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## City Extension of Street in Mexican Section Possible

### City Commission Talks of Flood Control Project and Need of Highway Bridge

Possibility of extending Calla Street through the Pedro Domingo Addition to the Mexican School was discussed by the city commission at its regular meeting Monday night.

The street, which would pass through the property of Ricardo Cortez, has been made necessary by the growth of that section recently. Five houses have been built or moved to that vicinity during the last few months. The street extension would make for easier access to the school.

The city manager was instructed to push sewer collections from those in arrears at this time.

The need of a highway bridge over Lowrey Draw will be emphasized in letters to the state highway commission, it was decided. A general review of the flood control project was made by the commission. It is believed that in some manner state funds will be secured to complete the work after the Civil Works Administration authority ends March 31.

George E. Smith, city manager, estimated Thursday that approximately 20,000 yards of dirt are yet to be removed to connect the two portions on which work has been done. About 200 to 300 yards a day are being removed, he believes. This amount is considerably less than when the work was started in November due to the weekly decrease in number of men employed and paid by CWA funds.

George D. Chalk was appointed manager of the city election April 3, when the mayor and two other members of the commission will be selected by Sonora citizens. J. C. Stephen will be judge of the election.

## Block Soon Will Have Attractive New Residences

### O. K. Rankhorn Starts Building Garage as Preliminary to Future Building

Concrete foundation was poured this week by O. K. Rankhorn for a stucco and frame garage he is building on a lot in the block just east of the Sonora Wool and Mohair Co.

Mr. Rankhorn plans to use the garage at this time to house his radio sending and receiving equipment. It will also be used as a storage place for materials to be used in building a 4-room stucco house he is planning to erect on the property at some future time.

The garage will be sixteen by eighteen and one-third of it will be used for his radio station which is now located at his home. He is a licensed amateur operator and has 10-watt, 2-way equipment.

The development by Mr. Rankhorn will be the fourth residential project in that block during recent months. A frame house on the corner is owned by W. S. Evans, the adjoining stucco residence was built by W. J. Fields, jr. and the third house, also stucco and frame, is being built by Ernest McClelland.

The Fields and Evans properties have recently been improved by the planting of trees and shrubbery, arranged in such a manner that they add much to the appearance of the property as well as being in keeping with the atmosphere created by the planting near the wool and mohair warehouse.

### Hambys Announce Arrival of Son

A son, weighing 7½ pounds, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Hamby at a hospital in San Angelo at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning. Mr. Hamby has been in San Angelo since early in the week.

### W. S. Evans Ill

W. S. Evans suffered an attack of tonsillitis while in Fort Worth last week. He returned Wednesday and is reported as improved.

## Draper Promoted to Boy Scout Work in Texas, Okla., N. M.

### Headquarters to Be in Dallas; Oklahoma City Executive to Come to Area

R. L. Billington, assistant Scout executive in Oklahoma City for the last three years, has been appointed Boy Scout executive for the Concho Valley area which includes Sonora. He succeeds Brice Draper, well known in Sonora as a result of his executive work in connection with the Sonora troop.

Mr. Draper has become deputy regional director of the Boy Scouts of America, and will work in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico. Public information and financing plans in the counties of these states will occupy most of his time. He will have headquarters in Dallas.

During the last eight years Mr. Draper has worked out a financing plan which has been recognized and adopted by the national organization of Boy Scouts of America. The Knights of Zocah, a program for senior Scouts, was originated by him. Twenty-six cabins, most of which are owned by the local organizations, are used by troops in this area.

Mr. Billington is a native of Tennessee and was educated in Columbia, Tenn., and the university of that state. In a short time he will have been in Boy Scout work for fifteen years. In addition to his executive work in Oklahoma City he has done special work in activities of all types connected with Scout training.

### "MANY" DESCENDANTS IN LITTLE MORE THAN YEAR

Big Spring, March 16.—S. L. Lockhart who lives northeast of here and feeds several hundred sheep there and on a Borden county ranch reports a ewe that had four lambs in a little more than twelve months. Triplets arrived last spring, each of these has lambed this spring and another lamb recently arrived to bless the "we are seven" group.

## City Variety Adds Space and Goods

### F. J. Wood, Now Sole Owner, Buys New Stock in Dallas

The City Variety Store, operated by F. J. Wood who recently bought the interest of his partner, Charles N. Buie, opened Thursday in a new and larger location adjacent to the storeroom formerly occupied.

Mr. Wood returned Tuesday from Dallas where he bought new merchandise for the store. Among the lines which are stocked now but which have not been possible in the smaller store are: men's hats, shoes for all the family, ladies' ready-to-wear and dry goods. Fixtures for the new lines have been placed around the sides of the room and the variety stock which has been carried occupies the center space.

### YOUNG SON'S BROKEN ARM "NEWS" TO OWN FATHER

When a News representative asked Troy White yesterday morning about the broken arm of his 11-year-old son, Clayton, he confessed he knew very little about it.

Mr. White was in Christoval at the time of the accident, Wednesday, returned late at night and knew nothing of Clayton's misfortune until Mrs. White called him after he had gone to work Thursday morning.

Clayton, as Mr. White expressed it, made a "flying tackle" at a door facing with disastrous results. He was in school Thursday morning, Mr. White said.

### 1965 Lambs Bought by Benson

T. L. Benson, San Angelo commission man, was in town Wednesday and reported the following purchases of lambs bought for future shipment to Indiana pastures: 365 from Pat Elder, Maryneal; 700 from John O. Carr, Big Lake; 900 from Arman Hoover, Ozona.

## Flyer Honored for Heroic Act



The Soldier's medal, one of the highest in the power of the government to bestow, was awarded at Los Angeles to Lieut. William L. Bogen, Air Corps reserve. The decoration was presented by Maj. Homer R. Oldfield. The citation was accorded the young flyer for heroism performed with "utter disregard for his own safety," at Fort Clark, Texas, May 4, 1933. Lieutenant Bogen, piloting a plane on a cross-country flight with five military passengers, made a landing for refueling. The plane crashed and burst into flames. Bogen re-entered the plane to grab out three trapped passengers and extinguish burning clothing of the others.

## New County Road May Be Established in Baker Community

### Commissioners Act on Petition Signed by Eight Citizens of Southeast Sutton

A new road built and maintained by Sutton county will replace a winding, trail-type road in the Baker community, 22 miles southeast of Sonora, when right-of-way has been granted by owners through whose land the road will be constructed.

Eight citizens of precinct 4 petitioned the county commissioners at their meeting Monday morning to establish the road. Those who signed the petition were G. B. Baker, C. D. Wyatt, Carney Wyatt, Robert Kelley, Jim Chadwick, Carl Baker, W. M. Pearson and Sterling Baker.

The road which would really be a straightening of the course of the present "trail," will be approximately 4½ miles long and will pass through the Williamson School lands and the property of J. T. Evans and Sterling Baker. Judge Alvis Johnson and Lee R. Morris, C. W. Adams and Joe Logan, commissioners, inspected the site of the desired road Monday afternoon.

A resolution favoring action toward state legislation permitting county road bonds to be refunded into state obligations at greatly reduced interest rate was adopted by the court. If state bonds may be secured at lower rate more funds would be available for sinking fund than at present.

The state's portion of the sinking fund of \$10,000 a year has been 80 per cent. During each of the last three years the state has paid only 20 to 33 1-3 per cent of its allotment. It is believed that with a lower rate of interest on the county's road bond obligations more money will be available for the sinking fund.

### ANGELO ATTORNEY FLIES HERE TO VISIT PARENTS

Emil Vander Stucken, San Angelo attorney and Sutton county ranchman, came to Sonora in fifty minutes Monday afternoon in his airplane. The trip was for business and to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken.

Mr. Vander Stucken has an open cockpit plane which he has been flying for some time. He was accompanied by Mr. Chambers of San Angelo, who is also a pilot. They returned to San Angelo late Monday.

### Caldwell to Speak in Eldorado

W. E. Caldwell, district associate lay leader, will address the members of the First Methodist Church of Eldorado Sunday. He will be in Ozona Sunday, March 25.

## Three Plays and Piano Numbers by Boy Make Program

### Lions Told of Ozona Group Meeting April 9; To Continue with School Work

Three one-act plays by "Minnows" of Sonora High School and piano numbers by Rudolph Garza, 12-year-old blind Mexican boy, were features of the Lions Club meeting Tuesday noon.

Young Garza was brought to the luncheon by Paul Garza with whom he lives. Mrs. Garza is a sister of the boy's mother. Although he has never received instruction he plays the piano well. He has been nearly blind since birth. Efforts have been made to enroll him in the Texas School for the Blind, a state institution at Austin. It was the consensus of opinion of club members that efforts of this type should be continued in order that he may be educated and his talent developed.

W. C. Gilmore explained the discontinuance this week of CWA assistance in feeding undernourished school children. H. V. Stokes, president, appointed the Rev. E. P. Neal, the Rev. Z. E. Parker and J. M. Puckett as a committee empowered to act in continuing the club's participation in the work.

Announcement was made concerning the group meeting of seven clubs of the district in Ozona April 9. Representatives from San Angelo, Eldorado, Junction, Rocksprings, Sonora and Sterling City clubs will attend the noon meeting. E. C. Hill, Eldorado, group chairman, is in charge of arrangements.

R. S. Covey, superintendent of schools, introduced "Lion" Joe Logan and "Lioness" Elizabeth Brantley who were guests of the club as a result of their scholastic averages of 89 3-4 per cent and 93 per cent, respectively, during the last six weeks.

School pupils who formed the casts of the three plays were:

"The Train To Morrow"—Cathryn Trainer, Web Elliott, Mattie Mae Friess, Jim Taylor and Jack Shurley.

"No Peddlers Admitted"—Robert Allen Simmons, Wynona Hutcherson, A. W. Awalt.

"Caution"—A One-Act Play with a Moral—A. W. Awalt, Wynona Hutcherson, Jim Taylor, Pearl Hart, Rena Glenn Shurley, Pearl Lee Ory, Kathryn Brown, Cathryn Trainer, Mattie Mae Friess, Serena Trainer, Robert Allen Simmons, Webb Elliott, Jack Shurley and Harrell Turney Espy.

J. E. Grimland and his son, Lawrence, John McClelland and Ollie Stockton were San Angelo visitors Sunday.

## Spring Court Term Begins Monday; Few New Cases

### STORM TWO YEARS AGO TOOK HEAVY TOLL OF STOCK

The balmy weather through most of each day this week is a marked contrast to that of two years ago Sunday and Monday. At that time a heavy snow blanketed West Texas. Ranchmen were in the midst of spring lambing and eight consecutive cold nights caused considerable loss. In the Sonora section some reported as many as 200 head of stock lost. Similar tolls were reported in other sections.

W. A. Miers recalled this week that on March 12, 1893, a severe snowstorm destroyed the lamb crop and caused heavy damage to cattle.

## CWA Weekly Quota Being Reduced Each Week in Sonora

### State Commodities Distributor Thanks Local Company for Free Storage, Perishables

In a letter to R. E. Taylor, county relief administrator, yesterday C. Z. Crain, commodities distributor for the Texas Relief Administration, expressed appreciation to the West Texas Utilities company for free storage for perishables used in Sutton county since last October.

Surplus commodities secured from the federal government and sent here for relief work have been stored without charge by the company. Mr. Taylor was informed Thursday that 4005 pounds of lard were available in San Angelo for use in this county. At the present time 1200 pounds of butter and 2000 pounds of meat are in storage.

Authority for use of CWA supplies in providing school lunches for undernourished children ended Wednesday. The Lions Club, which has had a part in the work, is arranging to assist in carrying on the work. Children have benefited greatly from the food given them.

The third finger of his right hand was lacerated so badly Thursday of last week that Alton Coburn will probably carry a "pointed" finger the rest of his life.

Mr. Coburn, in charge of the CWA flood control work, caught it between the everer and the double tree behind a "4-horse" hitch pulling a plow. Despite the injury Mr. Coburn rode a motorcycle to town for medical attention.

The accident Mr. Coburn suffered and the broken ribs of John Davis several weeks ago are the most serious since the work started. Safety first precautions have been stressed by the Civil Works Administration executives and surprisingly few injuries of any type have occurred.

Quota for CWA workers, received this week by Mr. Taylor, are as follows: 22 for week beginning March 16; 20 for week beginning March 23. For the week beginning March 30 the administrative staff only is to be retained. It consists of Mr. Taylor, Miss Edith McGhee, Mrs. Thelma Briscoe, George Wynn and Cashes Taylor.

The work authorized by the Civil Works Administration, consisting of the Lowrey Draw flood control project in this county, is to be completed, as far as administration authority is concerned, this month.

### Shearing on Trainer Ranch

J. W. Trainer was at his ranch in Schleicher county Saturday when 400 goats were sheared and 625 lambs tagged. Weather conditions Saturday were ideal for shearing, he reported when he returned Saturday night.

## Many Are Held Over From Previous Sessions

### 1 CRIMINAL CASE

### Sixteen Summoned As Grand Jurors; 36 on Petit Call

The spring term of the 112th judicial district for Sutton county, which convenes Monday has few outstanding actions to come before Judge Joe Montague of Fort Stockton.

Only one criminal case, that of Arley Terry who is charged with wife desertion and who broke out of the county jail some time ago is scheduled. He has not been apprehended. A number of cases on the docket, previously filed, have been remanded to the court for further action and legal procedure.

Sutton county citizens who have been summoned to appear as grand jurors to investigate whatever may properly come before them are:

Fred Simmons, A. C. Elliott, J. T. Sellman, Beamon Speed, W. R. Drennon, Joe Logan, O. L. Richardson, A. P. Prater, Edgar Shurley, Howard Espy, J. W. Trainer, Jim Caldwell, Miers Savell, A. J. Faught, Tom Sandherr, W. R. Nisbet.

Thirty-six men have been summoned as petit jurors for possible service during the first week of court. They are:

Sam Allison, Allen Atkins, W. B. Brantley, George Barrow, Pat Carroll, C. H. Carson, Marion Adams, W. C. Bricker, W. R. Gilliam, J. Hub Hale, E. B. Heinze, Russell Long, John A. Martin.

W. L. Miers, Ernest McClelland, J. C. Roe, W. C. Warren, Alfred Schwiening, Ira Shurley, R. V. Sewell, Duke Wilson, John Cauthorn, Dee Gibbs, R. C. Vickers, Jim Luckie, J. P. Reiley.

W. D. Valliant, Carmie Wyatt, N. R. Kennedy, Lawrence Grimland, Aldie Garrett, Rip Ward, A. D. Shoemaker, L. R. Morris, Bert Rode, O. G. Babcock.

The suits on the docket are: Mamie E. Clarkson, et al, vs. Wool Growers' Central Storage Co., trespass to try title as well as for damages.

E. C. Garvin, et ux, vs. S. T. & W. C. Gilmore, suit for damages.

Arthur Harral vs. W. W. Vann and Co., suit for damages.

A. F. Clarkson vs. C. S. Keene, suit for rent and foreclosure.

Mrs. Nannie B. Wilson vs. Arthur Stuart, trespass to try title.

W. L. Davis vs. Ben F. Meckel, suit for writ of injunction.

W. H. Hill et al, vs. American Angora Goat Breeders' Association, suit for damages.

R. F. Halbert vs. Mrs. J. A. Ward, suit for writ of injunction.

Theresa Friend vs. D. A. Friend, suit for divorce and writ of injunction.

Torivio Chavez vs. Herminia Chavez, suit for divorce.

Gertrude M. Weaver vs. Clyde A. Weaver, suit for divorce.

Enriqueta Villarrial vs. Manuel Villarrial, suit for divorce.

Gaspar Reyes vs. Abesa Flores Reyes, suit for divorce.

Cecil H. Allen vs. Bernyce Allen, suit for annulment of marriage.

State of Texas vs. Arley Terry, wife desertion.

### Three Motor Units Delivered

Three types of Dodge motor vehicles have been delivered during the latter part of last week and this week by the Sutton Motor Co. A sedan was received last week by Earl Duncan. On Tuesday the firm delivered a pick-up truck to Ernest Carroll, Texas Company oil products distributor, and a 1½-ton truck chassis and cab to Victor Castillo.

### New Service Station Employee

Frank Isbell, recently of San Antonio but a former Sonora resident, has started work at the J. T. Penick service station.

### Varied Breakfasts Help Start Days More Pleasantly

Ways of Preparing Breakfast Dishes Outlined by C. I. A. Department

Denton, March 15.—A recent bulletin of the department of home economics, Texas State College for Women here, emphasizes the pleasures of varied breakfast menus:

There are many ways to serve fruits as well as a variety of fruits to be served. Oranges, grapefruit, apples, bananas, grapes, peaches, pears, apricots, cherries, plums, as well as the dried fruits which are especially suitable during the winter months, are enjoyable. Any fruit juice is good when served iced with mint or lemon to garnish; tomato juice is very pleasing as a breakfast drink.

When breakfast is thought of one immediately thinks of eggs or bacon. Eggs can be prepared in many ways. They can be fried or scrambled, but other ways to serve them are baked, hard cooked, soft cooked, creamed, eggs a la golden-rod, omelets and souffles.

With the great variety of breads there is no excuse for having toasted white bread every morning. Variations include: orange nut, pin wheel, cheese, raisin and fruit bread; cinnamon rolls, nut or fruit; whole wheat muffins, bran, date or nut; waffles, both plain and chocolate; griddle cakes; French toast, milk toast, plain and whole wheat toast and rye, nut and raisin bread.

#### Menus

Breakfast: Orange juice, chocolate pecan waffles, bacon, coffee and milk.

Breakfast: Grapefruit, bran flakes, jelly ring biscuits, butter, coffee and cocoa.

#### Recipes

Chocolate Pecan Waffles: Mix 3-4 cup flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon of salt. Add 1/2 cup of butter to 3 squares of melted chocolate. Mix 1 cup of sugar and 3 eggs, beat slightly. Blend these mixtures together and 1 cup of pecans. Have both sides of waffle iron hot. Grease well. Put tablespoon of butter in each section. Serve hot with butter and syrup.

Jelly Ring Biscuits: Sift 2 cups flour, 4 teaspoons baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon salt twice. Cut in 2 teaspoons shortening. Add 2-3 cups milk gradually. Mix to a soft dough. Turn on floured board, roll 1/2-to 3/4-in. thick. Cut one-half of dough in solid biscuits, other one-half with doughnut cutter. Moisten top of solid biscuit with milk, place doughnut rings on top. Bake in hot oven for 15 minutes. Serve hot with butter and jelly in the center.

#### Improved Trees Prove Profitable

Fredericksburg, March 15.—Eight thousand pounds of paper shell pecans sold from native trees improved in county agent demonstrations by three Gillespie county farmers sold at an average price of 14 cents per pound while native pecans were selling at 5 cents per pound.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our heartfelt appreciation and gratitude for the expressions of sympathy extended to us at the time of the illness and death of Mrs. R. W. Perrine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fields and family  
R. W. Perrine  
Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Johnson family  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Hopkins and family 20-1tc

### Big Lake Boy Wins Basketball Letter

Marvyn Glover Also Ranks Among High Individual Scorers

Kerrville, March 15.—Marvyn Glover of Big Lake, student at Schreiner Institute here, has been awarded a letter for his work as a member of the basketball team which won the Texas Junior College Conference championship. Presentation will be made at the end of the semester, providing letter winners are in school and in good standing at that time.

In winning the title the Mountaineers had to defeat the strong Amarillo Junior College Badgers 32 to 25 and the Tyler Junior College quintet 22 to 21 in the state tournament held in Waco last week. The Schreiner five won their district by defeating Westmoorland 26 to 23, Victoria 36 to 19, and San Angelo 31 to 25 in the district tournament.

The Mountaineers won 14 games and lost four, three of the losses being by one point margins. Among the victories chalked up by the Schreiner quintet are wins over the Texas University Freshmen, the St. Edward's Tigers and the San Marcos Teachers, the two last-named being senior colleges.

Individual scorers were led by Captain Alvin Eggeling of Austin with a total of 159 points for the entire season. Pete Garcia of San Antonio was second with 90 points and Captain-elect Paul Morris of Athens was third with 69. Others in order of points scored were: John Belton, Beaumont, 66; Paul Lowe, Denison, 47; Clarence Gerand, Beaumont, 34; Julius Gerand, Beaumont, 26; Garvice Steen, Greenville, 19; Alton Bundick, Bloomington, 17; Marvyn Glover, Big Lake, 14; and Moreland Chapman, Austin, 7.

### Pitts and Rogers Are Theater Team

La Vista Probram Includes Many Stars During the Week

The second episode of La Vista's new serial, "Devil Horse," will be part of the fare for theater patrons today and Saturday. Those who saw the first installment last week are urging their friends to start seeing the serial each week. James Dunn and Claire Trevor in "Jimmy and Sally" complete the program.

The American humorist, Will Rogers, and Zasu Pitts will be seen Sunday and Monday in "Mr. Skitch." The Tuesday bargain night will feature the 4 Marx Brothers in the picture, "Duck Soup." On Wednesday and Thursday "Foot-light Parade," a musical sensation rivaling "42nd Street" and "Gold Diggers of 1933," will make up the program.

The time of the show each night has been advanced to 7:30 o'clock.

#### Coburn Residence Finished

A 2-room house is being completed this week by Alton Coburn next to the Tom Thorp residence. Mr. Coburn was doing the work on it himself until he injured his finger last week. It is being finished by his stepfather, W. W. Champion of Eden, who came here to do the work.

#### Tom Green Ranchers Use Vaccine

San Angelo, March 16.—Vaccinating lambs against sore mouth using the vaccine developed by the Sonora Experiment Sub-Station is fast becoming a common practice in Tom Green county, the county agent reports. A total of 12,500 doses was ordered in January by ranchers.

### These Men Had Money to Burn



These employees of the Fidelity-Philadelphia Trust company are burning up \$8,000,000 of clearing house bills that were printed to enable business concerns to meet payrolls during the bank holiday of March, 1933. They were in circulation about three days. On their next trip to the furnace the men incinerated about \$26,700,000 that was printed but never put in circulation.

### The MAIL BOX

#### CONFIDENCE

To what extent are you willing to trust your fellow man. To what extent do you expect him to trust you? Just what per cent do you discount the promises made to you by others?

It is a serious matter when a man's word ceases to be as good as his signed name. Civilization has been built largely upon confidence. So closely interwoven are our human relationships that, unless we can trust each other, our future is very uncertain.

Recently a man was heard to say that the institution he represents was at one time in need of \$4000 with which to meet a very urgent obligation. The money was subscribed by six wealthy people and at the appointed time a collector went out after it. He returned with the entire amount in currency. The people's reason for keeping their money at home was that they were afraid to trust the banks. Some are suggesting that a large percentage of the vast loans now being made by our government will never be paid back; in fact, some suggest that many of the borrowers never intend to pay it back. We trust that such is not the case because such attitude tends to encourage dishonesty in the meeting of personal obligations. To wear clothes, eat food, live in a house bought on credit or to use borrowed money and to show no disposition to settle with the creditor is nothing short of gross dishonesty. If it is utterly impossible for the debtor to meet it he should not be condemned provided his intentions are good. However, he still owes the debt until it is either paid or canceled.

Very few of us can endorse Mussolini's methods of running the Italian government, but he has set all the world a fine example in acknowledging Italy's debt to the United States and proceeding to reduce it as rapidly as possible.

We heard three of our most successful ranchmen talking a few days ago. One said that about the surest way to make an enemy of a man is to loan him money and then insist upon a reasonable settlement. The other two agreed. Oppression of the poor, unjust foreclosures, excessive rents or interest are to

be condemned, but both the wealthy and the poor should take a debt seriously, otherwise the confidence upon which our relationships are built will weaken and the whole super-structure will collapse. "Honest is the best policy" is a well known proverb.

E. P. NEAL.

#### DEER BEING REMOVED TO STATE GAME PRESERVES

About 300 yearling deer have been taken out of the Kerrville country recently and transferred to state game preserves in all parts of the state. Another 150 likely will be taken this year, according to J. J. Dent, director of state game preserves, who has been at Kerrville during recent weeks supervising this work. Ranchmen cooperate in this work by catching fawns in the summer time and making pets of them. A specially built truck is used for transfer of the animals. —Kerrville Mountain Sun.

#### Telephone Company Compiling New Directory

The San Angelo Telephone Company is compiling its new spring and summer directory. Anyone wishing a phone installed, change in name or address call 100 at once. 19-2tc

### Analysis of Parents' Occupations Made

University of Texas Finds That Agriculturists Rank First

Austin, March 15.—Farmers rank first in number in a compilation of the occupations of parents of University of Texas students for 1933-34, totaling 618 and merchants next, totaling 581, according to figures compiled in the registrar's office. A total of 2,256 parents are employed in the various trades while 1,315 are professional men and women. The agriculture group shows a total of only 940.

The 243 different occupations represented are divided into ten groups. The totals for these groups are: agriculture, 940; extraction of minerals 47; manufacturing, 521; transportation, 294; trade, 2,256; public service, 441; domestic service, 400; professional, 1,315; clerical, 108; miscellaneous, 417.

#### CARD OF THANKS

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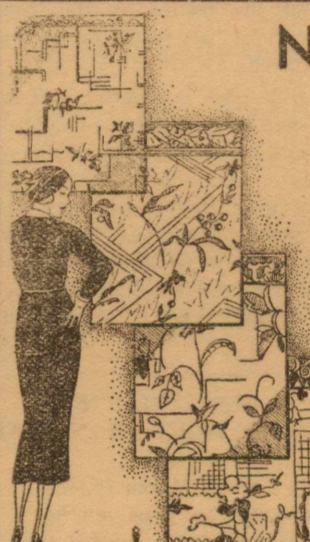
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## Sonora Motor Co.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF SUTTON

J. H. Mathews et al, plaintiffs,  
vs. Mrs. Laura DeLossie Haynes  
et al, defendants—in the 51st Judicial  
District Court of Tom Green  
county, Texas.

Whereas, by virtue of an order  
of sale issued out of the 51st Judicial  
District Court of Tom Green  
county, Texas, on a judgment rendered  
in said court on the 18th day  
of January, A. D. 1934, in favor of  
J. H. Mathews, guardian of the  
estates of Willie Mae Mathews and  
Minnie Pearl Mathews, minors, and  
Lennie Lorena Mathews Aiken and  
Edwin Aiken, plaintiffs, a n d  
against Mrs. Laura DeLossie  
Haynes, Sam L. Haynes, O. G.  
Stroud, Mrs. Lydia Whittlesey, S.  
B. Whittlesey, Clifton Stroud, Nola  
McKelvy, Martin McKelvy, Alma  
Alexander, Raymond Alexander,  
Robert Stroud, Norene Smith, H. J.  
Smith, jr., Mrs. M. M. Oates and  
John Oates, defendants, numbered  
8904-A on the docket of said court,  
I did on the 6th day of March, A. D.  
1934, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., levy  
upon the following described tracts  
or parcels of land situate in the  
counties of Sutton and Kimble,  
state of Texas, and belonging to  
the said defendants, Mrs. Laura  
DeLossie Haynes, Sam L. Haynes,  
O. G. Stroud, Mrs. Lydia Whittlesey,  
S. B. Whittlesey, Clifton  
Stroud, Nola McKelvy, Martin  
McKelvy, Alma Alexander, Raymond  
Alexander, Robert Stroud, Norene  
Smith, H. J. Smith, jr., Mrs. M. M.  
Oates and John Oates, to-wit:

Section 26, Cert. 436, W. G.  
Scales, grantee, in Sutton county,  
Texas, containing 603.6 acres of  
land and Section 6, Block A, Cert.  
1-183, GWT&PRy. Co., grantee,  
in Sutton and Kimble counties,  
Texas, containing 941.4 acres of  
land; aggregating 1548 acres and  
known as the "Stroud Ranch";  
and on the 3rd day of April, A. D.  
1934, being the first Tuesday of  
said month, between the hours of  
10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m.  
on said day at the courthouse door  
of Sutton county, Texas, said lands  
above described being for the most  
part situated in said county of Sut-  
ton, state of Texas, but partially  
situated in Kimble county, state of  
Texas, and being in a solid body, I  
will offer for sale and sell at public  
auction for cash, all the right,  
title and interest of said defendants,  
Mrs. Laura DeLossie Haynes, Sam  
L. Haynes, O. G. Stroud, Mrs. Lydia  
Whittlesey, S. B. Whittlesey, Clifton  
Stroud, Nola McKelvy, Martin  
McKelvy, Alma Alexander, Ray-  
mond Alexander, Robert Stroud,  
Norene Smith, H. J. Smith, jr.,  
Mrs. M. M. Oates and John Oates,  
in and to said property.

Dated at Sonora, Texas, this the  
6th day of March, A. D. 1934.

B. W. HUTCHERSON,  
Sheriff of Sutton county, Tex-  
as. 19-3tc

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**Advantages Given  
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**Large Fire-Proof Platter Used in  
Preparation**

A dinner cooked on one dish has  
many advantages. In the first place,  
it makes a most attractive main  
dish. In the second place, it does  
not require as much watching as  
several things cooking in several  
utensils. And in the third place,  
there are not a lot of serving dishes  
to wash afterwards.

Inez S. Wilson, home economist,  
offers these suggestions for one-  
dish dinners. A large fire-proof  
platter is the best dish to use in  
the preparation of these meals, as  
it may be taken to the table and  
the arrangement need not be dis-  
turbed.

**Platter Dinner Suggestions—Lamb  
Patty Grill**

Lamb patties are flat cakes made  
from ground lamb and wrapped  
with a piece of bacon.

Place 8 lamb patties in the center  
of the platter. Dredge with flour,  
season with salt and pepper and a  
few drops of onion juice. Core 4  
tart apples and cut in two cross-  
wise. Sprinkle the apples with cin-  
namon and a little brown sugar.  
Have boiled 4 sweet potatoes. Cut  
in two lengthwise and arrange the  
potatoes and apples around the  
lamb patties. Bake in a moderate  
oven (350d F.) until the lamb is  
done, about 30 minutes. Garnish  
the platter with sprigs of parsley.

**Baked Hash Platter**

Make the hash by combining 2  
cups chopped beef cooked with 2  
cups diced cooked potatoes, 1 small  
minced onion and 1 tablespoon  
minced green pepper. Season with  
salt and pepper and moisten with  
a little left-over gravy or milk.  
Spread in a flat cake in the center  
of the platter. Roll small new  
cooked carrots in melted butter and  
place in groups of 2 or 3 around  
the hash. Between the groups of  
carrots place hearts of celery  
which have been parboiled without  
separating into sticks. Pour melted  
butter over the celery. Bake for 35  
minutes in a hot oven (425d F.).

**Combinations Are Many**

Other combinations for this type  
of dinner are: Sliced ham, pine-  
apple slices and sweet potatoes;  
ground beef patties, sliced onion  
placed on top of each meat cake,  
medium-sized tomatoes; slices of  
beef tenderloin, slices of summer  
squash, parboiled and dipped in  
melted butter, thick slices of pota-  
toes which have been partially  
cooked, dotted with butter and  
sprinkled with grated cheese.

A crisp vegetable salad and a  
simple dessert will complete a very  
satisfactory, palatable and easily  
prepared dinner.

**Planked Steak**

One porterhouse steak, 6 medium  
sized potatoes, 3 large tomatoes,  
1 head cauliflower, cooked, 3 table-  
spoons butter, parsley minced, salt,  
pepprika, 3 tablespoons cheese,  
grated.

Trim off superfluous fat. Sear  
steak on both sides in a hot skillet  
or on the broiler. Cook for about 15  
minutes, turning occasionally. Oil  
a heated plank, place the steak on  
the plank and pile a border of pota-  
toes around it. Cut tomatoes in  
half crosswise, sprinkle with grated  
cheese and dot with butter. Ar-  
range these around the steak in-  
side the border of potatoes. Ar-  
range the flowerets of cooked but-  
tered cauliflower on the plank. The  
vegetables and steak should entire-  
ly cover the board. Place the plank  
in the oven until the potato border  
is browned and the tomato slices  
are tender. Upon removing the  
steak from the oven, spread it with  
butter into which has been worked  
some minced parsley, salt and pap-  
rika. Garnish the plank with tufts  
of parsley.

West Texas Garden in December!  
Mereta, March 15.—What? No  
gardens in West Texas? Mrs. W.  
M. Whitfield, a food demonstrator  
in the Mereta Home Demonstration  
Club, in Tom Green county, had 15  
varieties of vegetables growing in  
her garden on December 13th.

Blue Eagle Stickers in 2 colors  
at \$1.25 per thousand at THE  
NEWS.

**PERSONALS**

Miss Mae Cauthorn was home  
from Baylor University to spend  
last week-end with her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. J. A. Cauthorn. She was  
accompanied home by Miss Emer-  
ald Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Heinze  
have returned from Miles, where  
Mr. Heinze has been recuperating  
from a major operation. He has  
resumed his duties in the First  
National Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Halbert, ac-  
companied by Mrs. A. C. Elliott and  
Mrs. Marshall Huling, left Satur-  
day for Fort Worth where they  
were joined by Mr. Huling. They  
attended the Fat Stock Show.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Stallings and  
Mrs. Howard Peters of Big Spring  
visited Mrs. Rena Trainer and fam-  
ily recently. Miss Dee Trainer,  
who recently completed a business  
college course in San Antonio, re-  
turned to Big Spring with the vis-  
itors.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Taylor stopped  
here Tuesday for a visit with rel-  
atives. They were on their way from  
Fort Worth to their home in Cline.  
While in Fort Worth Mr. Taylor  
took part in the rodeo contests of  
the Southwestern Exposition and  
Fat Stock Show.

**Four Brothers Plan  
Raise Sheep on Big  
Scale in East Texas**

**Married Ex-Service Men Without  
Children to Be Employed  
as Herders**

Weslaco, March 15.—The sheep  
industry is to be introduced into  
east Texas and western Louisiana  
according to R. V. Smythe one of  
four brothers who for many years  
have carried on sheep raising in  
six northwestern states.

Mr. Smythe was in Houston re-  
cently and told of plans being made  
by himself and his three brothers  
for establishing a major sheep in-  
dustry in San Augustine, Angelina,  
Sabine, Jasper, Tyler and Newton  
counties, as well as adjacent west-  
ern Louisiana parishes.

Headquarters will be at San Au-  
gustine, and B. C. Smythe will be  
in charge of the project.

About 100 herders will be em-  
ployed at the outset, and only ex-  
service men married and without  
children will be considered, Mr.  
Smythe said.

Twenty-nine thousand acres are  
now under lease, and additional  
land will be either leased or pur-  
chased.

Australian sheep will be used ex-  
clusively, the brothers having im-  
ported and bred these sheep in the  
northwest for years.

"We will have 15,000 sheep on  
the ground by May 1," Mr. Smythe  
said, "and by the end of the year  
we expect to have around 35,000."

He explained that two years ago  
he and his brothers brought 200  
head of sheep to east Texas and  
experimented with them.

"We found that we could get two  
shearings a year," he said, "while  
in the northwest we could get only  
one, as we have to leave the wool  
on the sheep to protect them from  
the intense cold during the winter."

The four brothers at this time  
have close to 40,000 head, but at  
the outset only young sheep will be  
moved to east Texas.

The brothers at present are oper-  
ating in Montana, Wyoming, Ne-  
vada, Idaho, Oregon and Utah.

**70-YEAR-OLD \$10 BILL  
NOT LEGAL TENDER TODAY**

Marietta, O., March 9.—A \$10  
bill issued 70 years ago when Jeff  
Davis set up his government in the  
Confederate States appeared in cir-  
culation here and brought a \$200  
fine to a woman who passed it in a  
5-and-10-cent store.

Mrs. Vada G. Callender, 21, who  
said she was from Zanesville, used  
the Confederate note to purchase  
several small articles. The clerk  
accepted the bill but learned from  
a local bank that it was not legal  
tender.

The court suspended the fine  
against Mrs. Callender on condi-  
tion that she leave the city.

Scouts to Dedicate New Home  
Menard, March 15.—The Boy  
Scouts of America troop here will  
soon dedicate their Scout cabin,  
located near the courthouse. It is  
built of rock and concrete and will  
be near an excellent swimming  
place in the San Saba river. Scout  
officials declare that it will be the  
best Scout home in the Concho Val-  
ley area.

**Ranch Borrowers  
to Be Urged to Pay  
Dues to Association**

**Sheep and Goat Raisers Decide to  
Use Rangers to Protect  
Ranch Property**

Opposition to a lowering of tariff  
rates and disapproval of the  
adoption by the state railroad com-  
mission of a carrier's recommenda-  
tion on carlot livestock shipments  
was voiced in resolutions adopted  
at the meeting in Sonora last  
Thursday of the executive commit-  
tee of the Sheep and Goat Raisers'  
Association.

The meeting was in charge of  
T. A. Kincaid of Ozona, president  
of the association, and was attended  
by about twenty-five West Texas  
ranchmen. Special guests were Dr.  
A. B. Conner, director, and Dr. H.  
Schmidt, veterinarian, of the Texas  
Experiment Station at College Sta-  
tion.

The stationing of state rangers  
at various points over the state to  
protect property of both ranchmen  
and shearers was suggested and  
approved by the executive com-  
mittee. The officers would be subject  
to the call of Mr. Kincaid.

H. M. Phillips, San Angelo, pub-  
lisher of the Co-Operator, new sec-  
retary of the association, succeeding  
Bright Baggett of Ozona, was in-  
structed to write financing insti-  
tutions asking them to urge their  
borrowers to pay their dues to the  
association.

Other resolutions approved at  
the quarterly meeting were: oppo-  
sition to a congressional bill under  
consideration which might set defi-  
nite rates on carlot livestock ship-  
ments; approval and appreciation  
of the work being done at the  
Ranch Experiment Station near  
Sonora.

Among the ranchmen and busi-  
ness men attending were the fol-  
lowing:  
G. R. Pepper, Capt. Reick and J.  
S. Farmer of Junction; Sol and  
E. S. Mayer, Abe Mayer, Walter T.  
Spears and H. C. Noelke, San An-

**DEL RIO CELEBRATION BY  
FIRE DEPT. MEMBERS**

Del Rio, March 16.—Annual fron-  
tier day celebration and "49" show  
of the Del Rio Volunteer Fire De-  
partment will be staged April  
5-6-7, it was decided at a meeting  
of members last week.

The celebration will be opened  
with a parade for which practically  
every business house on Main  
Street has signed to place an entry,  
Chief Henry Arfman stated.

**CITY MANAGER PETITION  
LACKS REQUIRED SIGNERS**

Del Rio March 16.—The city  
council at a recent session tabled  
the petition asking for a city man-  
ager form of government, under  
consideration by the council since  
the last regular meeting.

A written opinion presented by  
City Attorney Phil B. Foster esti-  
mated around 2,000 qualified voters  
for the city. Ten per cent of this  
number would have had to sign to  
call a special election for amend-  
ment to the charter, providing for  
the city manager form of govern-  
ment, the opinion pointed out. An  
examination of the petition re-  
vealed 140 qualified voters to have  
signed the petition.

**Junction Boy Elected President**

At a meeting of the district as-  
sociation of the Future Farmers of  
America in San Angelo last week  
George Robert Pepper of Junction  
was elected president. The organi-  
zation is made up of vocational  
agricultural pupils in this section  
of West Texas. In May when voca-  
tional agriculture instructors meet  
in San Angelo the boys will have  
another meeting.

gelo; J. W. and W. W. White, Mas-  
son; H. M. Phillips, San Angelo;  
B. E. Wilson, Juno; J. T. Baker  
and Marsh Lea, Fort Stockton;  
Massie West and T. A. Kincaid,  
Ozona; V. A. Brown, O. L. Nealy  
and Joe F. Brown, Rocksprings;  
Judge Whitten, Eldorado; C. B.  
Wardlaw, Del Rio; Virgil Powell,  
T. A. Bond, Fred T. Earwood and  
W. B. Whitehead, Sonora.

**D.A.R. Women Give  
Girl's Scholarship**

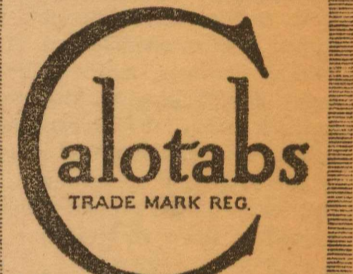
**Junior or Senior U. of T. Student  
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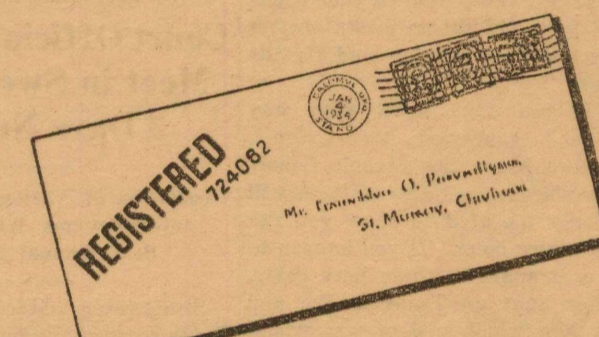

Austin, March 15.—The commit-  
tee on award of the Daughters of  
the American Revolution is now re-  
ceiving applications for the schol-  
arship for girls maintained by this  
organization at the University of  
Texas, according to Mrs. Boyd  
Wells, chairman of the committee.

The scholarship carries an an-  
nual stipend of approximately  
\$300, which just about covers  
the cost of room and board at the  
Woman's Building, university dor-  
mitory. The D. A. R. has set aside  
and furnished a room in the build-  
ing for the holder of the scholar-  
ship.

In granting the award, the com-  
mittee will consider the scholarship,  
health and interest in student ac-  
tivities proffered by the applicants,  
who must be of junior or senior  
standing in the university. Each  
application must be accompanied by  
three letters of recommendation.  
The holder of the scholarship for  
the current year is Miss Evelyn  
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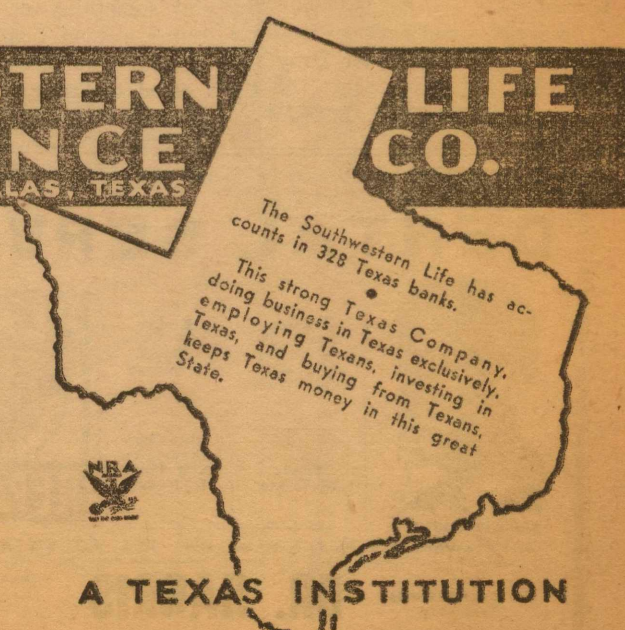
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Cost of Owning Car Grows Year by Year

Taxation in 1933 Reaches New Peak—\$50.47 Per Auto

There are said to be 19 different classes of taxes affecting the automobile, including federal and state gasoline taxes, personal property taxes, license taxes and others.

In 1933 taxation of the automobile and its use reached an all-time peak, the American Automobile Association estimated that it returned to the federal government, states and localities the enormous sum of \$1,100,000,000.

As motorists paid last year about \$517,000,000 in gasoline taxes alone the oil industry was heavily burdened.

A halt has been called in the rapid rise of the state gasoline tax, which affords no relief but at least holds out the hope that the maximum has been reached.

Army Post Payroll Well Guarded by US

Great Care Taken to Protect Funds for Fort Clark Soldiers

Del Rio.—"Uncle Sam" takes no chances when he comes here for around \$12,000 each month with which to pay off his troops at Fort Clark.

Armed military police guard entrances and form an escort into the Del Rio National Bank where the \$12,000 is counted out in silver bank notes.

Because of its isolation from other cities and the fact that only three highways leave Del Rio, bank officials say it very improbable that a holdup would ever be attempted here.

Aviator a Sonora Visitor Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wallace and son stopped in Sonora Saturday night at Hotel McDonald on their way by automobile from San Antonio to Chanute Field, Ill.

NOTICE

Bus service between Del Rio and Sonora has been resumed, effective March 1st.

Passengers and package business appreciated. Call Corner Drug for information. 18-4tp VIRGE M. BOWEN.

TWO-FOLD BENEFIT SECURED

It has often been proven that civic projects of any nature may result in a good work wholly unanticipated.

The flood control project may be considered such a case. There is no doubt about the value of the work being done to prevent property damage in time of high water.

It is to be hoped that in some manner the work may be completed although the active participation of the Civil Works Administration ends this month.

The civic appearance of Sonora has profited from the work. Many citizens have taken advantage of the opportunity of getting rich soil for their yards, shrubbery and flowers.

It speaks well for a town when its citizens grasp every chance to improve their homes and business houses by adding a bit of beauty that circumstances have made available at small cost.

Devil's Dream

(By W. E. James)

ABOUT THIS TIME O' YEAR

"Life soon becomes a hum-drum existence if a feller sticks to one thing too long, or stays at home, never getting beyond his own front gate," remarked Col. Esaias Izadias Whiffletree to a crowd of corner loafers.

"Let's do a little stirring 'round. This is the time of year when spring fever is ready to attack unsuspecting victims. Everyone should be prepared for these attacks, especially when one is susceptible to sudden seizures.

"If you don't know your way 'round," continued the Colonel, "Sonora has a few chronic fishermen who do, and any of them will be only too glad to show you the best water holes. If you happen to be a stranger in these here parts, better hunt up Two-Gun Ike and ask him which one of 'em would be the safest to make an initial trip with, to keep out of danger.

"A few summers ago I lay on the banks of the Llano one holiday (not Sunday, either), with my head pilowed upon an arm (my arm), with legs crossed as to form a crotch to hold my fishin' pole, while I kept an eye on the cork, counting the bobbles while a tiny minnow tried its derndest to swallow a worm.

"Now and then, from downstream, I could hear a splash which sounded like rocks being cast into the water. I thought to myself, 'now who in tarnation sin is tryin' to run all the minnows out'n this hole.' You see, I wanted to feed all the little fishes in the river to keep them from going to bed on an empty stomach.

"The splashes kept gettin' closer and closer. Finally, from downstream came a voice as of one cussin' something or other. From 'round a bend I spied a big black hat, out from under which an arm seemed to swing as if to throw a ball, then two hands held high in

the air were buisily winding, winding. The hat would tip back, a splutter of amber-colored liquid would shoot up, out and over, to fall kersplat on the limpid waters. Then a gurgling voice would utter, 'Darn yore perty hide; I got yer that time.'

"Bolt upright I sat, mouth wide open and eyes staring, fascinated by the unusual sight of a hat deliberately floatin' an' a fishin' right there before me.

"Well, sir," Col. Whiffletree declared, "I was seein' things, altho I had drunk nothin' all day but Llano river water, and decided it was time to move on. Jest as I was priming myself to get up speed for the take-off, another fisherman showed up along side, and yelled at the hat, 'Say, feller, had any luck today?'

"The hat nodded up and down, then began to rise out of the water, bankward, and in a few moments my mystery was solved. The hat belonged to an Izaak Walton, all right, with rubber boots an' all, an' 'round his waist was tied a gunny sack which contained the law's limit of as pretty a string of trout as I ever set eyes on.

"An' that's the reason, so Two-Gun Ike says, you'll shorely get drowned if you try to follow Tom Driskell in a fishin' bout."

Court Officials Will Meet in Sweetwater 3 Days Next Week

Discussion of Various Governmental Problems Will Feature Semi-Annual Sessions

Sweetwater, March 15.—West Texas county governing bodies will discuss their governmental problems when the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association convenes here for their semi-annual convention on March 22, 23 and 24.

County Judge Charles Lewis, in charge of local arrangements, states that program and entertainment features have been worked out in detail. Responses from members throughout West Texas and a general interest in tax, road and relief matters points to an unusually large attendance.

The convention will open Thursday afternoon with an old-fashioned West Texas Chuck Wagon dinner at City Park. This will be followed by a dance, one of the series of dances and banquets to be tendered the visitors during their three-day stay.

Discussion of their problems by outstanding members of the association will occupy a large part of the program. Among those who will speak are: the Hon. John T. Marrs, county judge, Wichita county, who will discuss "A Revision of the Present Tax Laws in Texas"; Hon. Phillip Younge, county judge of Dawson county will discuss "The Relation of the Commissioners' Court to the Civil Works Administration Program."

Judge E. L. Pitts, Lubbock, president of the association, has invited a number of prominent speakers to address the association on a variety of subjects. "Texas Prison System; Its Present and Future Policy" will be presented by Hon. Lee Simmons, Huntsville, manager of the Texas prison system. "State Highway Construction in West Texas" will be discussed by Hon. W. R. Ely, member of the state highway commission, Abilene.

Other speakers will include Hon. Edgar Witt, Lt. Governor of Texas, Waco; James V. Allred, attorney general, Austin; Hon. Walter C. Woodward, state senator, Coleman; and Judge J. E. Hickman, Chief Justice Court of Civil Appeals, 11th district, Eastland.

35 YEARS AGO

Among the news items and advertisements which proved interesting to subscribers of "Devil's River News" in the issue of March 18, 1899 are these:

T. J. Murphy, a newspaper man formerly of San Angelo and Ozona arrived in Sonora Monday and has taken charge of the Courier with Ed. Dodson as partner.

An advertisement of whiskey as "merchandise" by the Corner Saloon, San Angelo, declared it to be "the finest article that has ever sailed over the San Angelo bars. No headaches guaranteed."

Clark & Green, the well-drillers got a good well of water for Tom Wilson in the Juno country, at a depth of 254 feet. They are now drilling for G. W. Whitehead's sons.

The NEWS is indebted to Chas. F. Mayer, representative of the San Antonio Brewing Association, brewers of the celebrated XXX Pearl beer, for a bottle of the "crathur" from the Ranch Saloon of which Jud Swearingen is proprietor, for the purpose of assisting in the celebration of the 17th of March. Mr. Mayer as is well known is a true born Irishman from Palestine.

Bill McKee, the jolly sheepman from the Juno country was in Sonora Monday, after a carload of supplies.

Scouters' Express Gratitude to Baker

Committee, Boys, Mothers Praise Work of Former Chairman

As a means of showing their appreciation of the work of George Baker as chairman of the troop committee for the Sonora troop of Boy Scouts of America the ten members last week addressed the following tribute to Mr. Baker whose resignation was accepted Monday night:

"In accepting your resignation, we, the undersigned scouters, feel obligated to offer this written appreciation for the services you have rendered in the past two years as our troop committee chairman.

"We realize that your aggressiveness has made, and kept up, an active committee; that your loyalty to your official duties and to the troop, has inspired us to assume more conscientiously the responsibilities of our individual offices; and that your cheerful co-operation has made our work pleasant and successful. We are grateful to you for the sense of accomplishment we realize when we look back, with pride, to the record and progress made under your leadership.

"We wish to thank, also, Mrs. Baker, who encouraged you by unselfishly denying herself the pleasure of your company in the many hours you might have spent at home, but spent instead, working with us and the boys. May the future hold the best of health and happiness for both of you.

"In conclusion, we hope that in your new home you will find time to continue your services to this great movement of making boys physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight, of making future citizens in whom we can intrust the future of our great people and nation."

Those whose names were signed to the tribute were: J. M. Puckett, O. G. Babcock, George E. Smith, C. H. Jennings, W. R. Nisbet, John Eaton, R. S. Covey, Roy E. Aldwell, R. D. Trainer and A. W. Awalt.

Mothers of the boys of Troop 19 presented Mr. and Mrs. Baker with a number of gifts as a means of



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showing their gratitude for the work he has done with their sons during the last two years.

Professor Decides Who May Be Blamed

Simplified Spelling Advocate Voices His Opinions

Washington, March 15.—You can trace "our silly spelling" to a bunch of foreigners who didn't know the English language and, perhaps, agree with Dr. DeWitt C. Croissant, head of the English department of George Washington University and an advocate of simplified spelling.

Doctor Croissant, in an address here blamed William the Conqueror, who brought a crowd of Frenchmen into England, and another William, Caxton, the first English printer, who imported Dutch printers and "made confusion worse confounded." The Dutchmen put the h in "ghost" and o-u-g-h in "through."

Then Doctor Johnson with the first English dictionary "embalmed this hodgepodge," Doctor Croissant said.

He saw no reason why "beauty" is more beautiful than "buty," and in general he felt that as a result of complexity and confusion English spelling is approaching the Chinese ideographic system—in many schools, he said, pupils don't study the alphabet and learn words as pictures.

His definition of present day spelling: It is "unhistorical, unscientific, unscholarly, unnatural, unreasonable and uneconomical."

Doctor Croissant doesn't like it.

Official Notice of Meeting

To all Retailers: in BUILDERS SUPPLY INDUSTRY, RETAIL LUMBER, LUMBER PRODUCTS, BUILDING MATERIALS AND BUILDING SPECIALTIES INDUSTRY.

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You are hereby notified of and invited to attend.

WALLACE MILLER, District Chairman of District 23 of Division No. 23. 20-1tc

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that on the first Tuesday in April, the same being the third day of April, 1934, an election will be held in the city of Sonora at the courthouse, for the purpose of electing a mayor and two commissioners.

J. C. Stephen will preside as judge. Polls will open at eight a. m. and close at seven p. m.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 1st day of March, 1934.

W. C. GILMORE, Mayor. V. F. HAMILTON, Com. ALFRED SCHWIENING, Commissioner. GEO. E. SMITH, Sec.

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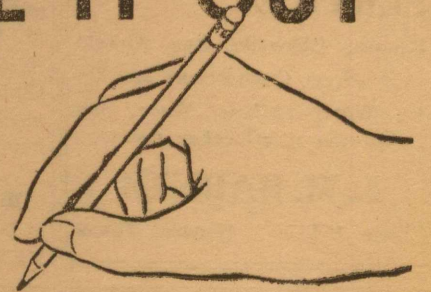
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## Society Notes

FAYE JAMES, Society Editor

### INTER-COUNTY COUNCIL GROUP HAS INTERESTING PROGRAM SAT.

The Inter-County Council of the Parent-Teacher Associations of Sutton, Irion and Crockett counties met in the high school auditorium Saturday with an attendance of thirty-six, including three delegates from Ozona, three from Mertzon and three from the Mexican P. T. A.

The program was centered around the general subject of "Leadership." R. S. Covey, as the main speaker of the morning session, gave a talk on this subject.

Other high points of the morning meeting were the reports of the local presidents or delegates in which the work of the member associations was summarized.

At the afternoon session Mrs. S. T. Gilmore, state chairman of Thrift, spoke on "How to Become a Standard Parent-Teacher Association."

Mrs. Gilmore explained that the rating as a "Standard Association" is merely a yardstick for measuring an association's work. The Sonora organization was awarded the grade of "Superior Standard" last year—the highest honor that a Parent-Teacher Association can be given. Mrs. Gilmore cited the steps through which Sonora achieved the certificate of "Superior Standing," and pointed out that the organization now has seven life memberships. One other life membership will be pledged at the district meeting in Abilene.

After Mrs. Gilmore's lecture, Mrs. Fred Smith of Mertzon gave a reading, "The First Settler's Story," by Will Carlton.

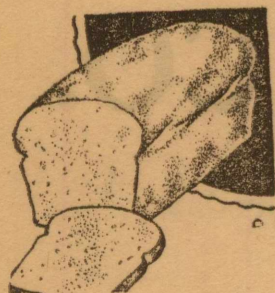
F. T. Jones, principal of the Mexican school, reported concerning the work of the Mexican P. T. A. in Sonora. This group met and organized in September, and is now a wide-awake organization boasting 63 members with 15 national members. Mrs. Urias, a faithful worker, is the president. The association has accomplished a number of worth while projects; it has provided toxoid and serums for the children and has instituted and managed a soup kitchen or food line at the school, serving nutritious food each noon to underprivileged children; about \$80 has been spent for work books and school equipment.

Mrs. W. A. Kay of Mertzon, the sixth district vice-president, gave a thoughtful and informative talk on "P. T. A. Problems." Later she conducted, with the help of Mrs. S. T. Gilmore, a question box concerning problems that may come up in a P. T. A.

The nominating committee sub-

DENTAL HEALTH WEEK  
March 19-24

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### Dental Health Week Begins March 19

County Health Nurse to Assist in Dental Clinic

Dental Health Week opens Monday with the slogan, "Make Texas Teeth Conscious."

In observance of this week Mrs. Lois Landrum, county health nurse, will conduct a dental clinic under the direction of Dr. Tom White, dentist. The school children will have their teeth examined at the schools with special arrangements available for their attention.

Mrs. Landrum has enlisted the co-operation of the school authorities. The essay and poster contests will be interesting to the school children. The winning ones will be sent to the state dental convention. La Vista Theater will run slides pertaining to dental health. Through the co-operation of drug and grocery stores dental supplies and articles used for the care of the teeth will be on display in their windows during the week.

As a part of her regular work Mrs. Landrum recently has vaccinated 91 Mexican children and given toxoids to ten.

### METHODIST YOUNG PEOPLE GUESTS-OZONA LEAGUE

The members of the Epworth League of the Methodist church were guests of the Ozona league Sunday night.

After a supper served in banquet style an interesting program was given by the Sonora league. The main topic of the program was "Finding One's Life Work."

Attending the meeting were the Misses Nina Roueche, Clovis Neal, Ches Thorp, Wilma Hutcherson, Bobbie Halbert, Nora Gilliam, Maurine Phillips, Johnnie Allison and Messrs. Cleveland Jones, Pug Roueche, V. J. Glasscock, Lem Eriel Johnson, Wesley Sawyer, Kenneth Babcock; Mesdames B. W. Hutcherson, L. E. Johnson, Maysie Brown, M. O. Birt and the Rev. E. P. Neal.

### B. Y. P. U. Announces Program

The Baptist Young People's Union will have the following program Sunday: "Christ Is Eternal" by Ruth Freeman; "The Scriptures Teach That Christ Is the Medium of Creation," Mora Lee Meckel; "Through Him the Physical Universe Was Made," Leslie Nance; "Through Jesus Christ Life Was Created," Mrs. F. T. Jones, and "Christ Is Creator of Spiritual Realities" by Marion Parker.

### MRS. E. F. VANDER STUCKEN IS CONTRACT HOSTESS

The Monday Contract Club was entertained by Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken at her home this week.

High score went to Mrs. Clara Murphy. Members attending were: Mesdames A. G. Blanton, S. R. Hull, Murphy and the hostess.

### Club Executive Thru Sonora

Mrs. Joseph Perkins of Eastland, the 6th district president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, passed through Sonora Monday enroute to Ozona.

mitted names of the present officers to be re-elected for next year, with the exception of the president, Mrs. J. L. Bishop of Ozona, who had resigned the office.

Officers are:  
President—Mrs. W. A. Kay, Ozona.

Vice-president—Mrs. W. C. Warren, Sonora.

Secretary—Mrs. Clint Shaw of Barnhart.

Treasurer—Mrs. Fred Smith of Mertzon.

Parliamentarian—Mrs. S. T. Gilmore, Sonora.

Mertzon will be the next hostess city the latter part of April or the first of May. It was voted that from now on the date of meeting will be left up to the hostess city.

### Senate Ladies Sew for Red Cross



The United States senate ladies sew every Tuesday in the Senate Office building for the American Red Cross. Here, left to right, are: Mrs. Warren F. Austin of Vermont, Mrs. John N. Garner, wife of the Vice President; Miss Lydia Townsend of Delaware, daughter of Senator Townsend; Mrs. Morris Sheppard of Texas; Mrs. Walter F. George of Georgia, and Mrs. James J. Davis of Pennsylvania.

### Life of Beethoven Subject Club Study

Miss Aileen Swafford Hostess to Music Study Club

The Sonora Music Study Club met at the home of Mrs. O. G. Babcock Wednesday evening with Miss Aileen Swafford as hostess. Roll call was answered with the names of the authors presented this season and last season.

After the business meeting, in which the club discussed further the plans for the St. Patrick's Day tea, Miss Ruth Tipton opened the program with a resume of Beethoven's life. Miss Marie Watkins spoke of the works of Beethoven. She compared the chief characteristics of his works. Miss Watkins played a record of the 1st and 2nd movements of the Beethoven "Symphony in C Minor." A further discussion of Beethoven will be given at the next meeting.

Following a parliamentary talk by Miss Tipton, the hostess served ice cream and cake to these members: Mesdames N. S. Patterson, O. G. Babcock, and the Misses Watkins, Tipton, Elizabeth Francis, Elizabeth Caldwell, Thelma Rees, Merle Draper and Gertrude Babcock.

The next regular meeting will be held March 28.

### P.T.A. MAGAZINE DEVOTES ISSUE TO HIGH SCHOOL

Washington, D. C., March 15.—Now that our public high schools are much in the minds of parents and educators as result of the recent national survey of these schools, and a notable change in the social order, the March issue of Child Welfare, the National Parent-Teacher magazine, opens a high school P. T. A. symposium.

"What the Students Want from the High School," "Points for High School Parent-Teacher Associations" and "Educators Indorse the High School P. T. A.," are titles of three of the articles in the symposium. Dr. Harold D. Meyer, professor of Sociology, University of North Carolina; Charles A. Lee, state superintendent of schools, Missouri, and John A. Norton, principal, Monroe Junior High School, Duluth, Minn., are among the contributors.

### Y. W. M. with Mrs. Awalt

Mrs. A. W. Awalt was hostess to the Young Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church at her home Wednesday of last week. The theme of the program was: "Missionaries and Outstanding Women of Methodism." A special vocal number was given by Mesdames J. C. Stephen, A. P. Prater and Awalt.

### Menard Woman to Be Guest

Mrs. J. M. Coleman of Menard will be honor guest of the Sonora Art Club at their special meeting Saturday. Mrs. Coleman is bringing her personal exhibit to be shown to the members of the club. She will be the guest of Mrs. W. R. Nisbet while in Sonora.

### T.D.C. Rehearsing "Ice Bound"

A play entitled "Ice Bound," by Owen Davis, has been cast by the Thirteen Dramatic Club. Rehearsals began Tuesday night. The date of presentation has not yet been decided.

### PERSONALS

W. R. Cusenbary was in town from the ranch Wednesday.

Edgar Shurley left Monday to attend the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Aldwell motored to San Angelo Wednesday.

B. H. Cusenbary was in town from the ranch Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Wilson left Tuesday for Fort Worth to attend the Fat Stock Show.

Mrs. A. J. Smith accompanied Lem Eriel Johnson and Miss Ora Altizer to San Angelo Monday.

Mrs. O. G. Babcock and daughters, Gertrude and Edith May, and Miss Marie Watkins were visitors in San Angelo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Eaton, San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Eaton, Eldorado, spent Sunday in Sonora as guests of Mrs. Lois Landrum.

### Former U.T. Student Gets Enviably Task

"Covers" First Lady's Activities on Porto Rican Trip

Austin, March 15.—Miss Ruby A. Black, former University of Texas student and an experienced newspaper reporter, has received an assignment that any newspaper man or woman would cherish long in memory. She is accompanying Mrs. Roosevelt, wife of President Roosevelt, on her rail and airplane trip from Washington to Porto Rico and the Virgin Islands, as correspondent for the United Press, which serves hundreds of newspapers of the United States and other countries. Miss Black is a graduate of the University of Texas, where she was an outstanding student of journalism. Her home was at Rosebud, Falls county.

Blue Eagle Stickers in 2 colors at \$1.25 per thousand at THE NEWS.

### MISS BEAVELY REILEY AND PARTY MOTOR TO ANGELO

Miss Beavely Reiley was hostess to a party of friends who motored to San Angelo Tuesday of last week to attend the American Federation of Arts exhibit.

Those in the party were the Misses Lois Daniel, Florine Reiley, Elizabeth Caldwell, Mrs. E. A. Bode and the hostess.

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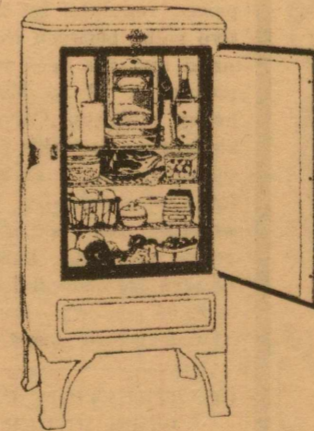
—Recall "Gold Diggers" and "42nd Street" and you'll be sure to see this one!

### When You Discuss Electrical Appliances . . . .

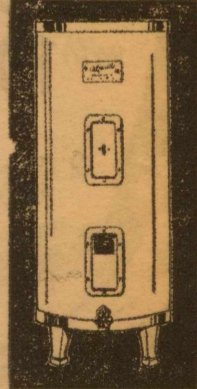
What are the most important operations of your home?



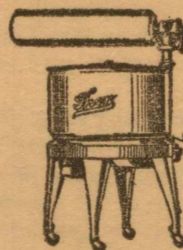
Modern homemakers all agree on these!



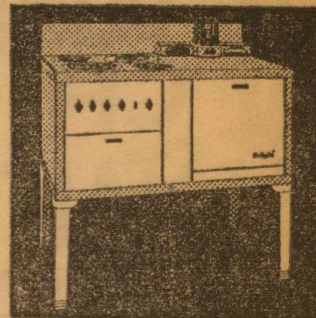
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**Construction Started on Motor Building**

**Ford Motor Co. to Have Mammoth Display at Chicago Fair**

Dallas, March 15.—The general contract for erection of the Ford Exposition building at the Chicago World's Fair has been awarded, it was announced today by C. B. Osterlander, manager of the Dallas branch of the Ford Motor Company.

Construction work is to be completed before June 1. Fourteen hundred tons of steel will be used in the building, which will be 900 feet long and rise to 110 feet at its highest point in a huge central rotunda.

Specifications call for 700,000 square feet of fire-resistant wall board, 1,600,000 feet of lumber, 5000 yards of concrete and 160,000 square feet of tile flooring. The entire space for industrial exhibits will be skylighted.

Large quantities of chromium metal work will be used in both the interior and exterior embellishments, in line with the conservatively modernistic motif of the architecture. Fifteen bids were received. The three lowest were so close that two days were spent in conference between Ford officials and bidders before the award was finally made in the offices of Albert Kahn, Detroit architect.

The Ford building, which is to be one of the largest at the 1934 A Century of Progress will be situated on an 11-acre tract with a frontage of 1100 feet on Lake Michigan. A five-acre park on the lake shore is a part of the general project, though this was not included in today's contract.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to take this method of thanking the people of Sonora for their great kindness during the last hours and passing of our darling baby.

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**DEBT ADJUSTMENT COM. CONFERENCE IN ANGELO**

Addresses by M. G. Abernathy, Lubbock, district supervisor of the Farm Debt Conciliation Committee, and by Mr. Gabler, special investigator for the Farm Credit Administration, Washington, were features of a meeting in San Angelo Wednesday afternoon of all committee members in the San Angelo division.

R. E. Taylor is chairman in Sutton county. Other members are H. V. Stokes and Bryan Hunt. The committee serves as a county mediator and adjuster between loan companies and borrowers who are in danger of foreclosure proceedings.

Mr. Taylor was the only one of the county committee able to attend the meeting.

**CARELESS THIEVES LEFT 10 FINGERPRINTS ON GLASS**

Thieves who stole approximately \$150 worth dead wool from a wool warehouse in Eldorado Thursday night of last week were careful in some ways but careless in others.

To gain entrance they removed a window pane from the storage place. After they had secured the wool they replaced the glass. Ten fingerprints were found and careful examination of these may result in their apprehension.

J. E. Grimland, justice of the peace and fingerprint expert, was called to Eldorado Friday morning where he took pictures of the fingerprints and made other investigations which may result in capture of those who stole the wool.

**Clerks Meeting in Fort Worth**

County and district clerks from all over Texas are meeting in Fort Worth today and tomorrow to discuss problems arising in connection with their duties. J. D. Lowrey, county clerk, will not be able to attend this year.

Classified ads will get a buyer,

**Livestock Notes**

By ROY K. SANSOM

A review of the eleven central markets show prices on the great bulk of fed cattle to be strong and active, rather than a quothably higher market over the slump two weeks ago. The good heavy thick-fat steers are the exception, however, for they have shown some appreciable advance, an evidence of a growing scarcity of these kinds and are gradually closing the considerable price gap that has for six months existed between the good light beef and these heavies. The sheep men continue to bask in the smiles of the favored few but the scrap over the \$2.25 tax of the hog process plan, between the Packers and the Powers that be, set hog prices back 50 to 75 cents per cwt, and has continued into a stagnation with little of this loss regained. All the hog talent insist, and a good many cattlemen say, that unless hog prices show an advance of \$1.50 to \$2 per cwt. we can expect no very material improvement over existing cattle prices—because of the fact that dressed beef is now competitively sandwiched in between cheap pork, poultry, etc., and the higher prices of mutton. Who knows?

Fort Worth holds the eye of the whole southwest with our Fat Stock Show. The folks are here from all over and its the biggest crowd for many years. The exhibits are well beyond those of recent years. The rodeo is wild enough for anybody from anybody's country. The horse show has the class and distinction that can only come from representation of the equine aristocracy of the whole middle west.

Fed steers were in prominence and packers tried to shave prices at the opening, but didn't get very much done. They sometimes try this account of fat show cattle and the club calves that naturally gravitate to them at the close of the show. The practical top on bulk of yearling stuff is around \$6 with bulk of sales on good kinds of all weights in a range of \$5 to \$5.75. Good South Texas grass steers \$3.75 to \$4 with the common kinds around \$3. A spirited demand for all good stocker cattle and more country stocker sales in Texas in the past 30 days than for three months previous.

Cow prices on the cutter kinds have been rather a sad affair since Uncle Sam quit buying them. They are 50 to 75 cents lower and now selling in the notch value above canners, instead of right up against fat cows as they were. No news yet in regard to a government order but if they didn't get into another "jawing" match we should know something definite in the right near future. Fat cows fully steady at \$3 to \$3.50; good cows \$2.50 to \$2.75; fair cows \$2 to \$2.25; cutters \$1.50 to \$1.75 and canners \$1 to \$1.25. An exceptional demand for heifers at active prices, regulated by their competitive value between the stocker demand and the beef values. Bulls steady at \$2 to \$2.35 for good heavy weights. Calves active on kinds more desirable for killers and selling generally at \$4.50 to \$5.50 for choice milk-fed of attractive weights. All good stock calves in active demand. Real thin, light Jerseys are dead dull at nothing up to \$2.00 per cwt.—Royk.  
(Courtesy Nat. Livestock Com. Co.)

**CONSTRUCTION, PAINTING WORK UNDER WAY HERE**

Construction of 100 feet of 5-foot concrete sidewalk was started this week by Wm. Cameron and Co. in front of its yard and salesroom-office.

Decorating and painting work both inside and out is included in the firm's plans as well as the building of 350 square feet of concrete at the rear of the office to serve as storage space for wire and steel.

**RANCH NEAR BRACKETT SOLD TO SPOFFORD MAN**

L. S. Toft of San Antonio has sold his ranch seven miles east of Brackett to H. J. Toft of Spofford. The ranch is well watered and extensively improved. It contains approximately 14,000 acres. No price was reported but it is believed to be around \$10 per acre. This is the second large ranch deal in the month. Floyd Earwood recently sold his ranch holdings to Raymond Earwood of Rocksprings.—Brackett News.

**Scenes and Persons in the Current News**



1—President and Mrs. Roosevelt paying tribute to Washington at the tomb near Mount Vernon. 2—New York city children parading to the city hall to demand protection against fire hazards and strict enforcement of the tenement house laws. 3—Henry Pu-yi, who was crowned emperor of Manchukuo under the name Kang Teh.

**Educators Tell of Schools' Progress**

**New Book Will Describe Place of School System in Society**

Washington, D. C., March 15.—A work entitled Our Public Schools will be published soon by the National Congress of Parents and Teachers. The answers to such questions as, How did American public schools come into existence? How are they organized and maintained? What is their purpose and place in the new social order? will be presented.

Miss Chal Ormond Williams, former superintendent of public schools in Memphis, Tenn., past president of the National Education Association, present field secretary for that association and fifth vice-president of the Parents and Teachers Congress, is compiling and editing the material for the book. In it, leaders in various fields of education will tell in simple, non-technical terms the inspiring story of the development of the public schools and their place in democratic society. John H. Finley, associate editor of the New York Times, will write the opening chapter on "Public Education as a Safeguard to Democracy." Other contributors are Mrs. Hugh Bradford, John K. Norton, Carleton Washburne, Joy Elmer Morgan, Harley L. Lutz, Edgar W. Knight, William G. Carr, William John Cooper, A. L. Threlkeld, George D. Strayer, Arthur B. Moehlman, J. W. Faust, Mrs. B. F. Langworthy, Julia Wright Merrill, Elizabeth Robertson, Mora Beust and Lucy Gage.

The work, factual and pleasing in style, will meet a long-felt need of every parent, educator and editor, and doubtless will find a happy place on their reference shelves.

**Telephone Company Compiling New Directory**

The San Angelo Telephone Company is compiling its new spring and summer directory. Anyone wishing a phone installed, change in name or address call 100 at once.

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**LANTERNS AND MASH HELP INCREASE NUMBER EGGS**

El Paso, March 16.—Two lanterns and a wet mash enabled D. H. Graham of Ysleta, El Paso county to double the egg production of his flock of 80 white leghorns during January. He asked the county agent to cull his flock. The agent recommended wet mashes and longer working days for the hens. Two lanterns were placed in the house every morning at 4 o'clock, and wet mashes fed in addition to dry mash in hoppers. Production picked up in one week and had increased to 40 to 50 eggs daily in three weeks.

**Creep Feeders Aiding Cattle**

Fort Stockton, March 16.—Seven creep feeders for beef calves on the El Senora Ranch in Pecos county have proven profitable this season, H. H. Matthews, ranch manager, has reported to L. E. Bailey, county agent. With no rain

for several months the mothers are not in good condition but calves are in fine shape, he says. Creep feeders permit nursing calves to eat grain and cottonseed meal and thereby get a fast start in life.

**Eldorado Girl Marries in Sonora**

Miss Marguerite Kent of Eldorado, and Fred Gillespy of Coleman, were married last week by the Rev. Z. E. Parker, pastor of the Baptist Church, at the parsonage. The parents of the bride were the only attendants.

**CONSTIPATED 30 YEARS AIDED BY OLD REMEDY**

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 V. F. Wallace, chairman of the board of stewards at McCamey, will speak at the Methodist church Sunday morning and meet with the local board of stewards at 2 o'clock. Mr. Wallace is recognized as one of the most successful board chairmen in the West Texas conference. We urge our people to attend and extend a welcome to visitors.  
 Sunday school 9:45.  
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 Evening service, 7:30 o'clock.  
 Young People's meeting, 6:45.  
 Woman's Missionary Society, 8 p. m. Wednesday.  
 Choir rehearsal on Thursday, 7:30 p. m.  
 Stewards meet every first Sunday.  
 Local board meeting each first Tuesday night, 7:30 o'clock.  
 E. P. NEAL, Pastor.

Nurse for Fred

By ALICE DUANE

SHIRLEY TOMPKINS pushed and pulled every movable gadget in sight in her automobile. No answering roar or pull of the engine rewarded her efforts. She leaned back, tired. "Deader than Pharaoh," she said with disgust. "Serves me right for taking this forsaken road." She looked to the right and left. Then, "Eenie, meenie," she counted out. The estate on the left won. Scrambling out of the car, she took a small suit case from the back seat, and started to walk to the shaded avenue that led to the big house on the rise above the road. Shirley was hot and tired when she reached the cool, comfortable looking flagged terrace in front of the house. But Shirley looked cool and charming—in a smart little white linen coat suit, with a bit of crisp pink blouse showing above the revers, and a black-banded, white straw hat shading her creamy skin and wide-set light brown eyes.

A woman, in a fussy figured chiffon afternoon frock, rushed forward to meet her.

"Come right along, my dear. I'm waiting for you. I'm ready to go out. It's the first time for weeks that I've ever planned to get away. And I was afraid you weren't going to get here. Now, all you've got to do is to keep him entertained. He's around on the south veranda. Please don't go till I get back."

"But—" began Shirley.

"No buts, my dear. I like your looks. You're just what he needs. You see—well, anyway, the doctor says his mind has got to be cheered up. There's a houseman who'll wait on him—all you've got to do is to be amusing, diverting. So I guess all you've got to do is to act natural. You're positively too sweet for belief. I'm so glad you were intelligent enough to agree not to wear a uniform. He mustn't be made to feel that he's ill."

The older woman pushed the girl around the corner. "Here, Fred," she called. "Here's a nurse. I'll be back a little past six."

And with a rush of chiffon and perfume she was gone to the other end of the terrace, and then she had stepped quickly into a car.

The girl watched her disappear. Then, with a laugh, she turned to look around the corner to the south veranda. At the far end she saw a figure slumped down in a deck chair.

Shirley moved swiftly along the veranda. "Well," she said cheerfully, "I'm here. I'm not who you think I am, but I'll stay till—Oh!" Shirley dropped her suit case in quite ungraceful fashion. "Oh!"

The young man in the chair slowly turned and lay languidly looking at her. Gradually a look of pleasure spread over his thin, white features. Then he closed his eyes weakly. "Sit down, please," he said.

Shirley stepped quickly to his side. "You're ill! I've startled you. Let me do something."

But the man shook his head quietly. "No," he said, "I'm not ill." With an effort he drew himself up in the chair. "Really, I'm quite all right—now. Where—when—why—how?"

"Don't talk." Real distress sounded in Shirley's voice. The man looked so wretchedly ill. "I'll tell you. You see—was that your mother?"

The man nodded a smiling "yes."

"Well, I was driving through this section on my way to visit friends in Boston—and I took this byway—well, anyway, I took it. And my car just stopped going. I couldn't budge it. And one of the doors doesn't catch—so I brought my suit case with me and came up here to telephone for help—I didn't know you lived here. And then your mother saw me and I suppose she thought I was a nurse."

"Yes. Poor mother. She won't leave me alone with Peter—he's the man who looks out for me, so far as helping me limp back and forth is concerned. You see, after I got out of bed, fairly well mended, I didn't want a nurse."

She smoothed the blanket over his body tenderly. When he reached long, thin white fingers toward her hand, she thrust it, cool and firm and small, into his hand. Then she leaned swiftly over him, and placed a kiss on the thin white fingers.

"What happened, Fred? I knew you crashed. But I didn't know you were badly hurt."

"No—it was after you'd told me you didn't care enough to marry me. I was driving along pretty recklessly, I dare say."

Several hours later the soft, smooth purr of an automobile nearby was succeeded by the chatter of excited voices. From around the corner of the terrace appeared two women—Fred's mother and an attractive young woman in a white linen suit, carrying a suit case.

"But I don't understand, of course," she said, "I thought I left you here with my son—"

She stopped talking as she came in sight of Shirley and Fred. Her quick mind, from what she knew and what she surmised, summed up the situation with fair accuracy.

"Well," she added, "it looks to me as if we don't need a nurse after all."

Health Week Plans Made by Mexicans

Clean-Up Methods as Disease Preventive Stressed

The Mexican organizations of W. O. W., Lulacs, Baptists, Catholics and Club Ires will co-operate in observing Health Week beginning April 1.

Information and pamphlets have been received from the Texas Tuberculosis Association as assistance in planning the week's work. Every family will be urged to clean house and yard at that time. Repairing of screens for windows and doors is also a part of the program as planned by the state organization.

The precautions encouraged during Health Week are to educate the people in the prevention of tuberculosis as well as other sickness. Entertainments and programs will be given during the week by the various organizations in order to stress the importance of disease prevention. At a meeting Monday officers and committees were appointed for the work. Officers who were elected are: Theo Virgen, president; Ernesto Castro, secretary; Mrs. Locadia Urias, treasurer; Miss Clemencia Cardova, reporter.

The financial committee is made up of Adolfo Flores, Miguel Hibarro and Torivio Chaves. They will be in charge of the work among

those who are unable to undertake the work themselves. A publicity ad solicitation committee is composed of Misses Clara Brown, Eudelia Lopes, Esperanza Bermea.

The next meeting to make further arrangements will be held Monday night.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Sutton county—greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Clyde A. Weaver, by making publication of this citation once 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 term of the District Court of Sutton County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof in Sonora, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in March, 1934, the same being the 19th day of March, A. D. 1934, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 9th day of February, 1934, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 811, wherein Mrs. Gertrude M. Weaver is plaintiff, and Clyde A. Weaver is defendant, said petition alleging that on or

about the 21st day of November, A. D. 1924, in Gonzales county, Texas, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant, and they continued to lived together as husband and wife until the 21st day of April, A. D. 1927, at which time the defendant vountarily abandoned and deserted plaintiff, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife.

And plaintiff prays for judgment dissolving said marriage relationship and for the restoration of her maiden name of Gertrude M. Bricker.

Herein fail not, mut have you before said court on the 1st 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 21st day of February, A. D. 1934.

(Seal) J. D. LOWREY, Clerk of the District Court of Sutton County, Texas.

Issued this the 21st day of February, A. D. 1934.

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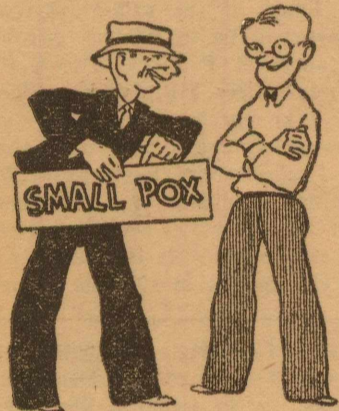
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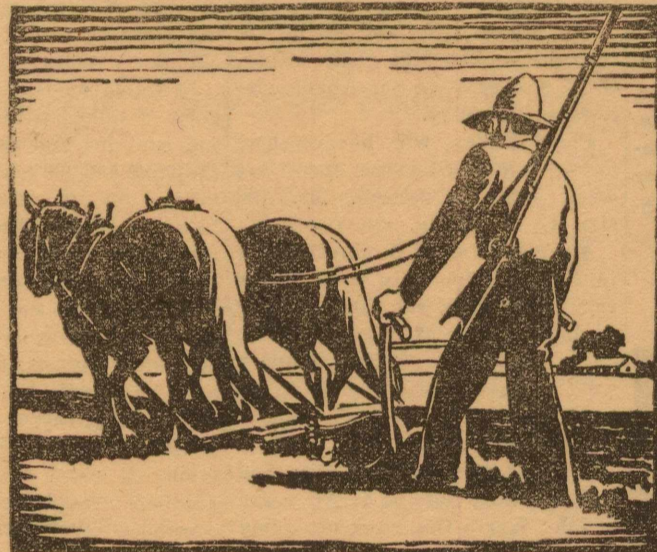
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PERSONALS

Dr. C. C. McDaniel spent the week-end in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bond were in San Angelo Thursday.

Ira Green of Del Rio was in Sonora Thursday on business.

B. W. Hutcherson was a business visitor in San Angelo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Long were visitors in San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Smith were visitors in San Angelo Saturday.

J. W. Fields, sr. left Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. Mary Fields of Austin.

Miss Mildred Labenske and Miss Lillian Ramsel visited in Winters last Sunday.

Mrs. Alton Hightower visited her sister, Miss Lutie Carter, in San Angelo Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Jackson of Van Horn, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lula Karnes.

Mrs. Etta W. Ringgold, San Saba, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grimland.

Mr. and Mrs. Hix Hall returned Tuesday from a 3-day visit to their former home in Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy White and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Barnes visited in Christoval Thursday night.

Miss Clara Allison and Miss Sallie Wardlaw were in San Angelo Monday and Tuesday on business.

Mr and Mrs. E. C. Garvin have returned from Marlowe, Oklahoma, where they have been for the past month.

Mesdames W. J. Fields, Alvis Johnson, W. J. Fields, jr. and R. W. Perrine were San Angelo visitors Wednesday.

Miss Muriel Simmons, accompanied by Mrs. W. E. James and daughter, Faye, spent Saturday in San Angelo.

The Misses Lyda and Stella Archer accompanied by their father, G. W. Archer, were San Angelo visitors on Saturday.

Floyd Ridley, who has recently moved to Fort Stockton, spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Ridley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed C. Mayfield are in San Antonio this week where they took their son, Stanley, for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier Shurley went to Fort Worth Sunday to attend the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Evans and children, Billy Sid and Jo Alice, are in Fort Worth this week attending the Fat Stock Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Powell and children attended the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth this week.

Mrs. M. M. Stokes has been confined to her home because of an attack of influenza. Her condition is improved at this time.

Mrs. Clyde Gardner and Miss Alice Karnes motored to San Angelo Wednesday to visit Mrs. John Hamby and her baby son.

Mrs. Lee Labenske returned Monday from Robert Lee where she attended funeral services that day for her cousin, Mrs. W. A. Robbins.

Mrs. Willie Martin has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. O. Anderson of Abilene. She was accompanied there by Miss Audrey Rankhorn.

Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson, accompanied by her daughters, Wilma and Wynona, Clovis Neal and Cathryn Trainer, were visitors in San Angelo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Aldwell and Miss Elizabeth Francis motored to San Antonio Friday where they were joined by Lea Roy Aldwell. Miss Francis visited her parents.

Beads Found at Water Hole

Crinoid beads of many shapes and sizes were found recently by Mr. and Mrs. John Eaton and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis in a cave formation at the Bluff Water Hole on the Alfred Schwiening ranch.

It is believed that the Indians who are known to have used the territory around the water hole as a meeting place made the beads by piercing the soft centers of Crinoids, which are a fossilized type of plant.

Sheep Shearer Head  
Makes Trip to Probe  
Alleged Violations

Declares Found NRA Violations by Crews Working in San Angelo Vicinity

Nelson Wilber, vice-president of the sheep shearers' Union of America, has returned from Sonora and the San Angelo country, where he investigated cases of NRA code violations.

Wilber spoke at meetings in Sonora and San Angelo.

He stated that at several places shearing captains are contracting labor in Mexico and also discriminating against certain workmen in the state.

Wilber said that demands of evidence of violations of labor laws took him on the trip to the San Angelo country. He stated that he found violations of Sec. 7-A regarding interference of employers with labor organizations or intimidation of workmen who have signified their intention of joining labor organizations.

He told of finding six crews tagging in the San Angelo vicinity for two cents a head and also found two crews shearing sheep for six cents a head and board to the shearers. Several crews were shearing goats for three cents a head, he stated.

"I found no trouble in San Angelo. I talked with several shearing captains and they advised me they had 150,000 head of sheep contracted for 10 cents and some for 11 cents a head. The captains said they plan to pay their shearers six cents a head and board.

"As long as the captains agree to pay the shearers six cents I do not look for trouble. I hope an agreement can be made between the shearing captains and the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association. It seems that is where the greatest trouble exists," Wilber concluded.—Val Verde County Herald.

Improvement at  
State Institution

Dr. J. B. McKnight, Superintendent, Passes Through Sonora

Remodeling of a laundry building recently replaced as well as the hard surfacing of four miles of streets is being completed rapidly at the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium, located at Sanatorium, Texas, near San Angelo, according to Dr. J. B. McKnight, superintendent of the institution.

Dr. McKnight stopped in Sonora Saturday evening on his return trip to the sanatorium from Carrizo Springs where he visited his brother, S. E. McKnight, who is ill. His nephew, Ewel McKnight, ranchman and commissioner of Crane county, who lives in Odessa, was with him.

Employees of the institution which has a property value of \$1,682,786 will occupy the remodeled laundry building. Assistance of the federal government is making possible the improving of the streets within the grounds.

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Declamation Contests  
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Preliminary declamation contests to select pupils who will compete March 30 for the privilege of representing Sonora schools at the district contest in San Angelo April 14 will be started next week, R. S. Covey, superintendent, announced Wednesday.

Pupils of the first three grades will compete in a story-telling contest. Other classes are: sub-junior, for children under 10; junior, for children 10 to 15; senior, for children more than 15.

Gold medals will be given by the Parent-Teacher Association to the winners of first places in the contests.

Suveyor in Llano Country

E. C. Saunders, county surveyor, was in the Llano country on business Tuesday and returned there yesterday. He says that livestock losses there are large due to the drought and to bitterweed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS  
POLITICAL

(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, \$15. Announcement will be carried throughout entire year until time of final election. Payment of fee entitles candidate to a statement not exceeding 100 words. Portions of statements over 100 words will be charged for at 10 cents a line).

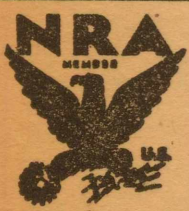
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