

Ranchmen Need \$350 Pledged For Work of Special Ranger

Charles Miller of Kerrville Tells Group Saturday of Operation of Kerr Association

Consensus of opinion of those at the ranchmen's meeting Saturday afternoon was that unless \$350 monthly was subscribed to pay for expenses of hiring a special ranger to curb theft of ranch property in Sutton county that the work had better not be started.

W. J. Fields, Jr., chairman of the meeting Saturday, reported that \$227.50 had been subscribed and that promises secured by telephone had brought the total to \$250. He stated that comparatively few of the ranch people had been approached on the matter and that he believed another \$100 could be secured.

Charles Miller of Kerrville, engaged in special ranger work in Kerr county, told of the work of the association organized to handle the work in his county.

Surplus Should Be Sought

"The officer should have some ranchman in various communities of the county to advise him and assist him," Mr. Miller told the

At 3 o'clock tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon Sutton ranchmen will meet at the First National Bank to perfect an organization to hire a special officer for ranch protective work. W. J. Fields and others actively behind the proposal urged this week that many attend the meeting so that action there might be representative of the thought of a large number of Sutton county's ranch people.

"The local 'slant' can be secured from this man and he can be of real aid to the ranger in his work. Your 'pool' to provide money for the work should be at least \$100 to \$150 more than the officer's salary. That will take care of those ranchmen.

"You say, Mr. Fields, that you believe all of those you have signed now will stay with you. Perhaps so but it's only human nature to expect some of those who join your association to drop out from time to time. Some are bound to believe that they are not getting value for their money. That's a human reaction you must expect and that's the very reason your 'pool' should be quite a bit larger than the estimated monthly expense.

"Any reserve that your fund develops can be drawing interest here in your bank. There will be a few incidental expenses but not many. Someone asked a few minutes ago if the county did not take over the matter of prosecution after the offender is caught. The answer is 'yes' except that we have found that the employment of a special prosecutor is a wise move and has its effect in emphasizing that you mean business."

Mr. Miller was asked about the results which might be expected of the work in the county.

Hiring of Officer Effective

"It's hard to say," he replied. "A man must stay at the work to do any good. He might get a 'break' and get some offenders right away. Then the 'breaks' might not come and it might be a

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If the telephone in your ranch home rings ten (10) short rings, STAND BY!

W. R. Barnes, manager of San Angelo Telephone Co. in Sonora, has announced that his operators will again give emergency service. Information about sudden weather changes or any emergency will be "broadcast" by operators half a minute after the ten short rings of the bell.

Mr. Barnes says that ranch people should take down their telephone receivers after hearing the "10-call" and listen. The operator will begin "announcing" about half a minute after the short rings.

Bruno Fighting



Steps were being taken this week by attorneys for Bruno Richard Hauptmann to secure a stay of execution on his death sentence for the murder of the child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lindbergh. The stay is assumedly for the purpose of allowing the Supreme Court to issue an order calling for a review of the action of the New Jersey court which sentenced him.

Long Trip Made By Sonorans Sunday

Drive of 800 Miles Made To See Injured Relative

Eight hundred miles of traveling in a car in a day and a half was the forced accomplishment of Mr. and Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot who returned to Sonora Sunday night at midnight after their arduous week-end trip.

Mrs. Lightfoot was called Saturday afternoon and told that her father, T. J. Gray, county commissioner at Gorman, Texas, had fallen from a pecan tree and had suffered two broken legs.

Upon arriving in Gorman Mr. and Mrs. Lightfoot found that her father had been taken to Fort Worth to be attended by a bone specialist. They drove there, a distance of about 200 miles, and came on here Sunday.

Both Mr. Gray's legs were broken above the knee. He fell a distance of only about ten feet from a small pecan tree growing on his farm near Gorman. When Mr. and Mrs. Lightfoot left Fort Worth Sunday his condition was improved and it was thought he would recover nicely unless unforeseen complications develop.

Bee Cause of Wreck Saturday Afternoon

Niece of H. L. Taylor in Sedan Wrecked Near Sonora

That a bee in an automobile is a dangerous thing but not as dangerous as an automobile wreck was proven near Sonora Saturday afternoon about 4:30 when a car carrying Mrs. A. L. Wilson of San Angelo, her daughter, Wanda, and Tiny Ann Taylor of Sonora overturned.

Mrs. Wilson, a niece of H. L. Taylor, father of Tiny Ann, was driving toward San Angelo when the bee entered the car about seven miles from Sonora. As a result of her efforts to avoid the insect she failed to make a turn in the highway and the car overturned.

Mrs. Wilson's arm was cut and one side of the car considerably damaged. It was a sedan type. Neither of the children was hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson have recently moved to San Angelo where Mr. Wilson is assistant district manager of American National Insurance Co. They formerly lived in the Rio Grande Valley.

To Spend Winter in Sonora Miss Estelle Wallace of Pottsville is here to spend the winter with her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Mayfield. Miss Wallace attended high school here in 1932.

Maddox Child Born Saturday A son who has been named Philip was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Maddox at their home here. Mrs. Maddox's mother, Mrs. W. L. Stewart of Stephenville, grandmother of the infant, is visiting her daughter and family here.

Bass To Be Put in Will Wilkinson Lake

Sonora Man Constructing Dam On Menard Ranch Property

Bass fishing in a lake that may safely be expected to be a fisherman's paradise will be available to West Texas sportsmen with the completion by W. J. Wilkinson of Sonora, of a dam and lake on Clear Creek near Menard.

According to Mr. Wilkinson's plans, announced recently, the depth of the lake will be from twelve to fifteen feet. Water will come from head springs a mile and a half away and the dam, seven feet higher than the present water level, will be at the east fence line of the ranch property of his mother, Mrs. W. J. Wilkinson, on Clear Creek near Menard.

The dam, of concrete and stone, will be built in two or three months, according to the contractor, Hub Jackson, who has started work. On the south side of the dam a long fill of dirt will be constructed.

Water from the springs which will feed the lake is crystal clear, is said to vary little in temperature throughout the year and has a large flow volume. The lake will be stocked with bass, Mr. Wilkinson says.

SUTTON HORSES TO RUN IN ELDORADO SUNDAY

A 400-yard race for a matched purse of \$100 has been arranged for two o'clock Sunday afternoon on the Eldorado track between Joe Boy and Hill Top, Sutton county horses.

Joe Boy is owned by George E. Smith and Hill Top by Willie Miers.

With Big Turney riding Joe Boy and Pedro Crowell on Hill Top Monday afternoon Hill Top beat in a 325-yard encounter on the Sonora track. The purse was \$100. Hill Top was about two lengths ahead at the finish.

Jamie Glasscock Has Diphtheria

Jamie Glasscock, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Glasscock is ill at his home with diphtheria. Jamie developed diphtheria Wednesday after being in bed two days with sore throat trouble. He is improving.

Volunteer Firemen To Get 10 Cents of Every Circus Dollar

When Sutton county citizens pay their forty cents admission and twenty-five cents for each of their children at the Schell Bros. 4-ring circus Monday they will automatically contribute ten per cent of those amounts to the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department.

Arrangements were completed Friday between George L. Barton, agent for the circus, Nolan Ken-



ney, president, and Floyd Dungan, fire chief, whereby the circus will have afternoon and night performances here Monday, Oct. 21.

The "tent city," housing animals, performers and performance will be on the Junction highway just outside of the city limits.

The fire department's "cut" in

J. D. Wallace Sells Cattle Eighty 5- and 6-year-old cows were sold Thursday of last week by J. D. Wallace of Sonora to J. W. Ross of Sonora. Mr. Ross paid \$50 a head. Delivery will be made by Nov. 1. The calves were retained by the seller.

C. H. Carson Buys Servicing Business

J. T. Penick Again To Give All Time To Beer Business

Return to the business life of Sonora and Sutton county was effected this week by C. H. Carson when he assumed charge of the automotive business in the Clarkson Building which has been operated by J. T. Penick and son, Billy, now a student in El Paso.

Mr. Carson formerly operated a service station on the Ozona highway near the Dry Devil's River bridge. He came here in 1928 from Oklahoma City where he was in the garage and automobile servicing business. In July last year he sold the service station here and became a representative of Cedar Rapids Engineering Co., manufacturers of automotive repair equipment.

The Pontiac agency held by the Penicks was not included in the transaction. Mr. Penick will devote all of his time to the distribution of the several brands of beer he handles.

Modern equipment for the mechanical servicing of automobile and truck motors will be installed by Mr. Carson soon and a capable mechanic employed for the garage department. Curtis Nicholas who has been employed by the Penick firm will continue to work for Mr. Carson.

NEW CAR MODELS WILL BE DISPLAYED SATURDAY

Pre-view of the Ford V-8 models for 1936 was attended in Dallas Tuesday by S. R. Hull, Sonora dealer who returned here Wednesday morning from the Dallas meeting which was similar to others held the same day in thirty-three other American cities and in seven Canadian centers.

New models are to be displayed here Saturday, Oct. 19.

Both lines, according to Mr. Hull, are of a conservative streamline type. Engineering improvements include changes in steering, use of new steel wheels, and a transmission with quiet helical gears formerly used only in second and high speeds.

Carnie Wyatt Improving

Carnie Wyatt who is ill with influenza at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wyatt, is "doing fine."

Will Sell Again



His success as a salesman of Christmas cards last season has prompted Frank Knapton to do similar work this year. Although he is in San Antonio now he has written friends he will be home today and that he is much better. His blood pressure is improved and that he is feeling well. He is quite sure that he will be able to undertake the sales work again. Mr. Knapton will be assisted by Mrs. Knapton in soliciting Christmas card business.

Sonora and Menard Battle Tonight in Conference Fray

Eldorado's Powerhouse Attack Gives Them 25 to 6 Win Over Sonora

Tonight on the Menard gridiron the Sonora Bronchos take on the Menard Yellowjackets and will attempt to make a strong comeback from their 25 to 6 defeat last Saturday by the Eldorado Eagles.

In the third quarter Saturday, Sonora uncorked an attack that baffled the Eldorado eleven and secured their lone six points of the game.

Sonora received the ball on its own 12-yard line and F. Archer, left halfback, proceeded to "go places." A pass, Archer to Trainer, was good for a yard. Another, Archer to L. M. Roueche, left tackle, was good for twenty yards. Archer carried the ball through the line consistently and plunged for the touchdown when the ball was on the 2-foot line. The try for point was blocked by alert Eldorado players.

Eldorado's first marker came in the first quarter when M. Davis, fullback, went over after he and his brother, P. Davis, had gained steadily in a march down the field. The same two brothers continued their gains and the quarter ended with the ball on Sonora's 15-yard line.

Other scores by Eldorado were in the second, third and fourth quarters. After the third one an Eldorado man ran end for a point after touchdown. Logan, Eldorado halfback, was given credit for the one in the fourth quarter.

The Eagles' passing attack failed to work largely because of the excellent work of Taylor, Sonora quarterback who was ever-ready to block passes which, if completed, would have meant startling gains for Eldorado. Archer's ball-carrying was a feature of the game as was the work of Trainer, left end, Roueche, left tackle, and Simmons, 125-pound center who worked well in defense.

Sonora marched into the 20-yard zone of "the enemy" twice but Eldorado managed to invade that territory four times. Sonora's first downs were twelve while Eldorado made their yardage sixteen times. Sonora's wide open offense meant grief many times for the Eldorado team. Line power plays brought results for the Eagles when their passes were broken up repeatedly.

Sonora Citizens To Contribute Stunts For Program Soon

November 15 Tentatively Set For Entertainment For School Lunch Fund

A stunt night bringing before the audience the best talent to be found in Sutton county is being planned by the Lions Club and the Parent-Teacher Association as a benefit production of secure funds for hot lunches for underprivileged school children.

Tentative date set for the attraction is Friday, Nov. 15, according to Dr. Joel Shelton who reported Tuesday noon at the Lions Club regarding arrangements.

Hix Hall, F. T. Jones and Edgar Shurley were named by John Eaton as a committee to arrange for the club's stunt on the program. The Parent-Teacher committee in charge of arrangements is B. H. McLain, Mrs. Velma Shurley and Mrs. M. O. Britt. The associated committee has named the following as directors: stage director, Arthur Carroll; program director, Dr. Joel Shelton; business manager, W. C. Gilmore.

Many Intend To Take Part Organizations and individuals that have been invited to present some form of entertainment are:

Sonora Volunteer Fire Department, Woman's Club, Station A Parent-Teacher Association, Boy Scouts, Sonora schools, Sonora Music Club; Sonora Art Club, Thirteen Dramatic Club; pupils of the Misses Merle Draper, Marie Watkins, Elizabeth Francis, and Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot. It is hoped that the latter group will arrange numbers for "between-the-acts" entertainment.

Vocal and piano solos by Margaret Ada Martin and Emma Sessions, pupils of Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot and Miss Elizabeth Francis, comprised the program at the luncheon Tuesday. Alexander Anderson, guest of John Eaton, made a short talk.

Vocal Training Suggested

W. E. James, club secretary, suggested that vocal instruction might be secured at a nominal cost if as many as sixteen members of the club indicated their desire for such. He explained that "a singing club is a happy club and usually a working club." After some training, in his opinion, a male quartet could be developed to represent the club at conventions, group meetings and similar gatherings.

R. A. Halbert suggested that a group of sixteen might be secured from within the club and from others of the town who might be interested. Dr. Shelton suggested that more singing be done at the luncheons.

Mr. James explained that his proposal originated with himself and that he thought it should be handled as a club project. The Rev. W. S. Ezell proposed that Mr. James proceed with efforts to secure such a group and that the club endorse his work. Action on the matter was deferred until the next luncheon of the club.

FORT WORTH INSTRUCTOR TEACHING GRADE HERE

Work as fourth grade instructor in the elementary school was begun Thursday by Miss Leta Esther Ray of Fort Worth.

Miss Ray replaces Miss Callie Mae Love who has taught the pupils of that grade for several weeks. Miss Love was elected this year to teach in the Mexican School when the new building is used.

Miss Ray was graduated from Texas Christian University in Fort Worth and has been doing substitute work in that city this school year. Before this year she taught in Mineral Wells and Amarillo.

Fire Does Little Damage

Fire caused by the ignition of gasoline which was accidentally spilled on a light plant motor caused only a few dollars damage at the Wes-Tex Batteries Friday afternoon.

Sonora Ranchman Better

J. A. Ward, Jr., who has been seriously ill in San Angelo is better.

Lights of New York

By L. L. STEVENSON

Meanderings and meditations: That mysterious blond who flits through Times Square late at night peddling cigarettes . . . she's said to be supporting a tubercular husband down in Arizona. . . . Fred Waring wearing a belted blue coat and white flannel slacks. . . . That's his official broadcasting costume. . . . Coal rattling down steel chutes. . . . Which force pedestrians out into the street. . . . James J. Dooling who has been leader of Tammany Hall more than a year now. . . . Looks as natty as ever. . . . and is still a bachelor. . . . Lester Stone, secretary to the mayor. . . . He was once a newspaper man.

The American Legion room of the New York Athletic club. . . . Where members who served in the World war sit on a broad terrace and view the city from a 14-story elevation. . . . A club within a club. . . . and Hugh Bancroft of Boston and Cohasset. . . . Another society miss who has turned to the stage. . . . Got her preliminary experience in the Gloucester School of the Little theater. . . . Memo for ambitious playwrights: At the moment there are about 2,000 scripts on the desks of managers. . . . Two young men parading Seventh avenue apparently encased in dried fish. . . . What looks like fish from a distance proves to be pelts. . . . Which, by the deft hands of furriers, will be turned into adornments for the throats of fair ladies. . . . and some not so fair.

Prosperity return note: Thirty apartment houses are under construction in the Bronx. . . . and report has it that construction is to be resumed soon in Manhattan. . . . Another: Four of the swankiest bars in town have installed stock tickers. . . . Seen in quick succession: Pauline Lord, who returned recently from the West coast; Beatrice Lillie, who has just come back from Europe and Jane Cowl, another Europe visitor. . . . and in the next block on Broadway, Julius Tannen who returned recently from Hollywood. . . . Catering note: One chain of 23 restaurants serves 75,000 meals a day.

Francis W. H. Adams, United States district attorney. . . . Boyish-looking but an able lawyer. . . . A shiny motor car in which I wouldn't care to ride. . . . On the side: "United States marshal—Department of Justice." . . . City Hall park idlers all agog over a sparrow fight. . . . Mail trucks lined up along Mall street. . . . The public bathhouse at Twenty-fourth street with a long waiting list. . . . The city used to have 15 floating baths. . . . Now there are only eight. . . . The others refused to float any longer.

Twenty-third street cross town trolley car motormen and conductors spend all their spare time studying. . . . The cars are to be replaced by buses. . . . and they are endeavoring to learn how to operate them. . . . Wish they'd hurry that Central Park West shift from trolleys to buses. . . . and that noise suppressors could be applied to many who prowl that thoroughfare throughout the night. . . . A number of Wall Street workers telephone their homes several times a day. . . . Tall buildings keep them from seeing the sky. . . . and they want to know the state of the weather.

On our mantelpiece is a silver cup. That may not be of general interest to readers of this department, but it is of a lot of interest to us, being in a manner of speaking, historical. It's the first cup in our family. Neither Bill nor I have ever been successful in affairs that involved the awarding of silver cups so it remained for May to step out and win the trophy of her bridge club. The first thing she did was to take it to Larchmont and show it to Miss Marion Loucks, who, previously had assumed an attitude of superiority because of several cups and gold medals she won as a diver.

When Is a Rotten Egg Rotten?—Law Defines

Boston.—Just what constitutes a bad egg in Massachusetts has been established by an act passed by the legislature. The definition, somewhat technical, specifies the depth of the shadow of an egg's interior under a testing lamp, and stipulates that the yolk must conform to uniform health standards now in effect.

Chinese Remember College Rah-Rahs

Nanking.—The great impression which American university life has made on the Chinese national government was well illustrated at the annual meeting of the American University club at Nanking. Six hundred graduates of colleges and universities in the United States attended the function, the vast majority being Chinese. Practically all are officials of the government. American college yells and songs showed they had not forgotten their student life.

Sonora Students To Help Pick Notables

Hall of Fame Plans Announced By College at Denton

Sonora high school students will cooperate in the selection of a Hall of Fame for Texas State College for Women at Denton, Texas.

Plans are now under way for the election of ten prominent Texans to comprise the original group. A committee in charge of the Hall of Fame has prepared a ballot of twenty-one names and students from approximately 850 high schools in the state will vote the last week in October to select their favorite Texas heroes and heroines.

Students will also be permitted to add any individuals to the ballot who they deem worthy of the recognition. No living person is eligible for the Hall of Fame, but no other restrictions have been made.

Names that will appear on the ballot are Moses Austin, Stephen F. Austin, Baron DeBastrop, Thomas H. Benton, James Bowie, David G. Burnet, Richard Coke, David Crockett, James S. Hogg, Sam Houston, Richard B. Hubbard, Anson Jones, Mirabeau B. Lamar, Robert La Salle, Ben P. Milam, Roger Q. Mills, Elisha M. Pease, John H. Reagan, O. M. Roberts, Thomas J. Rusk, William B. Travis, William H. Wharton.

The original Hall of Fame, which will be housed in the T.S. C.W. library, will be enlarged from year to year. This is a Texas Centennial project in keeping with the program of the year.

SCOUT COMMITTEE MEN IN MONTHLY CONFERENCE

Scouters of Concho Valley Council, of which the Sonora group is a part, are to meet in their monthly conference at Camp Louis Farr, Mertzon, Friday. About fifty are expected from the towns included in the Concho Valley area.

No set program is ever planned for these "supper-bed down-breakfast" conferences. The return home is started at seven Saturday morning.

An announcement this week from the San Angelo office stated that Junction is seeking the December rally of the Council's Scouts. The bid of the Kimble county group will be presented to the district committee in Menard Thursday night. The Menard Scouts have a new Scoutmaster—Carroll McDonald—who is to be assisted by Wyatt Byers and Malcolm Leggett.

Sidney Gilmore Injured

Sidney Gilmore, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Gilmore was seriously injured last week when he fell from a horse and suffered a broken leg. Mr. Gilmore is a ranchman of Georgetown, Texas. Mrs. S. T. Gilmore and daughter-in-law, Mrs. W. C. Gilmore went there Monday. Both of them returned to Sonora Thursday. It is reported that Mr. Gilmore is better.

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The top photo shows a comely Senorita greeting the Governor with an armful of Texas Centennial roses, following his inspiring appeal for statewide unity in the Centennial movement, while the lower catches the dynamite blast which broke ground for the magnificent state building.

"Boom" of Dynamite Saturday Marks Start of Texas Building, Central Fair Plant

Dallas, Oct. 16.—Ground was broken for the \$1,200,000 State of Texas building for the Texas Centennial Central exposition Saturday morning when Governor James V. Allred set off a charge of dynamite on the building site.

A colorful crowd attended the ceremony which also was carried to thousands of listeners over a statewide radio hookup.

Claude Teer, chairman of the state board of control, acted as master of ceremonies and the governor was greeted by President Fred F. Florence of the Texas Centennial exposition. The 100-piece Longhorn band of the University of Texas played.

The huge structure, in which

will be portrayed the history and the achievements of Texas, will be in the center of the grounds of the \$15,000,000 exposition which will be opened here in June, climaxing the Centennial year celebrations of the state. The building, of permanent construction, is being erected by a legislative appropriation of \$1,000,000 for construction and \$200,000 for furniture and equipment. It will be one of the most impressive buildings of its kind in the world.

The governor and many other state officials who were at the ceremony remained in Dallas to attend the annual football classic between Texas and Oklahoma universities Saturday afternoon.

Sutton Polo Pony Sold

Cry Baby, 6-year-old sorrel polo pony was sold by Pedro Crowell recently to Cecil Miller of San Antonio. The price paid was \$75, according to Mr. Crowell.

Gen. Johnson's attitude toward the NRA and new deal is reminiscent of the parent who always claimed he suffered most in whamtonio. The price paid was \$75, according to Mr. Crowell.

On Month's Trip To Coast

A trip of a month or more to Yuma, Arizona, and Pacific Coast points was begun Monday by Mrs. Mrs. John Fields, Mrs. Alton Hightower and Mrs. Hightower's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carter of Mertzon. The Carters have another daughter in Yuma and they will visit there. All will attend the exposition at San Diego which closes Armistice Day.

A Communist arrested in a western state with several bombs in his possession told the authorities he was interested in the uplift of mankind.—Washington Post.

If it's printing, see the NEWS.

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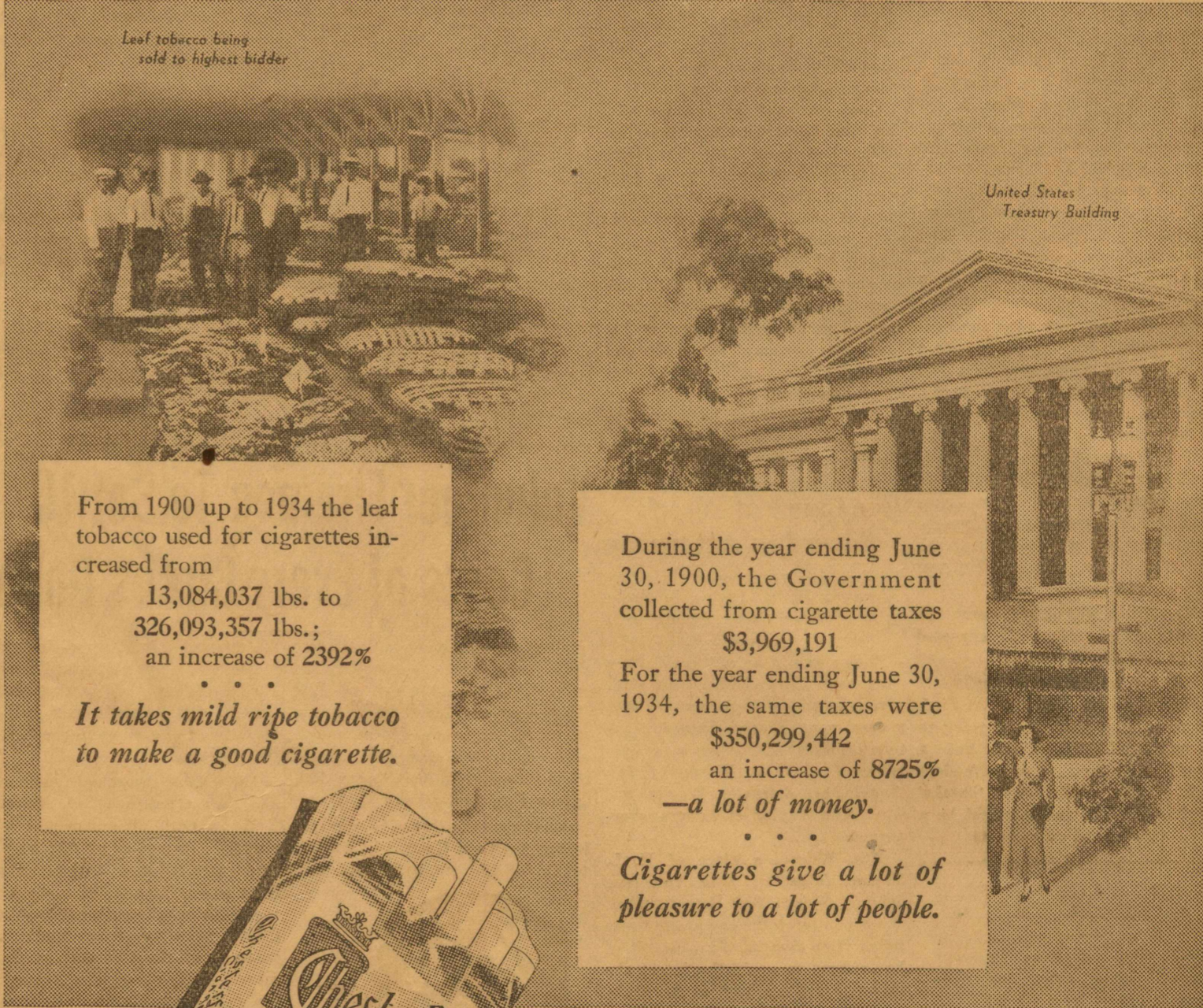


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Political Primer

"Daddy, why does Italy want to go to war with Ethiopia when Ethiopia does not want to go to war with Italy?"

"Well, Junior, Italy says there are several reasons. One is that Mussolini says there are too many people in Italy and he wants to send that nation's overflow population to settle in Ethiopia."

"But, Daddy, is it Ethiopia's fault that Italy has too many people?"

"Not at all, my son. In fact, Mussolini offers prizes for large families, but you see—"

"But, Daddy, if the overflow Mussolini sends to Ethiopia overflows there too, will Italy have to make war on some other country to provide room for that overflow?"

"Go on with your supper, Junior. Now, as I was explaining to you, another reason why Italy wants to conquer Ethiopia is that Ethiopia is a very backward land and Mussolini is so sorry about its backwardness that he wishes to bring it the blessings of civilization."

"But, Daddy, how can you civilized backward people if you shoot them first?"

"Don't neglect your potatoes, Junior."

"And Daddy, don't Italy and Ethiopia both belong to the League of Nations?"

"Yes, my son."

"And Daddy, wasn't the League created for the purpose of trying to settle trouble between countries without going to war?"

"Yes, Junior but—"

"And Daddy, if one side is willing to let the League decide and the other side is afraid to—"

"Yes, Junior, that shows that the other side doubts the justice of its case."

"Well then, Daddy—"

"Junior, I think I hear your mother calling you." — Christian Science Monitor.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH TO HAVE SERVICE SUNDAY

Services at St. John's Episcopal Church, regularly scheduled for last Sunday, will be conducted at the church by Fredric M. Brasier, rector, this Sunday at 11 o'clock.

The Rev. Mr. Brasier, in an announcement this week, explained that he could not be here last Sunday because of a two-day regional conference of the diocese in Kerrville. A number of out-of-town speakers were present as well as church members from Boerne, Comfort, Menard, Fort McKavett, Junction, Brady, Llano and San Saba.

The Kerrville conference this week was one of a series to be conducted in various towns during the period Sept. 29 to Nov. 18 when the concluding one will be held in Brownsville.

The Rev. Mr. Brasier made it clear in his announcement that the usual date of Sonora services would continue to be "the second Sunday in the month."

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BLACK HILL BEETLE ENDANGERS FORESTS

Foresters and CCC Workers Are Fighting Pest.

Denver.—Black Hills bark beetles are threatening the national forests of the Rocky mountain region. Already thousands of acres of prime timber have been destroyed and the woodland beauty of Yellowstone and Grand Teton national parks in Wyoming and the Rocky Mountain National park and three government forests in Colorado have been threatened. Forest rangers and 500 CCC workers are fighting the pest.

The Black Hills bark beetle, black and about a quarter of an inch in length and half that size in width, bores into the inner bark of pine trees and makes a passageway vertically from 18 to 48 inches in length along which eggs are laid. When the larvae hatch they proceed to encircle the tree and cut off the flow of sap.

First indications of the presence of the beetles are small amounts of sawdust at the foot of the trees and balls of pitch on the bark, both caused by the entrance of the beetles into the timber.

Emerge in Summer.

During the fall and winter the beetles make their entrance and lay their eggs. They emerge during the summer and cannot be captured until they are trapped in the galleries where they lay their eggs.

The main and most successful method of treatment is that of exposure, in which the larvae and eggs both succumb. Extermination work consists of the stripping of the bark down to the wood of the infected trees, and where the insects are of such numbers as to overcome the resistance of the tree orders are issued for its destruction.

An interesting feature noted during the work is how the trees themselves have staved off attacks. The resistance of a normally healthy pine, which is shown by its flow of pitch, has been strong enough in some cases to wash the beetles from the egg galleries.

Many Trees Destroyed.

Since the work began, more than 160,000 acres in the two states have been scoured by rangers and CCC men. It has been necessary to cut and burn 65,725 trees, and at the same time more than 100,000 have been treated, according to Col. A. S. Peck, regional forester here. After a region has been thoroughly covered, a second check is made by foresters. An indication of the efficiency of the warfare against the pest is shown by the fact that in every three sections of about 10,000 acres only six or eight infected trees are found on the average.

It has been estimated by the United States forestry office here that at the rate the beetles were reproducing and spreading, the valuable timbered lands of this section would have been turned into barren and desolate wastelands within three years had not efforts been undertaken to stamp them out.

Austrian Blind Will Be Aided by Yankee Couple

Vienna.—Through the efforts of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Graves Mather of New York city Austria soon will have its own lighthouse for the blind.

When the Austrian Lighthouse is founded it will be the eleventh caring for the blinded poor of four continents, the North and South Americas, the Far East, and Europe.

Mrs. Mather, the former Winifred Holt of charity fame in New York, has interested Princess Fanny Starhemberg, Austria's vice chancellor, in the scheme.

It is proposed to organize the Austrian Lighthouse at Lillfeld, where the blinded poor from all parts of Austria can gather to learn new trades. It will be conducted on similar lines to the blind institutions established in New York, Paris, China, Japan, and South America by Mrs. Mather and her husband.

Fingers, Fists and Arms Replace Artists' Brushes

Fitchburg, Mass.—Finger-painting is a new craze here.

Using fingers, fists and even arms and elbows in lieu of brushes and palettes, students of art at Fitchburg high school have created numerous paintings.

Paint of half a dozen colors is used. The painting is done on a dampened sheet of glazed paper spread on a flat surface covered with some smooth washable surface such as oilcloth.

Death Inquiry Is Upset as Victim Is Revived

Las Vegas, Nev.—Imagine Buster Wilson's surprise when a coroner's jury sat down at his father's ranch west of here and prepared to conduct an inquiry into his "death." The twenty-four-year-old youth was found under a tree with a gash in his neck. After young Wilson's surprise vanished he explained he had fallen against the side of his automobile and cut his head. The coroner's jury declined to bring in a verdict.

Texans Sail From Seattle For 60-Day Trip To Orient

Garner, Connally and Dern Head Party of Officials To Attend Inaugural

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 16.—Among those sailing from here today for the Philippines were two Texans—John N. Garner, of Uvalde, vice-president of the United States, and Sen. Tom Connally, senior Senator from the Lone Star state.

The Texans were members of the group of American officials



SEN. TOM CONNALLY

invited by the new Philippine government to attend the inauguration ceremonies of Maniel Quezon as first president of the island republic which was recently granted its independence by the United States.

Senator Connally was accompanied by his son, Ben, a Houston, Texas, attorney.

George H. Dern of Utah, Secretary of War in the President's cabinet, is one of those heading the party of United States officials.

First "point of call" of the party, which sailed on the S. S. President Grant

Sec. Dern will be Yokohama, Japan. Next they will visit Tokyo and Kobe. From there they will proceed to Shanghai, Hong Kong and to Manila on Nov. 8. The inauguration will be Nov. 15.

The return trip, started on Nov. 20, will take them to the same ports in the Orient as their earlier journey and also to Honolulu, Hawaii, largest of another group of islands forming a territorial possession of the United States. They will reach here on the S. S. President Jefferson Dec. 14.

The Texas senator is a ranking member of the powerful Committee on Foreign Relations of the



JOHN N. GARNER Uvalde, Texas

Senate, and at present has two other important assignments on sub-committees of the Senate having to do with world affairs. One of these is the special sub-committee considering the proposals to "take the profits out of war," of which Senator Connally is chairman, and the other is the sub-committee which handled the recent neutrality legislation in Congress.

Upon their return from the trip, Senator Connally and Mr. Connally will return to Texas immediately and the Senator will remain in the state until the next session of Congress, January 30.

Robert M. Jackson, formerly of El Paso and for several years editor of the San Angelo Times, is Senator Connally's secretary but is not making the trip to the Orient with his chief.

Red Grange jailed in Chicago for leaving scene of collision. The same tactics in his college days yielded touchdowns.—Washington Evening Star.

Phone your news to 24.

Five From Sonora Sing in Eldorado

Dinner Prepared and Served By Eldorado Men Enjoyed

The Brotherhood of Churches, composed of laymen organizations of the three leading churches of Eldorado, held its quarterly get-together banquet Friday night at the First Baptist Church of Eldorado. The buffet supper preceding the program was prepared by the men under the supervision of the Rev. A. J. Quinn.

Between eighty-five and ninety men, members of the laymen's organizations heard Congressman Chas. L. South in the principal address of the evening. His subject was, "Render Unto Caesar the Things Which Are Caesar's and Unto God the Things Which Are God's."

Congressman South was introduced by the Rev. A. J. Quinn, pastor of the Eldorado Baptist Church. Others responding with short talks were: the Rev. N. B. Wilkinson, the Rev. J. L. Ratliff, the Rev. P. S. Connell and Judge Whitten. W. O. Alexander acted as chairman.

Entertainment was furnished by a group of five from Sonora. Two duets, "Just Because You Are You" and "Play to Me, Gypsy," were sung by Miss Marie Watkins and Walter E. Willis. "The Old Rugged Cross" and the "Little Brown Church in the Vale," were sung as quartet numbers by Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot, Miss Marie Watkins, Walter E. Willis and W. E. James. Miss Gertrude Babcock played the piano accompaniment.

Herbert Fields III in Lubbock Herbert Fields, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fields, who is a sophomore at Texas Technological College at Lubbock, was operated on Tuesday morning of appendicitis. Mrs. Alvis Johnson and W. J. Fields, Jr., went to Lubbock Tuesday. He is "getting along just fine." His mother, Mrs. W. J. Fields, who is ill in Temple is also improving.

Every enemy is a potential friend.—Dean E. V. White.

Buy Knapton Christmas Cards New and larger assortment this year. Attractive and clever greetings friends will enjoy. Phone 24 to see samples.—adv.

Ethiopians use drums to arouse their warriors. If they want to make them fighting mad, why don't they try saxophones.—Buffalo (N. Y.) Times.

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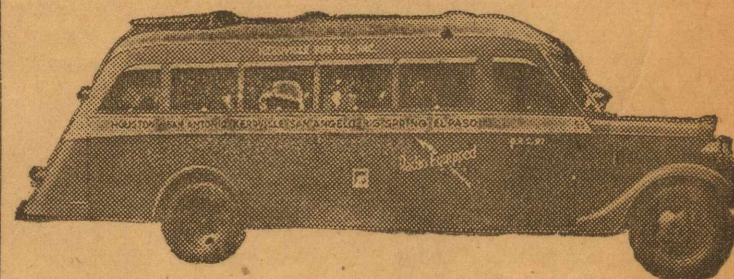
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CHURCH PEOPLE TO HAVE SPECIAL CHILDHOOD WEEK

Introducing a week of special service known as "Childhood and Youth Week," the Rev. W. S. Ezell, Methodist Church pastor, Sunday morning will speak on "Adult Responsibility to the Children and Youth of Their Homes and Community."

The week is designated by the General Board of Education of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, as one for special emphasis on youth and its problems.

Encouragement of church school teachers to visit in the homes of their pupils will be a feature of the seven-day period which will be concluded the following Sunday when a special program will be given by the church school. An address will be made then by B. H. McLain, superintendent of schools. The Rev. Mr. Ezell is urging an unusually good attendance both of adults and of children at the service Sunday morning and at the one the following Sunday.

Ranchmen Need \$350

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long time before you could see evidence of his work. But the very fact that you have a special man charged with the responsibility of watching out for your property will have effect in curbing theft."

It was decided that work of seeing ranchmen and explaining the proposed work to them would continue this week and that organization of the group would be postponed until Saturday, Oct. 19. Joseph Vander Stucken offered to see ranchmen in his neighborhood and it was suggested that additional lists be made and supplied by Mr. Fields to several other ranchmen for work this week.

Those who attended the meeting Saturday were:

J. D. Wallace, Joseph Vander Stucken, Authur Simmons, John Fields, W. J. Fields, Jr., Howard Espy, C. E. Stites, Fred Simmons, B. M. Halbert, Jr., Charles Miller of Kerrville.

SAN ANGELO FAIR NEXT WEEK BY WAR VETERANS

Trucks and workmen will begin work early Monday morning in San Angelo to prepare for the Country Fair and Fall Exposition being sponsored there all next week by the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Amusement features as well as demonstrations and exhibits are included in the veterans' plans for their fair. One hundred and fifty children are to compete in the baby contest. All are between the ages of six months and three years. On Saturday night "Miss San Angelo" will be selected from a group of girls from San Angelo and other towns of the territory.

H. I. Muckleroy is general chairman and treasurer of the enterprise and the executive committee is made up of: John McNaughton, Jack Nabers, Roy McClure, John Chambers and Mr. Muckleroy.

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BOYS OUTNUMBER GIRLS ENROLLED IN UNIVERSITY

Austin, Oct. 16.—Men students enrolled in the University of Texas this year are more than double the number of women students, according to Max Fichtenbaum, assistant registrar.

A total of 5,211 men are enrolled as compared with 2,464 women. The total enrollment, 7,675, shows an increase of 96 per cent over last year.

Although the largest numerical increase in enrollment is in the College of Arts and Sciences, the largest percentage gain was recorded in the College of Pharmacy. The various branches of the Main University have enrollments as follows:

College of Arts and Sciences, 4,745, a gain of 352, or 8 per cent; School of Business Administration, 420, a gain of 79, or 23.2 per cent; School of Education, 223, a decline of 14, or 5.9 per cent; College of Engineering, 1,054, a gain of 165, or 18.6 per cent; Graduate School, 419, a decline of 39, or 8.5 per cent; School of Law, 677, a gain of 104, or a gain of 18.2 per cent; College of Pharmacy, 137, an increase of 28, or 25.7 per cent.

Send KNAPTON Greeting Cards!

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Apparently the only time the League of Nations can stop a war is when there isn't going to one anyhow.—Ohio State Journal.

Gazing at the clock doesn't finish the job.—Dean E. V. White.

LEGAL NOTICE

ARTICLE 296-a. AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE DRIVING AND PARKING OF MOTOR VEHICLES ON CERTAIN STREETS OF THE CITY OF SONORA.

Be IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SONORA, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1. All motor vehicles shall be brought to a complete stop before proceeding into or across any street intersection within the City of Sonora where a sign with the word "Stop" printed thereon is displayed.

Section 2. All vehicles parked along the curb on the South side of Main Street between Concho and Crockett Streets shall be parked parallel to the curb along said south side of said street and shall not be parked more than two feet from said curb.

Section 3. No vehicle of any kind shall be parked in the middle of the street or further than two feet from the curb at any place on Main Street between Water Street and Crockett Street or at any place on Concho Street between Oak Street and Plum Street, except when the driver remains in the car and in such cases for no longer than 5 minutes. In any case where a car is temporarily stopped further than two feet from the curb and such car is blocking or in any way interfering with traffic on said street, said car shall be moved to make way for traffic.

Section 4. No truck shall be parked for longer than 15 minutes at any point on Main Street between Water Street and Crockett Street or at any point on Concho Street between Oak Street and Plum Street except while said truck is being loaded or unloaded and in no event shall such truck be parked for longer than twenty minutes. No truck with trailer or semi-trailer shall be parked other than parallel on above named streets.

Section 5. No vehicle shall be parked within 6 feet of any corner.

Section 6. Any person violating any provision of Article 296-a or any section thereof, shall be fined in a sum not to exceed fifty dollars and may be assessed costs of court in addition to any fine imposed.

The fact that traffic violations in Sonora create an emergency, requiring the rule that ordinances be read on more than one meeting of the city commission, be, and the same is, hereby suspended, and this ordinance shall be effective from and after its passage and approval as required by law.

Passed, approved and adopted this, the 10th day of October, 1935.

W. C. GILMORE,
Mayor.

(SEAL)

V. F. HAMILTON,
Commissioner.
ALFRED SCHWIENING,
Commissioner.

Attest:
GEORGE E. SMITH.

35 YEARS AGO

James Hewes, the sheepman has moved his flocks to new range in the Jones pasture. Jim is as good and generous as he is big and handsome and the News hopes he will succeed in all his endeavors and that his flock will never grow less.

STOCK ITEMS

Concho Cattle Co. sold 46 head of bulls to Jenkins & Guthrie of Trickham, at \$25 per head.

Jack Walters sold 100 yearlings to Walter Pitman at \$16 a round.

J. W. Friend bought 400 head of sheep from F. E. Sellars at \$2.50 a round.

Lewis Mayfield returned from his trip to Marlin Sunday. He attended the roping contest at San Angelo and spent Saturday in El Dorado. Lewis enjoyed his trip.

W. A. Holland, the ranchman from eight miles east of Sonora, was in town Thursday. His chimney was finished in time to have a fire built in it before the north-er struck.

R. F. Halbert had to stay in town this week for court business, but then he was not idle. Bob Halbert is always on the lookout for in-



R. F. HALBERT

vestment and the probabilities are that he made several trades this week.

Suspicious Calf Story

Tony Burton of Burleson told a story at the stock yards in Fort

Worth recently that had a suspicious flavor, but which was nevertheless enjoyed by a group of attentive listeners. Seven years ago, so Burton said, a calf in Burleson tore a man's vest from a backyard fence where it was hanging, chewed up the garment and swallowed a gold watch that was in the pocket. A few weeks ago the calf, now a fully grown animal, was slaughtered for beef and the watch was found in such a position, between the lungs, that the process of respiration, closing and filling the lungs had kept the stemwinder wound up and the watch had lost only four minutes in seven years.

A Democrat touring the East reports that Rhode Island is heavily infested with mosquitoes and Republicans.—Washington Post.

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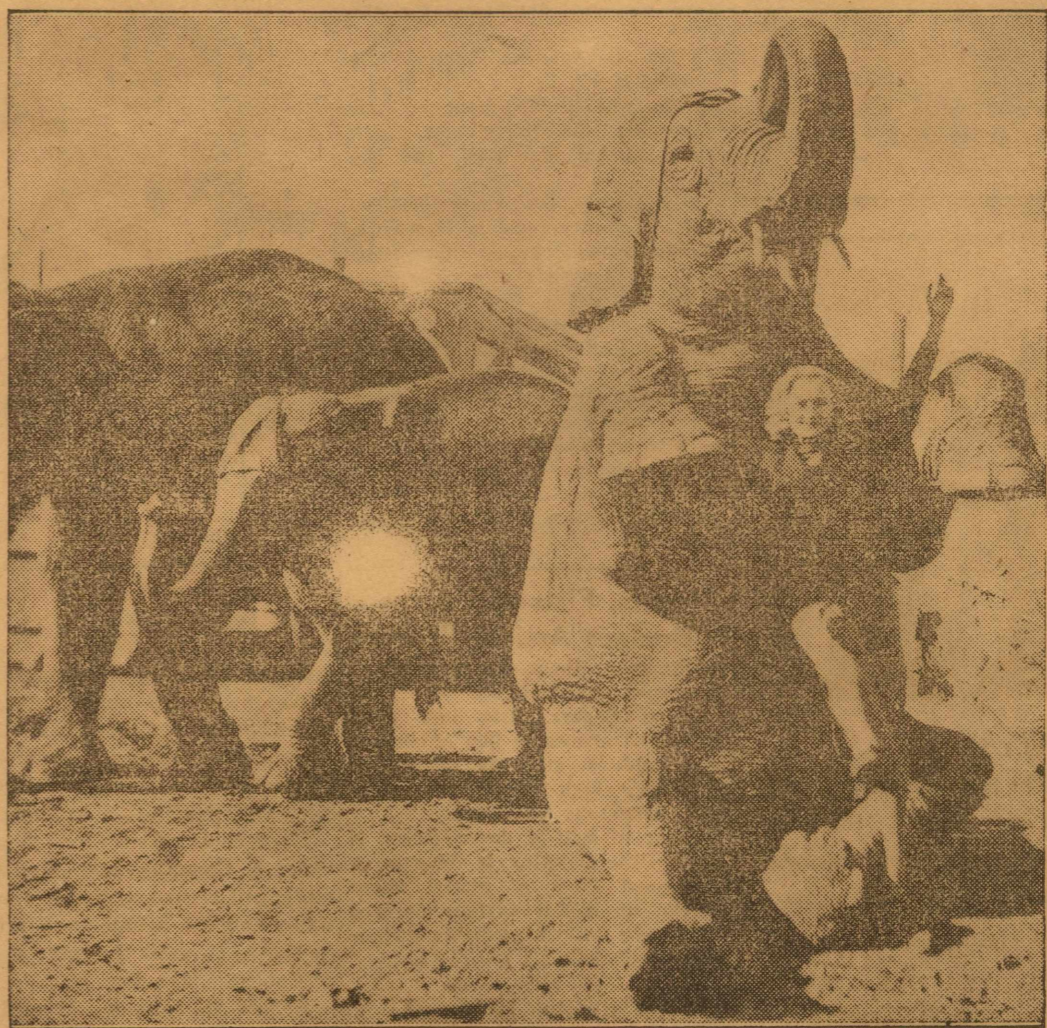
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NINA ROUECHE, Society Editor

Parties Clubs
Future Events

Just-Us Club
Entertained By
Mrs. V. F. Hamilton

Monday afternoon Mrs. V. F. Hamilton was hostess to members and guests of the Just-Us Club when she entertained with three tables of bridge at her home. Award for high club score was won by Mrs. Hix Hall and Miss Allie Halbert won high guest score. Mrs. W. D. Wallace won award for high cut. Members present were: Mesdames R. A. Halbert, Hix Hall, J. Franklin Howell, Edgar Shurley, Libb Wallace. Guests included: Mesdames W. D. Wallace, B. H. McLain, A. W. Awalt, E. B. Heinze, Will Ross, J. H. Brasher and Miss Allie Halbert. A salad plate was served and a Hallowe'en color scheme carried out in decorations.

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At 1935 Art Exhibit

Oil paintings, water color work, etchings and examples of costume designing—all by art students of Texas State College for Women at Denton—will be presented by members of the Sonora Art Club today, tomorrow and Sunday at the clubhouse of the Sonora Woman's Club. The exhibit is free this year. In other years a small admission has been charged to see the display which is secured from Miss Mary Marshall, director of fine arts at the Denton school. At a meeting of the club Monday night at the home of Miss Jamie Gardner yearbooks outlining the year's work were distributed. Miss Pauline Davis was co-hostess with Miss Gardner. The study theme for the evening was "China Painting and Pottery." Each member answered roll call by naming and displaying a piece of china or pottery. Among those who made short talks were: "Wedgewood," Miss Jamie Gardner; "New Comb Pottery," Mrs. L. H. McGhee; "A Master Craftsman, Walter S. Lenox," Miss Thelma Rees. Committees appointed to be in charge of the art exhibit at the clubhouse are:

Exhibition, Mrs. Sidney S. Millsbaugh, Jr., Mrs. M. O. Britt, Mrs. Marion Stokes. Publicity: Mrs. Maysie Brown, Mrs. Claudia Sanders, Miss Pauline Davis. Miss Callie Mae Love was a guest. Members who were present were: Mesdames M. O. Britt, L. H. McGhee, Sidney S. Millsbaugh, Jr., Marion Stokes, Claudia Sanders, Maysie Brown. The Misses Gertrude Babcock, Annie Duncan, Thelma Rees, Marie Watkins and Beavely Reiley.

The Sonora Art Club this year is directed by the following group of officers: President, Miss Thelma Rees; vice-president, Mrs. John Fields; secretary-treasurer, Miss Pauline Davis; Mrs. E. B. Heinze, reporter. You'll like "Womanless Missionary Auxiliary"; H. S. Auditorium, Oct. 25; 10 and 25 cents.—adv. Money is not always wealth.—

Dean E. V. White.

LIBRARY AGAIN OPEN FOR
DISTRIBUTION OF BOOKS

Sonora's library in the clubhouse of the Sonora Woman's Club is open each Tuesday now from 2 to 5, according to an announcement this week by Mrs. Sterling Baker of the Woman's Club library committee. The library was closed several weeks ago because of the threat of an epidemic of diphtheria. Mrs. J. H. Brasher is librarian in charge of the issuing and receipt of books each Tuesday afternoon. Anyone having books that are in good condition is invited to donate them to the library which is available to all citizens of Sutton county.

Ten Guests
At Luncheon
Saturday Morning

Misses Joyce McGilvray and Nina Roueche were hostesses at a bridge luncheon Saturday morning, at the former's home. Hallowe'en colors were carried out in room decorations and plate favors. Dahlias, cosmos and fall roses added attractiveness to the rooms. A two-course luncheon was served. Miss Wilma Hutcherson won award for high score. Those attending were: Misses Wilma and Wynona Hutcherson, Bobbie Halbert, Kathryn Trainer, Kathryn Brown, Jo Ann and Lunetta Marion, Jo Nell Miers, Elizabeth Elliott, Dorothy Penick and Mrs. Otis Murray.

T. B. BIRTRONG RECALLS
DAY OF "DEVIL'S RETREAT"

Early day Sutton resident, T. B. Birtrong, now of Animas, N. M., arrived Monday for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. W. A. Miers, and Mr. Miers. Mr. Birtrong came here in the spring of 1883 or 1884, he says, and lived here until 1890. He has been retired about ten years and he and Mrs. Birtrong live on a small place in Animas. While in the NEWS office Thursday Mr. Birtrong commented on the difference in equipment of the newspaper today and that of "The Devil's Retreat" when his old friend, the late Steve Murphy, was publisher.

Mrs. Wallace
Entertains With
Two Bridge Parties

Twenty guests Saturday afternoon enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. W. D. Wallace and a like number were her guests at a party Tuesday afternoon. Bridge was the diversion each afternoon. At the party Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Hix Hall won award for high score and Mrs. Joseph Vander Stucken second high. On Saturday award for high score was won by Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken and Mrs. Sterling Baker won second high. A salad plate was served each afternoon. Those who attended the delightful affair Tuesday were: Mesdames Edgar Shurley, G. H. Davis, R. A. Halbert, J. A. Cauthorn, Rip Ward, Libb Wallace, Vernon Hamilton, B. M. Halbert, Jr., Bryan Hunt, J. D. Wallace, Will Ross, F. T. Jones, Richard Vehle, W. C. Warren, Hix Hall, J. Franklin Howell, John Fields, Joseph Vander Stucken, Joel Shelton and Miss Allie Halbert. The following were present Saturday afternoon. Mesdames W. R. Cusenbary, J. C. Morrow, B. W. Hutcherson, W. J. Fields, Jr., H. V. Stokes, E. F. Vander Stucken, Mike Murphy, Sam Hull, Sterling Baker, W. H. Dameron, V. L. Cory, I. B. Boughton, Sidney S. Millsbaugh, Jr., William Allison, Josie McDonald, W. P. McConnell, Jr., Lloyd Earwood, Duke Wilson and Misses Alice and Nann Karnes.

AMERICAN FLAGS TO BE SUPPLIED FROM LEGION. Flags supplied by the government for the caskets of deceased war veterans who were honorably discharged from the service are now to be secured from the county seat postmaster in the county where the veteran died. A bulletin regarding the flags was received by T. C. Murray, postmaster, this week from Dr. L. H. Webb, manager of the Veterans' Administration Facility at Legion, near Kerrville, Texas. Postmasters will receive their flag stocks from the facility rather than from San Antonio as heretofore.

Mrs. Hamby
Hostess To Club
Thursday Afternoon

Mrs. John Hamby was hostess at three tables of bridge Thursday afternoon when she entertained Las Amigas Club at her home. Members present included: Mesdames John Fields, Nolan Kennedy, Collier Shurley, J. C. Morrow, R. C. Vicars, P. J. Taylor, Tom White and Miss Ada Steen. Guests were: Mesdames Virgil Powell, W. J.

Fields, Jr., B. M. Halbert, Jr., and Mrs. Lawrence Steen of Eldorado. Mrs. R. C. Vicars won award for high score and Mrs. Tom White won second high. A salad plate was served.

Mrs. Sam Hull Bridge Hostess. Mrs. Sam Hull was hostess to the Monday Contract Club when it met at her home Monday. Those present were: Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken, Mrs. Joseph Vander Stucken and Miss Alice Karnes. Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken won award for high score. Phone your news to 24.

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If you feel panicky or excited when an accident has occurred, don't try to do much. Don't let your excitement work itself off in action. Under such conditions you are not yourself, and you may do actual harm. Simply make the patient comfortable and ask someone to send for the school physician, nurse, principal, or another teacher.

When a child has had a bad fall, severe enough to cause a bone fracture, it is better to leave the child where he is. Lifting and carrying is usually clumsily done. As a result a simple fracture may be made worse, even to the extent of becoming compound. Place the child in a comfortable position by adjusting the head, arms and legs. Talk to him quietly and confidently, while waiting for a physician.

For scratches and cuts, wash with green soap or alcohol. Allow to dry and apply iodine.

For nosebleed, allow the child to sit up with head inclined slightly backward. Place a cold compress to the back of the neck and a gauze or cotton pack under the upper lip. Press the nostrils, but do not permit blowing or cleaning. The blood hastens clot formation.



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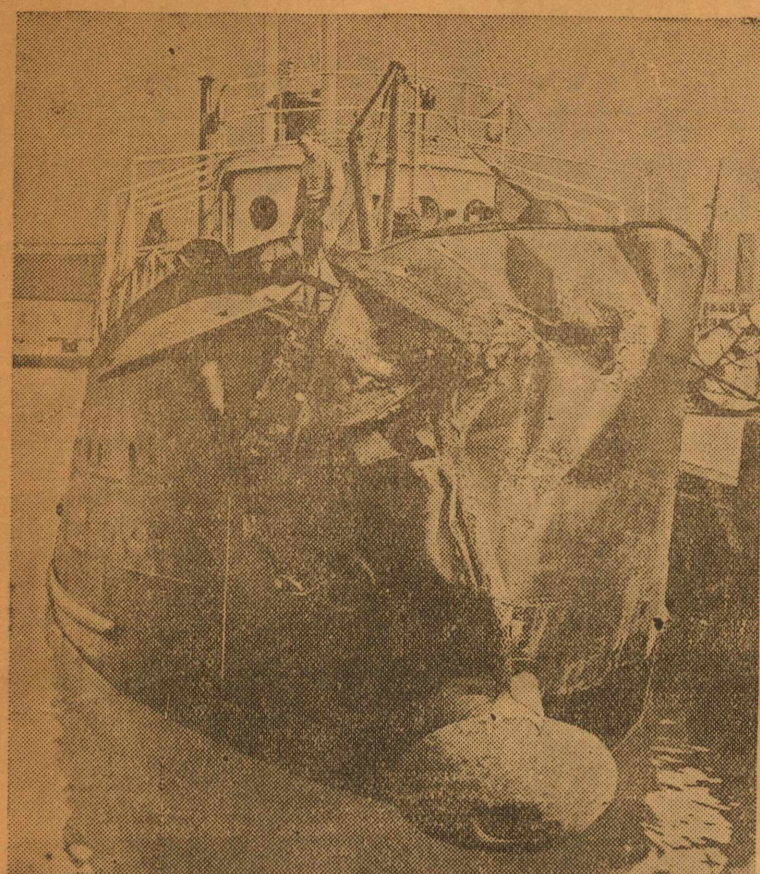
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Dinner and Dance as Benefit

A Mexican supper and dance to raise funds for the Mexican Catholic Church are to be given Saturday night at the dance platform in Sinaloa, according to an announcement Wednesday by Mrs. Lupe Guerra. Serving will begin at seven. Mexican food of all kinds will be served.

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AAA AUDITOR APPROVES SUTTON BUYING RECORD

The mass of record-keeping involved in the government's stock buying program last year was emphasized recently to Fred Simmons, office manager in charge of the work in Sutton county.

Mr. Simmons' records were closed in February, 1935, although he has filed a number of reports in the months since that time.

He recently received notice from G. W. Barnes, assistant director, Texas drouth relief service, College Station, that cattle and sheep forms from Sutton county had been "reconciled" as to payments for the stock. It was indicated that no overpayments had been made.

The information to Mr. Barnes, relayed to Mr. Simmons, was from Harry M. Kent, auditor in charge, field audit section, Agricultural Adjustment Administration, Denver.

W. R. Nisbet was in charge of the buying program in Sutton county.

FIND NEW RACE OF PYGMIES IN ANNAM

Tiny Couple Captured in Remote Section of Asia.

Paris.—A race of pygmies has been discovered in mountainous Annam hinterland of southeastern Asia, hitherto believed uninhabited.

A tiny man and woman were captured by natives and taken to Hue, government seat of the Quang Binh province, Administrator Pierrot of province in the French protectorate reported. They are being nursed to health from malnutrition.

The discovery verified Pierrot's long suspicion that a race of tiny people lived back up in the mountains which few of the superstitious natives have visited.

Typhoons that wrought much damage through the region gave Pierrot the first suggestion of the aboriginal race. While on an expedition through the stricken area Pierrot thought he saw a pygmy clinging to a log being carried down a river. He was unable to reach the log to save the small man, if there was one, but the administrator began asking natives if they had seen any pygmies.

Pierrot found a few villagers who said they had seen dwarfish people occasionally, so timid and elusive that natives never could catch up with them.

Later the pygmy man and woman were captured and brought here. Doctor Trehout, director of the French hospital, recognized them as belonging to a race closely akin to the African pygmies.

The French School of the Extreme Orient has been notified of the find and has begun an intensive study to determine the origin of this curious race.

Paris Will Raze Old Trocadero for 1937 Fair

Paris.—The famous Paris skyline, which has remained unchanged since the completion of the Grand and Petit Palais in 1900, soon will receive its first alteration with the razing of the Trocadero to make room for the Paris exhibition of 1937.

Since 1878 the Trocadero, with its immense auditorium, flanked by two minarets, has overlooked the Champs-de-Mars, on which is situated the Eiffel tower.

The Trocadero first was intended to be a temporary structure for the 1878 exhibition, but it remained standing and housed the exhibitions of 1889 and 1900 as well. Since those two minarets first made their appearance on the Paris skyline more harsh things have been said of the Trocadero than of any other building in Paris.

The gardens will remain, but as the Trocadero hides the view over the Seine and the Champs-de-Mars, the plans provide for pulling down the central part of the building and leaving a space about 55 yards in width.

This entrance will form the principal entrance to the exhibition of 1937.

Big Negro Beats Up 34 When He Is Put in Jail

Knoxville, Tenn.—A negro's fight against 34 in the Knoxville jail may start him on the road to fame in the prize ring.

Roosevelt Sharp, 200 pound former broncho buster and rope thrower with a wild west show, went to jail in a charge of trespassing. He wore a ten gallon hat, wide leather belt, and the trappings that help make a westerner look wild.

He was put in jail with 34 other negroes. They spotted the hat, talked it over, and decided to have some fun.

One man started toward him and was knocked out with one punch. Then every prisoner in the cell, armed with mops or what they could clutch in the rush, ganged Sharp.

Deputies arrived soon, but not soon enough. There were 34 negroes scattered over the cell, and one, Sharp, was leaning against the bars grinning.

"Take him out of here," yelled the rest.

Plant Blooms Each Night but Loses Buds in Day

Berne, Ind.—An unusual plant is growing in the garden of Mrs. Edna Stauffer. It has no blooms during the day, but around seven o'clock every evening numerous buds open, and yellow flowers appear. All the blooms are wilted by eleven o'clock the next day.

Explorer Declares Lions Are Too Timid

Johannesburg.—An American film producer, who traveled 6,000 miles through wildest Africa with cameramen and the usual film equipment complains that the lions were found too shy to "do their stuff" in his picture. The producer, James A. Fitzpatrick, has been getting "background" scenes for a film to be based on the life of David Livingstone. "Every time we got near them with the cameras, the lions cleared off into the dense bush," he said.

Candidate Again



Thirty-three of the sixty years of Morris Sheppard's life have been spent in Congress. He is now the senior senator representing Texas. Recently he announced that he would again be a candidate and, if successful, he will be serving his fifth term. He was first elected to the Senate in 1913 but before that had served five terms in the House of Representatives.

THOSE OVER 60 MUST GET POLL TAX EXEMPTIONS

Previously citizens more than sixty years old could vote without any evidence of their exemption from paying a poll tax because of their age. Mrs. L. E. Johnson, deputy tax collector, has issued a warning that now all those who are exempted for that reason must secure poll tax exemption certificates from her before they can exercise their voting privilege.

With the Churches

Church of Christ
Bible Study 10 o'clock
Morning Worship 10:45 o'clock
Ladies' Bible Class, Wed., 3:30 p.m.

Baptist Church
Sunday School 10 o'clock
Morning Service 11 o'clock
Evening Worship 7:45 o'clock
B. Y. P. U. 6:45 o'clock
W. M. U. Wednesday, 3 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday, 7:45
Frank Nixon, Pastor.

Methodist Church
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 10:50 o'clock
Young People's Meeting 7:30 p. m.
Evening Services 8:15 o'clock
W. M. S. Wednesday, 4 p. m.
Stewards' Meeting—first Sunday (each month)
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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Martin of Ozona were in Sonora Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Chumney and son of Station A were in Sonora Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Aldwell and Miss Elizabeth Francis were in San Antonio last week-end.

Miss Iris Daugherty and her brother, Grover Daugherty, were in San Antonio last week-end.

Mrs. Maysie Brown and Misses Audrey Rankhorn and Edythe Carson spent the week-end in San Antonio.

Miss Mildred Labenske who has been in Christoval for several weeks, visited her mother, Mrs. Lee Labenske, Monday.

Mrs. Russell Lavelle of Junction left Sunday for her home after a week's visit with her father, Dr. L. L. Craddock, and Mrs. Floyd Dungan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bryson, who have been visiting here returned to their home in Uvalde Wednesday, accompanied by Mrs. W. D. Wallace.

"FISHERMEN" HULL AND LOWREY MAKE LONG TRIP

Eighteen hundred miles to and from New Mexico fishing were traveled last week by S. R. Hull and J. D. Lowrey who returned Friday.

"All the fish we could eat" was the only report that could be secured from the two fishermen who followed their sport in the Brazos and Chamois rivers near Chamois, N. M., where Mr. Hull often goes to fish.

The New Mexico section where they fished is an irrigated one and appears to be in good shape. Mr. Hull said this week. The country between here and there, too, is in far better condition than when he last traveled over it.

Some people are polite only when they ask favors.—Dean E. V. White.

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REPORT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE CITY OF SONORA, TEXAS

CITY GENERAL FUND: ANNUAL STATEMENT, close of business September 30, 1935.

REVENUE—	
Balance September 30, 1934	\$ 552.33
Taxes Collected	5183.12
License and Occupation Taxes	286.75
Transferred from Sewer Fund	130.60
Sale of Iron, Dump Ground	50.00
Transferred from Street Fund	69.01
Total	\$6271.81
DISBURSEMENTS—	
Mayor's, Commissioners' and Treasurer's Salaries	\$ 173.00
City Manager's Salary	1490.00
Fire Department Maintenance	621.46
Street and Sanitation	477.24
Commission on Occupation Taxes	58.35
Postage and Telegraph	61.77
Printing, Advertisement and Supplies	184.40
Legal Expense and Office Salaries	147.38
Equalization Board	30.00
Office Rent	80.00
Street Lights	208.50
Water Rent	678.96
Sewer Equipment Warrant and Interest	1062.50
Miscellaneous Expense	26.60
Charity	23.12
Sewer Expense	150.30
Flood Control Expense	264.89
Refund on Taxes	35.00
City Hall Expense	180.09
Insurance, Fire	62.66
Expense on Waterworks Project	260.74
Total	6276.96
Balance Overdrawn Sept. 30, 1935	5.15
Total	\$6271.81

CITY SEWER FUND: Annual Statement, close of business, September, 30, 1935.

REVENUE—	
Balance, October 1, 1934	\$ 1299.21
Taxes Collected	2557.15
Sewer Rental	1852.25
Total	\$5708.61
DISBURSEMENTS—	
Bond Paid	1000.00
Interest on Bonds	2200.00
Exchange and Collection Charges on Bonds	13.15
Expense on Repair, Sewer Line	130.60
Total	3343.75
Balance on Hand, September 30, 1935	2364.86
Total	\$5708.61

City Hall Sinking Fund, Statement close of business September 30, 1935.

REVENUE—	
Balance, October 1, 1934	\$ 35.00
Taxes Collected	458.17
Total	\$493.17
DISBURSEMENTS—	
Bond Paid	200.00
Interest on Bonds	129.15
Total	329.15
Balance on Hand, September 30, 1935	164.02
Total	\$493.17

City Indebtedness: Sewer Bonds \$40000.00
City Hall Bonds 4500.00
GEORGE H. NEILL, City Treasurer.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 11th day of Oct. 1935.
MAYSIE BROWN, Notary Public.

Mrs. Stokes Williams of Merton, Mrs. John Hamby and Miss Allie Halbert spent the week-end in Dallas.

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The Devil's River News, published weekly at Sonora, Texas, for October 1, 1935.

STATE OF TEXAS
County of Sutton—ss

Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Robert W. Jacobs, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of The Devil's River News and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, to-wit:

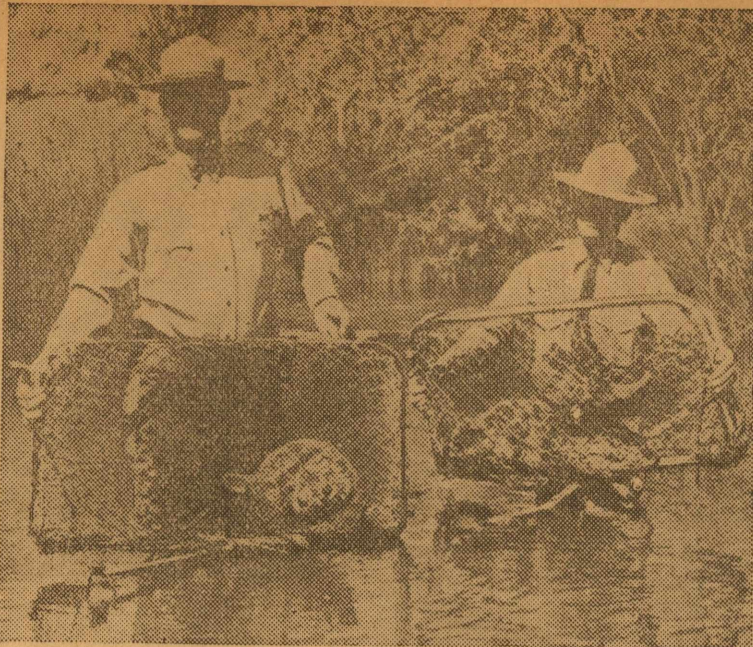
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2. That the owners are: George Baker, Fort Stockton, Texas, and Robert W. Jacobs, Sonora.
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ROBERT W. JACOBS,
Editor-Publisher.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of October, 1935.
(Seal) MASIE BROWN,
Notary Public.
(My commission expires May 31, 1937.)

Don't be so good that every other person looks bad.—Dean E. V. White.

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Beavers Get Jobs Building Dams



Thousands of beavers are now being trapped in the Northwest, through the co-operation of the United States forest service, United States biological survey, and the state police. The beavers, which farmers say dike up their irrigating canals, destroy fruit trees, and cause general havoc, are being transplanted to their more natural surroundings in the national forests. Here they are expected to work at their tasks of building dams in streams, which will stop erosion and increase pasture land. The photograph shows beavers caught in wire traps that do not injure them.

Seaplane Warnings Save Fishing Fleet

Coast Guard Believes Its New System Successful One

Washington, Oct. 16. — Forty sponge-fishing boats scurried safely into port 18 hours ahead of the September hurricane off the west coast of Florida. They had been warned by a Coast Guard seaplane dropping small wooden blocks to which were attached 3-foot yellow streamers bearing in black letters the words—"Hurricane Warning." Three of the boats already had anchored far from their harbor, intending to wait for the wind to die down.

This new warning system was worked out by the Coast Guard, in cooperation with the Weather Bureau, to provide timely warnings for the sponge-fishing fleet that operates 40 to 80 miles off shore in the Gulf of Mexico and is out of touch with land for a week to 3 weeks at a time. Only 7 of the 100 small vessels in the fleet have radios. As each carries a crew of from 7 to 12, a hurricane might mean death to several hundred men.

Weather Bureau observers at Tampa, Fla., notify the Coast Guard Air Station at St. Petersburg of every threatening tropical disturbance headed for the northeastern waters of the Gulf of Mexico. Seaplanes, carrying a supply of the yellow hurricane - warning streamers, are sent out at once to sweep the area from Tampa Bay to Cape San Bias, where most of the sponge fishing is done. Sighting a boat, the plane flies low and drops its signal. The buoyant wood blocks bear an abbreviated request for return to the air base at St. Petersburg. Returned blocks give the two agencies a check on the usefulness of the service.

IF WOMEN REMEMBER THIS JUST HOW OLD ARE THEY?

Remember way back when to be dressed up you wore a pair of high-top button shoes with from fourteen to eighteen buttons on them? Then, too, you likely had a watch pinned on your shirt-waist with a brooch—

Then at housecleaning time we kids got a hammer, screwdriver and a saucer and took the tacks out of the carpet, which had a tack every few inches, and then Dad carried it out and also removed the straw and then we whipped and beat and shook and finally when Ma was satisfied that it was clean and Dad had carried in fresh straw, back in went the carpet and how we did stretch and pull and tug until it was stretched to suit Ma and then tacked back in place, and how our feet would sink way in when we first walked on it?—Clinton (Mo.) Eye.

Varnish As Liniment "Worked"

A White Cloud motorcyclist fell off his machine, bruised a leg, and doctored it with liniment several nights. Then, coming in late one night he got hold of the wrong bottle and gobbled up his leg with linoleum varnish, rubbed it in and did not notice the difference until it began to get sticky and gum everything up. The funny part about it is that it cured the lame leg, which has not bothered since the varnish was applied.—White Cloud (Kas.) Tribune.

Biologists Scoff at Many People's Beliefs About Snakes; Baby Ones Sans Rattlers

Washington, Oct. 16.—Strange as it may seem, the baby rattlesnake has no rattle. Biologists of the United States Department of Agriculture say the young rattler has a button on the end of its tail at birth. Within a few days it sheds its skin; in two months it sheds its skin again, and then the first ring of the rattle appears. Shortly after these snakes are born the last 7 or 8 vertebrae fuse into a solid bone, the "shaker" around which the rings of the rattle form.

When a rattler sheds all of the skin comes off, wrong side out—all except the part that covers the cap on the tail, which cannot come off because of the shape. This part of the skin, however, is dislodged and moves backward to become an additional ring on the rattle. The rattling noise is made by these rings of dry skin jiggling around when the snake vibrates his shaker.

The biologists say a snake seldom has more than ten rings because the vibration at the tip is so great that the terminal rings wear out or are broken off.

Biologists do not believe a lot of the notions about snakes. They say a rattler's years are not the same as the number of rings he has accumulated on his shaker. Normally one ring is added every time the skin is shed, and this is usually three times a year. But not all these snakes are alike in shedding. Some shed twice a year and some as many as four times.

Another thing, the biologists don't believe nature gave the rattlesnake his rattler as a warning device. They believe it is a call of use to them particularly in the breeding season. Anyway, it is an effective warning and saves the rattlers a lot of bother.

Mrs. Shelton Visiting Parents

Mrs. Joel Shelton and daughter, Alice Clare, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dodd, in Sapulpa, Oklahoma. They are also visiting friends and relatives in Tulsa and Oklahoma City, and are to be gone two weeks.

R. L. Allens' Baby Improving

Howard Ray Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Allen of Humble Station A, who suffered a compound fracture of the skull last Wednesday is declared to be "doing fine." He is still in San Angelo.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chadwick and children were in San Angelo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Evans of Rocksprings were in Sonora Friday.

Miss Ida Allen, Edna Belle Speed and Lee Hart were in McCamey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith attended the football game in San Angelo Friday night.

Mrs. C. T. Jones and daughter, Harva, and Mrs. R. A. Halbert were in San Angelo Saturday.

Mrs. Lewis Rouche and daughter, Nina, and Miss Velma Chadwick were in San Angelo Monday.

Mrs. Ernest Carroll returned Sunday from a two-weeks' visit in Houston with her daughter, Mrs. F. H. Sanders.

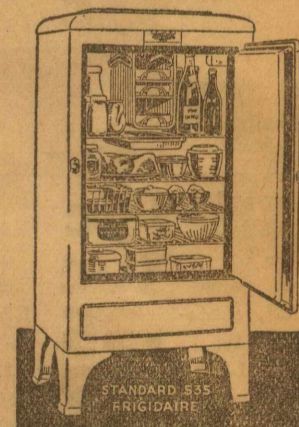
Mrs. Ford Stansel who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McGhee, left Wednesday for her home in San Angelo.

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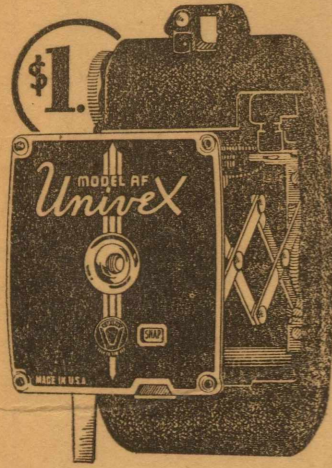
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(Federal-State Market News Service)

San Antonio, Oct. 15.—Supplies were liberal in the cattle division Monday and consisted mostly of common to medium grade calves and she stock. Receipts included 378 cattle and 559 calves. Shippers and order buyers were active on common to medium calves at 25 cents higher over low time last week, spots slow and draggy.

Good calves and light yearlings and other classes fully steady; good grade slaughter calves and light yearlings \$5.50 to \$6.50; medium grades uneven, mostly \$4.50 to \$5.50; common kinds \$3.50 to \$4.50; common weighty grass steers steady at \$4.50 to \$5.50, with cutter grades down to \$4; common and medium cows \$3.25 to \$4; low cutters and cutters, \$2 to \$3.25; common to medium bulls, \$3.50 to \$4 with odd head good kinds \$4.25 to \$4.75; light thin kinds down to \$3.25; medium and good stocker and feeder calves, \$5 to \$6.

Hogs, 104 head; market active and steady to 15 cents lower, with the close of last week; medium to good 175-250 pound butchers \$9.50 to \$9.75, top; 250-350 pound, \$8.75 to \$9.25; 140-160 pound offerings, \$8.50 to \$9; packing sows mostly \$8.25 to \$8.50 with few at \$8.75; slaughter and feeder pigs, \$7.25 to \$8; no rail hogs arrived.

Sheep, 68 head; goats, 49 head; load good grade creep fed clipped lambs, \$7.75 or 75 cents higher than last previous offerings on this market; common and medium aged slaughter wethers, \$3.50 to \$4; goats draggy at \$1.50 to \$2.50.

Receipts shown are from 6 a. m. Saturday to 6 a. m. Monday.

HE'S LONE PROGRESSIVE IN U. S. SENATE



Youthful Robert M. LaFollette, Jr., of Wisconsin is the only Progressive senator in the United States Senate. His term does not expire until 1941. Other Wisconsin senator is a Democrat—F. Ryan Duffy, whose term expires in 1939. A 38-year-old brother of Senator LaFollette is governor of Wisconsin and recently announced that he would support Roosevelt in 1936 if it were a choice between former president Hoover and Franklin Delano Roosevelt.

TWENTY-SIX SUTTON GRASS TYPES BEING DISPLAYED

Fifty to sixty varieties of grasses are to be found on ranches in Sutton county, according to V. L. Cory, botanist at the Ranch Experiment Station.

Twenty-six of the types are on display at the E. F. Vander Stucken store and have been carefully labeled by Mr. Cory. They were secured by Joe Vander Stucken on his place. The botanical name of each is given on the display in the store's hardware department window and, where possible, the more understandable name given that particular grass by the ranchman is given.

W. D. Martin of the Vander Stucken firm wants to see how many of the fifty to sixty varieties Mr. Cory tells about can be secured. Ranchmen are requested to bring samples of various grasses growing on their places to him. If they are not already on display and named by Mr. Cory, they will be put on exhibition and Mr. Cory will be asked to name them.

Among the varieties now being shown are: sage, oats, grama, needle, mesquite, wire, buffalo, rescue, Indian, side oats grama, (dwarf and large), rush (grows near water).

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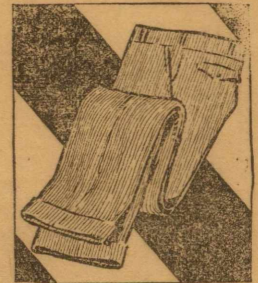
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MOTHER OF TWIN CALVES CARES FOR ONE IN BRUSH

Not especially unusual and certainly not enough so to do for Ripley's cartoons but interesting nevertheless was the birth of twin calves recently on the ranch operated by W. M. Peasson.

Mother of the "duplicates" is a gentle Jersey, Mr. Peasson says, that he noticed going over into the

brush repeatedly after one calf had been born. He investigated and found another of her "children" there.

The birth of twin calves is not a common thing, and one ranchman who heard Mr. Peasson telling of the incident said that he has never known of but three "sets" of twin calves born on his place.

The NEWS will print it for you.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Floyd Dungan went to El Dorado Tuesday.

Kelso Locklin went back to Dallas Wednesday for medical treatment.

Mrs. Nannie B. Wilson and son, Willie B., of Austin spent last week-end in Sonora.

Miss Ruth Freeman is spending several weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Ethridge, in Blanco.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Warren were in San Angelo Monday and Tuesday where Mr. Warren attended a Wm. Cameron & Co. meeting.

S. R. Hull returned Wednesday morning from a business trip to Dallas where he attended a preview of the new Ford models.

Mrs. J. A. McDonough, Mrs. W. M. McDonough and son, Billy Joe, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Ethridge in Blanco this week.

Mrs. Vernon Hamilton and son, George, Mrs. J. D. Lowrey and Mrs. George B. Hamilton were in San Angelo Tuesday. Mrs. Sally Leach, a former Sonora resident, returned with them for a visit.

METHODIST W. M. SOTO SPONSOR PLAY OCTOBER 25

The Methodist Woman's Missionary Society is sponsoring a play to be given in the high school auditorium Friday, Oct. 25.

"Womanless Missionary Auxiliary" is the name of the play.

At the regular meeting Wednesday at the church those present were: Mesdames W. E. Caldwell, J. D. Lowrey, J. T. McClelland, O. L. Richardson W. S. Ezell, J. Franklin Howell, B. H. McLain, J. W. Trainer, E. E. Sawyer, George B. Hamilton, Robert Rees and Sally Leach.

L. W. ELLIOTT HOME TO BE MADE TWO-STORY ONE

Remodeling of the L. W. Elliott residence from a one and a half story home to one of two stories was begun this week. The work is being done by J. T. McClelland, contractor.

Interior work includes changing the rooms entirely. Two new rooms will be added and the attic will be taken off. When the house is finished it will be a stuccoed two-story residence.

The Elliots are living in the Mrs. Winnie Aldwell house while this work is being done.

"Womanless Missionary Auxiliary" Fun for all. H. S. Aud., Oct. 25—Presented by Methodist W. M. Society.—adv.

PIGGLY WIGGLY SPECIALS

Friday - Saturday and Monday

Shortening JEWEL—8-pound carton **1.09**
JEWEL—4-pound carton **58c**

CORN, Del Monte, 15c	CORN, Golden Bantam, 12-oz. can .14
HONEY, ext., 1.09	HONEY, extracted, 1/2 gallon can 55c
COMET Rice, 2-pound box 19c	TOILET PAPER, 650-sheet roll; 2 for 9c
COCOA, Mother's brand; 2-lb. box 21c	COCOA, Hershey's, 1-lb. box 15c
—ROYAL GELATINE AND PUDDING OFFER—	
PACKAGE of pudding for ONE CENT when buying 3 packages of Gelatine for 20c	
POPCORN, 1-lb. package for 15c	PECANS, thin shell; 2 pounds 25c
FLOUR—Ohoma brand; EVERY SACK GUARANTEED—48-lb. bag—\$2.09; 24-lb. bag for 1.10	
MEAL, 20-pound bag for 53c	MEAL, 10-lb. bag, Fairy brand for 35c

Sugar Pure cane, 10 lbs. 57c
for 25 pounds 1.43

SODA, Arm and Hammer, 2-lbs. 15c	BAKING Powder, K. C.; 25-oz. 18c
BUTTER—Falfurrias; pound 36c	CLEARBROOK, butter, sour cr., lb. 31c
CHERRIES, chocolate covered, lb. .35	CAKE MIX, Dixie Fruit; pound. 47c
MARSHMALLOWS, Angelus; pound .19	PECAN Halves, shelled, new, lb. 49c
COFFEE, Hot Shot, 1-lb. package .15	COFFEE, Bright and Early, 1 lb. can, 39c—Half 21c
FLY SPRAY—Bee brand—Pint can, 25c—Quart can 73c	
SYRUP, Brer Rabbit; 1/2 gallon 35c	SYRUP, Brer Rabbit, gallon 69c

MILK, Carnation, 6 small cans 19c
" " 3 large cans 19c

SPUDS, 10 pounds for 19c	YAMS, 10 lbs. for 19c
APPLES, Delicious, med. size, dozen .25	APPLES, Delicious, large size, doz. .35
GRAPES, seedless or Tokays, the pound 8c	COCOANUTS, large size, each 9c
LEMONS, the dozen 19c	ORANGES, large, ones, dozen 25c
CUKES, the pound 5c	GREEN BEANS, the pound 7 1/2c
LETTUCE, two heads for 9c	SQUASH, white or yellow; pound 5c
MUSTARD Greens, 2 bunches for 5c	TURNIP Greens, 2 bunches for 5c

ANNOUNCING....



a NEW modernly equipped garage for Sutton County motorists...

Effective Tuesday, Oct. 15, I became owner of the business formerly conducted by J. T. Penick and Son in the Clarkson Building.

FIRST-CLASS mechanical work made possible by expert mechanics working with the best of modern automotive repair equipment will be featured.

I sincerely hope that I may serve the Penicks' customers as well as those who did business with me in the service station which I formerly operated. Too, I want NEW customers who demand the utmost in AUTOMOTIVE SATISFACTION whether they buy gasoline, oils, tires or REPAIR SERVICE.

C. H. CARSON, Owner

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