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ARMY CONTINGENT TO BE ENTERTAINED THURSDAY

Things That Pertain to "JUST US" Serious and Otherwise

In spite of the terrific clouds of dust which have accompanied the street paving this week, citizens of the town have rejoiced over the progress which has been made in the work. Several of the streets lying next to the business section have already been completed, and the machinery and other equipment has been moved to the outlying residential sections in a move to complete the work as soon as possible. City officials are to be complimented on the quality of work being done and the speed which has been accomplished in spite of short crews and a shorter PWA appropriation.

Several candidates seeking district and state offices have visited Sonora recently. They are making their last visit before the primaries to be held Saturday of next week. Since the election issues have been clouded by lots of war talk and claims and counter claims made by the various candidates, the average citizen knows only a little more about the candidates than they did at the start of the campaign. Besides, there are too many of them.

Locally, the political pot never did reach the boiling point, which is the usual condition and state of affairs. Most of the officers in the county official family have given such excellent service and have been so industrious and conscientious in the carrying out of their duties that residents of Sutton County feel like there is no need either to replace them with others or to take an official out of his place where he is doing such a good job. That doesn't induce heated politics, and at the same time it reveals the confidence most of the people have in their county officers.

Several new families have moved to Sonora since the completion of the 1940 census, more than enough to balance the few who have gone. The population of the town continues to grow.

Sergeant Mazingo, recruiting officer stationed in San Angelo, was a visitor in Sonora arranging for the scheduled visit of the army contingent here next Thursday. Sergeant Mazingo expressed satisfaction and delight at the reception promised the army visitors, and stated that the occasion will be one long to be remembered. In addition to demonstrating modern army life, an effort will be made to reveal to parents of prospective enlistments that army life under the new dispensation isn't so bad, after all.

Fishing and week-end outings continue to bear on the minds of the business men and workers of the community, with the result that many of our men around the business section don't even wait until Saturday to take off for the river. They don't need a reason for going—the barest excuse is taken advantage of and the river banks are crowded with fishermen and others from Sonora and elsewhere. The game warden has a tough season at present. And he keeps on the move, first here and then elsewhere—and no one knows where he will be found next.

SAN MARCOS PUBLISHER VISITS NEWS OFFICE

T. A. Buckner, owner and publisher of the San Marcos Record was a visitor in the News office Monday afternoon, where he enjoyed a friendly visit with the News force. Mr. Buckner was on the last leg of a swing over the state on a vacation long deferred but being thoroughly enjoyed.

Selection of School Faculty Being Made by Trustees; Vacancies Are Caused by Teacher Resignations

Preparations are being made now for the opening of school next September, and to that end teachers have been secured to fill several of the vacancies which occurred since the close of the last term. Many of the other teachers have been signed for another term of the school but there are a few places on the faculty which have not yet been filled. These vacancies and positions will be filled at an early meeting of the school authorities.

Signed already for the coming term of school are the following members of the high school faculty:

Preston C. Lightfoot, principal; Miss Annie Duncan, English and librarian; Miss Jonniemi Edmondson; Miss Viva Milstead; Albert A. Murray, coach; and Savell Lee Sharp, band instructor.

A new principal in the elementary school has been named to replace Boyd Caffey, who resigned at the end of the last school term to enter business. J. M. Montgomery, teacher at Rocksprings last year, will be the elementary principal this year. By way of introduction, it is said that Mr. Montgomery holds his B. S. degree from Southwest Texas Teachers College at San Marcos, and has an additional 18 hours of work toward his M. A. degree from the same school. Mr. Montgomery comes highly recommended as a school man and as a citizen.

Other elementary teachers include Miss Leeta Mae Garrett, Dearl Beard, Miss Elizabeth Caldwell, Miss Juanita Collier, and Mrs. Rosana Hildreth. All these teachers, with a few exceptions, are now studying in various colleges and universities over the country.

Teachers for the L. W. Elliott school have also been selected with the exception of a few places. Those selected to date include the following:

M. D. Lattimore, principal; Herbert Speece, Miss Lura Ward, Miss Blanche Perciful, Miss Mary Frances McDade, Miss Margaret Cleek, Miss Margaret Grantham, and Miss Dorothy Calfee.

Among resignations from the Sonora faculty to date are Boyd Caffey, Miss Johnnie Allison, who has accepted a position with the Iraan Schools, and Jennings H. Flathers, speech and dramatics instructor, who has accepted a position with the Pampa school system for the coming term. Miss Allison was teacher of Spanish in the Sonora High School for the past several years.

Supt. Jones states that every effort is being made to fill the existing vacancies with teachers of high caliber, so that the usual high standard of instruction in the school system can be maintained. To that end, careful study of applications are being made.

Red Cross Chapter Enjoys Visit Of Midwestern Representative; Local Group Is Complimented

C. E. Heaton, field representative from the Midwestern Branch of the American Red Cross, with headquarters in St. Louis, was a visitor to Sonora Tuesday morning, being here for the purpose of discussing Red Cross work with local officers of the Sutton County Chapter. Mr. Heaton was a visitor in Sonora last fall, and helped organize the annual membership drive here which resulted in such a splendid growth for the Sonora chapter.

Mr. Heaton expressed himself as being particularly proud of the Sutton County Chapter, and stated that he was making arrangements to return to Sonora early in August for the purpose of assisting in reorganizing the Sutton County Chapter, and giving the group five directors so that the work could be carried on more advantageously.

Mrs. Alvis Johnson, service chairman for the local chapter, stated that work of the knitting division of the group is progressing splendidly under the direction of Mrs. George Hamilton, chairman of that division of the work. The quota for the knitting division was placed at twenty knitted sweaters, and the work on the garments is well advanced.

The chairman for the sewing division has not yet been named, but it is expected that part of the work will be gotten under way without much more delay. A suitable chairman for the sewing division cannot be found it seems, and as a result the work is suffering. Work on the twenty knitted sweaters is expected to be completed by September first. It is thought that the job will have been finished long before the deadline date arrives.

Miss Nan Karnes, general chairman of the Sutton County Chapter, reports that splendid response has been made on the two calls for financial assistance made by the National Headquarters of the Red Cross, both quotas having been subscribed within a very short time and well in advance of the time limit set. Donations to the organization are still being made.

NOTICE TO RED CROSS

Mrs. George B. Hamilton, knitting chairman of the Red Cross work in the Sutton County Chapter, announces a very important meeting of the members scheduled for next Tuesday, July 23, at the home economics building on the school campus. All the Red Cross members who are interested in that phase of the work are requested to be present at three o'clock, at which time the meeting is scheduled to begin.

Many Sonorans Attend Annual Short Course

Several residents of Sutton County, including H. C. Atchison, County Agent, attended the annual short course given recently at A. & M. College, College Station. Others comprising the party who took part in the discussions relative to range conservation problems were W. H. Dameron, head of the Ranch Experiment Station; Joe M. Vander Stucken and Bryan Hunt, ranchmen; Mrs. Hillman Brown, secretary in the county agent's office; and Dr. I. B. Boughton, who, with Mr. Dameron, were at the short course for the purpose of taking part in a special series of talks and instructions.

Control of bitterweed was the absorbing topic of the meeting so far as the local representatives were concerned, and efforts were made to have control of the plant included into the state and federal range control program under the AAA state control office. Seven other nearby counties had representatives at the meeting, all of them working on the same project.

There seemed to be a reaction at the meeting that the control of bitterweed should be included into AAA range program, but that it might be necessary to do considerable work in order that that desirable circumstance might be

HEREFORD SALE HELD AT WHITE HAT RANCH

The Frost Hereford sale, held Monday at the White Hat Ranch near Blackwell, was one of the outstanding events in livestock circles for the year, and the response of buyers was gratifying to an unusual degree. Fifteen hundred persons were present to witness the sale of 64 choice herefords, both male and female, the top price for cows being \$460, paid by Black & Largent of Granbury. The average prices paid were \$208 for females and \$187.50 for bulls.

The sale was in charge of Col. Earl Gartin, nationally known auctioneer who handled the various details of the ring in splendid manner.

Attending the sale from Sonora were Libb Wallace and son, Libb, Jr., the latter making two purchases from the ring, one of them being a three-year-old cow, Capitola 62nd, at \$300, and a yearling daughter of Domino Lad 5th at \$195. These two splendid animals will be placed on the Wallace Ranch 15 miles southeast of town, where a herd of registered Herefords is already located.

Mr. Wallace last year bought two registered Hereford bull calves from the White Hereford Ranch in Montana, Star Domino, Jr. and Pioneer, Jr., these animals being the top selection from the entire White Hereford herd. They form the nucleus of an intensive development of a registered Hereford herd that will class with any in the country.

Libb Junior is associated with his father in the registered Hereford business here, and his latest purchases will add greatly to the value of the herds on the ranch.

SUPT. JONES IS DELEGATE TO LIONS MEETING

Supt. and Mrs. F. T. Jones left early Tuesday morning on their trip which will carry them to Havana, Cuba. Mr. Jones was named a delegate to the Lions International Convention held in Cuba this year.

Mr. Jones stated that he would sail for home following the convention about July 27, and would arrive in Sonora some time around August 1.

It was feared for a time that because of illness of Mrs. Jones, the trip might have to be cancelled, but she had recovered from a recent illness sufficiently to permit the family to make the trip. Following his trip to the convention, Mr. Jones will report to the Lions Club here, of which he is the recently elected president, just what transpired in Cuba and at the convention.

brought about. To that end, Mr. Atchison suggested that the individual ranchmen and landowners of Sutton County should take immediate steps to write letters or send telegrams to the state office of the AAA asking that bitterweed control be included in the range control program as a regular practice. Delegates to the short course were instructed to submit applications from those West Texas counties asking that bitterweed be listed as a regular practice under the federal range control program.

Due to the fact that the state meeting of the AAA is to be held next Monday, July 22, it is highly important that any letters or telegrams sent to the state office regarding inclusion of bitterweed control under the range program be sent in this week-end, without delay, so that the general reaction of West Texas ranchmen toward the problem might be made known. If strong enough pressure is brought to bear, Mr. Atchison said, it is very likely that the poison plant will be listed in the range program.

Parade, Patriotic Speaking and Music by Army Band Will Be Feature of Army Demonstration

Prominent Mason Here This Week On Order Work

James A. Wright, Most Illustrious Grand Master of the Grand Council of Texas, A. F. & A. M., spent several days in Sonora this week for the purpose of carrying on the work of the lodge in this section. Mr. Wright, whose home is in Bandera, was a visitor at the Lions Club luncheon Tuesday, at which time he expressed surprise and satisfaction at the strength of the local club, and the wonderful work it has been carrying on.

Mr. Wright's visit to Sonora was gratifying to both the Lions Club of the town and the Masons of the city, who took advantage of his presence here to carry on the work of the fraternal organization.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hampton of McCamey were visitors in Sonora this week. Mr. Hampton formerly was stationed at Humble Pipeline station A, but was transferred to the Ballinger station. Later he was transferred to his present location at McCamey.

Sue Stevens of Hondo, cousin of Miss Bobbie Nell Guley, is here visiting until school begins next fall.

J. L. NISBET HAS CHARGE OF LIONS AT MEETING

J. L. Nisbet, second vice-president, had charge of the regular meeting Tuesday of the Sonora Lions Club, due to the absence from town of F. T. Jones, president, and Jodie Trainer, first vice-president. As a part of the program, officers of the club recently elected, were installed into their various places with appropriate ceremonies. The new president, F. T. Jones, was installed at the last meeting, but due to lack of time the full roster of officers could not be installed.

Several guests were present for the excellent noon-day meal and program which followed, among whom were Grand Master Wright of the Grand Council of the Masonic Lodge, a resident of Bandera, who spoke briefly in response to the introduction he received; C. J. Walters of Tyler, Texas, a retired businessman who had resided in San Angelo for more than thirty years previous to his moving to East Texas three years ago; Roy Phillips of Fort Stockton, who extended an invitation to Sonora Lions to attend meetings of the Fort Stockton Lions Club any Wednesday in that city; and W. P. Truett, of Sonora.

The feature of the program was a musical rendition by S. L. Sharp and three girls, Peggy and Pat Gilmore and Jamie Trainer. The musical number was excellent and greatly enjoyed.

A financial report from Treasurer Wynn was discussed, but no other business of great importance was transacted.

Mrs. L. L. Guley, her daughter Bobby Nell, and a niece, Miss Sue Stevens, of Hondo, spent the week-end at Telegraph visiting in the home of Mrs. Guley's brother-in-law, Mit Hair. Mrs. Hair, sister to Mr. Guley, is the postmistress at Telegraph, midway between Junction and Rocksprings on the South Llano.

In order to publicize the impending visit of the demonstration unit of the 12th Cavalry from Fort Brown, scheduled for next Thursday, July 25th, the Sonora Lions Club has named a committee of several members to make all necessary arrangements for the comfort and convenience of the visitors. Chairman of the committee is Dr. Joel Shelton, and his co-workers are W. C. Gilmore, S. L. Sharp, George Barrow, George H. Neill, George Edward Allison, Alfred Schweining and H. V. Stokes. The committee will have full charge of all necessary work.

Present plans call for the staging of a huge patriotic parade beginning around four o'clock Thursday afternoon, in which efforts will be made to have the local high school band and two or more visiting bands participate; the thirty-piece army band which will accompany the army contingent; the preparation of the camp grounds for the visitors, and all other essentials, including securing of a speaker who will make a patriotic address for the event.

At present, it is thought that the army contingent will be given camping space on the vacant lands adjoining the new city park and the swimming pool, and the pool itself will be utilized by the visitors. The dance platform at the pool to be used as a speakers' (Continued on page 8)

Progress on Paving Project Made During Week; Streets in Business Section Are First to Be Completed

An unusual condition has existed throughout this week, in that dust has been the bane of the merchants and housewives of the city. The cause of such a dust storm as we have had in recent days in the work being done on the streets of the town in preparation for the paving project.

Several blocks surrounding the business section have already been paved, including the street fronting on the Baptist Church property and continuing from the highway up the hill in front of the City Hall; the street lying alongside the West Texas Utilities Co. building; the street on the east side of the Courthouse from the beginning of the paving project south in front of the Cameron Lumber Company; all of which have almost brought to an end the paving work lying near the business district.

Several other blocks of paving especially in the neighborhood of the school grounds, are slated for early paving work; and it is thought that at the present rate, all the streets included in the present project will have been given the specified three seal coats of asphalt paving.

The work, under the direction of city officials, appears to be excellent in quality, and gives promise of a lasting and satisfactory street surface.

IMMIGRATION MEN PLACED IN SONORA

Three members of the United States Immigration Service, Department of Labor, have been stationed in Sonora. The three men are Messrs. Hart, Wright and Fenn.

It has been learned that between now and the first of August five other members of the Immigration Service will be stationed in Sonora, making a group of eight to be located here permanently under present plans.

Sonora welcomes these additions to the citizenship of the town.

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Conditions Affecting Supply of Fish In West Texas Streams Due Partly to Texas Sportsmen: Law Changes Would Help Area

Ardent sportsmen of Sutton County have been making weekly expeditions to the various rivers, streams and lakes in this section of Texas in a search for a place where a respectable string of fish can be caught. Some of these fishermen are strictly fly-casting addicts. Others go strong on artificial lures and bait casting. Still others adhere to the primitive pole and line and set-line fishing.

But whatever method is used, these sportsmen are not having as much success in their efforts as they desire, nor as much as they should have, considering the abundance of water, its purity, and the unexcelled conditions for a multitude of fish. Something is wrong, as we have pointed out before. In a recent article, we stressed the fact that pollution of water, and the presence of too many predators, had some effect on the abundance of fish in West Texas streams.

Now we are going to delve a little deeper into the question, and place some of the blame for the paucity of fish at the door of the sportsmen of Texas themselves. For it is a fact that in spite of efforts being made by game and fish conservationists, the supply of fish is dwindling steadily, and rapidly. Let's take a stroll along the banks of a typical West Texas stream, and see what we can see.

As we go along, we note an abundance of shade, plenty of vegetation along the banks, a wonderful supply of natural food for fish. Deep pools alternate with rapids, making for ideal conditions. There should be fish of every kind natural to this section in those holes and rapids. But there isn't. The water is clear, and as we gaze into the depths, we see only gars and turtles, a few perch, and under-sized bass, perhaps a lonely channel cat. Why?

Well, down the river is a camping party. Strolling up to where they are fishing, we see that the boys have had pretty good luck in the use of various methods of taking fish. But they are greedy. They have taken every sort of fish they could catch, just so long as they were of legal size. They give no thought of the morrow. They care nothing for the man who wants to catch fish tomorrow. They think nothing of the fact that they have more fish than they can easily dispose of. All they have in mind is that fish are biting, and they catch every one that comes their way, regardless of whether they are needed or wanted. The result is that too many fish are taken, when they can be taken at all, reducing the present supply, and damaging the chances for a future supply.

All of which leads to the observation that not only should the fishing laws take into consideration the length of a fish caught, but it should also consider the number of pounds taken, and the present legal catch reduced drastically.

There is a limit already placed on number of fish legally to be taken. But that number is too high, especially in the matter of taking the larger fish—bass, catfish, etc. Reduction of the number of perch which can be legally taken will not help. What is needed is the reduction of fish of the larger size and instead of allowing them to be taken by number, there should be a strict, stringent limit placed on the number of pounds allowed to be taken, regardless of the number of fish.

One big fish weighing ten pounds provides much more satisfaction than catching a half dozen which weigh that much in the aggregate. And if later in the day the fisherman catches a ten-pounder, he will return to the water all the others caught, if he is limited to pounds. Those returned would provide a future supply of big fish.

The pound limit law, with variations, has been found successful in many western states. Some of them permit a pound limit, and one more fish, adding to the incentive to turn back into the stream all the smaller catch.

J. T. Shannon, in discussing the pound-limit law, is of the opinion that the state conservation agencies are gradually coming to that method of control, since it is believed that it offers the fairest and most suitable solution for the whole problem of retaining the growing fish, so that next year's fishing season will find more and larger fish available.

It has been found that when the pound limit is in effect rather than number, the season's fishing catch is likely to include larger fish, rather than a larger number of smaller fish.

The plan might work effectively in Texas, for Texas sportsmen would rather have one good fish than a half-dozen smaller ones.

Sonora Receives Publicity Through Magazine Article; Favorable Reaction Expected From Stories Appearing in West Texas Periodical

"Rambouillet vs. Corriedale" was the caption over an article appearing in West Texas Today, official organ of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, in which Sonora and Sutton County received much favorable and highly-appreciated publicity. The article covered the recent Ranchmen's Roundup at the Experiment Station, and the Lions Club 4-H Club Wool Show and Auction Sale. Pictures of interesting happenings were carried with the story, and as the magazine has a wide circulation in North and West Texas, Sonora can feel assured that her two predominating livestock activities have been given advertising that will be reflected in future dates.

The article was written by A. D. Jackson, who handled his subject in a capable manner, giving credit to the ranchmen and business men of Sonora and Sutton County for the excellent activities this community has supported in the past. Particular attention was given to the Sutton County 4-H Club.

Future articles will be carried by West Texas Today, giving Sutton County, Sonora, and our citizens still further commendation and recognition for the outstanding efforts which have been made to advertise and increase the value of the livestock industry to the State and nation.

Wood Versus O'Daniel in Radio Address

Since the beginning of his campaign for re-election to the governorship, W Lee O'Daniel has been inclined to take exceptions to the actions of the Stat Game, Fish and Oyster Commission, and has made many accusations against the group. It is not our purpose to state whether or not the charges are true as we have not been in position to judge correctly between what the governor states and what the commission has said in regard to the charges.

However, the people of the state will have an opportunity to judge for themselves this evening, for A. E. Wood, with the State Game, Fish and Oyster Commission will take to the air waves and discuss completely the charges hurled by the governor, he having arranged to speak over Stations WFAA and WOAI from 7:30 to 8:00 o'clock this evening, at which time he states that he will refute all charges of the governor's.

Persons interested in the controversy are thus given an opportunity to listen to what the commission member has to say, and having read the charges made by the governor, will be in position to decide for themselves regarding the controversy.

WHITEWING DOVE STRAYS

A white wing dove is reported by F. L. Roark of Cleveland, Texas, as sighted in Liberty County near the Trinity River. That is a long way from the natural habitat of whitewings in Texas, which is the Rio Grande Valley. That bird strayed farther than any other reported to the State Game Department, but whitewings are being forced to increase their nesting areas primarily due to the fact that much of their nesting area in the valley is being cleared of vegetation, Game Department biologists studying the birds believe.

Whitewings were observed last year nesting as far north as Medina County, which is near San Antonio. Hunting was good in that section last fall.

Due to the fact that much of the brush native to the Valley is being uprooted to make way for agricultural practices whitewings are not only expanding their nesting areas, but many have taken to nesting in the citrus trees of the Valley. Some fruit growers have feared that the whitewings would damage their oranges, lemons and grapefruit by pecking holes in them. However, Game Department biologists point out that this would be difficult for doves due to the fact they have extremely soft bills and weak feet. They are almost entirely ground feeders and it is not likely they could pierce the citrus fruit during its green stage, which is at the time when whitewings are in the Valley. The birds migrate in October and early November.

Hunters addicted to whitewing shooting will be glad to know that reports to the Game Department indicate a better nesting season for whitewings this spring

LEAD IN GAME PROJECTS

Game restoration in Texas is moving at a more rapid rate than at any time in the history of the state. The Texas Game Commission is taking many steps to restock areas now depleted of game and too, by improving habitat, increase game on many other areas.

That Texas is among the leaders in game restoration is attested by a recent report of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, which shows there are now 196 federal aid projects under way in 43 of the 48 states. That is an average of

four to a state. Texas is using federal aid funds under terms of the Pittman-Robertson act to finance six big projects. Several others have been submitted to the federal bureau for approval and probably will be inaugurated soon, it is announced by the executive secretary of the Game Department. Federal funds finance three-fourths of Pittman-Robertson projects and the state provides the other one-fourth. Texas' projects include state-wide survey of game, state-wide improvement of quail habitat areas, trapping and trans-

planting of antelope, turkey and deer trapping and transplanting javelina trapping and transplanting and a survey of the bighorn moutan sheep.

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BUILDING ACTIVITY

Mrs. Theo Savell has authorized the Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc., to furnish materials for remodeling the Savell house adjoining her residence. The work is progressing nicely and the home will present a modernized appearance when completed.

B. W. Gowens is busy this week repainting the W. H. Dameron home in Sonora. The work is nearing completion.

George Barrow is making preparations this week to move into his recently completed residence near the school campus.

Earl Merck is contemplating the construction of a new home on his property in West Sonora.

It is rumored that several new homes near the school campus will be under construction within the next few weeks. Most of the homes now being erected or scheduled for construction will consist of small and modern homes to be purchased by prospective home owners when completed or to be used as rent property.

Building material firms of Sonora have been busy passing out necessary supplies for much remodeling, repairing and refinishing work in the city. Each day sees new improvements started, and each day finds the town looking more modern in every respect.

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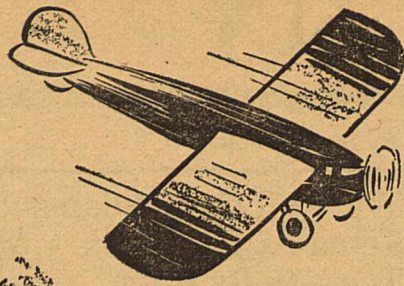
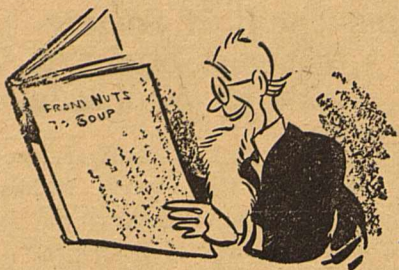
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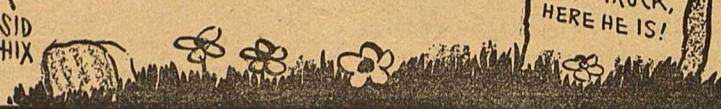


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—National Safety Council

Glenn Reeves Has Another Good Meet At Terrett Store

Fifteen hundred people paid a fifty cent admission to the rodeo grounds Monday afternoon to see matched horse races staged at that time. The races were held at Glenn Reeves store at Fort Terrett. Sutton County horses were matched against Oklahoma racers, and in each case the local nags won the race.

In the first matched race for \$300, Yankee Doodle, owned by Jap Holman, was pitted against Hickory Bill, owned by Van Vactor of Oklahoma. Yankee Doodle won easily to the satisfaction of his backers.

In the second race, Bay Barney, owned by Jess Barker, ran against another Van Vactor horse, and won his heat. The race was also a matched affair for a three hun-

dred dollar purse.

Lady Sweep, owned by Walker, was matched against Little Bill Wade, another Jess Barker horse. Son Crowell, up on Little Bill Wade, made a superb ride, and brought home his mount in front. Son weighed in at 70 pounds. Horses owned by John Merck and Pete Garvin were matched in a surprise race. Pete's entry was in front at the wire.

Hamburger and cold drink concessions did a fine business for the afternoon, and the visitors to the Glenn Reeves rodeo during the afternoon had a most enjoyable outing. The Sonora Bakery furnished five hundred buns for the hamburger concession.

Potential Chief Of Texas Makes Plans For 1952

We have heard of politicians making plans this year for an election campaign two years hence, but it is left to George Theriot, San Antonio high school graduate, to campaign the State for an elective post twelve years hence. He was a visitor in Sonora Wednesday telling local citizens about his ambition to be Governor of Texas in 1952, and soliciting support for his candidacy at that time.

Theriot made his first political address July 5 at Sweetwater, traveling thence to San Angelo and other cities of West Texas. As a preliminary step toward the governorship of the state, Theriot plans to run for a representative post in 1944, for the railroad commission in 1946 for a six year term, and then make an active campaign for the governorship in 1952. He pledges, also, not to make the race for chief executive until that time.

Leaving his calling card bearing a likeness of himself and the legend, "It's Cheerio with George Theriot for Governor of Texas in 1952" the future candidate for Texas governorship is promising nothing now other than to be a "darned good man for the job." He doesn't expect the current crop of political candidates to have all the problems now extant solved by the time he puts his name on the ballot officially. Theriot says he is studying all the time to be prepared to meet the issues that will be confronting the people 12 years hence and that when his opportunity comes he will endeavor to put the word "statesmanship" back into the political vocabulary of the Texas people.

Mrs. John Bowers and daughter, Miss Barbara, are spending the summer in Houston, the guests of Mrs. T. E. Donald, mother of Mrs. Bowers. They will return to Sonora the latter part of August.

W. H. Queen and family have returned from their vacation trip.

R. W. Hill, James Wilson and Robert Sawyer left Friday afternoon to spend the week-end on the Llano fishing. The boys returned to their homes Monday afternoon.

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FIREMEN WILL SEND GROUP TO JUNCTION MEET

Preparations for the Sonora Fire Department to send a representation to Junction August 13th are being made by the local fire department. The meeting is the regular convention of the Firemen's Association, at which time contests of various kinds will be interspersed with entertainment features.

At the last two conventions of the group, the team of Sonora firemen carried off the silver nozzle indicating supremacy in hose laying races, and the same team will compete at the Junction convention in an effort to win the third time and thereby secure the right to retain the nozzle permanently.

Announcements

The News has been authorized the announce the candidacy of the following, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

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

For Commissioner, Precinct Three:
C. W. ADAMS
Re-Election

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VOTE AGAINST A SALES TAX

Boyd Lovelace of Ozona, salesman for the West Texas Utilities Company, was in Sonora Tuesday, having with him his father-in-law, C. J. Walters of Tyler, who was on a visit to his daughter and family in Ozona.

Mrs. Lee Patrick spent Monday in Eldorado visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Patton and two children of Uvalde, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones and two children of Rocksprings spent Sunday in the home of J. H. Sawyer and family. Mrs. Patton and Mrs. Jones are sisters of Mr. Sawyer.

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BAPTIST CHURCH

I feel very grateful to all our people for the fine co-operation given in the services during the absence of the Pastor in a revival and to the visiting preachers also. We earnestly urge every one to be present in both Sunday School and preaching services Sunday, and let us help each other as we serve the Lord. The Pastor will be in the pulpit at both hours and hopes to see you in the congregation.

Sunday School 10 A. M.
Morning Service, 11 A. M.
by Pastor
Evening Service, 8:15 P. M.
by Pastor
Come, a welcome awaits you.
R. C. Brinkley, Pastor

BUSINESS MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The regular teacher will be with the Class at La Vista Theatre Sunday morning, and would like to shake hands with all the men that have ever attended the Class in the past. Bring a friend with you and enjoy the fine fellowship there with the program arranged.

W. W. Gibson, President

Brotherhood Men's Bible Class

We are having a very interesting study in the Book of Job. Sunday. The subject will be "Job's Comeback". Come and bring your buddy.

The class meets in the basement of the church at 9:30. Come and enjoy the fellowship of the men.

No coats will be allowed in the class. This is coatless weather. Rev. R. F. Davis is the teacher. Preston C. Lightfoot, President

Methodist Church

Sunday school, 9:45 A. M.
The attendance is holding up fine this summer. Let every one be in their places on time.

Mrs. O. L. Richardson has been compelled to resign on account of her health, and Mrs. Maysie Brown will fill the position to the close of the year.

10:50 A. M.—Mr. W. W. Jackson, president of the University of San Antonio, will be the speaker. A special invitation is extended to all young people.

Evening services at 8:00 P. M.
Sermon by the Pastor

You are invited to worship with us. A cordial welcome awaits you at the Methodist Church.

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PAVING PROGRESS IS NOTED DURING WEEK OF DUST

Hunter Strain, asphalt contractor on the city paving job suffered the loss of 10,000 gallons of heated asphalt Tuesday afternoon when a valve under the heating tank became opened accidentally and the heat was too severe to permit the workmen handling the asphalt to crawl underneath the tank to turn the valve. The asphalt spilled onto the ground and the worker was helpless to do anything about it.

Hunter Strain is perhaps the best known and largest asphalt operator in the state of Texas. He has headquarters at Dallas. On the Sonora job, he has sub-let some of the asphalt work to T. S. Sutherland of Lubbock, and both the contractors have seen to it that the city shall receive one of the best paving jobs possible to receive with asphalt.

George Pearl of Menard, WPA project superintendent, has been on the job here personally to supervise the paving project, and much commendation is due him for the excellent class of work being done. In addition to the WPA laborers, several men have been hired by the city, which will make the cost of the project somewhat higher, but which makes possible the very satisfactory speed being shown on the project. Oscar Avera, in charge of the Sonora Swimming Pool, has been employed by the city in the engineering department to help carry out the work, and his services have been a valuable addition to the force of supervisors and workmen.

Gravel for the paving project is being supplied by the city with WPA labor from the draw, and the quality of the material is said to be unusually excellent. Great stores of the gravel were already in stock, which permitted the fast work being done on the project.

Statements have been mailed out by the city officials covering the paving work, and it is said that due to the considerable expense attached to the work it is highly desirable that the money due the city be paid as soon as possible. The work is progressing rapidly now, and if expenses can be met by having the statements against property owners properly and promptly paid, there should be no considerable delay between now and the completion of the project on the contemplated date—August first.

George Smith, city manager, the city commissioners, mayor and others connected with the work, are co-operating in every possible way with the contractors and the PWA superintendent to have the work done promptly, satisfactorily and at the very least expense.

For your home laundry, go to O. C. Mooney in front of Tom Thorp. 40-1tp

Personals

ON FISHING TRIP

Wilton Stubblefield left Sunday to fish on the North Concho and then he will go to Sherwood to visit friends and relatives. Wilton is employed at the Humble Service Station and is on a two weeks vacation.

ATTENDS FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gulley were in Big Spring Tuesday attending the funeral of J. F. Hair, who was an old friend of the family.

Visitors from Goose Creek

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Rena Trainer over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nix, Mrs. Stilinton and children and T. C. Trainer of Goose Creek.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Guillmo Batista, Sunday, July 17, a girl. The youngster weighed 7½ pounds.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Francisco Perez, Sunday, July 14, a nine-pound boy. The boy was named Francisco, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pfeister of Iraan has been visiting with his mother Mrs. Beulah Pfeister. While here Mr. and Mrs. Pfeister and Rostine Pfeister went to Fort Stockton.

Mrs. M. O. Britt left Wednesday for Rosebud, where she will visit with friends and relatives. She will be there about a month.

Woody Martin left Friday for a visit in California.

Mrs. R. G. Nance of Juno was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allison and daughter, Sammie Jean and Miss Doris Keene left Thursday for Colorado.

An Ozona visitor in town Monday was Ralph Jones.

Bill Cartwright is in California visiting a few days.

Miss Nonnie Hutcherson left today for San Angelo where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Batts Friend.

Miss Jo Collier of San Angelo sister of K. C. Collier visited her brother and family Sunday and Monday.

Gilbert Teagarden of Odessa is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Roueche.

W. B. Whitehead and family of near Del Rio were visitors in Sonora Saturday.

ANOTHER RACE MEET

The Edwards County Fair Association, not completely satisfied with the excellent rodeo and race meet staged in June, have completed plans for an additional race meet, to be held in Rock-springs August 6, 7 and 8. In addition to some twenty races already carded, other entertainment features will include a big dance each night of the three days, on the open air platform at the association's rodeo grounds.

Sidney Milsbaugh Jr. of Ozona was in town Monday.

Miss Mildred Trainer left Wednesday for Goose Creek. She will visit there two weeks.

FOOT CRUSHED

H. C. Kiser, Jr., about 13, was injured Saturday morning when the horse he was riding fell with him, pinning his leg beneath the animal. He suffered a badly crushed foot, with bones in two or more toes broken. He was brought to town and given treatment. At present the injury is reported to be progressing toward satisfactory recovery.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Theo Cahill, who has been in Christoval for two weeks, was taken to a San Angelo hospital Tuesday. She is suffering from a streptococcus infection.

She is the daughter of Mrs. Ellen Ray.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Allen Saunders, who is attending officers training at Camp Bullis, had to have an emergency appendectomy Sunday night. Mrs. Saunders and Richard left Monday morning. They returned Thursday and reported that Allen was just fine.

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MY FRIENDS OVER THE DISTRICT, IN VIEW OF THE ABOVE FACTS, URGED ME TO RUN AGAIN, AND I CONSENTED. I AM NOW A CANDIDATE FOR THE OFFICE, SUBJECT TO THE ACTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ON JULY 27TH.

IF THE CITIZENSHIP OF THE DISTRICT CAN SEE THEIR WAY CLEAR TO VOTE AND SUPPORT ME THIS TIME, I WILL APPRECIATE IT VERY MUCH AND THANK YOU.



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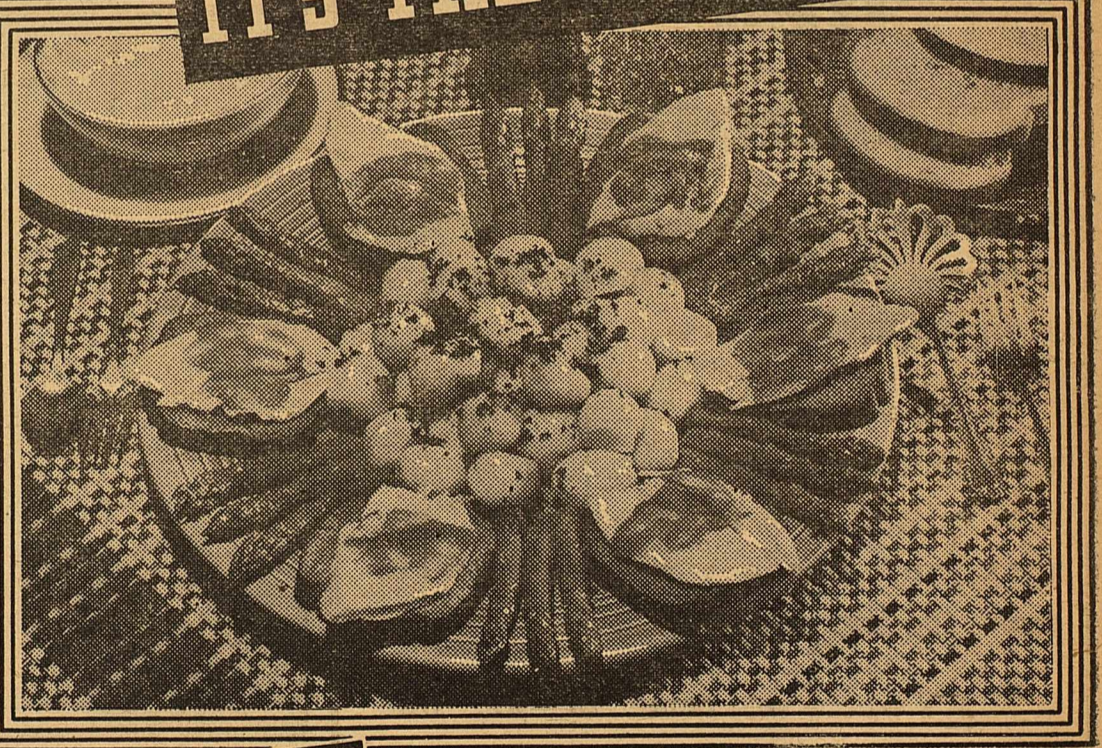
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Personals

Mrs. McDermitt and son, Jon are visiting with her parents in Denton this week. Mr. McDermitt will go after them the latter part of next week.

Troy White, Jr. is home from Alpine visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy White. He will return soon to continue his studies at Sul Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. John McClelland of Texon are visiting with friends and relatives this week.

Miss Pauline Norwood has been employed since Thursday of last week at the Club Cafe. Her friends and all patrons of the Club are glad to see her back on her old job.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleophus Cooke and little daughter of Ozona spent a short time Sunday with Mrs. J. H. Sawyer, sister of Mr. Cooke, and family.

Bob Simon of Iraan has been in Sonora for the past few days, having temporary employment with the Texas-New Mexico Pipeline Co. in the capacity of relief workman. Bob expects to return home shortly.

Mrs. G. H. Davis and Mrs. Orion Brown left Tuesday for Alpine to visit their daughters, Marjory and Kathryn, who are attending the summer session at Sul Ross College.

BANK CONDITION REFLECTS SOUND FINANCES HERE

For the third successive time, the statement of the First National Bank reveals a total of assets well over the million-dollar mark, reflecting the splendid financial condition of this particular section of the state.

Beginning with the statement of December 29, 1939, the statement of condition has shown but small variation. The December statement listed deposits at \$1,097,856.57, and total resources of \$1,318,094.56.

Another statement of condition, issued March 26, 1940, listed deposits at \$822,187.79, and total assets at \$1,048,674.05. The last statement published July 5 as of June 29th, listed deposits of \$701,758.97, and total assets of \$1,066,434.28.

The statements show a particularly healthy condition of the country, as they not only cover the year-end inventory period, at which time deposits are likely to be reduced, but also carry over into the summer months, when business activity has a tendency to slow up. Such a steady consistency in deposits and assets of the bank show a true picture of the financial condition of the community.

Kelso Locklin has been a visitor in San Angelo for the past week. He has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Huling.

"Freedom-of-the-Press" Exponent Candidate For Criminal Appeals Judge

Hon. George E. Christian, Who Wrote Opinion Upholding Rights of Newsmen to Report Trial Testimony to Public, Seeks Promotion; 13 Years Experience As Commissioner.

By Texas Capital News Service.

AUSTIN. — Candidacy of Hon. George E. Christian of Burnet County for judge of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals recalls to newspaper men throughout the State the opinion written by Judge Christian as appeals court commissioner in 1935 that definitely set out the "freedom-of-the-press" in the matter of reporting and publishing for the public accurate news of testimony and proceedings in a trial court. A district judge presiding over a murder trial in Brazoria county had instructed three Houston newspaper reporters present not to publish the testimony in the case until after the trial of companion cases set for later date involving two others in the same alleged crime, lest it prejudice and thereby disqualify prospective jurors in the subsequent trials, possibly requiring a change of venue.

The newsmen, Harry McCormick of the Press, Frank L. White of the Post and Ed Rider of the Chronicle, communicated the court's instructions to their respective managing editors, Ed M. Pooley of the Press, Max Jacobs of the Post and George Cottingham of the Chronicle, who refused to refrain from publishing the testimony. The six men, after being duly cited and given a hearing, were adjudged to be guilty of contempt of court and assessed fines. The case attracted nationwide attention in the summer of 1935.

When it reached the Court of Criminal Appeals of Texas, and was given a hearing, it devolved upon Judge Christian to write that court's opinion. As recorded in the 88 South Western Reporter, 2nd series, pages 104-8, this opinion reveals some gems of democratic philosophy, couched in terse phrases, that are apropos at this time in light of contrast between democratic and totalitarian governments.

Bill of Rights Involved
Overruling the lower court, the commissioner opined:
"It appears to us that respondent unduly stresses the tendency of accurate newspaper reports of public trials to embarrass the administration of justice. Under our statute opinions formed from reading newspaper accounts may not disqualify a juror from sitting in a particular case."

More important, the record shows the issues involved the 8th section of the Bill of Rights of the Constitution, which in part reads:
"Every person shall be at liberty to speak, write or publish his opinions on any subject, being respon-

sible for the use of that privilege; and no law shall ever be passed curtailing the liberty of speech or of the press."
Commenting on the quoted section, the opinion reads:
"The language of this provision makes plain its purpose to prevent previous restraints upon publications. The privilege of writing one's views is accorded and protected, and at the same time accountability to the law is demanded for the abuse of the privilege."
And then it continues:
"It is generally conceded that liberty of the press means immunity from previous restraints or censorship."

It concludes:
"In the nature of things, the proceedings of public trials constitute news which newspapers have the right to publish in informing the public of current events."

A flood of newspaper editorials evidenced approbation of the Christian opinion.

Another Important Decision
Another important decision of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, where the opinion was prepared by Judge Christian, is the case against Herbert Tigner from Harris county, that holds in effect the right of the state legislature to enact anti-trust legislation for control of industrial interests who would combine in restraint of trade, but exempt agricultural and live stock producers, labor unions and taxpayers' groups. This opinion was sustained May 6, 1940, by the United States Supreme Court.

A native and resident of Burnet county, Texas; a student in Southwestern University, Georgetown, and a graduate in both arts and law from the University of Texas; an officer in the American Expeditionary Forces during World War I, George E. Christian has served as a district attorney, assistant attorney general, and as a member of the Board of Pardon advisers before his appointment as a judge of commission in aid to the Court of Criminal Appeals of Texas, July 1, 1927. A commissioner is appointed by the Court to sit in on consultations and write opinions, but has no vote. After a service of 13 years in this capacity, Judge Christian is now going before the court of public opinion to ask a promotion.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patrick of Ozona spent a few hours in Sonora Tuesday on their way home from Carrizo Springs, where they had been visiting their daughter for the past two weeks.

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Pictured above is Lorraine Day star of "And One Was Beautiful" which shows Tuesday at the La Vista Theatre.

Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Davis left Wednesday morning for Kerrville to attend the Adult Assembly of the Southwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. A. M. Haas of San Angelo has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. T. A. McMillan and Mr. McMillan.

Mrs. Word Sherrill and son left Friday after a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. B. C. McGilvray.

Mrs. John Fields was in San Angelo Saturday.

Misses Katha Lea Keene and Joe Nell Miers are home after attending summer school at Texas University.

Johnny Logan, who is employed at the Sonora Electric Company, has returned from his vacation, where he visited friends in Menard and other places.

Miss Jean Saunders is home to spend a few days. She has been in San Angelo with Mrs. Batts Friend who will return home some time this week.

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35 Years Ago

From the files of the Devil's River News of October 6, 1906.

B. C. Huggins was in from the ranch this week on business.

Mrs. Arthur Stuart and sister Miss Ollie Jackson were in Sonora several days this week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. O. Holman.

Mrs. J. W. Reiley and daughter Miss Eva, were in from the ranch several days this week the guests of the Commercial Hotel.

Jack Belcher formerly of Sonora but now of Del Rio, was in Sonora Saturday with his cousin, Miss Fay Adams.

Ed Mayfield arrived home Saturday from a prospecting trip to Roswell, N. M.

Mrs. Ed Dicie and daughter Miss Zetha were in from the ranch Saturday shopping.

Guy Harris was up from the A. F. Clarkson ranch Wednesday on business.

H. B. Opp, a prominent young stockman from McKavett, was in Sonora Saturday wanting to buy some steers.

Wm. Van Hoogenhuyze, the Irishman with a Dutch name, was in Sonora Tuesday on business. Mr. Van is representing the Bonnie & Co. Distillers of Louisville, Ky., and is selling some doggone good whisky. Among their leading brands are Big Rock, Kentucky Turf, W. H. Kirby and Crystal Dew.

Sonora's merchants are doing a continually increasing business.

Born on Sunday, Sept. 30, 1906 to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Morris, a boy.

Born on Wednesday, Oct. 3, 1906 to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Smith a boy.

Payne Rountree was in from the ranch Thursday trading.

Miss Clyde Holman is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stuart on the ranch this week.

Tom Phillips who bought the Jas. Whetstone place near Green's was in Sonora Tuesday.

Hop Wood was in from the Hamilton & North range Tuesday trading.

Eric Cloudt was up from his

ranch on the Llano Thursday trading.

Mrs. A. A. McDonald of Comstock is in the Sonora Country on a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. Frank Harris.

R. T. Baker was in from his North Llano ranch for Sunday and reports conditions better than at any other time in his life.

There is a much larger attendance of children in school from the country and other towns than for years past. The prospects for a successful session are most flattering.

R. W. Davis and granddaughter Miss Myrtle Davis attended the San Angelo Fair and Miss Myrtle will visit in Ballinger for a few weeks and Mr. Davis will visit Elgin before returning.

Bruce Drake, San Angelo commission man, was in Sonora Wednesday wanting to buy steers.

L. C. Halbert of Raston, Okla., was in Sonora Thursday visiting his uncles, R. F. and B. M. Halbert. Mr. Halbert wants to buy some steers. He says his mother and brothers are doing all right.

The occupation of Cuba by the United States is based upon the act of Congress which guaranteed protection of life, property and individual liberty to the people of the island.

Judge Jas. Cornell left on Thursday for Austin to attend to some professional business.

John McKee, the well known ranchman from Edwards County, was in Sonora Friday trading.

Mrs. J. A. Ward was in town Thursday shopping.

B. C. Huggins moved his family to town for school purposes.

John McCoy moved his family to town for school purposes.

Dan Sassom was in from the ranch Monday for supplies.

W. A. Miers was in from the ranch Tuesday trading.

Sam Merck was in from the ranch Monday trading.

Mrs. Frank Harris was in from the ranch Monday shopping.

Joe Beard, the photographer, bought a half interest in the W. B. Keesee grocery business this week.

J. T. Bissett and Bob Motley the painters are out at Abe May-

JOAN BLONDELL, GEORGE MURPHY AND LANA TURNER



Co-starred in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's new streamlined musical, "Two Girls on Broadway," produced by Jack Cummings, directed by S. Sylvan Simon.

ers ranch doing some work.

Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Allison and Miss Maybell Tillman were in from the ranch Monday.

Ed Fowler was in from his ranch on the Llano this week visiting his family.

J. Lewenthal, the druggist, left for Dallas Thursday to purchase Christmas goods.

Curt Allison, who is looking after the Llano ranch for his father, G. S. Allison, was in Sonora Wed-

nesday trading.

W. B. Keesee, the groceryman, is in San Angelo this week buying new goods for the firm of Keesee & Beard.

Sam Green left a sweet potato at this office which he raised on his place in West Sonora which weighed 9 pounds. Good for Sam.

Uncle John Brown and Will Brown were in Sonora Tuesday attending to some business.

Dr. L. L. Craddock is in Junc-

tion this week attending to some business.

G. B. Wardlaw of Ballinger is visiting his brother Judge L. J. Wardlaw this week.

Tom Lassiter, the restaurant man will have oysters regular during the season.

Will Martin, the barber of Ozona, was in Sonora Monday. Will says he is doing very well over there but the folks have been sick for some time.

Clyde Windrow, the tinner, moved to his new shop this week and will be located back of Strickland's Saddle Shop and wants the public to call and see him when they want anything in his line.

Bert DeWitt of Brackettville, who has been visiting his uncle Jas. Cornell for some time left for San Angelo Tuesday to attend a business college.

Buss Allison arrived home Tuesday from a trip to Bosque County where he went with a bunch of horses. Buss says he did fairly well with them.

E. S. Briant, manager of the Sonora Merchantile Co., left for San Antonio Thursday to purchase Christmas goods. Mrs. Briant accompanied him to keep him out of mischief.

Ben Sass, one of the proprietors of the wholesale liquor and cigar house of L. W. Levy & Co., of Galveston, was in Sonora this week meeting his many friends and doing a good business as usual.

John Griffith of Orange, Texas was in Sonora Tuesday looking for

a suitable place to stay for the winter. He likes the climate here and will most likely stay here for some time.

Ben T. Ledbetter, former druggist for J. Lewenthal, was in Sonora this week prospecting with a view to again engaging in business in Sonora.

Will Ede of San Angelo is assistant bookkeeper at the First National Bank of Sonora. Will is a very agreeable young man and likes his position in Sonora. He was formerly head clerk at the San Angelo postoffice.

G. P. Hill one of the old time stockmen of Devil's River was in Sonora several days this week visiting his sons Giles Hill, Jr., and Ward Hill. His sister, Mrs. Meriweather and daughter Miss Lucie Hill accompanied him. Mr. Hill has a farm down near Leakey but says if he can sell out there he will come back to the Sonora country. Mr. Hill's many friends were glad to see him.

S. H. Stokes sold to Wm. Sultemeyer 1260 goats at \$2.50 kids included.

Fred Millard of Sonora bought from Sam Nicks 25 fat cows at \$14.80 per head.

Frank McGonagill sold 8 Billies to O. T. Word and eight to Dock Word at \$10 per head.

W. A. Hadden, candidate for District Judge, was a visitor in Sonora Thursday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Trainer went to Fort Worth this week, where Mrs. Trainer underwent medical examination and treatment.



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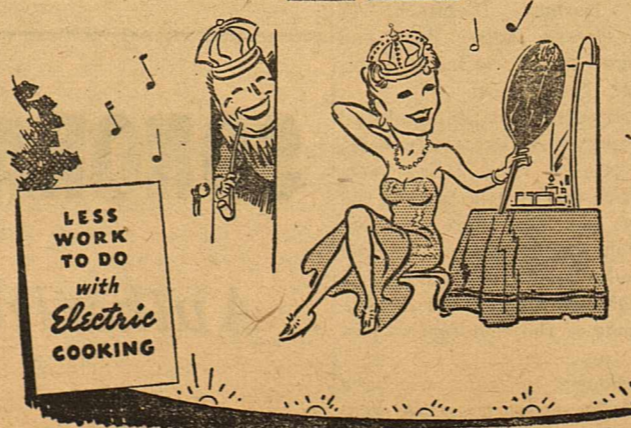
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4-H Club Boys To Attend Meet At Fort Stockton

Sutton county 4-H Club boys under the leadership of County Agent H. C. Atchison will attend the annual 4-H Encampment to be held this year at Fort Stockton. Date for the encampment is July 18, 19 and 20.

One hundred and fifty boys from the southern part of District Six are expected to be in attendance at the encampment, to be held at Comanche Springs, where every facility is available for a splendid outing.

Swimming, a golf tournament for county agents, instruction and many other activities are listed for the three days of the encampment. Speakers for the meeting will include Mr. Lancaster, pasture specialist for the Extension Service; J. D. Prewitt, district agent from College Station, and Allan Frazier, district attorney for the 83rd Judicial district, who will speak on "Americanism" to the group of boys.

The Sixth 4-H Club district is so large that two encampments are held each year. Counties lying along the T. & P. Railroad, including Ector, Martin, Colorado and Nolan, attend the encampment at San Angelo. The clubs from the southern section attend the encampment at Fort Stockton. Being so close to either encampment Sutton county boys may attend either camp, but this year expressed a preference for the Fort Stockton encampment.

A splendid program has been arranged for the three days of the encampment, which includes games of every description interspersed with periods of instructions in the work in which the various clubs are interested.

TRUCK LIMIT RECEIVES HEAVY CRITICISM

An intensive drive is being made by trucking interests and private concerns to remove the present load limit on truck transportation in the State. Facts and figures are being cited to show the inequality of the Texas laws compared to those of other states, and the injustice which is being shown to truck transportation companies through the load limit being placed at only 7,000 pounds.

The latest release on the question conveys the information that of the 48 States in the union, Texas is last on the list from the standpoint of load limit, which ranges from no restriction in Minnesota, 120,000 pounds in Rhode Island to the 7,000 pounds in Texas. Louisiana, in next to last place on the list, allows a load of 14,000 pounds per vehicle on her State highways, while Michigan is the only state which has adopted a per axle load, permitting each axle on a vehicle to carry 18,000 pounds.

Many of the Texas legislators are inclined to agree that the Texas load limit on trucks is too low, and predictions are freely made that the limit will be raised within the next two years.

Wool Buyers of Section Visit In Sonora

A number of wool and mohair buyers from this area were in Sonora the first part of the week, but none of them were in the market for either staple. It seems that the boys got tired of staying around the warehouses in San Angelo, and came down for the trip, nothing more.

Included in the group of wool and mohair buyers visiting around the warehouse of the Sonora Wool and Mohair Company, were the following: Russell Martin, of Del Rio; Guy Drake, San Angelo; Beall Barbee, Herman Diebitsch, C. Thomas Parker, Edgar Best, and Gil Wright, all of the latter being from San Angelo also.

It is reported that the wool and mohair market is extremely quiet at the present time, if not actually dead; and this in face of the fact that the local warehouse organization has on hand some two and one-half million pounds of first quality wool and about 425,000 pounds of the best sort of mohair.

It is thought by many who have observed the tendencies in the wool and mohair market that prices will remain somewhat firm, and that a buying splurge will develop before many weeks.

ARMY GROUP IN SONORA THURS. FOR SHOWING

Preparations are being made by members of the Sonora Lions Club and other civic groups to greet and properly care for the contingent of army men from Brownsville, whose itinerary includes an overnight stop in Sonora next Thursday. A suitable camping place and other requirements will be filled by business men of the community.

The demonstration unit from Fort Brown will consist of a band of 32 members and thirty-nine enlisted men from Fort Brown; one enlisted man from the medical department, with two scout cars and necessary motor transportation. Under the command of Lieut. Arthur W. Allen, the contingent is making a tour of the San Antonio Recruiting District, the purpose of the trip being to demonstrate the new mechanized forces of the United States Army, and to give prospective recruits an insight into what modern army life means to the enlisted man and other personnel. The contingent is participating in patriotic rallies and giving a demonstration of army camp life under the new mechanized arrangements.

From Sonora the contingent will go to Kerrville, where the night will be spent. The troops will return to Fort Brown July 31.

In connection with the above demonstration unit of the United States Army, the News has been advised that if any boy or young man in Sonora wishes to enlist in any branch of the service, he should see Alvy Smithwick, Jr., at the Sonora Trading Company, for full particulars. An intensive enlistment drive is being made by the United States Army, Air Force, Navy and Marine Corps in connection with the greatly expanded defense movement, and a splendid opportunity exists now to enlist in any branch of the service desired, where not only the usual maneuvers are taught, but where instruction is given in many branches of the arts and sciences.

Mrs. Billy Penick and daughter, Yvonne Denise, returned home from San Angelo Sunday.

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platform; and other facilities of the pool arranged for the comfort and convenience of the troops who are to remain overnight.

Sergeant Mazingo, in charge of advance work, here Wednesday, stated that the army contingent would arrive in Sonora about ten o'clock in the morning, but that they would participate in no activities until the parade, in order that the men might have sufficient time to rest and refresh themselves after the drive, and to prepare themselves for a suitable public appearance.

Efforts will be made to have visitors from Ozona, Eldorado, Junction and Rocksprings visit in Sonora for the demonstration and the patriotic rally to be held as a part of the visit of the contingent.

OPEN LAUNDRY IN SONORA

The National Cash and Carry Laundry has been opened by Mrs. Quisenberry in the Craddock Building, the new venture first having opened its doors last Monday. Family wash and piece work will be done at reasonable prices and with entire satisfaction, it is said.

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Ranchmen Fill Many Silos This Year

Several activities are reported by the county agent in the way of range improvement activities in recent weeks. Among others, Mr. Atchison states that Edwin Sawyer has reported the terracing of a new field on the ranch six miles south of town, which has been planted for the first time. Redtop cane will be harvested and placed in trench silos for feeding purposes. The new field contains 118 acres of very rich valley land, and the terracing recently completed provides a means of storing ample moisture for usual farming conditions.

C. E. Stites reports the completion of two trench silos on the ranch eight miles east of town on the Junction highway. These two silos, and one old silo completed last year will be filled with hegar and cane, of which feeds Mr. Stites reports an unusual crop.

J. A. Cauthorn has completed two new trench silos; and these, with two old ones used last year, are to be filled from a nice crop of cane grown this year. The trench silos are proving of inestimable benefit for feeding livestock.

Robert Halbert plans to fill three or four trench silos on his ranch with cane. Ensilage was used last year to feed out a fine bunch of cross-bred Black face and Rambouillet lambs, which were recently sold at a good price and Mr. Halbert plans to feed out a similar bunch with the ensilage he plans to have on hand this year.

Aldwell Brothers report that they have just put in another good field on their ranch. The size of the farm was not listed, but it is reported that the field will be devoted to feed crops.

TOM L. BEAUCHAMP

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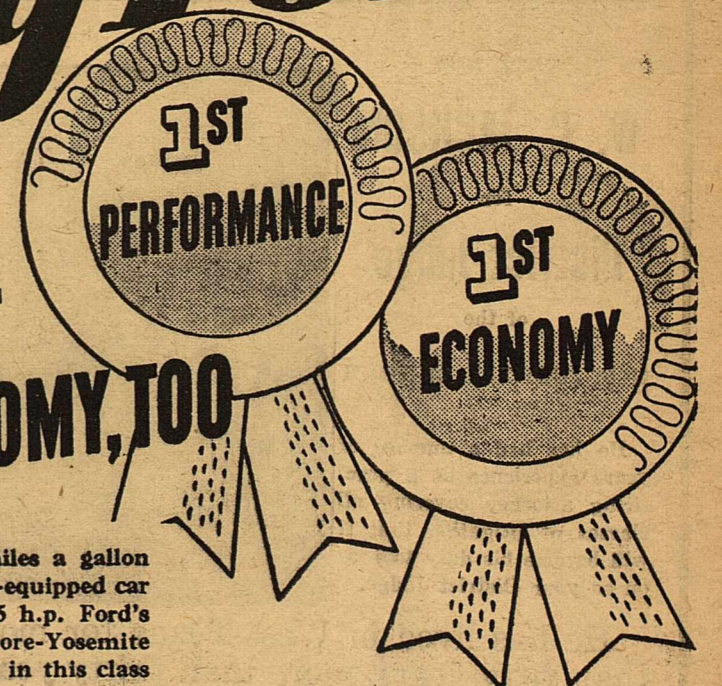
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