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Complete Sonora Faculty for Next Year Announced

Local Staff Cut Two: **Expense Reduced** by \$5,000.00

3 NEW TEACHERS

School Begins on First Monday, September Fifth

The complete faculties for the schools of the Sonora Independent school district have been announced by R. S. Covey, superintendent. In the Sonora schools the total number of teachers has been reduced by two, and this reduction, coupled with salary reductions, will enable a saving of \$5000 in the comnig year. School will begin Sept. 5.

Mr. Covey, in addition to executive duties, will teach a portion of the high school mathematics.

Turner D. White returns as principal and teacher of animal husbandry and biology.

A. L. Smith will continue as coach and teacher of science and math.

Miss Annie Duncan, Miss Johnnie Allison and Miss Maurine Phillips | day and elected Judge L. W. Elliott, will remain as members of the high school faculty, Miss Duncan as librarian and teacher of history, Miss Allison as teacher of Spanish and math, and Miss Phillips dividing time between commercial subests in the high school and arithmetic and reading in the grammar grades.

Miss Aileen Swafford, Austin and Miss Florence Langford, Sherman, are new members of the faculty. Miss Swafford, with a Master's degree from the University of (Continued on page 5)

'Phone Lines and

of Ozona Highway

BEING PUBLISHED Amendments to the Texas constitution, to be decided by voters of Texas in the general election in November, are being published four times in a newspaper in every county in Texas, beginning this week.

They appear this week in The News on Page 6. Give them careful attention and thought. and vote on each one in November.

STATE AMENDMENTS

County Democratic Convention Favors Re-Submission Plan

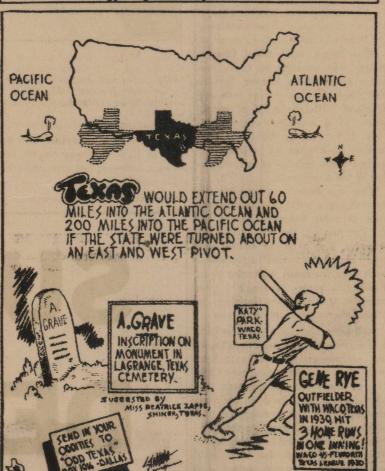
For Curb of Utilities; Gas Tax Diversion to Bond Debt; Elliott a State Delegate

The Sutton county Democratic convention, attended by precinct chairmen here Saturday, discussed a number of vital questions of the county chairman, as delegate to the state convention in Lubbock September 13.

Returns of the July 23rd Democratic primary were canvassed and approved as first reported by election judges.

The county convention expressed definite approval of the re-submission plank of the state party, which carried the state, and which provides that the next session of the the vote of the states. Resolution favoring more strin-

Re-construction Required for Route oline tax to the retirement of federal highways. county highway bonded indebted- The News had been previously a faulty heart condition. ness were passed by the convention. Judge Elliott will attend the state convention unless some later



"Odd Texas" is an interesting new feature which will appear each week in The News.

Sterling Calls Legislature to

Bond Issues Will Be Paid for Counties; Fergusons Talk in San Angelo Aug. 11

Governor R. S. Sterling this week matter reached court by representannounced the calling of a special atives of the company here last United States Congress be asked to session of the Texas legislature for week. A total of \$500 was allowre-submit the prohibition issue to Sept. 19 for the express purpose of ed, with deduction of \$115 expendtaking action on the plan favored ed by the company at the time of by virtually all legislators to divert the accident for medical attention. Pipeline Re-Built gent regulation of public utilities a portion of the state gasoline tax and expressing approval of plans to to the payment of county road bond building, charged from a short cirdivert one-fourth of the state gas-debts incurred in building state or cuited wire, on a rainy day, and the

advised, on Monday, that the Gov-

paying bills and securing funds to the urge for tax-saving. If the first month's returns prove an average the annual yield from the tax will be \$1,-471.74 in Sutton county. **Cattle Movements Predominate Late** Fifteen Cars Stocker Stuff Moved

CHECK TAX YIELDS

tional Bank reveal.

\$122 FIRST MONTH

Check tax levied by the feder-

al government yielded \$122.62 in

the first month it was in effect,

from June 23 to July 23, and

netted \$109.38 during the month

of July, records of the First Na-

On the basis of return for the

first month, 6,131 checks were

drawn on the only Sutton county

bank. That figure represents a

very slight decline, showing that

few people sacrificed the con-

venience of check writing in

in Two Weeks; Sheep Shipments Slacken

Cattle movements have predomiheavy sheep shipping of May, June ownership property is set at \$60,and early July considerably lighter. 744, with a total of \$222,427. Many of the cattle shipped here came from the Rocksprings country. Claude Ledbetter shipped six cars of Edwards county stock to Lightner, in McCulloch county, where they will be pastured. The Sloan cattle company continued Thousand Inoculated sending locally bought cattle to out-of-state points, one car going (Continued on page 4)

Dungan to Attend

Fireman's School

Rise Due to Hike in Utility and Corporations

City Evaluation Total for '31

Is \$1,119,402; \$90,000 Rise

MEX. AMOUNT UP

Increase Is \$4,000.00; **Final Meeting of Board Held**

City evaluations for Sonora's taxfiguring in 1932 have been announced by George E. Smith, city manager, as \$1,119,402, representing an increase of slightly less than \$100,000 over the 1931 total of \$1,030,515. The increase is due in large part to hiked figures for utility and corporation-owned property in the city.

Comparative figures on local property are hard to ascertain, due to a difference in manner of listing this year, but the Mexican property evaluations, computed separately each year, showed an increase this Stock Shipments year, rising \$4000 from \$24,465 to \$28,555.

In 1931 the total for utility and corporation-owned property, both real and personal, combined with that controlled by non-residents of the city, was \$132,635. This year nated the stock shipments from the utility-corporation total alone this area in recent weeks, with the is \$161,683.45, and non-residence

> Last year's value of rendered property was \$718,520, and of unrendered, \$154,795.

This year most values are based (Continued on page 4)

for Typroid Fever

Majority of Those Ill Recovering, and Only One New Case

One thousand Sonora residents, including virtually the entire Mex-

W. T. UTILITIES, \$500

Act on Gas Tax Hill against the West Texas Utili-

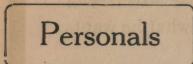
ties company for an injury to Hill's son claimed to have been suffered when he was shocked by contact with a metal building here several months ago, was settled before the

The 7-year-old child touched the shock was alleged to have produced

HILL CASE SETTLED BY

Lines of the San Angelo Telephone Company are being rebuilt this week west of Sonora to avoid development should interfere. the right-of-way of the new course of Highway 27 between Sonora and Ozona. A crew of eight men, working out of San Angelo, has spent the week here on the project.

In addition to the telephone work, the pipeline of The Texas Pipeline Co. is being lowered by a crew of 25 men to enable the new right-of-way to pass over the line.



a Sonora business visitor Friday.

is visiting Miss Mae Cauthorn this grows an inch a month, says Mr. week.

Point, arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rees.

Mrs. Maud Dabney, of San An- a grower failed to shear in the Keene.

Mrs. R. H. Chalk and son, Jesse Ray, of Del Rio, spent Monday in Tom Thorp.

visiting relatives.

Friday afternoon.

C. H. Carson and his daughter, its price trends, naturally. Mr. Earspent Tuesday in San Angelo.

er, Joe Lancaster, and family.

spending two weeks with her sister, many growers had considered omit-Mrs. George H. Neill, having arriv- ting the semi-annual fall shearing, trip to Houston and Ganado.

Goat Men Stress Need of Shearing

Must Not Go Until Spring

by all means, say B. M. Halbert the week in Lampasas Saturday and Fred Earwood, prominent So- night. nora breeders, in commenting on of price the goats should be sheared state during the run-off. T. L. Benson, of San Angelo, was for their own good, and because

mills are not equipped to handle Miss Edna Cauthorn, of Del Rio, 12-months length mohair. Mohair Halbert, and to handle 12-inch

> especially equipped. Mr. Halbert re- for the A team. members a case years ago in which

gelo, spent Wednesday here with fall. His hair had to be cut in two, her daughter-in-law, Mrs. C. S. and was severely penalized, before it sold.

Mr. Halbert says, too, that it would not be practical to shear Sonora as guests of her sister, Mrs. kids alone, since they constitute only 15 per cent of the average

Humble Station "A," with their from financial and humanitarian a check of local figures reveals. baby son, Carl, jr., were in town standpoints. He forsees a market

stocks. Miss Bertha Harris, of Cuero, is In view of discouraging prices \$150,000.

against such a procedure.

ernor would call the special session. The message came from Paul L. Wakefield, publicity manager at the Sterling headquarters in Dallas. The News was also advised Wednesday that former Governors James E. and Miriam Ferguson will speak in San Angelo Thursday night, July 11, this being their Halbert and Earwood Say Stock first West Texas appearance during the run-off campaign. The Fergusons will speak in Coleman Goats should be sheared this fall the following night and will end

appearing last week in The News. since it will be the only appearance one or more days. Mr. Halbert says that regardless of the Fergusons in this part of the

Stations Playing Ball Thursday Humble Stations A and B were scheduled to play baseball Thursday aftrenoon at Station B. Bud ily moved Monday to Sagerton, Mrs. H. G. Eaton, of Center fleece, the mills would have to be Smith, Sonora, was slated to play where Mr. Cox will be located with

ROCKSPRINGS SHOW AND RODEO DRAWS THOUSANDS

Thousands of West Texans attended the three-day celebration sponsored in Rocksprings this week ov the Edwards County Fair association and the American Angora Goat Breeders association.

Rodeo entertainment each day, dances, and free pens, without commission on sales, were attractions offered the visitors and stockmen. A number of Sonora people, in-

cluding Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ear-Ferguson supporters here have wood, Mrs. Earl Lomax and H. V. the story regarding fall shearing been asked to attend the meeting, Stokes and W. L. Miers attended

The annual convention of the A. A. G. B. A. was held concurrently with the celebration.

Coxes Move to Sagerton

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Cox and famthe Santa Fe.

Oil Leases in Sutton County Are Equal to 1931 Tax Collections

Seventeen oil companies holding tests and of valuable production. H. V. Stokes and Edmond Heinze J. D. Wallace and his little sons, flock, and shearing crews could not acreage in Sutton county paid Sut- The Sutton total is greater than the George D. and R. W., were in town afford to make the long jump from ton county land owners an amount Crockett total, 417,083 acres, in from the ranch for the week-end, ranch to ranch for such short runs. equal to the approximate total of spite of the much greater total area a drill for Friday afternoon, 6:30. Mr. Earwood says that the city, state, county and school taxes of the latter. The Pecos lease total Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chumney, of goats should certainly be shorn, collected here on 1931 assessments, is 589,774, but its percentage is lowest in the group, since its area is With total acreage leased in the much greater.

for the fall clip, but cannot predict county revealed as 483,748 acres, The Basin Oil Co., high in Sutton and with the average lease estimat- county, has 165,822 acres, with the Miss Edythe, returned Friday from wood hails the sale of the National ed at 25 cents an acre (although Sun second, 52,091 and Humble a three-day trip to Austin. They Wool Marketing Coroporation's sur- there are several instances where third, 39,363. Other holdings are: plus mohair as an optimistic sign, higher leases were paid), the Gulf 32,607; Texas Co., 30,447; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lancaster and followed as it was by considerable amount received by the ranch own- Stanolind 24, 96; Atlantic 22,154; family of Santa Anna spent the buying on the part of all mills, with ers was \$120,937. Total tax col- Phillips 19,548; Republic 18,583; week-end in Sonora with his broth- resultant clearing up of surplus lections were about \$124,000, of a Empire 17,250; Texas-Pacific 15,total assessment of slightly over 539; Indian Territory 13,520; Con-

> tinental 11,662; Shell 9,622; Cali-It is interesting to note that Sut- fornia 8,823; Tidal 1,280; Simms ion has a larger percentage of its 1,271.

ed Tuesday with Mrs. Tom White, but the concensus of opinion of total area under lease than either Humble leads in both Crockett who was returning from a week's leaders in the industry is definitely Crockett or Pecos counties, both of and Pecos, with 83,932 in the forwhich have been the scene of many mer and 159,255 in Pecos.

Local Department Decides on Finance Plan for Month

gate Wednesday night by the Sonora Fire Department to attend the state school being conducted next week at A. & M. college for firemen. The sending of a delegate to the school to take special courses in fire work entitles a town to a reduction of 3 per cent in the key rate on stock insurance. It will save Sonora property onwers two cents on each hundred dollars of insurance.

Plans for raising money for the department were discussed and it was voted to sell soda water at the Camp Allison dance to be given Wednesday night of next week by Alfred Schwiening. George E, Smith, chairman, J. H. Brasher, jr., and Jim Allison, were named as a committee in charge of the work. After thorough discussion, it was also voted to stage a one-act play and entertainment program the latter part of August. Floyd Dungan was named general chairman, with George Baker, W. M. McDonough and Jodie Trainer, Preston Prater,

Edmond Heinze his assistants. "Coon" Holland was elected to

to honorary membership.

Chief Richard Vehle announced

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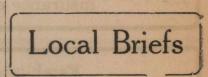
Telephone 24

ican population and many of the American citizens, have received all or part of the series of three shots for typhoid inoculation.

With one case thought to be typhoid by Dr. A. G. Blanton having developed in the last week, a majority of the seventeen Mexicans ill will recover, the county health officer states.

A second death resulted last week-end, that of 10-year-old Ceverina Duran. The lad was buried Sunday.

One other of the sick is in a critical condition, but the balance have passed the crisis and are recovering.



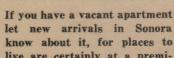
Everett Allison Breaks Shoulder Everett Allison, of the George S. Allison ranch, sustained a broken shoulder as the result of a fall from his horse Sunday. He was brought to town for medical attention.

Man Pays Off for Short Bass An Austin man, Edward Waterston, recently paid a fine and costs, active membership, and E. S. Long, amounting to \$21, for violation of

state game laws. He was caught on the North Llano with an eightinch bass by C. H. Jennings, warden in this county.

Kring to Ship More Horses J. A. Kring, Sonora horse-buyer, will ship two more cars of horses and mules from Sonora Monday of next week. Mr. Kring has been buying off and on through the spring and summer, for shipment to southern farming states.

Four Pay for Station Damage Four young men, giving Canyon as their address, were arrested here Wednesday by Sheriff B. W. Hutcherson and paid \$3.45 damage to a filling station proprietor at Eldorado, where they damaged a gasoline pump and drove away without making settlement.



Floyd Dungan was elected dele-

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They Head Texas 4-H Clubs



When 4-H club farm boys and girls from over Texas met 1,200 strong last week they selected this boy and girl as their leaders. They are Ruby Nordt, Washington county, secretary and Edwin Barnes, Harris county, president. They presided at the 4-H club section of the Texas A. and M. college short course, College Station, her meth last week

With the Churches

Baptist Church Sunday school, 10 a.m. Preaching, 11 and 8.30 each Lord's day.

B. T. S., Sunday, 7:30 p. m. Prayermeeting and choir practice Wednesday, 8:15 p. m.

The Rev. S. W. Miller, of Brownwood, will preach at both morning and evening services on Sunday in the absence of the pastor who is holding a meeting in Millersview. Services will be at 11 and 8:15, respectively.

Z. E. PARKER, Pastor.

Methodist Church Sunday school 9:45. Morning worship 11:00. Evening worship, 8:30. Young People's meeting 6:45. Woman's Missionary Society, 3 p. m. Wednesday. Stewards meet every first Sun-

day. Workers' Council each first Sunday at 2 p. m

E. P. NEAL, Pastor.

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Trickagrama' Used to Combat Borers

Tiny Insects Proved Effective Against Pecan Tree Menace

Uvalde, July 27 .- Tiny insects, much smaller in size than their tongue-twisting name would indicate, are being used in the pecan groves of Texas in a battle against the case-borer, another tiny parasite which penetrates the nut soon house is important, said Smithsonthe edible nut division of the state whites. The tree ring method alrecently making an inspection of in the apartment house style. the pecan groves.

The insect which is being used by the pecan growers in combatting the case-borer is known as the "trickagrama," and was discovered by C. B. Nickels of Brownwood, in charge of the federal entomological station at that place. There are at this time 27 known insects which are enemies of the case-borer, according to Burkett, but thus far the "trickagama" has proved to be the most effective.

Experiments are being conducted and propagation of the insect started so that Texas pecan growers might obtain a supply of the insects for distribution in their orchards, it was declared.

Vicars Called to Virginia

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vicars left Wise, W. Va., in response to a mes-sage stating that Mr. Vicar's Josie McDonald, next friend and guardian of George M McDonald

THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

Arizona Discovery Pushes Dates Back

American History Begins About 790 A. D., Says Latest

Washington, July 22 .-- Columbus will have to look to his laurels, for 1492 no longer is the earliest date in American history. Future schoolboys can start with 790 A. D.

The dated history of the United States was pushed back to the year 790 Thursday with the announcement by the Smithsonian Institute that a house, identified as having been built that year, has been found by an archological expedtiion near the Puerce river in eastern Arizona. This house, built when Charlemagne was growing up to be emperor of the Holy Roman Empire and when the Danes were invading England, will take a lot of guesswork out of America's ancient history. It reveals as definitely as a history book when its builders, the early Pueblo Indians were flourishing in the Southwest.

This was done by comparing the growth rings with the famous tree ring calendar invented by Dr. A. E. Douglas of the University of Arizona. The calendar shows how tree rings have varied in thickness each year for many centuries past. Finding a series of rings in the calendar that matches the rings in a tree, shows when the tree grew. Knowing the date of the old after it forms. In the past 20 years ian archeologists, because it was the borer has been responsible built almost at the beginning of the for at least a 75 per cent loss in the rise of the Pueblo civilization, one pecan crop of Texas, according to of the most remarkable in the new J. H. Burkett of Austin, chief of world before the coming of the department of agriculture, who was ready has been used in dating some in the Uvalde territory several days of the latter Pueblo dwellings built

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the sheriff or any constable of Sutton county-Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to ummon Mrs. George M. (Myrtle) McDonald, by making publication of this citation once in each week, for four consecutive weeks previous to the return date hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, of general circulation which has been regularly published for one year, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Sutton county, to be held at the courthouse thereof in Sonora, Texas, on the first Monday in September 1932, the same being the 5th day of September, 1932, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on February 13th, 1932, in a suit numbered on the docket of hurriedly Wednesday afternoon for said court No. 791, wherein Mrs.



Miss Maxine King, winner of the recent Television contest in ly for radio honors. circles.

Alpine-Work started on 8.3 niles of U.S. Highway No. 90, Bor sidio county line.



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FOR AUDITING

father, A. M. Vicars, was seriously The message was received ill. Wednesday morning, early, and they left from San Angelo in the afternoon.

is plaintiff and Mrs. George M. (Myrtle) McDonald is defendant, said petition alleging that on or about the 12th day of January, 1932, in the state of Oklahoma, one John Walker Coontz, performed a ceremony of marriage for George M. McDonald and one Myrtle Davis (defendant), and thereafter said Coontz issued a marriage certificate certifying to the marriage of the said George M. McDonald and Myrtle Davis (defendant).

guardian of George M. McDonald.

That on the 12th day of January, 1932, for a long time prior thereto and ever since and now, the said George M. McDonald was and is a judicially and legally adjudged incompetent, and was and is insane, that on said date and ever since the said George M. McDonald was incapable of entering into any contract and was incapable of making a valid and legal marriage contract. That the purported marriage aforesaid was and is null and void and of no force nor effect, and the same should be so declared by this court. Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said court, in the town of Sonora, Texas, this the 22nd day of July, A. D. 1932.

J. D. LOWREY, (Seal) Clerk of the District Court of Sutton County, Texas. Issued this the 22nd day of July, A. D. 1932.

J. D. LOWREY, Clerk of the District Court of Sutton County, Texas. 39-4tc

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Camp Allison (Essie Rode, Reporter)

Mrs. W. B. Adams is visiting her son, Sam Adams, and Mrs. Adams in Christoval this week. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hearn of Sonora visited Mr. and Mrs. Burt Rode Saturday.

Mrs. E. E. Bode returned to her home in Ozona Saturday after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Q. Adams.

The Misses Ray and Viola Adams and their sister, Mrs. E. E. Bode, visited in Junction Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Adams and son, Elba, are visiting their son, Ules Adams and Mrs. Adams of Brewster county this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Rode and daughters, the Misses Essie and Bessie, and son, G. T., visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Joy, at Roosevelt Wednesday.

IN MEMORIAM

With deep emotions of the soul, we pay a tribute of loving remem- Lions Hear Report brance to our friend, and member of our order. Sister Alice Wallace who has passed to a higher life.

Resolved, That with loving tenderness, we express our sympathy with the sorrowing husband, and children, and relatives, and deeply life, and her place in our order.

and are called up higher.

resolutions be recorded in the min- Kilman as a new member. utes, one copy to the family, and one furnished for publication.

Fraternally submitted, E. LUCILLE HUTCHERSON, BEUNA H. DAVIS, MARY LEE HULL.

on right-of-way for topping high- iness meetings, and that they domway south from here started re- inated the convention activities. cently.

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Retains Office



JAMES V. ALLRED retained his office of Attorney General of Texas by a big majority in the Democratic Primary July 32.

Gilmore Tells of Los Angeles Trip; 2 Members Received

Sonora Lions heard the highdeplore her absence from the home lights of the recent international convention from their returned del-Resolved further, that we emu- egate, President W. C. Gilmore, at late her virtues, and likewise her the Monday luncheon of the club, tender consideration of one and all held at the Rutledge Cafe. Two until we have filled our life's task, new members were announced, with Dr. A. G. Blanton returning Resolved, that a copy of these as a re-instated Lion, and Dr. J. X. In addition to Gilmore's report, the club heard Capt. H. W. Macdonald describe the festivities which attend the visit of potentates of India to each other's courts. Mr. Gilmore stated that the 225 Texas Lions present were the larg-Andrews-Work of putting rock lest state group attending the bus-

> The Lions Cowboy Band of San Angelo, sent through the efforts of clubs throughout the state, was the hit of the convention, he said. and their work gave this area of Texas much valuable publicity. Guests Monday were: Fred Ear-

wood, G. P. Hill, Tom Bond, all Sonora ranchmen, and Capt. Mac- for county clerk. Love Kimbrough lector, topped the totals of both his donald.

Next Monday's program committee was appointed as follows: J W. Trainer, W. C. Warren and Troy White.

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HOW NEIGHBORING COUNTIES VOTED **IN DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY JULY 23**

county tax assessor. Clarence

Uvalde County

Reagan County

Menard County

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A survey of ballotting for coun- McDonald, 1,106 to 607. Other majty officers in a number of Sutton or county offices were uncontested. county's neighboring counties re- officers being elected as follows: veals the following results:

Schleicher County Herreford; county tax collector, In Schleicher county, which poll- Lyle S. Almond; county clerk, W. ed the largest number of votes A. Hopkins; county treasurer, Auwithin its history, Sheriff O. E. trey Walker; sheriff, M. L. "Bud" Connor had no opposition. H. W. Whistler; county surveyor, W. T. Finley and F. M. Bradley will be Hope. Tom Turk, sr. defeated B. F. in the run-off for county judge. W. Blackwell for constable by a vote N. Ramsay and Lelah Belle Davis of 1,031 to 482. Muller will contest for the office of county clerk. Carroll G. Green and Don McCormick will be in the run- the official family of Uvalde coun-

off for tax assessor. **Kimble County**

Kimble county elected R. R. King primary in August. Incumbents county judge with a vote of 1018 who were defeated for re-election to 429 for J. B. Randolph. Frank include County Judge Green B. Patterson, with 490 votes, will meet Fenley, jr., who was defeated by C. James V. Allred, Wichita Falls, Johnnie Graham, with 542, in the P. Spangler with a vote of 1490 to run-off for sheriff. Ramsey Ran- 1314. H. B. Clayton defeated G. H. dolph, with 640 votes, and U. D. Johnson for sheriff 1445 to 1319. Kindrick, with 468, will meet in the D. S. Suttle defeated E. L. Duncan run-off for county clerk. Joe Bis- for county attorney 1533 to 1227.

sett was unopposed for tax asses- H. H. Carmichael won the county sor, as was Mrs. Annie Highsmith clerk's office over W. E. Watson by on Big Convention for county treasurer. Mrs. Kather- a vote of 1510 to 1201. W. T. Shurine Stephenson, with 125 votes, de- ley was elected tax collector with feated J. B. Stevenson, with 76 1841 votes to 974 for M. E. Piper

votes, for county attorney. **Crocket tCounty**

In Crockett county Charles E. Roberts county attorney over T. E. Davidson was unopposed for coun-Cooper, 654 to 313. J. Wiley Tayty judge. George Russell swamped lor was uncontested for county E. B. Baggett, jr. for the office of judge. A. W. Billingsley, with 491 county and district clerk with a votes, will be in the run-off for vote of 529 to 118. W. S. Willis sheriff and tax collector with J. E. was unopposed for sheriff and tax collector. O. W. Smith, incumbent, led his three opponents in the race and district clerk with a vote of for the office of tax assessor, but 713 to 310. F. M. Pistole, with 505 fell 95 votes short of a clear majority. Mr. Smith polled a total of 278 votes, and Dave Kiker, with 269, will be in the run-off for tax asses votes to 196 for W. M. Johnigan, sor, a race in which there were his nearest opponent, with whom he will contest in the run-off Aug. 27. Norma Irby, with 505 votes, will be Tom Casbeer was unopposed for county treasurer. N. W. Graham, with Mrs. J. A. Forehand, who had and Tax Collector. Duties of the Smith, with 16, for county attorney. 461 votes. **McCulloch County**

The incumbents in the sheriff's, In McCulloch county C. L. Gault and Evans J. Adkins ran a close tax assessor's, district and county race for county judge, with 852 clerk's and precinct 3 commissionand 829 votes, respecitvely, and will er's races won majorities in the be in the run-off. A. R. Pool, with primary election Saturday and 1634 votes, defeated Aubrey Davee, were thus returned to office in Mewith 1194, for county attorney. nard county for another two years. George C. Parker was unopposed Cecil Walston, sheriff and tax col-

was re-elected sheriff with a vote opponents with 928 to 414 for W. of 1825, defeating E. U. Wade, with J. Noguess and 113 for W. B. 771 votes, and D. L. West, with Thorn. John Lewis had 829 in the

346. J. C. Moffatt was unopposed tax assessor's contest as against for tax collector. W. W. Walker, 380 for F. L. (Lamar) Sieker and with 1071 votes, and C. D. Allen, 225 for Lamar Wilkinson. Miss with 934, will be in the run-off for Nettie Roeck had the largest vote

tax assessor. Mrs. W. A. Russell polled by any one candidate, 1,149, defeated her opponent, Mrs. Gus while Gladys Mathew polled 297 Herberg, by 449 votes, receiving a in the race for district and county total of 1672, in the race for county clerk. Elsie Dietz had the top-

Band Contest Head



Col. Earl D. Irons, bandmaster at North Texas A. and M. college, Arlington, who will be in charge of a band contest held in connection with the State Fair of The first prize is \$1,000 Texas. and the contest is open to any non-professional band in the state.

FROM ELECTRICITY TAX

Nine Sonora institutions are ex- tion "A" batters started pounding Reagan county elected Fowler

Ranch Experiment Station, Inter- teams follows: state Public Service company, San Station "A"_ Angelo Telephone company, The Hudson, ss Panhandle & Santa Fe railway, the Ard, c Carroll, who polled 475 votes. H. L. Texas Highway department, the Ohlenburg, 3b Puckett defeated J. Wier for county Sonora Bakery and The Devil's Riv- Gardner, p er News.

> Braly, lf TO THE VOTERS OF SUTTON COUNTY Clark, 2b

I want to express my thanks to originally four candidates. Mrs. the voters of Sutton county for the vote given me in the Democratic office will likely prevent my seeing playmates of Station "B." everyone before the run-off on August 27, and I want to take this means of requesting your aid and support in the second race.

I have made every effort to fill the office efficiently, and if reelected shall expect to continue doing so. Your support and vote will be sincerely appreciated.

Yours very truly B. W. HUTCHERSON. (Political Adv.)

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STATION "B"

George Ard, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brady with their little daughter, Charlene, and son, James, Misses Esther Teal and Nona Fay Henson, motored to Big Lake Saturday to witness a ball game between the Humble teams of Station "A" and Big Lake.

Miss Paulene McAlphin returned to her home in Stephenville Monday after a two weeks' stay with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Barnard.

W. P. McConnell, jr., will join his wife in Sonora Tuesday who has been with her mother, Mrs. Josie McDonald, for the past few days. They will motor to Del Rio Wednesday where Mrs. McDonald will

take the train for California. Mr. and Mrs. McConnell will then take 14 days vacation while in charge of the Hotel McDonald.

The Humble teams of Stations A" and Big Lake played a closely contested game Saturday on the Big Lake diamond. The score was tied until the fifth when the Sta-

empt from the tax of three per the pitching arm of Big Lake's cent recently placed on electric cur- pitcher, Branch. "Goat" Gardner rent by the federal government. of Station "B" hurled a good game Firms engaged in manufacturing, for the "A" boys, allowing very or industrial pursuits, and local few hits and getting 12 strike-outs. government projects, are exempt. The final score resulted in a victory The nine local organizations are: for Station "A" by a margin of 12

City of Sonora, Sutton county, to 5. The line-up for the two

Big Lake R. Branch, ss Cudney, 2b Bishop, 1b B. Glasscock, c Clement, 1b Mauk. cf Crowell, 3b Brady, rf Caraway, cf I. Glasscock, lf

E. Branch, p Partin, rf James, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brady, celebrated his sixth primary for re-election as Sheriff birthday Monday afternoon with a party attended by all his little

> Mrs. Baker, of Junction, entertained Wednesday afternoon with a surprise party for her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Davis, of the Station, on the occasion of Mrs. Davis' birthday.

> > New Baby to Walls

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jefferson Wall are the parents of a daughter, Perline, born Friday afternoon of last week at 3:30 o'clock.



Three changes will be made in ty and another office will not be finally decided until the run-off

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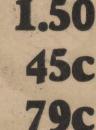
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Val Verde County

treasurer to 381 for Mrs. C. G. Aside from the district judge's Maddox. Joe P. Flack won the race, office holders were victori- county attorney's office with 757 ous in Val Verde county. County to 676 for Perry Hartgraves. Bud Judge Roger Thurmond defeated Burrier, with 506 votes, and Thom-Lloyd Stanley 1,391 to 518, with as Glimp, jr., with 364, will be in Judge Thurmond carrying every the run-off for county judge, in . box in the county. County Attorney race in which there were originally W. P. Wallace, jr. defeated W. G. four candidates.

Federal Waterfowl Rules Liberal Now

Shooting Season Made Longer: November 1 to December 31

Washington, July 31 .- Federal waterfowl regulations for 1932 provide a shooting season for two months beginning in this portion of Texas on November 1 and lasting until December 31.

The American Game Association, listing the regulations from the sportsman's viewpoint, gave the following as the more liberal of the new regulations:

1. A season of two months. 2. An open season on Eider

ducks, with bag limit of five as part of the duck bag limit of 15. 3. Opened season on Band-tailed

pigeons for two weeks in Washington, Oregon, California, Ariz. and New Mexico, with daily bag limit and possession limit of 10.

4. Elimination of live goose decoy limitations except in California.

As further restrictions the association listed:

1. Continuance of duck bag limit often with not more than 10 in the aggregate of Canvass backs, Redheads, greater or lesser Bluebills, Ringnecks, Blue wing and Cinnamon Teal, Gadwalls and Shovelers, and not more than five Eider ducks.

Season closed on Ruddy duck and Baffleheads.

3. Dove limit reduced from 25 to 18.

4. Live decoy ducks limited to 25.

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and every one of you who voted for me.

To those who did not vote for me in the first primary, I humbly ask due consideration of the efficient and economical administration of the County affairs, and of the progress made since I have been honored to be your County Judge.

I shall endeavor to personally interview each of you between now and the run-off election, but if I should fail, through the shortness of the time and the press of my official duties, I ask you to consider this a personal request for your support.



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STUDY PROPOSED AMENDMENTS Beginning with this issue, there will appear four times in The News, the nine proposed amendments to the Texas constitution as formulated by the last session of the Texas legislature.

In order to get a definite cross-section of public opinion in the matter, all voters should study and understand the nature of the amendments, as well as their consequences. A special appropriation of thousands of dollars was required to pay for publication of the amendments, in order that the voters might be thoroughly informed of their nature. They will be published in every county in Texas in which is a legal publication, which is defined as a newspaper which has been in regular and continuous publication for one year or longer.

Beginning next week, The News will devote editorial space to discussion of one or more of the amendments as time and space permit. This is being done in an effort to help News readers interpret the amendments, and formulate an opinion as to their :nerit.

Before the last publication ends (final issue in August) clip a copy of the amendments and file it for study and reference before time of the election.

35 YEARS AGO

The Devil's River News for January 29, 1898, carried a story of the first killing in Marathon, Texas, which ran, partially, as follows:

"The town of Marathon, 30 miles east of Alpine, has had her first killing. It occurred Tuesday night about 11 o'clock and a sensational, sad affair it was. The participants were Baylor Walton and John H. Lemons. Lemons is dead and Walton is out on bond awaiting the convening of district court.

"The particulars are about as follows, but complete evidence and details will be given later and the Avelanche only wants to state the facts as we have learned them, suffice to say the affair is a most sad one and regretted by all concerned. "Mr. Lemons was of the firm of Matthews & Lemons, saloon men. and dealing monte in his house. He had a small game and a few men were betting at him, Baylor Walton being one of the number. Some trouble arose between dealer and players as to the limit allowed, Lemons became angry and used some hard words which Walton resented by drawing his pistol and. during his speech, saw his old telling Lemons not to talk that way "The saloon in which the trouble

> occurred is small, with two monte tables, billiard table and bar all in one room and there was quite a crowd of white men and Mexicans in the place at the time. Friends interferred and Walton had stepped back a few feet and the trouble seemed to have quieted when Bohmer Nixon, a nephew of Lemons, stepped behind the bar and got a pistol and handed it to the latter. Both men fired simultaneously and Walton's first shot struck Lemons in the left breast and another struck him in the calf of the leg. The wounded man fell at the first shot and in falling emptied his pistol at Walton, the bullets striking the ceiling and Walton was unhurt. Walton fired five shots.

"Lemons expired immediately. "The rangers were sent for and Walton surrendered to them."

The story, taken from the Alpine Avalanche, is interesting both for its picture of the times, and for the contrast of its style of writing with the writing of similar stories today. "O. T. Word of Sonora, Texas," said an announcement. "desires to Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kincaid were contract with responsible white crew of men to shear 16000 sheep, Spring, 1898. Shearers to tie each fleece separate as shorn, and said wool to be sacked in good marketable condition."

The San Angelo Standard stated:



Oil Fire That Burned 120 Hours

This well burned 120 hours in the Etex field before Patton oil well fire fighters extinguished it. The well is the Steen Drilling company's Loden No. 1, in Upshur county, 10 miles from Longview. It took 87 men to extinguish the well. More than \$100,000 in oil was destroyed

along as well as could be expected. San Angelo was in Sonora Tuesday W. A. Stewart has finished Mrs. on his way to Whitehead ranch to Wishart's new residence. look at some steers.

Pat Cooper left for Artesia, N.

Mrs. Walker Jennings and baby

La., spent the first part of the week

in-law, C. H. Jennings, and Mrs.

Jennings. She left Wednesday for a

Survey being made on curves and

turns on newly designated strip of

Rochester - Postoffice building

Electra - Municipal swimming

visit in Hagerman, N. M.

being improved.

One of the best dances of the season was held on last Friday night at Geo. H. McDonald's new M., on a business trip Tuesday. store adjoining the Commercial Hotel.

daughter, Erma Jane, of Crowley, Viv Crump the painter left on Monday for R. A. Williamson's in Sonora as guests of her brotherranch where he has the contract to paint Mr. Williamson's new house. H. Sharp has moved to the Duke place in West Sonora.

Dr. Dodson is residing at the Jones house and has an office at the drug store. road between Sabinal and Cooncan. Lum Adams has moved to town

and is residing in the Ogden house. Miss Emma Wyatt was in Sonora

several days this week visiting friends. M. Z. Missen the stockman from pool reopened.



Stomach and Tape Worm

City Evaluations— **OLD TIMERS MARK SITE OF LINCOLN COUNTY CATTLE WAR AT REUNION** (Continued from page 5)

George Coe, buddy of Billy the

The markers were placed on the

graves of Dick Brewer and Buck-

shot Roberts and at the spot of the

Coe defended the Lincoln coun-

ty settlers for forming the group

headed by Billy the Kid. He said

settlers were driven to desperation

battle.

on a survey by George G. Enrenborg, Dallas engineer. The total was made up as follows: Residence and Jocal business Real 652.285.00 216,035.00 Personal Utilities and historical fight started. Corporations Real and personal 161,683.45 persons from El Paso, Roswell, Sil-Mexican ver City, Tularosa and Alamogordo 26.960.00 Real and from mountain sections at-Personal 1,585.00 tended. Non-residence 60,744.00 ownership Kid told of the fight at the Blazer mill. Coe is the only survivor of Total 1,119,402.45 that battle, the first of the Lincoln county war.

Cattle-

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to Crawfordsville, Ark., another to Midland, Va., and another to Fort Worth.

Joe Vander Stucken shipped a and he related injustices he said he car of cattle to Fort Worth Monday suffered, which caused him to join and J. A. Martin and Son sent a the war. He said he resented the car to the same destination Wed- Burns book calling them outlaws nesday.

in describing the mill fight. "They Charlie Bratton of Brady, work- were the finest citizens there, the ing through Alvin Neal of San An- same as in that section today," he gelo, bought four cars of yearling said. and two-year-old steers in Edwards A. N. Blazer, 13 years old at the and Sutton counties, paying a re- time of the fight, was an eye witported price of about four cents for ness. He told of his recollections. the majority of the stock. This He said his father located the mill here from Ozona Wednesday aftershipment was slated to go to there in the early 60's, furnishing noon. Brady this week-end. The steers were bought from Bill Mittel and J. W. Trainer, Sonora, and from the following Edwards county growers: T. Brown, Tom Hender-

Artesia, N. M., July 15 .- History 'lumber for building of Old El Paso was recounted and spread across and Mesilla. the records Sunday at the Blazer Coe and Blazer had not met for homestead near Mescalero as mark-34 years.

It was a touching scene as Coe. ers were placed on the graves of participants in the famous Lincoln neighbor, A. J. Gilmore, arrive to him, etc. county cattle war. A marker also form Tularosa. The Gilmores setwas placed at the point where the tled on the Ruidoso in the early eighties .- Pecos Enterprise. Nearly 100 automobile loads of

> A STATEMENT TO SUTTON COUNTY CITIZENS

The Sonora Lions Club has in the past and will in the future adhere to the unwavering policy of the international organization regarding controversial matters of religious or political nature. Individual members are free to do as they wish.

The Lions Club is solely a service organization. doing all that it can for the greatest benefit of the community. Its nature definitely prohibits any activity in politics, state, national or local, or in any question of religion. It is an organization in which men are accepted at their own value, regardless of political or religious affiliation. Yours to serve.

THE SONORA LIONS CLUB, W. C. Gilmore, President, W. E. James, Secretary.

Where Nitro Explosion Killed Two

son, John Guthrie, F. D. Sweeten, Raymond Earwood, Worth Evans.

Hilary Phillips shipped a double car of lambs to the Fort Worth market to arrive the first of last week, as did Shurley & Johnson. Roy Hudspeth shipped a double to Fort Worth last Thursday. W. E. Glasscock shipped three doubles of fine lambs to Kansas City the same day.

Saturday Theo Savell sent two cars of lambs to Fort Worth.

Tuesday Sol Mayer & Son shipped 2 cars of lambs to Fort Worth and one car to Cklahoma City.

PERSONALS

Joe Bradford, Del Rio ranchman, and a former resident of Sutton county, was a business visitor here this week.

Mrs. M. E. Holland, Junction, is wisiting her daughters, Mrs. T. R. Driskell and Mrs. V. F. Hamilton in Sonora. She was accompanied for the visit by her granddaughter, Miss Era Turbiville.

Jim Shelton, of Fort Worth, was in Sonora this week a guest in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Bert Richards, who with Mr. Richards and their little daughter resides in the Savell apartment.

Mrs. Arthur Stuart and Mrs. George Brockman went to San Angelo Tuesday. Mrs. Brockman, whose home is there, has been visiting friends and relatives here, and was to return with Mrs. Stuart this week

Miss Marie Huling and her friend, Edgar Walker, Blair, Oklahoma, left Monday night follwing a visit of several days with Miss Huling's brother, J. M. Huling, and Mrs. Huling.

Mrs. Jack Turner, who has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. W. L. Davis and Mrs. John Eaton, here, and Miss Nancifred Duderstadt left Saturday for their homes in Junction, being accompanied halfway by Mr. and Mrs. Eaton, and met by Mr. Turner.



Here is the place where a building housing nitro-glycerin stood before the explosion last week which took two lives. Those dead are Louis and Pat Kent, prominent Electra, Texas, youths, and the wreckage of their sport roadster is shown in the foreground. In back of the roadster is the gaping hole left when the blast obliterated the building. The cause is not known.

Trench Silo Is Inexpensive Method

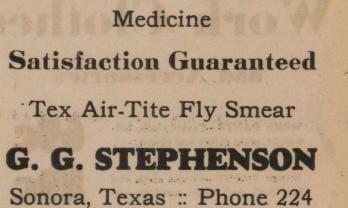


Here is A. D. Kaiser, DeWitt county farmer, who is shown dig-ging a trench silo on his farm in Lone Tree community. Kaiser has found this method cheapest in storing his red top cane. The silo, when completed, will be 10 feet wide, 10 feet deep, 110 feet long, and will hold 80 tons of cane. The walls will be plastered and the top will be dirt in crown form to shed water. Seventeen of these silos are being built in DeWitt county this year, after two proved successful last year, according to I. A. Oswalt, county agent.

'The Standard has been informed that action may be taken against the saloon and billiard hall people to enforce the minor law passed by the last legislature."

Local items follow:

While Ike Richards and a Mexican were working on a windmill at the Tobe O'Neal ranch on Tuesday morning last, the wheel fell off and struck Richards on the head and knee but did not hurt him very much. The Mexican however was seriously hurt. Dr. Colson and Sam Anderson went out to the ranch and report the Mexican getting





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Mrs. George Baker, Editor

SOCIETY

Mrs. Awalt Honors Two Recent Brides Thursday Afternoon

In compliment to Mrs. Earl B. Lomax and Mrs. Edmond Heinze, brides of the summer, Mrs. A. W. Awalt entertained at her home Thursday afternoon of last week with three tables of bridge, at which high score went to Mrs. J. D. Westbrook and low to Miss Au- Sonora Group Part drey Rankhorn.

with attractive vanity sets as guest favors and Mrs. Westbrook and Party at Opp Ranch Miss Ranhorn each presented their prize, a pretty sugar and cream set, to one of the brides.

Refreshments of cantaloupe a la mode were served to Mesdames Westbrook, Joe Hull, R. C. Vicars, Ira Shurley. C. H. Jennings, Earl Duncan, Gladys Kothmann, and the honorees, and the Misses Rankhorn, Merle Grace Choate, of Big Spring, and Bonnie Glasscock.

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Mrs. Evans in San Antonio Mrs. Mary Evans, who has been ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. E. Johnson, was taken to San Antonio by her mother, Mrs. A. J. Smith, and Mrs. Johnson on Friday, and put under the care of doctors in a sanitarium there. Mrs. Johnson returned during the weekend, and Mrs. Smith, who returned this week, had no change in Mrs. Evan's condition to report at this time!

WHEN IN Lubbock Plainview El Paso~ SanAngelo Abilene • Stop at

Here is a strange stone figure unearthed in the petrified forest near Roma, Starr of in the Lower Rio Grande valley. The find was made by E. A. Brown, whose Mexican workmen saw the toes of the figure protruding from an old river bank. It is five feet four inches high, weighs 25% pounds, and because of its exactness, it is believed to be a petrified woman. Brown is now enrout with his discovery to Smithsonian Institute, Washington, where scientists will bore into the back o the figure to determine whether it is a human turned to stone, or a statue.

Hamby.

and Mrs. T. D. White.

her ranch home.

Mrs. J. W. Trainer.

Thursday, Aug. 11

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ford will teach home economics in

the high school and art, writing

and English in the grammar

grades. Miss Langford has a Bach-

elor of Science degree from the

State College for Women (C. I. A.),

and has had extensive and varied

The honorees were presented Of Charming House

The Misses Babe White and Harva Jones, and Messrs. Hillman

Brown, Jack Pfiester, and Woodrow Norris enjoyed a delightful house party at the H. B. Opp home, near Menard, Saturday and Sunday, when over twenty young people, several from San Antonio, and one young lady from Missouri, were guests from Saturday afternoon till Sunday evening.

A delicious supper was served at the ranch house Saturday evening, and the party attended a dance at Menard hotel that night. Returning from the dance, they found a delectable Dutch breakfast awaiting them.

Sunday was spent on the river, Facultywhere Mrs. Opp had prepared a sumptuous barbecue dinner. Swimming, fishing, and boating were enjoyed.

The party returned Sunday night, been teaching at Hutto. Miss Lang-

Mrs. D. L. Locklin Has Two-Bit Club Saturday Afternoon

Mrs. D. L. Locklin entertained the Two-Bit Club Saturday afternoon, when two tables of members and guests participated. High club score went to Mrs. C. five and a half years, and has been

W. Trainer and low to Mrs. George a counselor in handicraft to Girl D. Chalk. Mrs. W. R. Barnes re- Scouts of Grayson county. ceived high guest.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served to Mesdames Arthur ing geography and history. Carrol, Joe Hull, Trainer, Chalk, and Miss Muriel Simmons, mem- teacher in the primary department, bers; and Mesdames Barnes and comes from Jacksonville. She will Rose Thorp, guests.

Mrs. John Eaton **Sponsors** Picnic Social Calendar For House Guest

Friday, Aug. 5 QUEEN OF CLUBS night party, at 8:30 p. m. with Mrs. Johnie

of young people for a swim and picnic at the ranch of her brotherin-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. UST-US CONTRACT, husbands' night, at 8:30 p. m. with Mr.

Monday, Aug. 8 of Junction. CONTRACT CLUB at 3 p. m. with Mrs. Will Wilkinson. Tuesday, Aug. 9

melon and iced tea. MERRIMAKERS' CLUB at 4 p. m. Those in the party were Mrs. E. with Mrs. J. A. Cauthorn at E. Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Eaton, the Misses Alice Sawyer, Mary Louise Gardner, Stella Archer, Era STIME CLUB at 3 p. m. with Turbiville, Ches Thorp, Nina Roueche, and the honoree; and Dayton Stockton, James Ed Hutcherson, Troy White, Jr., G. W. Archer,

and V J. Glasscock. On their return to town, the young people enjoyed dancing and candy-making at the Sawyer home. Texas, will teach English. She has

> **Baptismal Service** Held for 11 Sunday

The Rev. Z. E. Parker Conducts Ceremony at Meckel Ranch

experience in teaching and as a die-A baptismal service for 11 pertitician. She has been teaching in sons who professed faith during the Denton. She has studied art for recent Baptist revival meeting was conducted at the Ben F. Meckel ranch tank Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, with the Rev. Z. E. Parker Miss Vivian Ball returns as prinofficiating. cipal of the grammar school, teach-

Those received for baptism were McKee, and J. K. Lancaster; Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Turney, Miss Mora Lee Meckel; and Alfred Cooper, George Barrow, Otis Murray, La-

O. H. Wright Weds Miss Bernice Kemp

Ceremony Performed in Stamford: Couple Will Live on Ranch

Oscar H. Wright, Sutton county with their daughter, Mrs. J. A. ranchman, was married to Miss Cauthorn. Bernice Kemp, Stamford, Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cooper and afternoon at 6 c'clock by the Rev. daughter, Miss Lois, of Fort Worth, W. G. Feltcher, pastor of the St. were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. John's Methodist church of that Bert Richards this week.

McCulloch county, has lived in several days in Ozona visiting Mrs. Sutton county for about 12 years. Thorp's sister, Mrs. Pat Lee. Mr. and Mrs. Wright will make Miss Ada Word left Monday for their home on the S. E. McKnight Rocksprings where she will attend ranch, where Mr. Wright has been the anual convention of the Texas living.

McGhees Return from Trip

Mrs. John Eaton took a group week's trip to Galveston.

Visits Mrs. Jack Earhart has visited here before, arrived Fri- San Angelo. day from San Angelo and spent the

Son Born to Drennans

Saturday morning at 4 o'clock to Mrs. Tom White and her brother, 7½ pounds.

17 Present at W. M. S.

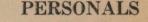
The study course was continued.

Homer Mansfields Have Son Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mansfield.

ranch, announce the birth of a son Saturday, July 30, at Kerrville. The boy weighs nine pounds, according to a letter received by Mrs. J. D. Lowrey.

Mrs. McDonald to California Mrs. Josie McDonald left Wednes day night from Del Rio for Los Angeles, where she will spend a two-week vacation with her sister, Mrs. Otis Mitchell. Mrs. McDonald's daughter, Mrs. W. P. McCon-Mesdames Henry Diebitsch, Frank nell, jr., and Mr. McConnell, of Humble Station B, are spending their vacation here, looking after the Hotel McDonald while Mrs. Mc-Donald is away.

'Phone your news items to 24.



Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Earwood, of Del Rio, are spending the week-end

Mrs. Tom Thorp and children and Mr. Wright, a former resident of Miss Pearl Farris, are spending

Angora Goat Raisers' association. Mrs. Horace Rees and sons of Big Lake spent part of last week Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McGhee, and in Sonora visiting her sisters, Mrs.

family, returned Friday from a V. F. Hamilton and Mrs. T. R. Driskell. Miss Ila Faye Weaver, of Eden,

arrived Thursday afternoon ot visit Mrs. Paul Smith, formerly of So- Mrs. Z. E. Parker and family. Manora, and Mrs. Floyd Carlton, who rion and Herman Parker met her in

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rees returnweek-end with Mrs. Jack Earhart. ed Monday from a fishing trip to the Medina Lake, visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Chipman, in Jack Russell Drennan was born Bandera, while away.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Drennan of So- Lupe Sanford, returned Tuesday nora. The fine new boy weighed from Houston accompanied by their father, L. I. Sanford, of Ganado, who is visiting the Whites here.

Mrs. Julia McDonald and Mrs. The Woman Missionary Society W. D. Richardson and son, Dwight, of the Methodist church met Wed- all of Kerrville, are visiting in Sonesday, afternoon at the church nora this week, guests of the ladies' with an attendance of 17 present. brother, Robert Rees, and family. Mrs. W. C. Warren left Saturday

for Brinkman, Oklahoma, for a week's visit with her parents. Mr. Warren drove her to San Angelo of the J. T. Sellman Sutton county Saturday afternoon to catch her train.



L. Davis, Wednesday evening of last week, honoring her house guest, Miss Nancifred Duderstadt, The girls took sandwiches and Mr. and Mrs. Eaton served water-

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Mrs. Vander Stucken Hostess The Contract Club met with Mrs. George H. Neill, and Will Wilkinson, with the hostess, made up a table. Mrs. Vander Stucken received

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teach the third grade, and direct public school music in the grammar school, as well.

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Miss Loula Belle Caldwell will E. F. Vander Stucken Monday af- continue to teach the second grade ternoon. Mesdames Clara Murphy, and Miss Lucille DuBois the first. Robert Rees continues as super-

visor of grounds and buildings. Special teachers working through the school will include:

Mrs. M. O. Britt, kindergarten; Mrs. E. A. Bode, art.

fourth teacher will be secured if needed.

Miss Jewell Martin is principal can Springs school.

Driskells Have Outing Sunday Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Driskell and son, Claud Thomas, drove to Fort McKavett Sunday and there met Mrs. Driskell's sister, Mrs. M. C. Treadwell, and her family, of Menard, for an outing on the San Saba river. Claud Thomas accompanied Mrs. Treadwell home for a visit, while his cousin, Miss Linda Treadwell returned to Sonora with Mr. and Mrs. Driskell for the week.

Aged Couple Has Wreck

Dan McKay, 75, and his wife, 72, of Houston, ran off the road in their car and turned over while Melvin where they had a successful rounding a curve on the Ozona road just west of Sonora Thrrsday of last week. Mrs. McKay received bruises, but neither was seriously hurt. Mrs. Rena Trainer took the travelers in, and they remained at her home over the week-end, going on to Del Rio Monday.

Edythe Babcock Breaks Arm Little Miss Edythe Mae Babcock, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. O. G. Babcock, broke her arm Sunday night when she fell while playing. It is thought that the arm will mend without difficulty.

velle Meckel, and Reginald Trainer.

Including a number of additions by letter over twenty persons were received into the church during the meeting.

Trainer Shop Has New Operator Miss Grace Draper, who worked here for 18 months in the Trainer 'Phone your news items to 24. Miss Marie Watkins, piano and Beauty Shop some time ago, is revoice; Henri Rogers, wind and turning next week to resume her string instruments and orchestra; position with Miss Trainer. Miss Mrs. A. L. Smith, expression and Draper has been operating a beauty shop in Dallas for a year and a Miss Bonnie Glasscock continues | half. Miss La Vena Wilson, who has as principal of the Mexican school, been assisting Miss Trainer for with Miss Jamie Gardner and Mrs. several weeks, left Tuesday for Kil-Roy Grimland as her assistants. A gore, where she formerly worked.

Party Visits in Odessa

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jennings and of the Owensville school, and Miss Mrs. Gordon Stewart left Wednes-Zadies McAngus will teach the Pe- day for Odessa, where Mr. and Mrs. Jennings were to visit friends made during a former residence there and Mrs. Stewart will remain for a visit of several days with her sister, Mrs. Ewell McKnight. Mr. Jennings had busines occasioning the trip.

> Visiting Miss Dorothy Baker Dr. R. T. Dickinson, assistant at the Dallas and Fort Worth Veterinary-Medical Hospital, at Dallas, arrived Tuesday morning and will spend the remainder of the week as the guest of Miss Dorothy Baker.

Neals Back from Meeting The Rev. E. P. and Mrs. Neal and family returned Monday from revival meeting and training school.

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H. J. R. No. 1

PROPOSING A CONSTITUTION AL AMENDMENT TO BE VOT-ED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932. Be it resolved by the Legislature of hereby authorized upon a vote of county or defined subdivision there- Fund.'

the State of Texas: Section 1. That Section 1 of Ar- dent property taxpayers voting therein, except delinquent taxes State of Texas be amended so as such purpose to levy and collect of at least ten years." to read as follows:

to vote in this State, to-wit:

(21) years of age.

Second: Idiots and lunatics.

any county.

seaman, employed in the service of per cent (2pc) as a sinking fund; the Army or Navy of the United and the condemnation of the right States. Provided that this restric- of way for the erection of such tion shall not apply to officers of works shall be fully provided for." the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United ted to a vote of the qualified elec-States, nor to enlisted men of the tors of this State at an election to National Guard, the National Guard be held on the 8th day of Novem-Reserve, and the Organized Re- ber, A. D. 1932. serves of the United States, nor to retired officers of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine PROPOSING A CONSTITUTION. Corps.'

Sec. 2. That Section 33 of Article 16, of the Constitution of the Be it resolved by the Legislature of State of Texas, be amended so as to read as follows:

draw nor pay a warrant upon the read as follows: Treasury in favor of any person, office or position of honor, trust or by law shall be exempt from all profit, under this State or the taxation for State purposes; nothas, the National Guard Reserve, the able within such counties and po-Officers Reserve Corps of the litical subdivisions.

United States, nor to enlisted men | Sec. 2. The foregoing Constituof the National Guard, the National tional Amendment shall be submit- ment of the amount of money paid Corps, and retired warrant offi- day in November, 1932. cers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps."

Sec. 3. That Section 40 of Article 16, of the Constitution of the to read as follows:

"Section 40. No person shall hold or exercise at the same time, Be it resolved by the Legislature of more than one Civil Office of emolument, except that of Justice of Peace, County Commissioner, No-

hereafter read as follows:

such tax for construction of sea Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitu- tion to be held throughout the State

First: Persons under twenty-one may create a debt for such works Amendments at the General Elecand issue bonds in evidence thereto. tion in 1932.

But no debt for any purpose shall) Third: All paupers supported by ever be incurred in any manner by any city or county unless provision Fourth: All persons convicted of is made, at the time of creating the

any felony, subject to such excep- same, for levying and collecting a tions as the Legislature may make. sufficient tax to pay the interest PROPOSING A CONSTITUTION Fifth: All soldiers, marines and thereon and provide at least two Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submit-

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 6

AL AMENDMENT TO BE VOT-

ED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932. the State of Texas:

for salary or compensation as Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) of the record of the purchaser's Deed dence." agent, officer or appointee, who assessed taxable value of all resi- have the right to redeem the land holds at the same time any other dence homesteads as now defined on the following basis: in this Constitution. Provided, that counties or other political subdi- for the land, including One (\$1.00) 1932. this restriction as to the drawing visions now receiving any remission Dollar Tax Deed Recording Fee and paying of warrants upon the of State taxes, but upon the expir- and all taxes, penalties, interest Treasury shall not apply to offi- ation of such period of remission and costs paid plus not exceeding cers of the National Guard of Tex- this Section shall become applica- twenty-five (25pc) per cent of the

Guard Reserve, and the Organized ted to a vote of the qualified elec-Reserves of the United States, nor tors of this State at an election to Dollar Tax Deed Recording Fee to retired officers of the United be held throughout the State on the and all taxes, penalties, interest States Army, Navy, and Marine first Tuesday after the first Mon- and costs paid plus not exceeding of the State of Texas, Article 16,

(A correct copy.) JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 21

ED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932. A. D. 1932.

the State of Texas: Section 1. That Section 14 of Arle 8 of the Constitution of

leasing or extinguishing, in whole 11, 1858, entitled, 'An Act to estab-"Article 11, Section 7. All coun- or in part, the indebtedness, liabil- lish the University of Texas,' shall ties and cities bordering on the ity or obligation of any corporation not be included in, or constitute a coast of the Gulf of Mexico are or individual, to this State or to any part of, the Permanent University

Sec. 2. Said proposed amendment a two-thirds majority of the resi- of, or other municipal corporation shall be voted on by the electors of ticle 6 of the Constitution of the thereon at an election called for which have been due for a period this State qualified to vote on Constitutional amendments at an elec-

"Section 1. The following class- walls, breakwaters, or sanitary tional Amendment shall be submit- on the first Tuesday after the first es of persons shall not be allowed purposes, as may now or may here- ted to the electors of this State Monday in November, 1932. after be authorized by law, and qualified to vote on Constitutional

(A correct copy.) JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 24

AL AMENDMENT TO BE VOT-

ED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932. Be it resolved by the Legislature of be amended by adding thereto Secthe State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 13 of Arcicle 8 of the Constitution of Texas by any county, or any number of be amended so as to hereafter read counties, or any political sub-divias follows:

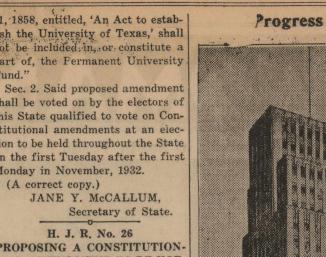
by the first Legislature for the fined district now or hereafter to be speedy sale, without the necessity described and defined within the of a suit in Court, of a sufficient State and which may or may not portion of all lands and other prop- include towns, villages or municipal erty for the taxes due thereon, and corporations, or any city, town or every year thereafter for the sale village, for the purpose of issuing in like manner of all lands and oth- bonds or otherwise lending credit, er property upon which the taxes or expending money or assuming have not been paid; and the deed of any debt, only qualified electors conveyance to the purchaser for all who own taxable property in the lands and other property thus sold State, county, political sub-division, shall be held to vest a good and district, city, town or village Section 1. That Section 1-a be perfect title in the purchaser there- where such election is held, and "Section 33. The Accounting Of- added to Article VIII of the Con- of, subject to be impeached only who have duly rendered the same ficers of this State shall neither stitution of the State of Texas to for actual fraud; provided, that the for taxation, shall be qualified to former owner shall within two vote and all electors shall vote in World Traveler Leaves Tuesday for Article VIII-Section 1-a: Three years from date of the filing for the election precinct of their resi-

redemption period upon the payaggregate total;

(2) Within the last year of the redemption period upon the payfor the land, including One (\$1.00) fifty (50pc) per cent of the aggregate total."

Sec. 2. That the foregoing Con- shall read as follows: stitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified tion of the State of Texas be so electors of this State at an election amended as to authorize a Texas State of Texas be amended so as PROPOSING A CONSTITUTION. to be held on the first Tuesday af- Centennial, commemorating the he-AL AMENDMENT TO BE VOT- ter the first Monday in November, roic period of early Texas history, (A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.



PROPOSING A CONSTITUTION. AL AMENDMENT TO BE VOT-ED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas tion 3a, which shall read as follows: "Sec. 3a. When an election is held sion of the State, or any political "Sec. 13. Provision shall be made sub-division of a county, or any de-

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submit-State on the first Tuesday after

(A correct copy.) JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

S. J. R. No. 28 **PROPOSING A CONSTITUTION-**

AL AMENDMENT TO BE VOT-ED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the Constitution be amended by adding thereto another Section, Section 60, which

"Section 60. That the Constituand celebrating a century of our independence and progress, to be held at such times, places and in such manner as may be designated by the Legislature of Texas.

Hill Country Group in Quarterly Meeting, Junction, Saturday The First National of Sonora was represented by a number of its employees at the quarterly meeting of the Hill Country Bankers' Association in Junction Saturday afternoon and night. In an election of officers for the ensuing year Jack Neill, cashier of the local bank, was chosen secretary-treasurer of the association. C. L. Hufstedler, vice-president of the First National Bank of Rocksprings, is the new president, and A. W. Moursund, cashier of the Johnson City State Bank, is vicepresident. About 100 people attended the business meeting, beginning at 6:30 o'clock, and the banquet, beginning at 8 o'clock. Principal topics for discussion were the federal tax on checks, a uniform service charge for small accounts, and a uniform size for checks and drafts.

No depression in East Texas. Here is the new 20 story People's National bank building, Tyler's new skyscraper. Located in the heart of the East Texas oil field. and in an area that has continued, to be a "white spot on the map," Tyler and other East Texas cities are showing marked progress and aromab

Macdonald Talks to Sonora People

Menard Encampment

Captain H. W. Macdonald, world traveler now lecturing in West ternoon he talked to a group of So-(1) Within the first year of the ted to the qualified electors of the Texas towns, returned to Sonora nora women on "Women and Chillast week from a few weeks in Del United States, except as prescribed ing herein shall apply within those ment of the amount of money paid the first Monday in November, Rio and delivered several addresses here before leaving Tuesday, with

Mrs. Macdonald, for Menard, where they will visit the annual Baptist Encampment now being held.

of the Baptist revival Capt. Mac- near Vinegarone that evening.



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Edwin, visiting here from Selma, Ala. donald talked on "The Brotherhood of Man." Friday night at the revival service he spoke briefly on "Baptist Missionaries in Africa." Monday at noon he address Sonora Lions briefly, describing the ceremonies which accompany visits

The next quarterly meeting will

Attending from Sonora were Mr.

and Mrs. Neill, Mr. and Mrs. E. B.

Heinze, Mrs. Pearl Smith, Miss Au-

drey Rankhorn, Mrs. Maysie

Brown, and her sister, Mrs. R. W.

be held in Brady.

between Indian rulers. Monday afdren of India.'

Visit at Whitehead Ranch

The Misses Babe White and Mary Schwiening spent Friday night at the Willie B. Whitehead ranch and At the Thursday morning service attended a dance at the Bode ranch

Sonora Represented

at Bankers' Parley

tary Public and Postmaster, Offi- be amended so as to hereafter read cer of the National Guard, the Na- as follows:

toinal Guard Reserve, and the Officers Reserve Corps of the United ed by the qualified electors of each States and enlisted men of the Na- county at the same time and under Be it resolved by the Legislature of tional Guard, the National Guard the same law regulating the elec-Reserve, and the Organized Re- tion of State and County officers, serves of the United States, and re- an Assessor and Collector of Taxes, ticle 7, of the Constitution of the any kind or character." tired officers of the United States who shall hold his office, for two State of Texas, as amended by a Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, (2) years and until his successor is vote of the people by virtue of Senand retired warrant officers, and elected and qualified; and such As- ate Joint Resolution No. 7, passed retired enlisted men of the United sessor and Collector of Taxes shall at the Regular Session of the 41st States Army, Navy, and Marine perform all the duties with respect Legislature, be, and the same is Corps, unless otherwise specially to assessing property for the purprovided herein. Provided, that pose of taxation and of collecting read as follows: nothing in this Constitution shall be taxes as may be prescribed by the construed to prohibit an officer or Legislature.'

enlisted man of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, ticle 8, of the Constitution of Tex- it is hereby declared all lands and or an officer in the Officers Re- as be so amended as to hereafter other property heretofore set apart State to Help in serve Corps of the United States, read as follows:

Reserves of the United States; or county in addition to his other du- versity of Texas, together with all retired officers of the United States ties shall be the Assessor and Col- the proceeds of sales of the same, Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, lector of Taxes therefor; but, in heretofore made or hereafter to be and retired warrant officers, and counties having ten thousand (10,- made, and all grants, donations and retired enlisted men of the United 000) or more inhabitants, to be de- appropriations that may hereafter States Army, Navy, and Marine termined by the last preceding cen- be made by the State of Texas, or thousands of cypress trees madly Corps, from holding in conjunction sus of the United States, an Asses- from any other source, except do- damaged by the recent Guadalupe with such office any other office sor and Collector of Taxes shall be nations limited to specific purposes, river flood was last week pledged or position of honor, trust or profit, elected to hold office for two (2) shall constitute and become a Per- to Kerr county in a telegram reunder this State or the United years and until his successor shall manent University Fund. And the ceived Wednesday morning by L. States, or from voting at any Elec- be elected and qualified." tion; General, Special or Primary, in this State when otherwise qualified.'

tors of this State at the next Gen- 1932. eral Election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1932.

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,

Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 5

PROPOSING A CONSTITUTION-AL AMENDMENT TO BE VOT-ED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932.

the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 7, of Ar-

"Section 14. There shall be elect-

Sec. 3. The foregoing Constitu- the Treasury of the State (together Sterling. tional amendment shall be submit-

(A correct copy.) JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 12 PROPOSING A CONSTITUTION. AL AMENDMENT TO BE VOT-

ED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932. the State of Texas:

hereafter read as follows:

S. J. R. No. 26

PROPOSING A CONSTITUTION-ED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932. the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 11, of Arhereby amended so as to hereafter

Section 11. In order to enable the Legislature to perform the duties Sec. 2. That Section 16, of Ar- set forth in the foregoing Section and appropriated for the establishor an enlisted man in the Organized "Section 16. The sheriff of each ment and maintenance of the Uni-

same as realized and received into A. Schreiner from Gov. Ross S.

with such sums belonging to the It is expected that work will be ted to the qualified electors of the Fund, as may now be in the Treas- started immediately on the project. Sec. 4. The foregoing Constitu- State on the next general election ury), shall be invested in bonds of The highway commission has been tional Amendment shall be submit- to held on the first Tuesday after the United States, the State of Tex- requested by Gov. Sterling to furted to a vote of the qualified elec- the first Monday in November, as, or counties of said State, or in nish men and equipment to carry School Bonds of municipalities, or out the restoration program along in bonds of any city of this State, the river.

> or in bonds issued under and by The governor's telegram, from virtue of the Federal Farm Loan Houston, read as follows:

> "Having learned many beautiful Act approved by the President of United States, July 17, 1916, and cypress trees along the Guadalupe amendments thereto; and the inter- river through your county have

est accruing thereon shall be sub- been torn up, destroying the scenic ject to appropriation by the Legis- beauty, and, as this river bed is the

Be it resolved by the Legislature of lature to accomplish the purpose property of the State of Texas, I declared in the foregoing Section; am asking the highway commission Section 1. That Section 55, Ar- provided that the one-tenth of the to furnish men and equipment to ticle 3, of the Constitution of the alternate Sections of the lands assist in trying to restore these Be it resolved by the Legislature of State of Texas be amended so as to granted to railroads, reserved by trees that have been partially upthe State, which were set apart and rooted. Hope this will meet your

"Section 55. The Legislature appropriated to the establishment approval and any assistance you ticle 11, of the Constitution of the shall have no power to release or of the University of Texas, by an can furnish them will be greatly State of Texas be amended so as to extinguish, or to authorize the re- Act of the Legislature of February appreciated."

That the Legislature of Texas be authorized to make appropriation AL AMENDMENT TO BE VOT. for the support and maintenance thereof; provided, that this authorization shall not be construed to make appropriations for any other future exposition or celebration of

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the next general election to be held on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A D 1932.

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How Herefords Won Popularity in Texas

Hard Fight With Prejudice

Editor's Note-The following article, featured in the Hereford Journal of July 16, was written by Phil C. Lee, and gives an interesting account of the growth in demand for Hereford and improved type beef cattle in Texas in the last generation:

"Herefords achieved their present dominant position in the beefcattle industry in Texas on sheer merit, and in the face of strong opview, Mo., former president of the American Hereford Cattle Breed-Missouri.

that when Herefords were intro- 'little' Herefords ceased.' duced into the Lone Star State they was far from the fact. The ranchmen poked a lot of fun at the 'liter breeds starved to death that the ranchmen began to see some merit in them.

Herefords Show Their Prepetency put a white face on his offspring "My father, Phil C. Lee, who no matter what the color of the was running a big bunch of cows dam-was both a help and a hinon his quarter-of-a-million-acre drance to the breed in those early ranch near San Angelo, bought 146 days. When Herefords began to balls in 1886. They came from Illi- achieve popularity among range nois, Iowa, Missouri and Kansas. cattlemen, anything with a white In the lot were four registered face was called a Hereford. A bull Hereford bulls, about 10 or 15 with a white face would bring more grade Hereford bulls, and 20 reg- money than a red, white, roan or istered Shorthorns. The remain- black, so every bull that had a der were mostly grade Shorthorns. white face was saved to sell to the That country was infested with ranchmen. It is a well-known fact Brummel out of a dam by Don ticks in those days. We put the that the first cross of cattle of difbulls in a pasture that was re- ferent breeds is better than the Juan, was purchased from Gudgell served for them with the idea of "acclimating' them. We did not these bulls that were the result of the form. One of the with the know the relation of the ticks to a first cross with Hereford bulls the so-called Texas fever in those on cows of other breeds showed cured from this mating was Patroldays. We thought the reason north- most of the characteristics of the ern bulls did not live in that coun-purebred Hereford, but the use of fort. try was because they did not be- these cross-bred white-faced bulls. "But the Ikards persevered in come 'acclimated.' The ticks at- on grade cows often proved disap- spite of heavy losses and built up a tacked this bunch of bulls. We pointing and the Herefords regreat breeding herd from which greased them and curried the ticks ceived the blame. they sent out much foundation stock for Texas herds. I well refrom them, and managed to save "I remember we had a neighbor member a letter written by W. S. some 40 or 50 of the 146. ranchman who had the reputation "When the first crop of calves of borrowing his neighbor's bulls Ikard to us in the days when he from this lot of bulls arrived we without asking their permission. I was fighting the fever to get a found that a majority of them had frequently bought his calves. One herd established. He said: 'It is white faces, evidence of the greater day I went to look at a bunch of activity of the Hereford bulls. Sim- calves he had for sale. Among them cattle and then have to lose them ilar experience on the part of oth- was a very fine bull calf that had a er ranchmen served to attract at- white face, but was out of a black tention to Herefords, and laid the cow, evidently sired by a Hereford foundation for the popularity bull. When we looked at the calves cient in spelling, but he was a which they enjoyed in later years. he said: 'That calf with a white great cattleman, and Texas Here-When the ranchmen found the face don't go.' I asked him why, Hereford bulls out mixing with the and he replied: 'Well, you see he is cows and hustling for feed while part Hereford, and I can get more bulls of other breeds were bunched money for him by keeping him to up in the shade waiting for feed to sell as a bull.' be brought to them to keep them | Startling With Registered Stock "My father's first venture with | tion of the tick to the Texas fever, from starving, they came to the

something that was needed in the when William Powell of Channing, cow business in Texas, and the pop- Texas, showed some Herefords at ularity of the Herefords increased San Angelo. Father bought 10 regrapidly.

Talk About "Little" Herefords the Herefords and other breeds, which the ranchmen held against men were accustomed to the longlegged, high-hipped cattle that pre-

weights of his Shorthorns with my ers' Association, and for many Herefords. We found that the Here- 2,485 pounds. VanNatta planned to years a prominent figure in the fords were really wider across the make a steer of this bull and show Hereford business in Texas and hips and weighed more than the Shorthorns of the same age. It was

"Some people may have the idea not long until this talk about the Natta herd and took a fancy to him

"The hustling characteristic of or 15 years old. immediately found favor with the the Hereford soon attracted the atranchmen, and swept over the state tention of ranchmen. The Herefords like wildfire. Those of us who were are good travelers, and if there is in the cattle business down there feed anywhere available they will pion Pt. Comfort 14th. Druid of Pt. in the early days know that this get it. On my father's ranch it Comfort was bred by W. S. & J. B. sometimes happened that the feed Ikard, Henrietta, Texas, and was was very short along the river, but used by Col. O. L. Miles, Ft. Smith, tle hammed imported bulls,' as they back 4 or 5 miles from the river Ark. We purchased him at the were wont to characterize the first there was plenty of feed. The cattle Miles dispersion sale. 'He was Herefords brought into that coun- of other breeds would stay along try. It was not until the Herefords the river and starve, while the had demonstrated their superior Herefords would go where the feed prolificacy by getting larger per- was to be had. The same is true bull, weighing 2,300 pounds. He centage calf crops; their hardiness about water. Herefords will travel had wonderful quarters and was by withstanding the extremes of unbelievable distances for water very smooth for so large a bull. He weather; and their rustling ability while other breeds will die of thirst by gaining a livelihood where oth- if water is not convenient of access. Whitefaced, But Not Hereford

"The prepotency of the Hereford

-the fact that a Hereford bull will

istered heifers, and lost nine of them from the fever. The first who first discovered the relation tion once in each week for four suc-"The difference in size between registered bull that my father succeeded in saving from the fever was Concho 41326. He was bred by the Herefords in those days, was Thomas Esson, Peotone, Ill., and dent that occurred at the Dallas be a newspaper published therein, more asumed than real The ranch- was calved Aug. 20, 1889. He was sired by imported Hotspur 9415. He proved a remarkable sire, and dominated in the herds then, and lived to be 17 or 18 years old. Andid not give the short-legged, com- other remarkable bull that we wonpactly-built Herefords credit for ed was Polson 49230, bred by W. the weight they really carried. We S. VanNatta, Fowler, Ind., and had a neighbor at San Angelo who calved June 14, 1891. He was sired was using Shorthorns and he was by Fowler, out of a dam by Star always talking about the 'little' Grove 1st. We bought him from position," said Phil C. Lee, Grand- Herefords. One day I challenged William Auson who bought him him to compare measurements and from B. C. Rhome, Fort Worth. He was a wonderful bull and weighed him at the Chicago World's Fair. in 1893, but Rhome visited the Van-

> and bought him. He lived to be 14 "Another great bull that was in

the Lee herd was Druid of Pt. Comfort, sire of the grand chamgrand champion at the Fort Worth show in 1908, 1909, 1911 and 1912. Druid of Pt. Comfort was a big would be a winner in the leading shows today.

Fighting the Ticks

"Druid of Pt. Comfort was sired by Patrolman 4th by Patrolman by Beau Brummel. The Ikards, who bred him deserve much credit for the introduction of Herefords into Texas. They saw, their first purebred Herefords at the Centennial. Exhibition at Philadelphia in 1876, where T. L. Miller of Beecher, Ill., John Merryman, Cockeysville, Mr., and other pioneer breeders had exhibits. They expended large sums on the purchase of Herefords in the North, only to lose most of them by the fever. One of the calves seman 4th, sire of Druid of Pt. Com-

and ignorance of the life history of | the tick, was a serious drawback for many years to the imporvement of Sutton county-Greeting: of the Texas range herds. The discovery of the means by which the

tick could be eradicated.

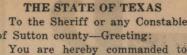
were immune.

Dallas were active members. In Try Title to all of lots 1, 2, 3, and Barnes will continue the business the arrest. "A prominent society woman of said lands.

blood of the animals and caused same.

animals. Schofield appealed to A. D. 1932. Superintendent McCamey of the (Seal) ed to be president of the S. P. C. A. ton County, Texas. McKamey explained to the indignant woman that it was natural for A. D. 1932. the cattle to have the ticks, that in

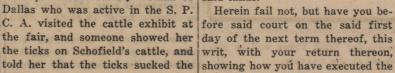
some sections of the state they Clerk of the District Court of Sutwould die if they did not have them. ton County, Texas.



summon L. M. James, and the un-"Modern" Cattle Had conclusion that the Herefords had registered Herefords was in 1886 tick could be eradicated was the known heirs of L. M. James; Sim greatest singel boon ever confer- White and the unknown heirs of red upon the Texas cattle-growing Sim White; and Tom Lassiter and industry. I think it was Dr. Fran- the unknown heirs of Tom Lassiter, cis of the Texas A. & M. college by making publication of this citaof the tick to the fever and how the cessive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper "I remember an amusing inci- published in your county, if there fair one year. Frank Scofield had |but if not, then in any newspaper been breeding Shorthorns up at published in the nearest county, to Hillsboro, and he had gotten the appear at the next regular term of ticks pretty well cleaned up at his the District Court of Sutton counplace, so much so that cattlemen in ty, to be holden at the courthouse the quarantined sections of the thereof in Sonora, on the first Monstate quit buying his bulls because day in September, 1932, the same mune to the fever. Schofield saw 1932, then and there to answer a that he was losing his trade, so he petition filed in said court on the reinfested his pastures with ticks 12th day of July A. D. 1932, in a and advertised that his bulls were suit numbered on the docket of immune. He took his show herd to said court No. 797 wherein Samuel the Dallas fair and had them loaded G. Gravell is plaintiff, and L. M. with ticks to demonstrate that they James, and the unknown heirs of

and a lot of the society women of ants, said suit being in Trespass to days ago.

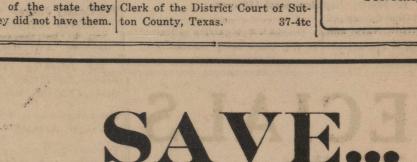
those days they had mule cars in 4, Block W26 in the town of Sonora, Dallas, and the cruelty of the Sutton county, Texas according to streetcar drivers was the incentive the George G. Ehrenborg Map of for the organization of the society. said town, of record in Sutton coun-By the provision of a city ordin- ty, and being a part of Section 86, ance, any member of the society Block B, of HE&WT Ry. Co. surcould call upon a policeman at any vey, the Plaintiff alleging title and time to arrest anyone who was the possession of said lots and abusing an animal, and the police- pleading the ten year statute of man was under obligations to make limitation and praying for judgment for title and possession of



them great discomfort. She was Given 'under my hand and the very indignant, and had Schofield seal of said court in the County of placed under arrest for cruelty to Sutton, this the 12th day of July

J. D. LOWREY. livestock department, who happen- Clerk of the District Court of Sut-Issued this 12th day of July

J. D. LOWREY,



Bootleggers Meet for a Convention

Liquor Traffickers Gather in Colo. to Elect New President

The Pueblo Chieftain says the clans that traffic in illicit beverages are gathering in Pueblo for an annual midsummer convention at which tihey wil select a "kink of Colorado bootleggers."

This gathering, says the Chieftain, according to information from a source that has always been considered reliable, will bring together Colorado's warring factions and mold them into a solid organization to be operated under the man who is chosen to succeed Joseph P. Rothey were afraid they were not im- being the 5th day of September, ma, diminutive Denver grocer who has been sentenced to Leavenworth prison.-Pecos Enterprise.

MARVIN BARNES TAKES OVER ICE HOUSE HERE

Marvin Barnes Wednesday be-L. M. James; Sim White and the came proprietor of the Banner Ice "At Dallas there had been organ- unknown heirs of Sim White; and House recently erected in Sonora. ized a branch of the Society for the Tom Lassiter and the unknown Bill Mittel formerly operated the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, heirs of Tom Lassiter are defend- station, having opened it about ten

as heretofore.



certainly tuff to pay big prices for by the fever.' I remember the letter because of that word 'tuff.' W. S. Ikard may have been a little defiford breeders owe him a large debt of gratitude for his courage

and persistence in introducing good Herefords into the state. Ticks and Cruelty to Animals "Lack of knowledge of the rela-

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San Benito-Dead Man's Curve

Troup-Season shipments of to-

Orange-Bridge five miles north

matoes from this place to recent

on highway near here now being

straightened.

SPECIALS

Lots Sold in Sinaloa ments for 1932. These will be dis-Fedrico Favilla last Wednesday cussed at the meeting. bought from Leonidas Andrada the north one-half of lot 4 and all of lot 5, block A, in the Sinaloa addition new landing field on Peavy farm, to the city of Sonora. The price was two miles east of town. \$70.

City Meeting Postponed The monthly meeting of the Sonora city commission was postponed Monday night, and will meet on Monday night of next week in the office of George E. Smith, city date total 119 cars. manager. The meeting was delayed to enable Smith to complete compiling tax reditions and assess- of this place being painted. THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS



Here is the Garner family, assembled in front of the Garner home in Uvalde, Texas. John N. Garner, Democratic vice-presidential nominee, is taking a brief rest in Texas prior to his active campaign. Left to right are Mrs. Garner, the Speaker, Genevieve, his grand-daughter, and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Tully C. Garner. Standing is Tully C. Garner, only son of Speaker and Mrs. Garner.

ANNOUNCEMENTS McCamey Roadhouse POLITICAL Welcomes Rangers

(Editor's Note-Candidates will be listed in the order received. Rates will be as follows, payable in advance: Precinct offices, \$5; county offices, \$10; district offices,

Successful Raid Relief to Interrupted Joy Makers

The three musketeers from

Grandfalls did the job assigned to

them, got their 125 men, though

they were a bit wrong in use of

McCamey, July 31.-This is the \$15. Announcement will be carried story of the occasion when rangers throughout entire year until time raided a roadhouse and got a of final election. Payment of fee wholesome welcome. The joy makentitles candidate to a statement ers had mistaken three cow punchnot exceeding 100 words. Portions ers from Grandfalls stationed inof statements over 100 words will side with drawn guns for hold-up be charged for at 10 cents a line.) nen.

vords.

The following candidates announce for the offices designated, subject to the action of the Democratic run-off primary, August 27, Cuero-Site being cleared for 1932.

> For State Senator, 29th Dist .: K. M. REGAN BENJAMIN F. BERKELEY

of Alpine, Brewster Co. Texas (Re-election)

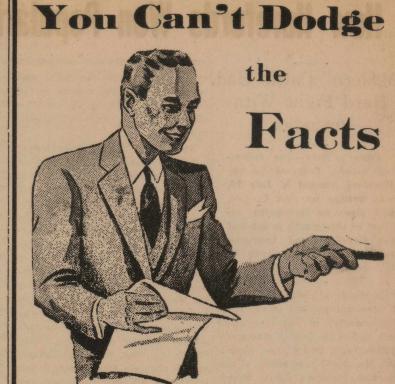
For Sheriff and Tax Collector: B. W. HUTCHERSON J. K. LANCASTER

For County Judge: **ALVIS JOHNSON** A. C. ELLIOTT

The following candidates announce for offices named in the General Election, November 8, 1932.

For Commissioner, Prec. 3: C. W. ADAMS

For County Treasurer:



AUGUST 5, 1992

Men Who Have Are Men Who Save!

-Once in a blue moon a plunger makes a stake, but seldom does he keep it. The men who have are the men who practice thrift and save regularly, good times and bad. An account in this bank is a great help to the man who wants to get ahead.

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persons all over the place of dan- | cases. The three men from Grandger. Buzzers began to sound over falls were Walter Stapp, Cummings the place but no guns were brought and Herman Ott. They sided the into play. Soon the officers were in-

Placed by Ranger Captain W. L. side, a justice of peace was sent for Wright and Creed Taylor, customs in Crane City and the 125 spent the officer, inside of the Goodman rest of the night in conversation. roadhouse four miles from here on |One man wearing golf trousers and the Girvin road and told to open a cap was in the crowd; dancing the door when the officers knocked, was in progress in one part, gamthe three acted accordings to ining in another and liquor was structions but instead of shouting charged to have been sold in an-"keep quiet" when Captain Wright other part. The day before the raid knocked on the door yelled out the roadhouse had been damaged "stick them up," and for an in- by a man colliding with it as he stant occupants of the roadhouse drove off the pavement. thought there was a hold-up. Built

Federal prohibition charges were so as to prevent entrance by anyone whose presence was not de- filed against three men. Charges sired, the place was equipped with of gaming resulted in 30 fines in a system of buzzers that notified Crane City, though all fought their

raiders.

DEAD CANDIDATE ELECTED JOHNSON DISTRICT CLERK

Cleburne, July 24 .- A dead candidate was leading today in the race for district clerk of Johnson county. Almost complete returns showed that voters had given A. C. Womack 2762 votes. His opponent, W. S. Carper, had but 2690. Wom-

ack dropped dead last Friday night at the final political rally before the Democratic primary.

Sell it through a classified ad.

