was ordained last July at the International Ministerial Federation conference at Peoria, Ill.

San Antonio Woman **Tom Hunter Worker**

Pastor's Wife, Mrs. H. R. Carroll, Active in State Affairs

Dallas, July 13.-Mrs. H. R. Carroll, San Antonio, one of the best known writers in Texas and the forces of Tom H. Hunter in his campaign for governor.

The wife of Dr. H. R. Carroll, pastor of the Woodlawn Baptist Church in San Antonio, she has a long record of public service. During the first year of the Century of Progress exposition in Chicago Mrs. Carroll attended as official Texas representative. The following year Mrs. Carroll directed exhibits of San Antonio and Corpus Christi there.

So successful was the work of gelo. this Texas church woman that Mayor Edward Kelly of Chicago appointed her as a member of his Brady. municipal public relations department during 1934-35. She was called back to Texas in 1936 to become field representative for the Texas Centennial celebrations department of publicity and filled that post for two years.

Mrs. Carroll has just returned from Hollywood, California, where pils more than fifty years of age is she has been writing feature articles for the Houston Post and other newspapers.

> The first and best victory is to conquer self -- Plato.

OUTDOOR SERVICE BEING CONDUCTED IN SONORA

Open air religious services are being held each evening on the flat just across the bridge on the Ozona highway, according to an announcement Wednesday by Mrs. W. C. Bricker.

Topics of sermons being presentan untiring worker in the South- ed are: "The Scarlet Thread," ern Baptist church, is a member of "The Signs of Time," "The Conquering Host" and "The Present Day Need." The general theme of the meetings is-"No creed but Christ, no law but love."

Personals

Paul Turney and Harold Friess were in San Angelo Saturday. Mrs. J. T. Penick and daughter, Lyles, returned with them for a Dorothy, spent Friday in San An- visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Orion Brown returned Wednesday from a visit in left yesterday for Hollywood,

San Angelo spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Clyde Gardner.

Mrs. C. A. Alphin of Austin is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. C. Saunders, and her brothers, G. H. Davis and W. L. Davis.

B. M. Halbert and his grandson, L. P. Bloodworth, Jr., left Tuesday morning for Coleman where they attended the annual rodeo and celebration.

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THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

Candidate For High State Office **Experienced** Legislator

Austin, July 13 .- Four great four days last week by Coke Stevenson in his campaign for Lieutenant-Governor. Beginning the week at Marquez in East Texas, he visited Taylor the same day; Bren-

ham and Cuero Monday; Stamford Tuesday and Brady Wednesday. At Stamford he rode in the parade staged in connection with the Cowboy Review.

In several addresses Stevenson said that as presiding officer of the Senate, the Lieutenant-Governor is somewhat like a judge and ought to keep himself in a frame of mind to give fair consideration to all matters of legislation. He served four years as Speaker of appealed.

As a member of the House Stevenson wrote the law creating the office of State Auditor. In its original form his bill provided for the appointment of the Auditor by the Legislature. He also wrote the laws modernizing the Comptroller's office and the State Treasurer's office, and was the author of the measure under which onefourth of the gasoline tax is now being used to pay off county road bonds issued for building state highways.

In his campaign Stevenson frankly states his opposition to the proposal for a unicameral legislature which, he declares, would abolish the House of Representatives and transform the nature of the state government.

Sonorans Return From East Texas Mrs. W. H. Queen and daughter, Mary Jane, Mrs. B. C. McGilvray and Max Darrell Murray returned Sunday from a visit in East Texas. Mrs. Queen's mother, Mrs. Ella

Sonorans Driving To California Gus Love, Sonora ranchman, where Mrs. Love has been study-Miss Mary Louise Gardner of ing voice several months. Mr. and Mrs. Love will return to Sonora

about August 1.

POLITICAL WORKERS HERE LAST FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Promotion work for William Mc-Craw, candidate for governor, was done in Sonora Friday afternoon when Dick Stout and John Greer were here in a red automobile on

sections of Texas were visited in which was mounted a public address system.

Stout was formerly an assistant ttorney general under McCraw up a railroad.-Los Angeles Times. and Greer is a University of Texas student who is heavyweight

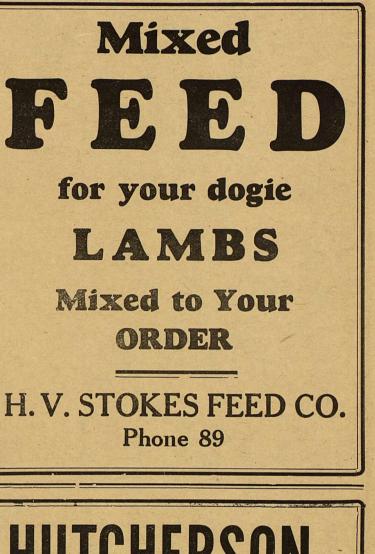
wrestling champion at the state school. The two have made 5,000 miles in the campaign car since June 18, Stout said.

McCraw will speak in San Angelo tonight.

British hotel men found the price of meals on our dining cars outrageous. If they had known, for the same money you can pick

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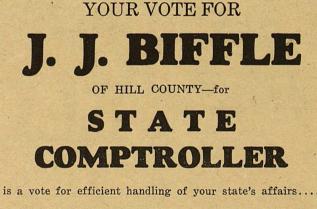
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mental renaissance for all of its pupils and the re-education of the public mind toward people of mature years."

The school, which will follow closely the lines of the one directed by Dr. W. A. McKeever at Oklahoma City, will really be the beginning of a campaign against old age and for the extension of life.

The school will attack the belief that 70 years constitutes a decisive breaking point in the life and career of the ordinary person, and that he must inevitably enter thereafter upon a period of physical and mental decline and spiritual depression.

If you would fall into any extreme, let it be on the side of gentleness .- Frances De Sales.



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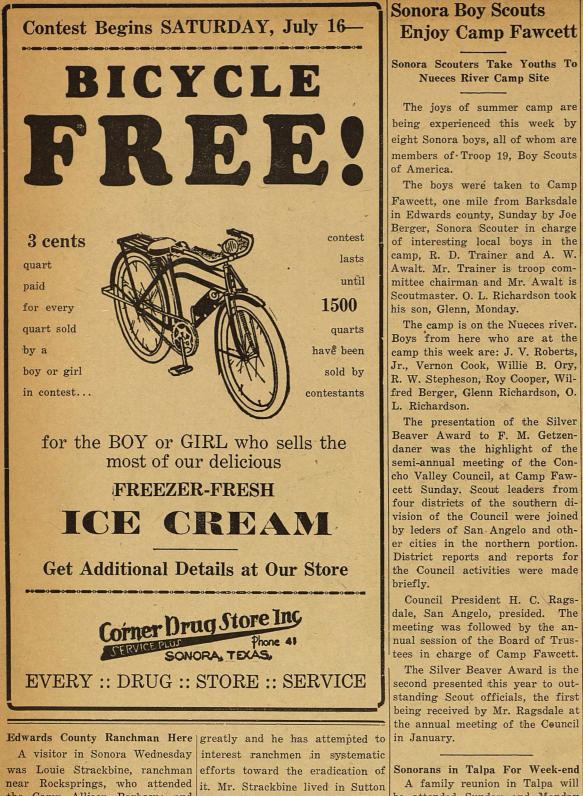
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Celebration. Mr. Strackbine has been one of the most interested men in Edwards county in regard to the stamping out of bitterweed. Roueche and daughter, Miss Nina The spread of the pasture scourge Roueche, spent Wednesday in San in recent years has alarmed him Angelo.

the Camp Allison Barbecue and county about ten years before 1912.

Mrs. Ford Allen, Mrs. Lewis

in Christoval. **Sutton County Citizens**

who cast their ballots for

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of America.

L. Richardson.

briefly.

Sonora Boy Scouts Congressman Chief JULY **Enjoy Camp Fawcett Speaker As Lions** 1938 1938 **Install Officers** Sonora Scouters Take Youths To . SUN MON TUES WED THU FRI Nueces River Camp Site SAT Ladies Guests of Civic Club When 1938-1939 Officials Take The joys of summer camp are 2 Over New Work being experienced this week by Scoffing at the oft-heard stateeight Sonora boys, all of whom are 5 7 6 8 9 3 members of Troop 19, Boy Scouts ment that "there is too much government interference in business" as the reason for bad economic The boys were taken to Camp 12 13 14 15 16 conditions, Charles L. South, rep-Fawcett, one mile from Barksdale resentative in Congress, Friday in Edwards county, Sunday by Joe night told Sonorans of their gov-19 20 21 22 23 18 Berger, Sonora Scouter in charge ernmental affairs. of interesting local boys in the The congressman, speaking at camp, R. D. Trainer and A. W. the Lions Club's Ladies' Night 26 27 28 29 3C Awalt. Mr. Trainer is troop comprogram, declared that persons mittee chairman and Mr. Awalt is who thought interference by the Scoutmaster. O. L. Richardson took government in business affairs his son, Glenn, Monday. caused unpleasant economic condi-**Every** Day The camp is on the Nueces river. tions were at a loss when asked Boys from here who are at the what caused previous periods of camp this week are: J. V. Roberts, economic stress. Jr., Vernon Cook, Willie B. Ory, Washington Life Reviewed R. W. Stepheson, Roy Cooper, Wil-Mr. South reviewed recent ac-A Day When fred Berger, Glenn Richardson, O. tions of the administration and told of the workings of the government The presentation of the Silver You May Need in Washington. In concluding his Beaver Award to F. M. Getzenaddress he stated: daner was the highlight of the "We must not be too radical in semi-annual meeting of the Conour thought and actions in carry-**Banking Service..** cho Valley Council, at Camp Fawing on our government but we cett Sunday. Scout leaders from must also be careful not to keep four districts of the southern ditoo much to the old order of vision of the Council were joined things. We must adapt ourselves by leders of San Angelo and oth-Call this your bank. It truly is a financial institution of West to new things as they come our er cities in the northern portion. way." Texas which can and will serve you faithfully. District reports and reports for W. C. Gilmore, a past president the Council activities were made of the club, was in charge during THE the evening. He introduced Mrs. Council President H. C. Rags-Preston C. Lightfoot, who sang FIRST NATIONAL BANK dale, San Angelo, presided. The two solos, and the Devil Ears mumeeting was followed by the ansicians (formerly Juno Playboys) nual session of the Board of Truswho played several times during SONORA TEXAS tees in charge of Camp Fawcett. the evening. EMAL Llano Official A Guest The Silver Beaver Award is the "Serving Sutton County" The district governor-elect, Bill second presented this year to outstanding Scout officials, the first Collins, newspaper man in Llano, being received by Mr. Ragsdale at was introduced by H. V. Stokes and the annual meeting of the Council spoke briefly. C. H. Gilmer of Rocksprings also spoke, suggesting Sonora Abstract Co. a regional civic organization which would work for the common good of communities of this section of J. D. LOWREY, Mgr. A family reunion in Talpa will West Texas. be attended Sunday and Monday W. J. Fields, Jr., retiring presiby Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Richey. EFFICIENT LAND TITLE SERVICE dent, expressed his appreciation of Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Richey, the work of Lions in Sonora dur-ON SUTTON COUNTY LAND Wayland Stubblefield, Miss Louise ing the last year. A copy of the McIntire and Miss Mary Louise constitution and by-laws as well as Cox, the latter two of Talpa, were We represent several of the old line fire a president's pin were given Dr. Joel Shelton, president-elect, by insurance companies Mr. Fields. Other officers and directors of the club were introduced and one-John Eaton, secretary, responded with an outburst of oratory as to his fitness for the work assigned him. Financial Report Given First official act of the new president was to name a committee FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALSto appear before the county commissioners relative to securing a SUGAR-Pure Cane, 10 lb. bag, new road which would shorten the distance from Station B to So-Limit: 10 lbs. with \$1.00 or more purchase nira. Those named were George H. Neill, Joe Berger, Vernon Hamil-SALMON, two 1-lb. 25C SOUP, Heinz, all kinds, the can _____ W. J. Fields, Jr. and R. L. Hallum. W. E. James, treasurer, reported TOMATOES, No. 1 5C PEAS, Pure Maid, No. that cash receipts during the year can ending June 30 were \$4,648.45 and PRUNES, two-pound PRUNES, 50-60 size, 5c that only \$35 was now owed the package 4-lb. bag __ club. The cash balance on June 30, LIMA BEANS, large, LIMA BEANS, small, 15c was \$2002.25. He presented checks 2-pound package _ 2-lb. package SOAP, Life Buoy, for \$377.90 each, on behalf of the SOAP, Lux, two 5C 2 bars club to Alfred Schwiening for Sut- bars for ton County Wildlife Association K. B. or Light Crust, Flour and to Joe Berger for Troop 19, 48-pound bag Boy Scouts of America. FLOUR, 48-pound FLOUR, 24-pound .15 SUTTON RANCHMAN bag MARRIED IN COLORADO HONEY, Extract, HONEY, 16-ounce 59c one-half gallon Glass Jar Announcement was made last FLIT SPRAY, gal-FLIT SPRAY, quart .25 week-end of the marriage of D. H. lon can can Kirkland, Sutton county ranch-GRAPE JUICE, Roseman, and Mrs. Lottie Foster of 32C mary, quart ___ size San Angelo who were married in COFFEE, Maxwell COFFEE, Maxwell Colorado Springs Wednesday of 79C House, 1-lb. can House, 3-lb. can last week. Mrs. Foster has been visiting in Denver recently. SHORTENING Mr. Kirkland and his daughter, Frances, a graduate of Sonora 25c CHERRIES, gallon high school this year, went to Col-CHERRIES, No. 300 orado recently for a visit with Mr. can, 2 for and Mrs. Moritz Kirkland in Pueb-**10C** PEARS, 2½ can APRICOTS, No. 1 tall lo. Moritz is a son of Mr. Kirkland. can The Kirklands returned Saturday of last week. In February they 10C AVOCADOS, large will move from the Sutton county BANANAS, the ranch, which he sold a few months dozen ago, to a place near Rocksprings. 5C BELL PEP the pound _ OKRA, the Sonorans Leave For Maine pound A vacation trip lasting until the LETTUCE, large, firm 5C PEACHES, to ar-rive, bushel latter part of August was begun head, each Friday by Mrs. E. E. Sawyer and FIGS and GRAPES, **77** LIMES, large, children, Edwin, Alice and Wesley, to arrive • • the dozen . Miss Harva Jones and Miss Rena McQuary. They will spend most of QUALITY MEATS ALWAYS the time at the Sawyer cottage in SC FRYERS, large and fat, pound _____ BABY BEEF ROAST, Seboeis, Maine, but on the trip en-Chuck, the pound joyed visits in New Orleans, Washington, D. C., New York and Bos-

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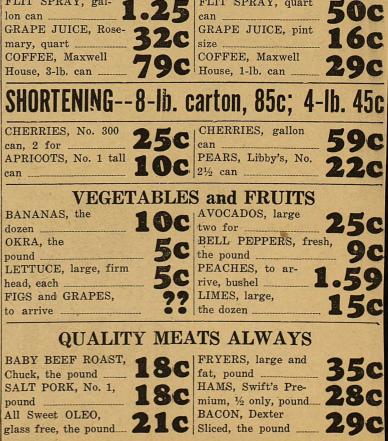
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