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Exhibits Are Ready

For Annual Show of

erous than expected, and the sev-

eral interest of this and surround-

ing communities indicate that not

only will the exhibits be finer and

larger than at any time previously,

but attendance is also to show a

substantial gain over previous

The show and sale, sponsored by

the Lions Club of Sonora through

the Sutton County 4-H Club, has

Many premium awards are to

Included in the auction will be

Third Annual Show

And Sale Plans Are

Now Completed

West Texas.

vears.

Wool and Mohair

NUMBER 34



among the force, accidents, deour people the good service they we have tried to give.

In the hurry and rush of work last week we overlooked something We left out an advertisement which had been authorized-becalling special attention to the Taylor Motor Company as mechanic. Look it up and see what West Sonora.

The Game Warden for this territory has been a frequent visitor always glad to see him, but somewheether maybe our friend Shannon thinks maybe we will and he'll be there when it happens .Anyway, Mr. Shannon is a swell follow, can be, and a valuable man to be land have not yet been subdued. in a community. If sportsmn of Sonora and Sutton County would! things relating to the fishing and be fewer violations, and the supply of game and fish in this area probably would increase to an appreciable extent.

At the beginning, most of the peo a success, judging from the interple of this community regarded est beind displayed. If such is rather lightly the bathing beauty the case, it might be a good idea revue scheduled last Sunday after- for the merchants of the town to noon for the formal opening of consider making it a monthly afthe Sonora Swimming Poool. But fair, instead of just one day in

During recent weeks we've had a town took great interest in the hectic time keeping our office force contests, and did everything possia jump or two ahead of our work. ble to reward their entries, whether Not altogether because we have they were winners or not. Season had more work than we could tickets were given in several cases handle, but because of illness to the entries by their sponsoring firm, and other marks of esteem mands from out of town for our and appreciation shown. Taken as time, and many othere unusual a whole the bathing beauty revue conditions. But this week we seem was a success from many angles; to have overcome such obstacles, beautiful contestants, large atand are again prepared to give tendance, educational features and entertainment on the part of exhave a right to expect and which pert swimmers and divers. The afternoon Sunday was an enjoyable time.

become the largest much favorable What with Hitler's "blitzkreigpublicity from widely scattered a newspaper editor rarely forgets. ing" the rest of the world into subsections, as well as having the mission, threatened low prices for endorsement of sheep and goat ranch country products, threats of raisers throughout the wool and lieve it or not. So this week we are drouth, higher taxes, a war scare, mohair territory of Texas. and minor unpleasant thoughts, it advertisement of West Granger, is good if a community can forget be made. And following the show, recently employed at the Elliott- its troubles and worries for a long an auction sale of many registered enough time to watch with interest animals is expected to cause a the social events that concern and wider dispersion of good blooded has to say to his old friends in involve its own younger set. Such animals over the territory, from an afternoon was last Sunday. As which the entire industry will long as Sonora citizens can take make a substantial gain, both as time out for such entertainment, to quality of animals produced but we have no fear for their morale from quality and quantity of in the News office of late. We're They are still sane in every sense fleeces produced at shearing time. of the word, and still retain their times we wonder whether we've sense of values. If the nation at sales under the direction of Nelson committed a game law violation or large can adopt and maintain the Johnson, San Angelo auctioneer, same sane outlook on world condiand numerous head of Rambouillet. tions, this is one nation which Hit-Delaine and Corriedale Sheep, Anler can't "blitzkreig" into anygora goats, and Hereford cattle, thing, much less submission. As every animal entering the ring to friendly, co-operative as far as he far as that goes, France and Engbe of high quality. The sale is expected to attract attenion from ranchmen over a wide sector of

To shorten our paragraphs just consult him when in doubt about a little, Sonora itself hasn't been "blitzkreiged" by economic condihunting regulations, there would tions. The federal census shows that the city is one of the largest, if not the largest, country town in the ranch area of Southwest Texas.

The Trades Day tomorrow will be

Plans are complete for the Third Annual Show and Sale to be held tomorrow under the sponsorship of the Sonora Lions Club and the Sutton County 4-H Club. The show, which will be larger than ever this year, has attracted an unusual amount of interest over the ranch country, and final entries show that exhibits of wool and mohair, and the number of livestock to be sold through the auction ring, is to be a more interesting and valuable affair than at any time in the past. Nelson Johnson, auctioneer of San Angelo, will have charge of recent weeks making installations the sales, to consist of range animals donated by ranchmen of this area, and registered livestock consigned by breeders of the territory. It is possible that more than 100 head of livestock will go through the ring at auction, with a larger number of buyers present than at any time in the past three years. To complete a full day's program, a big dance will be given at the wool house tomorrow evening, provided. In connection with the show and sale, word has been received that a brief announcement of the affair is to be made this afternoon over Station KTSA during the Wrigley Company's Scattergood Baines' program. Time of the announcement covering the show and sale is from 3:45 to 4:00 p.m. Friday.

Additional Names Are Added to List of **Red Cross Donors**

With the receipt of several no-Splendid response has been had tices that surrounding counties would have exhibits of wool and mohair here for display tomorrow, the Third Annual Wool and Mocharacter have been turned in to hair Show and Auction Sale prom-Miss Nan Karnes, local chairman. ises to be the largest since the The additional donations include inception of the affair. Entries in the following: the various classes are more num-

Dr. and Mrs. E. M. de Berry

Robert Kelly_ Mrs. J. D. Lowrey. Mrs. Velma Shurley ... J. O. Ellington. Dr. J. F. Howell Dr. Tom White. Mrs. Clara Murphy_ Corner Drug Store.

2.00

2.00

Mrs. Edna Wheat Beam Mrs. Mae Sawyer... T. W. Sandherr. 20.00 Mrs. Clyde Gardner . 1.00 Joe M. Vander Stucken. Mrs. Edith Bond3.00 Mrs. F. Duncan....

Cross use. Citizens of Sonora maintain their high standard of liberality in their contributions that has always characterized them in the

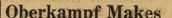
Texaco Station Being Built On Stites Corner

past.

Sonora Trading Company was given a contract this week for the charge of the entry lists, and those remodeling and repairing of the McDonald, and Earl Merck has been placed in charge of the con-

struction. Plans call for dismantling the front of the building, and replacing immerous single fleeces have been it with a modern Texaco Service station, with stucco finish and a green trim in Texas Company colors. The station will be built according to Texas Company speci- Sonora show was established. fications. The building is to be

modern in every respect. It is thought that the new sta- Edwards, Pecos, Tom Green and tion will be completed and ready Sutton, with both 12-months, 8for business within a couple of months.



New Warehouse For Dedication of Pool Highway Department Sunday Afternoon Is **Under Constuction**

Work began last Thursday on to the latest Red Cross call for re- the construction of a new ware- held Sunday afternoon, John Eaton lief funds, and since our issue last house for the State Highway De- made the dedication address, in week several donations of sizable partment here. The new home of which he outlined the plans and the highway crew will be located purposes of the pool, and concluded on the San Angelo highway north his address with the statement of town, and some sixty days of work will be necessary before it the enjoyment and satisfaction of is ready for occupancy.

Upon completion of the new \$50.00 warehouse, the old warehouse west 1.00 of town will be dismantled, and of Sonora. 1.00 all supplies and equipment moved 2.00 to the new location. 2.50

Reason for making the change, according to Mr. Largent, is that Mrs, Troy White, dived from the the present warehouse is subject 2.00 to overflow from floods when the .5.00 | draw running through town is up. Several times in the past the ware-10.00 houses and grounds have been under water, causing considerable damage and loss of time and briefly on the sanitation rules and 5.00 property.

Due to the danger of flood 2.50 waters, no permanent beautifica-The response has been very pleas tion of the grounds has been posing to every person connected with sitle for every time a start was the collection of funds for Red made in that direction, floods have mers. He also stated that the pool been done.

Many Entries Are Listed in Wool Show Saturday

Final entries have been received in the Sutton County 4-H Club Wool and Mohair Show, according to H. C. Atchison, county agent in

received indicate that the show is Stites Building, opposite the Hotel to be the largest ever held in the number of spectators surrounding county. Nine counties are sending exhib-

itors to the show-and in addition to the bags of wool to be exhibited recorded for display. Reagan and Coke counties have signified their intention to be present with exhibits, for the first time since the Other counties entering the show

are Glasscock, Sterling, Kimble, months and single fleeces to be on display.

A total of 23 bags of 12-months

Gala Affair At the swimming pool dedication

that the pool had been built for the youth of Sonora and surrounding towns, and therefore the pool was being dedicated to the youth

As the dedication event itself. Oscar Avera, manager of the pool, and Bob White, son of Mr. and high springboard into the pool, walking to the end of the board on their hands and diving off, Bobby following Mr. Avera.

H. V. Stokes, on the program in place of Dr. J. F. Howell, spoke regulations under which the pool would be operated, and stressed the fact that under such rules as were being maintained, there was no possibility of infection to swimcome and destroyed whatever had had a capacity of 150,000 gallons water, which was changed weekly, and that the city had begun the planting of a small park nearby to benefit from the water which was drained each Saturday evening from the pool.

During the afternoon, as interludes in the bathing beauty contest, Oscar Avera, manager of the pool, and Elwood "Mac" MacWilliams, gave demonstrations in life saving methods which were educational and instructive to the large the pool.

Comedy during the dedication was provided by Skippy Mantin of Fort Worth, who as Miss Dipsy Doodle, representing the Pool, impersonated a Hollywood diving star. His antics were amusing-but there wasn't enough of his time spent on the diving board or in the water. In short, he was chased too soon.

G. W. Smith, following the conclusion of the dedication ceremonies, expressed himself as very agreeably surprised at the large number of spectators present, and the wonderful reception accorded wool is listed for exhibition, and 7 the program, which was staged with the help of a committee from

the Sonora Lions Club. Everything

connected with the dedication was

at the last, it developed into one the year. Monthly days such as the of the major civic affairs of the one scheduled for tomorrow will year. Not only was there a large make business better throughout the summer. If the plan isn't adoptnumber of contestants in the revue, of various ages and sizes; but ed, our merchants are asleep to the business establishments of the their opportunities.

Trades Day Here Saturday Should Be **Good Drawing Card**

Sonora Bakery Adds New Equipment and Another Employee

Sonora's Trades Day, to be held Jack Neill of San Antonio has tomorrow in conjunction with the been employed at the Sonora Bak-4-H Club wool and mohair show ery as baker, and several imand auction sale, has been re provements have been made by Mr. ceiving lots of attention from the Mullens, owner, for the purpose of hands of local people, and residents increasing his service to patrons. of other cities in this section have Among other things, a new delivexpressed a desire to participate ery truck has been put into serin the many bargains to be offered, vice, and an innovation consists in for which excellent music has been If indications of interest are a changing the wrapper on the locriterion of success, the Trades cal bakery bread, The new wrapper Day tomorrow should be the announces that the bakery is pro-

largest event of its kind ever held ducing "Butter Kist" Bread, than in Sonora. Sales by local mer- which there is no better. chants under the Trades Day plan Since purchasing the bakery a have been unusually heavy, pay-| few months ago from Richard ments of past due accounts have Vehle, Mr. Mullins has worked been numerous, and there is every hard and steadily at the job, as indication that the business of the has Mrs. Mullens, with the result community has been bettered as that the bakery is serving a larger

a whole by more than twenty-five local patronage, and its products per cent over what would have are becoming increasingly better been a normal period of business known and liked. activity. Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Patterson

Practically every merchants in Sonora, and many of the profess- and small daughter of Fort Stockional establishments of the town ton, are speding several days here have co-operated whole-heartedly with Mr. and Mrs. Preston C. Light in putting over the Trades Day for foot. Mr. Patterson was formerly the town. The event has been well teacher and grammar school prinadvertisd both by circulars, news- cipal in the Sonora school system. papers and word of mouth, so it is felt that nothing has been left in Del Rio Monday of this week. undone to make the event a successful affair.

Culmination of the Trades Day where they had been visiting his effort will result in many people sisters for several weeks. being on the streets of Sonora tomorrow afternoon - and they won't all be Sonora people.

Hillman Brown and friends went to Devils River Sunday on a fish- school the past session. She will ing trip.

Mrs. Curtis Nichalas, who has been in a San Angelo hospital, the last few weeks, returned home Monday. She is doing fine.

Miss Bobbie Halbert left Sunday afternoon for West Point, N. Y., where she will attend graduation exercises at the military institute, where Lum Hines, her fiance, is to graduate.

Mrs. Birdie Rutledge and Mrs. Mrs. Nita O. Lines was a visitor Jack Wardlaw were in San Angelo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McClleland Jack Drennan, employee of the returned Sunday from California highway department, has been on his annual vacation. During his vacation he an dhis family visited Miss Margaret Schweining, the Alpine, Marfa, and other West daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Texas points.

Schweining, is at home from Texas Miss Fannie Brooks of Junction State College for Women, Denton, visited in the home of Mr. and Drug Company. where she has been attending Mrs. H. M. Randall Wednesday. Miss Brooks was en route to Del spend the summer vacation here. Rio.

Gas Installations In Nearby Towns

Jo Oberkampf, butane gas dealer in several towns surrounding Sonora, has been busy through his lo-

cal manager, C. A. Tyler, within of gas systems. In addition to a

number here in town, he reports May 15 in towns nearby.

Wesley Sikes, Roosevelt; E. W. Tackett, McCamey; Ned Dunbar, the service department. Rocksprings; Ed A. Bode, Junction; Jack Brown, Rocksprings; Ragsdale, Rocksprings; B. A. Stew

tion being made this week for Mrs. McAngus at Eldorado. All these installations have been

made out of the Sonora office. Mr. at Ozona.

A new employee of the Sonora Drug Company is Frank Casbeer of Lampasas. Mr. Casbeer is a ne- ally from Ozona.

phew of Mrs. H. V. Stokes. Mr. and Mrs. Frank James of Ozona were in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Merck and children spent last Sunday on the Llano fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stites spent the past week-end in San Angelo. They returned home Sunday.

Wynona and Rex Hutcherson spent that city Mr. Glasscock will re-Tuesday at the Pecos High Bridge

and at Langtry they visited the Judge Roy Bean Court. Mrs. R. C. Vicars went after her

mother Thursday. Mrs. Alton Hightower is now employed at the Rancho Togs and left Tuesday to re-enter Sul Ross Toggeries. Up until recently, she College for the summer session of

had been employed at the Sonora | school. Robert Allen Sawyer and Leo

the Llano.

bags of 8-months classification. In addition, there is a large number of single fleece entries.

Utilities Company Makes Changes In Personnel

with the West Texas Utilities Co. the following installations since here, effective since June 1, taking the place of Mr. Paul, resigned, Walker Dismukes, Rocksprings; Mr. Patrick will serve patrons of the company as lineman and in

Lee has been manager for the past several years of the Sonora George Tomlinson, Mountain Home Ice Company, a part of the West Sterling Riggs, Carta Valley; Joe Texas Utilities system, and un- the afternoon at large, handled der the new arrangement has made assignments promptly and effiart, Barksdale; Mrs. Mary Shroy- a deal with his brother, J. T. Pater, Camp Allison; and an installa- rick, to assume charge of the ice business. J. T. has been in Frankston, Anderson county, for the past two years, or more.

In discussing the changes made Oberkampf maintains headquarters in personnel at the office, Mr. Parsons states that the service to his customers will be maintained at the same high level as formerly. Move To Sonora Both the Patrick boys are origin

handled smoothly and efficiently, and the people present to enjoy the occasion were not disappointed. The contestants in the bathing beauty revue were line up across the pool, and spectators were given a good view of the entire assem-Lee Patrick is a new employee blage. Every contestant was then invited by the pool management to enjoy a free swim Monday evening.

> Dr. Joel Shelton, one of the Lions Committee, was the master of ceremonies, and handled his part of the work in a fine way. Every other person connected with the dedication, the program and ciently, to make of the whole an afternoon of entertainment which will be remembered for some time to come as one of the best in the community in the past several vears.

Ed Pfiester Family

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pfiester and family of Fort Stockton have arrived in Sonora, where Mr. Pfiester wlil be in the garage business in the G. W. Morris Building. They will reside with Mrs. Pfiester's fa-

Mr. Pfiester will appreciate it if all his old friends will drop in to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Glasscock see him.

> Miss Kathryn Brown left Tuesday to attend summer school at Sul Ross College, Apine.

Miss Wynona Hutcherson has returned to spend the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and last week-end from Alpine. She Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson. Wynona has been attending Southwestern University at Georgetown.

> Reginald Trainer, student at Southwestern University, Georgetown, is home to spent the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Trainer.

party. John L. Nisbet was a business

Cathryn and Jamie D. Trainer left Saturday for Temple. While in

ceive medical treatment. Mrs. Ed Glasscock was in San Angelo Monday visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Emma Sessions was home

Wesley Sawyer returned from his

school last Saturday. He will en-Stanley went fishing Saturday on roll at Sul Ross College, Alpine, for the summer school.

Fishing on Devils River over the week-end were Dr. Tom White and

visitor in Plainview over the past ther, G. W. Morris. week-end, returning home Monday evening.

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		prospecting.	14, east side, improved, for \$600.	
Cheerflevus	River Hews	Mrs. Jim Glasscock of Ozona is	S. H. Gutherie sold to Mattox &	Meet Your Friends At The
		visiting here this week.	Tipton 15 head of yearlings at \$12.	
PUBLISHED WEEKLY ON FRIDAY		J. M. Benskin bought of Leslie	-Rocksprings Rustler.	CLUB CAFE
		Taylor about 1000 head of stock	J. D. & T. A. Scruggs of Sonora	"Sizzling Steaks"
G, H. Hall Publisher L H. Sawver Editor		1 1 011	report that J. P. McConnell of Menard bought 1600 stock cattle	
J. H. Sawyer Editor Mrs. G. H. Hall Associate Editor		and a second	from T. P. Gillespie of Sutton	Chicken Dinner
		Hige Smith was up from the Robson ranch this week on busi-		Regular Meals Short Orders
TENTERED at the postoffice at Sonora, Sutton County, Texas, as second-class matter.		ness.	R. H. Martin, Joe North, Dr. R.	
		Miss Fannie Salmon of Christ-	D. Smith and Walter Whitehead left for the lower country on a	
SUBSCRIPTION RATES One Year\$2.00		oval is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Salmon this week.	hunt Thursday.	
Six Months 1.25		and the second second second	L. A. Williams, treasurer of the	Sonora Abstract Co.
Three Months			Frisco, and Messrs. Brantly, Stith, Miller and Dickson, all of Fort	Ben Martha and Antonia Martha and Antonia and Antonia
ANY erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation			Worth and Temple are on the	
of any person, firm or corporation will be gladly corrected if		Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Stephenson	Llang for a ten days hunt.	EFFICIENT LAND TITLE SERVICE
the matter is brought to the attention of the publisher.		were in from the ranch Wednes-	J. E. Benton of Frost, J. M.	ON SUTTON COUNTY LAND
	Republican candidate for Congress	day trading and visiting.	Lewis, of Irene, and W. C. Ford of Cameron, Texas, were in Sonora	We represent several of the old line fire
35 Years Ago	Ben S. Van Tuyle, was not printed	The election in Kimble county	Tuesday with W. B. Silliman of	insurance companies
JJ Tears Ago	on the ticket is the only reason his vote was lower than that of			misurance companies
Statement of the second s	Gray for Governor.	urer; John Munn, assessor; Arthur	and - Latter introduction and the designed of the	
From Files of Devil's River	Dave Kitchen of Bosque county	Lawler, clerk; John Durst, judge.	Dr A J Smith of Sonora, re- ceived a wire Thursday that his	
News, November 10, 1906:	was in Sonora several days this	Rev. Barr of Rocksprings was in	brother had been elected to Con-	
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Merck were	week visiting his old friend, John Mayfield.	Sonora ths week returning from the Conference at San Angelo.	gress in the St Louis, Mo., district by 600. The indications point to	
in from the ranch Saturday for	and the standard states and	-	the return of the Democrats in	
supplies.	J. A. Mayfield, who has been traveling in California with his	R. W. Davis, Sr., returned from his visit to Ballinger and Houston		
J. R. Hamilton and son, Russ,	family for some time arrived home	this week in company with his son,	Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Chalk and	
were in Sonora Thursday on their way to the ranch down near Del	Sunday. The trip seems to have done John some good.	Walter.	baby left last week on a visit to Mr. Chalk's mother and relatives	
Rio.			at his old home at LaGrange, Tex-	
Miss Carrie Bates of Eldorado		prespecting. Ed when a kid worked	as. Russ has not been home for five years and expects a good time.	
was visiting her sister, Mrs. Will	nora Tuesday on their way to the	on the Whitehead and other	The west has been good to Russ as	
Hays this week.	W. C. Page ranch in Edwards county where Walter has an in-	ranches 15 years ago.	he will show the folks at home.	
T. C. North, who has been visit- ing his daughter in Ingram for		The Methodist Conference at San Angelo returned to Sonora	Fritz Huebner, the well known blacksmith and machinest of	
sometime, arrived home Sunday.		Rev. R. Paine, much to the satis-	Sonora met with a serious accident	
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thomas ar-		faction of the members of the	last week. He was riding on top of a load of wood on a wagon	
rived here Sunday and have taken	at \$3.25 per head,	church here. The following at- tended the conference at San An-	driven by Floyd Estes and had	
charge of the Decker Hotel.	Martin & Carruthers of Sonora bought from Font Mayfield 70 fat	gelo: Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Cusen-	gotten to Floyd's home when a wheel ran off and Fritz was	
Joe Wallace arrived home Sun-	cows at \$14.50.	Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holland and	thrown to the ground discolating	ONE HELP TO GOOD MANAGEMENT
day from a business and pleasure trip to his old home in Bosque		daughter, Miss Willie, Mrs. Meckel and Walter Davis and Rev. Paine.	his left shoulder. It will be some time before he can use his arm but	a Kitchen Jelephone
county.	to Martin & Carruthers 100 fat	And the second second	his head is alright.	
RETURN OF ELECTION	cows at \$14.50.	W. C. Mabray of Sonora bought from John Swinborn 550 head of		Other women often envy the woman who always "gets her work done" line at very small cost. You'll
Governor: Campbell, 39; Gray,		stock sheep, including 100 lambs,	employed by Texas oil refiners. The	quickly and easily. Such a woman be surprised at the time and stope
6; Pearson, 1. Congress: Smith, 41; Van Tuyle,	son, Jim, 120 head of stock cattle at \$10.00 per head.		Annual payroll for these refinery plant and office workers is approxi-	usually has the latest in household it will save. Call our Business helps—including a kitchen tele- Office, or any telephone employee
2.	and have a first the second of the second	Martin & Carruthers of Sonora	mately 50 million dollars a year.	phone. A telephone for your kitchen will help you place your orden.
Senator: Hudspeth, 40; Minor, 4. Representative: Silliman, 35;	on the Fort Worth market at an	bought of J. M. Benskin of Ed- wards county 425 heifer calves at	1	
Hornish, 12. County Judge: Wardlaw, 44.	average of \$4.67 net. How's that	\$5.50 per head. They shipped to	- matter that has he	and the second
County Clerk: Lowrey, 44.	for sheep?	Kansas City.	Check You	r Home For
Sheriff: Allison, 43. Assessor: Martin, 43.	Decener Montgomery bought water Davis, while in San An-			
Surveyor: McNicol, 43. Henderson, Briggs and others, I		Davis Jones but Mr. Jones will not	I Needed Im	provements
Commissioner: Trainer, 43. Justice of Peace: D. B. Wood-	about 175 head. These are now	make a private sale until after the		
ruff, 42; H. B. Balch, 1.	being delivered.	auction.		
Constable: Drennan, 43.Geo. Allison and John RobbinsBrucFor amendment to Section 2, were in from their ranches Wed-from their		Bruce Drake has bought fat cows	In resourcey on p	through the home is the easiest and most
Article 8: 11; Against, 2.		vate terms: Lee Henderson 73;		termine what improvements are desirable

Against, 2. Pay of Legislature, 7 to 7.

For Tax levy to pay jurors: 10;

The old officers in Edwards Will. county were all re-elected with the exception of the assessor.

Mrs. Clyde Windrow, this week. days.

A REAL MARKED AND A REAL PROPERTY OF A REAL PROPERT The election Tuesday was the Perry McConnell of Menard slowest ever. Only 58 votes polled was in Sonora several days this in entire county. Precinct 3 and 5 week on stock business. Perry is not hoding an election. In Prec- a great favorite with the old timers incts 2 and 4 there was polled four and they were a glad to see him. straight and five straight Demo-

Tom Holland, the good looking W. P. Hoover 97; Bob Massie 60; younk stockman from the Schlei- John Henderson 300. The herd cher country, was n Sonora several will start to San Angelo today.days this week visiting his brother, Ozona Kicker.

Dismukes, the commission man Died on Thursday November 8, sold to Jack Merritt for C. & A. Miss May Wyatt is visiting her 1906, the infant son of Mr. and Gunzer 1100 head of ewes and sisters, Mrs. Geo. Hamilton and Mrs. E. E. Sawyer, aged three lambs at \$2.75 and 6 bucks at \$8.

> W. J. Greer and J. P. Mayes contracted their 2's to Bob Fleuch of Menard for April delivery at \$23. This is the best price we have known of for years. Cattle are still going up in price.

A. W. Clayton 52; S. E. Couch 87;

cratic votes respectively. The Pro-H. E. McKeene and son, Emery, J. D. & T. A. Scruggs report hibition candidate for Governor of Carlsbad, N. M., have been in that Mrs. Maud G. Nichols sold got one vote. The name of the the Sonora country sometime to D. Howten lots 7 and 8, block



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or necessary to improve the liveability of the house. A wide range of home improvements may be made with funds obtainable under lending institution now available. A new roof may be put on or the old one repaired. Additional rooms may be added. It is easy to make a playroom in the attic or basement. A sun porch may be added.

New floors may be installed or the old one refinished. Posts and piers may be replaced, and the foundation strengthened where needed. Construction of built-in closets and cupboards is eligible under such loans, as well as the installation of modern plumbing fixtures, a new bathroom or an extra bathroom for guests.

There are many such improvements which can be noted in such an inspection trip, and we are qualified to estimate the cost of the improvements, furnish plans for the changes or additions, and supply the materials necessary to convert your old home into one with every modern convenience and appearance.

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Phone 148

W. E. CALDWELL, Manager

Sonora, Texas

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THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

Announcements

The News has been authorized

the announce the candidacy of the

following, subject to the action of

For District Judge:

J. B. RANDOLPH

Kimble County

W. C. JACKSON

Pecos County

Re-Election

For County and District Clerk

JOHN D. LOWREY

Re-election

For County Judge:

ALVIS JOHNSON

Re-Election

For Sheriff and

Tax Collector-Assessor:

B. W. HUTCHERSON

Re-Election

LEO E. BROWN

For County Treasurer:

MRS. THELMA BRISCOE

Re-Election

Justice of the Peace, Precinct One

GEORGE BARROW

Re-Election

For County Attorney

GEORGE WYNN **Re-Election**

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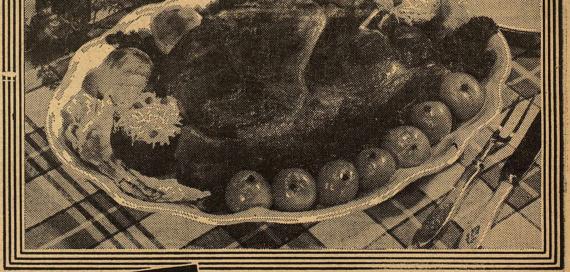
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Mrs. Raymond Morgan, Society Editor

Miss Elizabeth Taylor Bathing Beauties In

Order of Eastern Star Bridge Luncheon Installs New Officers Given In Halbert Home Saturday Friday Night

Mrs. Ruby Stephens was installing officer, assisted by Mrs. Pearl Lee Shurley and Mrs. Laura Odom Chaplin, at a public installation held by the O. E. S. Chapter Friday night in the Masonic Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Logan, retiring patron and matron, each were presented with a gift by Mrs. A. W. Awalt and Mrs. O. G. Babcock presented a past matron's jewel to Mrs. Logan.

Installed were Mrs. Iris Locklin and W. P. McConnell, Jr., worthy matron and patron; Mrs. Muriel Brown and F. T. Jones, associate matron and patron; Mrs. Winnie Fields and Mrs. Guila Vicars, conductress and her associate; Mrs. Jessie Johnson, secretary; Mrs. Maysie Brown, treasurer; Mrs. Estelle McConnell, organist; Mrs. Grace Jones, chaplain; Mrs. Odean Largent, marshal; Mrs. Eva Garvin, warder; Ben L. Wheat, sentinel; Clara Jim Wheat, Adah; Laura Odom, Ruth; Ardena Speed, Esther; Tina Carson, Martha; and Alma Ogdn, Electa.

An informal reception followed the meeting. Others present were Messrs. and Mmes. Stanley Marks, J. D. Lowrey, Hubert Fields, Beamon Speed, Ernest Carroll, M. G. Shurley, and R. F. Davis; Mmes. Joe Berger, Ethelda Holland, J .W. Trainer, Stanley Patton and Peggy Ann, Josie McDonald, Rose Thorp, Henry Decker, Howard Kirby, DeWitt Lancaster, T. R. Driskill, and Nannie Wheat; and Dave Locklin, H. P. Largent, O. G. Babcock, Connie Mack Locklin, Talmon Milligan, and Hillman Brown.

Mrs. A. C. Eliott returned last Sunday from Austin. Returning to Sonora with her to spend the summer vacation period were her sons Marion and Webb, who had been students at Texas University.

'Miss Jo Nell Miers returned last Sunday from Austin, where she had been enrolled at Texas University. Jo Nell will spend the sum mer holidays here.

Enrolling in summer school at Sul Ross College, Alpine, will be Marjorie Davis.

Miss Sue Glasscock left Tues-Sul Ross.

Mrs. R. A. Halbert entertained with a bridge luncheon Saturday morning at her home. The guest list was composed of those who had previously feted Bobbie with

various social activities. Cut flowers were used as room

decorations. Mrs. Halbert presented Mrs. Batts Friend and Mrs. John A. Ward, whose birthdays happened to fall on that date, a gift, High

cut for each table were awarded to Mrs. Howard Kirby, Mrs. Lem Johnson and Mrs. W. B. McMillan. Mrs. P. J. Taylor and Mrs. R. M. Halbert, Jr. won high and second high respectively.

Present, were: Mesdames John A. Ward, R. C. Vicars, P. J. Taylor, Lem Johnson, Howard Kirby, Bill Norris, Batts Friend, Fred Simmons, B. M. Halbert, Jr., John Fields, W. B. McMillan and Miss Bobbie Halbert.

Miss Owens Becomes Bride of O. Mangold, Junction Ranchman

Miss Lillie Owens and Otho Curtis Mangold were united in marriage in a single ring ceremony in Ozona at five o'clock Sunday afternoon, the second of June. Rev. Eugene Slater, of the First Methodist Church in that city, performed the marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Needham, the bride's sister and brother-inlaw, attended the couple.

The bride was attired in a dusty rose lace dress with white acces-

sories. Mrs. Mangold is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Owens and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Mangold, of Junction. They will make their home at

Junction on their parents' ranch.

Open House Sale Saturday at Rancho Togs and Toggeries. Come in and make yourself at home with

us. Miss Mray Sue Blanton returned Saturday from Gorgetown where she has been attending school, to day for the summer session at spend the summer vacation with by Mrs. Caldwell. her mother, Mrs. Susie Blanton.

Party, Dance Tuesday Sunday Afternoon Mrs. J. S. Holman and Mrs. H. L. Taylor entertained Elizabeth Sonora people and visitors from and friends with a swimming par- other towns nearby, the bathing yer, leader, took them to the ty and dance Tuesday night. The beauty contest which was held in affair was held at the swimming

pool. After the swimmnig and dancing had continued for a time, the guests went to Miss Taylor's home the year. Taking place last Sunday where they were served a sand- afternoon, beginning at five o'clock wich plate and were entertained by playing games.

Feted With Swim

Assisting Mrs. Holman and Mrs. Taylor were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph at high spirit throughout the Trainer and Mr. and Mrs. George dedication ceremonies. E. Smith.

Guests who enjoyed the entertainment were:

Edith Mae Babcock, Nancy Christie, Marjorie Crowell, Peggy and were the tiny tots of the com-Pat Gilmore, Louise Merriman, munity, both boys and girls, who, Are Received At Jamie Trainer, Willie Nell Hale, in spite of their extreme youth, Mary Gwendolyn Wyatt, Libby Jo carried themselves well and par-Wallace, Doris Keene, Doris Mec- aded in grand style. Winners in the kel, Kathleen Largent, Kathleen contest were Mary Ellen Stephen-Brinkley, Sanford Vernon Trainer, son for the girls, with Jimmy Billy Shurley, Boyd Wilson, R. W. Dalton and Billy Frank Turney Wallace, Gene Wallace, Glen Rich- making a reappearance before the ardson, George D. Wallace, O. L. judges, to have the final choice Richardson, Wilfred Berger, James fall on Billy Frank for first place D. Trainer, Clayson White, Reggie among the boys. Life preservers Trainer, Cathryn Trainer, Opal of proper size were awarded to and Dee Randall, Dock Simmons, the winners in the tiny tots divi-Wynona Hutcherson, Beverly and sion, the City Variety Store pro-Eddy Farre Smith.

Methodist Ladies Begin Study Of New Mission Book

The Methodist Missionary Society held its regular weekly meet ing at the church Thursday afternoon, with Rev. R. F. Davis, the Maxine Abbott, Janie Collier, Tina pastor, opening the meeting with a prayer. The society is beginning Geraldine Morrow, Sammie Jean the study of a new book, "Jesus Allison and Martha Jo Moore. and Social Redemption," by John Shackford. Rev. Davis supervised Ann Taylor; second place was the lesson study.

following the study hour. Present were Mesdames W. J. F. Davis. Benediction was given

Mrs. Dameron Hostess Addie Thorp, Jamie Trainer,

Before a colorful gathering of connection with the formal opening of the Sonora Swimming Pool was

the most spectacular eccasion of and continuing after seven, the interest of the spectators was kept

Pool Dedication on

A large group of contestants appeared before three judges who were to select winners from each Jo Beth Taylor, Addie Thorp, of thre divisions.

First to parade before the judges viding the awards.

Eleven juniors girls had been entered in that division of the contest, and from among the list, three winners were selected for first, second and third places. In the order of their appearance, the junior girls were as follows:

Jean Anderson of San Angelo, Ramie Jo McClelland, Alice Atkins, Ann Taylor, Betty Faye Glasscock, First place was awarded to Tina given to Martha Jo Moore, and A short business session was held third place award went to Jean Anderson.

In the Senior Girls division, Fields, Merton Shurley, B. W. there were many entries, all of Hutcherson, W. E. Caldwell, Laura them attractive and beautifully Trainer, Rose Thorp, Joe Logan, garbed. As they appeared, their C. E. Stites, Robert Rees and R. name were called, as well as the firm which they represented. In the order of appearance, the young ladies were as follows:

Scouts of Troop II Enjoy Swim and All-Night Outing

To help the Scouts of Troop II to pass their tests, Miss Alice Sawranch on a swimming party Wednesday afternoon. An all-night outing was also included.

Girls who passed all the requirements and who are now second class Scouts are:

Jamie Trainer, Pat Gilmore, Margie Crowell, Addie Thorp, Elizabeth Taylor and Opal Randall. Others present who enjoyed the

swimming and picnic supper were: Scouts Billy Shurley, O. L. and Glenn Richardson, and Wilfred Berger; and Mrs. E. E. Sawyer and Miss Mary Sue Blanton.

Children's Books Sonora Library

Another supply of new books has been received at the Sutton County Library, according to Mrs. Sterling Baker. The new books are composed largely of reading for children, and are available to the youth of the town under the same regulations that control the issuance of reading material to adults Several weeks ago a large num-

ber of new books were added to the library through the assistance of the Sonora Lions Club. and the new shipment of books, it is said, will provide the community with an abundance of fiction and nonfiction material which will no doubt be fully appdeciatd.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Allen and children moved Wednesday into their new home, just recently com pleted. The Allens are very proud of their new house. It incorporates into its design every modern convenience. Earl Merck, with the Sonora Trading Company, supervised the construction.

The Longview High School band stopped in Sonora Thursday at the noon hour. They were returning home from Carlsbad Cavern.

James Leo Wilson is at home from San Angelo, where he underwent medical treatment and exam inations. His condition is reported as improving.

Idle Hour Members Are Entertained By Mrs. W. D. Wallace

Members and guests of the Idle Hour Club were entretained Tuesday of last week at the home of Mrs. W. D. Wallace.

High club score was won by Mrs. Hix Hall and second high went to Mrs. Josie McDonald. Mrs. P. J. McConnell was awarded high guest.

Cut flowers were placed at vantage points in the room.

An ice course was served to Mesdames Rita Ross, Boughton, McConnell, and Miss Jean Saunders, guest, in addition to the members present:

Mesdames E. F. Vander Stucken, Sterling Baker, McDonald and Hall.

FORMER SONORAN WED

Word has been received her to the effect that Richard "Dickie" Vehle, student at Texas University, and Miss Mary Kathryn Leedy of San Antonio, also a student at the University, were married Saturday, June 1.

Mr. Vehle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vehle, who formerly resided here and operated the Sonora Bakery.

They will make their home in Austin, where both will be employed, and will continue their school work.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Gilmore of Weslaco, lower Rio Grande Valley, were business visitors in Sonore last Monday evening, staying overnight. They returned to their home Tuesday. Mr. Gilmore is pubisher of the Weslaco News, one of the larger newspapers in the Valley section of Texas.

Shirley Johnson has been ill the past several days.

At our Open House Saturday you will find much to interest you. You will be a welcome visitor. Rancho Togs and Toggeries.

Mrs. E. E. Sawyer and Alice were in San Angelo Friday.

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To Just-Us Club Monday Afternoon

W. H. Dameron at her home Monday afternoon.

white was used in the refreshments Vinagene Powell, Wanda Gatlin, and also in the room decorations, Louise Merriman, Nancy Christie, which were large Shasta daisies. Lila D. Chalk, Libbye Jo Wallace, Mrs. Vernon Hamilton was high Peggy Gilmore, Wanda Thomas, club winner and high cut was won Flora by Mrs. J. A. Cauthorn. Mrs. Earl Harris, Mary Sue Blanton, Kath-Vernon Hamilton, and Hix Hall. leen Largent, Doris Meckel, Lois guest.

A salad plate was served to: Members Mesdames Paul Tur- judges narrowed the field to twelve ney, J. A. Cauthorn, R. A. Halbert, young ladies, who were asked to Duncan received high for the make a reappearance. Those who The guest list included Mesdames again paraded the pool walk were Ben Cusenbary, P. J. Taylor and Kathryn Brown, Willie Nell Hale, Earl Duncan.

To spend the holidays with her Merriman, Peggy Gilmore, Wanda parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sand- Thomas, Kathleen Largent, Libbye herr, is Margaret. She has been Jo Wallace and Margie Crowell. attending school at Southwestern University at Georgetown.

Sunday with Jack and Mary Jo, make an appearance, they being to enjoy the summer vacation at Louise Merriman, Kathryn Brown, home. Wanda B. has been in Peggy Gilmore, Elizabeth Taylor, school at Sul Ross.

Mrs. G. H. Davis, who has been judges selected Peggy Gilmore for visiting here for several days, left frist place, Louise Merriman for last Sunday for California. Rev. R. C. Brinkley was in San third.

Angelo last Saturday for medical treatment.

her home in San Angelo Saturday purpose of camouflage, local citiafter a week's visit in the home zens named to act as judges were of her aunt, Mrs. K. C. Collier H. V. Stokes, Arthur Simmons, J. and Mr. Collier.

to spend the summer vacation with made, the spectators were not adhis parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom vised as to who the judges were. Driskell. Claude Thomas had been enrolled in Rice Institute at Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Mont Merriman Druggist will return your money visited in San Angelo last Saturday, where they transacted busi- if the first bottle of "LETO'S" ness. Among other things, they fails to satisfy. purchased a Ford V-8.

Mildred Trainer, Mary Gwendolyn Wyatt, Marjorie Davis, Elizabeth Taylor, Patsy Gilmore, Edith Mae Babcock, Kathryn Brown, Willie The Just Us Club met with Mrs. Nell Hale, Josette Boughton, Margaret Sandherr, Doris McDaniel, Louise Briscoe, Doris Keene, Juan-A color scheme of green and ita Cartwright, Sue Glasscock, Jean Hildreth, Naomi

> Morris and Margie Crowell. From this list of entries, the Doris Keene, Patsy Gilmore, Elizabeth Taylor, Wanda Gatlin, Louise

Again the judges had difficulty in making a selection, and six of Miss Wanda B. Rape returned the twelve were again asked to

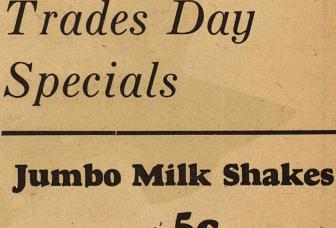
Kathleen Largent and Margie Miss Elsie Matthews, sister of Crowell. From this number, the second and Elizabeth Taylor for

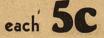
Judges in the event were Bob Page of Eldorado, Ernest Finne-Miss Bobbie Shroyer returned to gan and Chester Wheeler. For the D. Lowery and Ben L. Wheat. Claude Thomas Driskell is home Until after the selections had been

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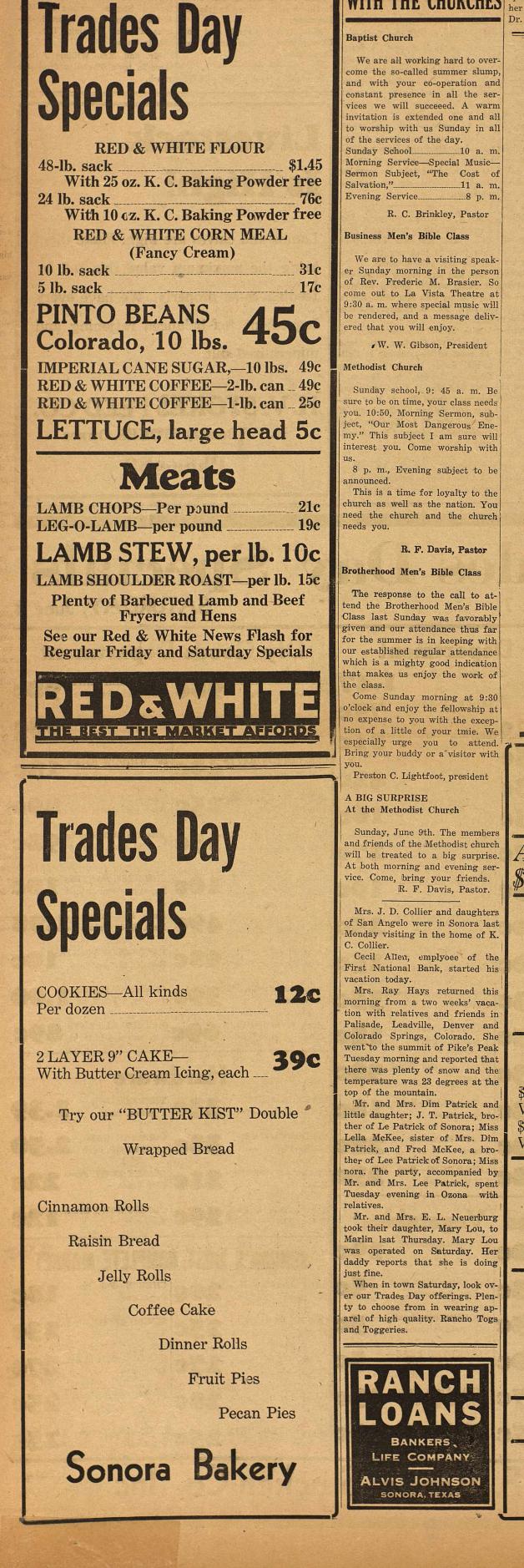


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Mrs. M. O. Britt left Saturday to O. G. Babcock returned Sunday

Robert Kelly, son of Mr. and





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Marion and Webb Elliott are at home from the University of Texas to spend the summer vacation. They returned with their mother, Mrs. A. C. Elliott, who went down after them Thursday.

Miss Pat O'Leary, student at Texas University, will spend her holidays here.



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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wyatt and Mary Gwendolyn left for Temple Thursday morning, where Mary Gwendolyn will be in a hospital for a time.

Loy Gulley returned home from Schreiner Institute this week to spend the summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gulley.

Reiley. Misses Margaret Faye Smith and Lillie Marie Smith, daughers of Mrs. Velma Shurley will attend the first summer session at Texas University.

J. O. Mills, son of Mrs. R. V. Sewell, will attend the summer school at Texas University during the first session.

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bell is the niece of Mrs. Taylor, Smith. **HOTEL McDONALD** Glenn Dee Sawyer left Monday Baker. for a short visit in Ozona, return-

her home Sunday.

Sawver. Lacy Smith, son of Mrs. Velma school in Deming, New Mexico. L. Shurley, received his degree at Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Sutherlin and the University of Texas School of daughter, Carol Sue, of New Lon-Medicine in Galveston, and is to don, are visiting in the home of do his interne work at Robert B. Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Harrison. Mrs. Green Memorial Hospital in San Sutherlin is a sister of Mrs. Harri-Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie B. Whitehead and family were in town last Wednesday from the ranch on busness and visiting friends.

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Miss Jimmie Gwynne Langford, DIVIDING LARGE KITCHENS daughter of Mrs. W. McDaniel, is at home from T. C. U., Fort Worth, where she attended school during offer many possibilities for modthe past winter. She returned to Bill Reiley, son of Mr. and Mrs. divided off into several units with

Dantes Reiley, graduated at John the aid of funds obtained from Tarleton and will continue his stu- qualified lending institutions under dies at a summer session there. Miss Nettie Adair Reiley, of the FHA. Surplus kitchen area John Tarleton College, Stephen- may be converted into any one of ville, will spend her summer vacathe following uses: dining alcove,

tion on the ranch here with her househod office with planning desk parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dantes and telephone extension, pantry or storeroom, downstairs lavatory, or Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Huling closets for clothing or cleaning

and small daughter, Monette, of materials. San Angelo, were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Stokes recently.

Antonio Sunday to bring back Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Merrian Campbell Nisbet and Margorie Reba, who of Carlsbad, New Mexico, visited in have been in that city on a visit the home of Mrs. H. L. Taylor last for the past several weeks. Sunday and Monday. Mrs. Camp-

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Millspaugh of Ozona were in Sonora Wednes-Mrs. Ralph Trainer and George E. day visiting with Mrs. Millspaugh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling

Miss Jamie Gardner, daughter ing to his home here Wednesday. of Mrs. Clyde Gardner, will spend He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. the most of the summer in California. Jamie has been teaching

Mr. J. L. Nisbet will go to San

Texas-made oil tools and equipment are shipped to every oil-producing country in the world.

Mrs. A. C. Elliott and Miss Betty Jo Green were in San Angelo last Large old-fashioned kitchens Thursday. Mrs. Arthur Carroll and son, Dorsey were in San Angelo last side in Ozona. ernization. If less space is desir-Thursday. able, a big kitchen can be easily Scratch Pads, doz. 50c-NEWS the Modernization Credit plan of

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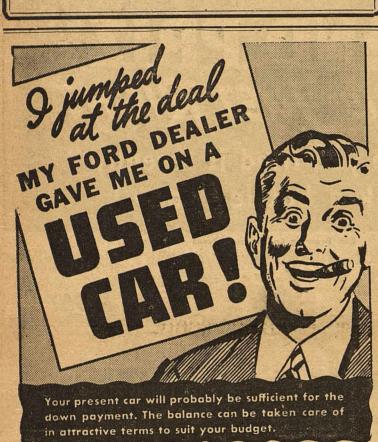
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Mr. and Mrs. John Patrick and

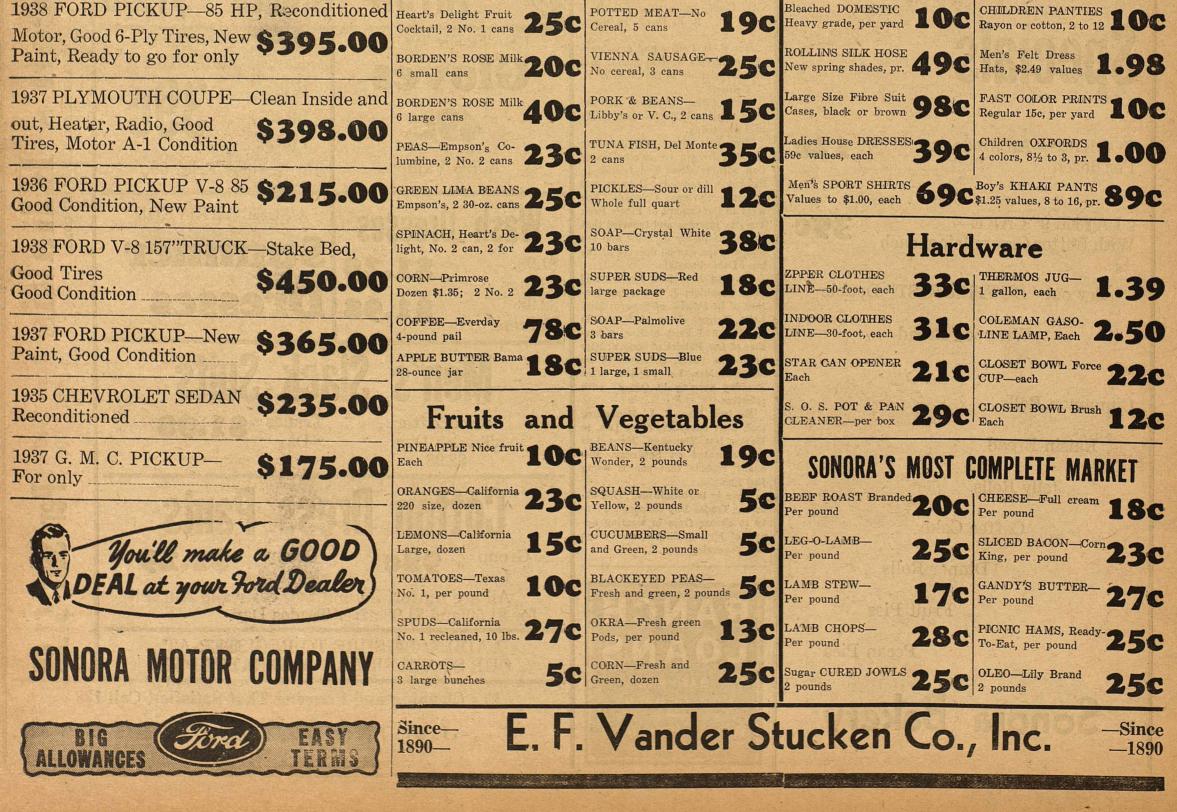
George Sparks, brother of Mrs.

Patrick, spent a few hours in So-

nora Tuesday evening. They re-

Mr. and Mrs. William Allison

were in town Thursday from the



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Range Program Has Larger Participation Since Organized

With an estimated 40,000,000 acres of rangeland signed up under the AAA for 1940, officials at College Station believe participa- Dan" Beard, will be 90 years old tion in the program will be the on Jue 21st. largest of any year since the program began.

Latest reports indicate that more than 414,000 Texas farms increase over the 1939 participation of nearly 4,000 while approximatepractice range-improvement measures under the Range Conservation Program, bringing the number of ranches co-operating to 26,100.

To these farmers and ranchmen will go the greater portion of the

"Uncle Dan" Beard **To Celebrate 90th**

Birthday Scon

celebrated by one of the largest in the out-of-doors. single birthday observances ever June 22, at which time they will where the memory of Daniel sociation: His recently published ly 1,200 additional ranches will pay their respects to their National Boone's exploits are widely known. autobiography is titled "Hardly a Scout Commissioner, who thirty His "playground" was the woods, Man is Now Alive." years ago was one of the founders field, forests and streams. Before of the Movement in America.

role in the Boy Scouts of America | the life of the wilderness. At 19

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he grew to manhood he was adept "Uncle Dan" has had an active at Scoutcraft and knew how to live average only two barrels daily

during its three decades. His pres- years of age he graduated as a tige, wisdom and experience have civil engineer and engaged in mapbeen characterized as "pillars" in making. His skill as a draftsman the structure of the organization. was shown early and a chance Daniel Carter Beard, author, He is an Associate Editor of visit to New York settled his voacres of cropland and 85,000,000 artist, outdoorsman, a pioneer in "Boys' Life" and despite his ad- cation. He had specialized in working with boys in the great vanced age, he is still active as sketches of animals and some of out-of-doors, known to boyhood the author and illustrator of his these attracted the attention of the world over simply as "Uncle page in the magazine, delighting a magazine editor and led to the new generations of growing boys beginning of his successful career with his limitless fund of nature as an illustrator and writer on His ninetieth milestone will be stories and helpful hints on living animals and wildlife and practical handicraft. In 1926 the Boy Scouts He was born in Cincinnati, Ohio of America awarded him its Silver held anywhere, when more than on June 21, 1850 and lived his Buffalo "for distinguished service will operate under the Agricultural 70,000 Boy Scouts are expected to eary years in that and in Coving- to boyhood" and he received a Conservation Program in 1940, an gather at the World's Fair, New ton, Ky. spending much of his boy- similar honor, the Silver Wolf, York, on Boy Scout Day, Saturday, hood in a section of the country from the British Boy Scouts As-

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Personals

Node Fred of Rocksprings was business visitor in Sonora last Saturday.

Whatever is stylish, whatever is good quality, can be found on display at the Rancho Togs and Toggeries. Prices are right, too. Mrs. Edna Wheat Beam has returned home after a several days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Ed Mayfield. Mrs. Mayfield returned to spend a few days there.

Mrs. Rena Trainer has just returned from a visit to the Gulf superintendent. Coast with her sons. Mrs. Trainer was accompanied home by Misses Serena Trainer, Lois Merck, Hinnie East, and Mary Jo Dorn, all of Austin.

Freddie Roy Trainer of Texas City is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Rena Trainer. Miss Elizabeth Elliott is home

to spend the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Elliott. Elizabeth has been enrolled at the each. Hockaday School, Dallas.

Louie Trainer, co-owner of Piggly Wiggly Store here, has purchased the Cecil Allen home until recently occupied by the Allen fammoved into their new home just recently completed.

Pete Jacoby of Rocksprings is in town to attend the Trades Day celebration.



of Mind can be the Result of a Talk with ...

Cattle Feeding Is Making New Strides In The State

How would you like to have an opportunity to buy a 753-pound good quality Hereford feeder steer ready to go on sudan or dry-lot for \$7.65 per hundredweight? How this was done was revealed to stockmen and farmers who gathered at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Sub-Station No. 1, Beeville Texas, at a field day meeting May 23 by R. A. Hall,

A total of 41 Hereford steers were purchased October 5. They averaged six months of age and were placed immediately on second growth sudan and sorghum fields for 51 days. During this period they were weaned and dehorned in successive operations, and despite the usual setbacks that result from either of these activities, they put on an average gain of 107.5 pounds

these calves.

The group went on dry lot November 27 and was fed two pounds of ground ear corn, two pounds of cottonseed cake and all the sorghum silage they would consume. On May 1 they were divided into four lots and placed on sudan grazing.

One lot is now receiving a supplement of ground ear corn, one is receiving cottonseed cake, the third gets black-strap molasses and the fourth lot is receiving no supplement to the pasturage. All are fed free choice, and all will be finished in dry lot when the grass is exhausted.

It was believed that the grass would be exhausted about June 1, until the fine rains fell during the week of May 18-25, but now it ap- dition seems to warrant. pears that the sudan will last at least well into the month of July.

at any time that the market con- is exhausted.

These calves have been termed lot of cheap roughage and stubble other season but good grade calves "triple-threat" animals because fields and at the same time elimin- should always be bought, Superin-NISBET INSURANCE AGENCY they can be sold at the present ate one of the hazards in cattle tendent Hall pointed out.

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time, they can be fed for a short feeding by giving him a good period and sold, or they can be fed feeder at a cheap cost, the feeder for a longer period and sold. The being in suitabe condition for maranimals are marketable at the keting at any time the price is present time or will be marketable right, or the owner's feed supply

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Because they had been creepfed during the the summer, they were given two pounds of cottonseed meal and two pounds of ground ear corn per calf per day in addiily. Mr. and Mrs. Allen this week tion to the second-growth sudan and sorghum pasturage. Dry weather prevented winter grazing

