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Sutton Citizens Approve Sale of 'Hard' Liquor By Package

Not Many People Vote in County-Wide Election

NEARLY 2½ TO ONE Only 52 in Sonora Say They Are Against Sutton Sale

Only thirty-eight per cent of the Sutton county citizens holding poll tax receipts permitting them to vote showed enough interest in whether or not liquor is sold in packages to go to the polls Monday and exercise their privilege of expression.

The unofficial vote when the polls closed at seven Monday night was: "For the sale," 126; "Against the sale," 53.

In Sonora 105 votes were cast for the sale and 52 against the sale. In precinct three, the Camp Allison community, 21 voted for the sale and not a vote against the issue. At the Reiley Ranch, precinct four, Owensville community, not a vote was cast. Nor were any votes cast in precinct two where voters were to cast their ballots at Mrs. Velma Shurley's.

One person cast a vote in precinct five, voting at J. M. Vander Stucken's. That ballot was against the sale of liquor in packages.

Alvis Johnson, county judge, and the county commissioners will canvass the returns at their regular meeting Monday and certify the result to the state authorities. The unofficial tabulation, by precincts, shows:

Precinct	For Against	
	Sale	Sale
Precinct 1	105	52
Precinct 2	0	0
Precinct 3	21	0
Precinct 4	0	0
Precinct 5	0	1
	126	53

Clerks who aided the judges in conducting the election Monday were: Mrs. P. J. Taylor, George D. Chalk, Mrs. H. V. Stokes, James G. Caldwell, Oscar Adams, S. L. Shroyer.

Salient features of the law under which Sutton county dealers may sell liquor in packages are:

a)—Licensee must post \$1,000 to \$25,000 bond as guaranty of obedience to regulations.

b)—Permit holder may sell hard liquor in sealed containers. Sale by drink is not permitted.

c)—Packaged liquor may be delivered to hotel guests in rooms.

d)—Three-fourths of tax income, varying according to type of liquor, goes to old age pensions fund and the remainder to the school fund.

e)—Permit license fees are shared by state, county and city in this proportion: state, 50 per cent; county, 25 per cent; city 25 per cent.

f)—License fees: wholesalers, \$2,500; beer and wine wholesalers, \$250; storage warehouses, \$50.

Liquor package stores, outside city limits, \$100; liquor package stores, cities of 5,000 or less, \$100.

g)—Cancellation of license and prosecution for violators of the act.

h)—Package store permits let owner sell not less than one-half pint.

Telephone Manager Visits Son
Thanksgiving Day was spent by W. R. Barnes, manager of San Angelo Telephone Co. here, with his son, Marvin, who is manager of the same company's exchange in Robert Lee. The younger Barnes is pleased with his new location and is planning to make a visit here during the Christmas season.

Girl to Mr. and Mrs. Valliant
A daughter weighing seven pounds and four ounces was born Wednesday of last week to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Valliant. The baby was named Clairinda Marilyn.

S. T. Gilmore Gets Buck
A four-point deer was killed Saturday morning by S. T. Gilmore.

Sonora Boy Scouts Will Compete in District Rally

Public Invited To Barbecue, and Rally Events in Ozona Tonight at Six

A barbecue in Ozona tonight followed by a rally and a Court of Honor will attract a number of Boy Scouts of Troop 19, Sonora, and several of the "Scouters," who will go there for the evening's events.

Ozona is host to Scouts from all troops in the Ranch District made up of Eldorado, Sonora, Ozona and Patrol 22, at Station B. Troop 52, Ozona, will re-register all of its Scouts for another year of Scouting.

Rally events will be held in the gymnasium at the high school and the court of honor after the contests which will include four unannounced events, knot tying for Tenderfoot Scouts and string burning and first aid contests for

National Executive



WALTER W. HEAD
President, National Council
Boy Scouts of America

Second Class Scouts. Competition will be open to all in the following: fire-by-friction, first aid, tent-peg making, cot relay and knot relay.

Troops will be graded on a basis of points earned. Groups making 300 to 500 points will be rated "C," those chalking up 500 to 700 points as "B" troops and those making 700 to 900 points will be declared "A" troops.

Visitors from all of the towns of the district are being invited to attend the barbecue at 6 o'clock, the rally and Court of Honor. Among the adults from here who are planning to attend are A. W. Awalt, Ralph Trainer and John Eaton, Scoutmaster.

Scouts of the Permian Basin District, made up of Fort Stockton, Big Lake, Texon, Rankin, Iraan will meet in Fort Stockton Sheffield, McCamey, Crane and tomorrow in district-wide rally competition.

JACK T. GLADNEY OPENS SERVICE STATION HERE

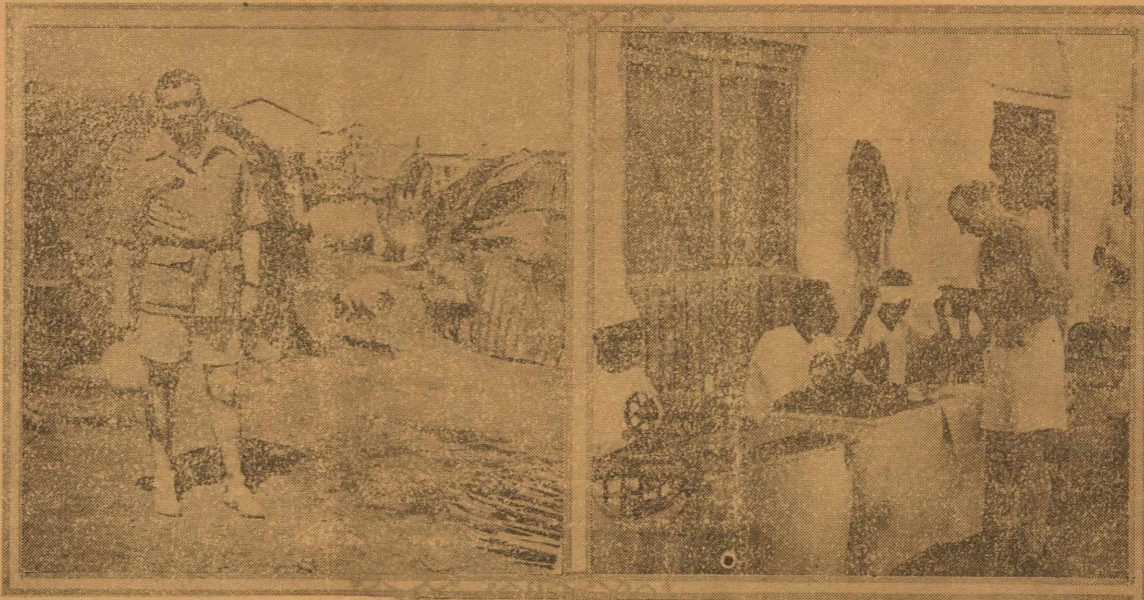
Readying of the Marathon service station property at Concho street and the Ozona highway has been under way recently and the station and tourist cabin business opened for business Saturday.

Operator of the business is Jack T. Gladney, formerly a farmer of Alice, Texas. Mr. Gladney has been farming in that section for several years but before that was in oil production work six years for Humble, Texas Company and Gray Ridge Oil Co. in Southwest and central Texas.

Gordon Bennett who was formerly employed at the station is again employed there. The business has not been operated for several months.

Mrs. Gladney and their son, Jack H., ten years old, came here recently from Alice. They will live in the living quarters at the station.

With "Gentlemen of the Press" in the War Zone



Directly above is shown Reynolds Packard, representative of the United Press, on a tour of inspection of a village in Djibouti.

The upper right picture shows Mr. Packard dicking with a tailor in the village street.

In the photo at the lower right is shown the two means of transportation Mr. Packard uses while "on location" in Somaliland.

(Pictures are by courtesy of T. J. O'Neill, general manager of NEWSDOM, New York City.)

Jo Nell Miers and Wesley Sawyer Lead School Students

Honor Roll Announced for Second Six Weeks; Leaders To Be "Lion" and "Lioness"

An average of 96 1-3 was made the second six weeks of this semester by Wesley Sawyer, senior, son of Mrs. E. E. Sawyer.

He will be known as a "Lion," and guest of the Lions Club each Tuesday for the next six weeks.

Jo Nell Miers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Miers, was the high ranking girl student with an average of 95½ and will be "Lioness" for the next six weeks.

Other students whose averages were high are: Myron Morris, 98; Lillie Owens, 94½; Mildred Trainer, 93; Wanda B. Rape, 95 3-4; Jimmie Gwynne Langford, 94½; Joyce McGilvray, 90¼; J. O. Mills, 93½; Bobbie Halbert, 93 1-5; Kenneth Babeock, 94; Lillie Marie Smith, 93.

The complete honor roll as announced Wednesday by B. H. McLain, superintendent, is:

Seventh Grade: Glen Chadwick, Myron Morris, Dock Simmons, Marjorie Davis, Lillie Owens, Mildred Trainer.

Eighth Grade: Louise Briscoe Claude T. Driskell, Jimmie Gwynne Langford, J. C. Norris, Wanda B. Rape, Margaret Sandherr.

Sophomores: Web Elliott, Vincenta Sanchez, Rena Glen Shurley, Robert Allen Simmons, Garland Slaughter, Jim Taylor, Serena Trainer.

Juniors: Marion Elliott, Jo Ann Marion, Jo Nell Miers, Joyce McGilvray, Curt Schwiening, Richard Vehle.

Seniors: Kenneth Babeock, Violet Drennan, Nora B. Hill, Bobbie Halbert, Wilma Hutcherson, Lunetta Marion, J. O. Mills, Wesley Sawyer, Dora Shroyer, Helen Smith, Lillie Marie Smith, Ida Belle Sykes, Cora Belle Taylor.

The elementary school honor roll is:

First Grade: Clayton Hamilton,
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HUGE PUMPKIN GROWN BY RESIDENT IN SINALOA

The term "some pumpkins" of another day doesn't refer to all those grown by Benigno Castilleja at his home in Sinaloa but it does describe well the one he has on display at the First National Bank.

The pumpkin weighs fifty-nine pounds and Castilleja says that it will make many a pumpkin pie. Anyone who sees the one he brought to town will agree. Although he had a number more the one he is showing this week is the largest of the lot.

Lee R. Morris Will Build 5-Room House

Spanish Type Property Will Face School Athletic Field

Immediate letting of contract and actual construction soon of a five-room hollow tile and stucco residence was announced this week by Lee R. Morris, Sutton county ranchman who has been living in the G. B. Baker residence since school began in September.

Mr. Morris said that his home will be built on a plot of ground with 74-foot frontage and 110 feet deep, just west of the Vernon Hamilton residence. The land was bought recently from Mr. Hamilton. It faces the school athletic field and is near the W. E. Caldwell property.

The educational advantages of living in Sonora where the two Morris children, Leon and Myron, may attend school were emphasized by Mr. Morris.

The house will be of Spanish type architecture and will be the fourth stucco house in the neighborhood. Others are the homes of Joe Norris, Chris Wyatt and Mr. Hamilton. The Hamilton residence was recently stuccoed. The house Mr. Morris will build will have five rooms, bathroom and concrete porch, as well as a garage outbuilding. The approximate cost was given by Mr. Morris as \$3,000.

G. B. Rankhorn late Wednesday was awarded the contract for the building of the house.

Daughter to Ernest Smiths
Monday, a daughter weighing eight pounds and ten ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith. The baby has been named Marilyn Faye.

Armer Earwood, who is attending Texas Military Institute in San Antonio, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Earwood.

Utility Rates and Service Discussed By Lion Members

Airplane Landing Field To Be Community Problem. John Eaton Reminds Club

Discussion of the matter of electric and telephone utilities in Sonora occupied the attention of thirty-six Lions and two guests of the club at the regular Tuesday noon in the basement of the Baptist Church.

W. C. Gilmore, the Rev. Frank Nixon and W. R. Cusenbary spoke regarding the utility matters.

Mr. Gilmore stated that he had information that John Y. Rust of the San Angelo Telephone Co. was planning a new telephone exchange building for Sonora and that construction would probably be started after January 1. The Rev. Mr. Nixon commented on telephone

OZONA LIONS HOSTS AT LUNCHEON DECEMBER 13

Club members of Group 23 have been invited to Ozona for a luncheon Friday the thirteenth of December. In his invitation to the Sonora club members Hugh Childress, Jr., commented:

"This invitation does not include Buzzy Stokes, Bud Smith, George Wynn and those of your club that the Sheriff is looking for."

Improvements Depend on Profits
Improvements in utility properties are made only when profits justify them, W. R. Cusenbary declared. He expressed the belief that returns of the company here justified the expenditure of money for improvements in equipment and service.

Possibility of a reduction in the commercial lighting rate unit from twelve cents to eight cents was mentioned by George H. Neill who stated that he was speaking for another member who had asked

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Federal Business Better
"Things" were better with "Uncle Samuel" in November in Sonora and total receipts at the postoffice here were \$49.37, a gain of \$22.75 over the same month last year but a loss of \$5.98 from the October, 1935, volume.

Sutton County Men On Sheep and Goat Raisers' Program

Officers To Be Elected and 1936 Convention City Named This Afternoon

Sonora and Sutton county is well represented in San Antonio as members of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association meet there in two-day convention yesterday and today.

Tom Bond is a member of the program committee of which Weaver Baker, district attorney, is chairman and associate workers are E. S. Mayer, Sutton county ranchman, A. J. Walsler, G. W. Cunningham, secretary of the association with headquarters in San Angelo.

At two yesterday afternoon Dr. I. B. Boughton, veterinarian on the Ranch Experiment Station staff, addressed the stockmen on the subject of "Veterinary Problems." His address was followed by one by L. J. Wardlaw of Fort Worth, now a member of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission but formerly an attorney here.

This morning at 11:15 O. G. Babeock, entomologist of the United States Department of Agriculture, stationed at Ranch Experiment Station, will tell association members attending the convention of "Possibilities of Blowfly Control."

Roy E. Aldwell, a member of the board of directors, is attending the convention. He is also one of a group forming the membership committee which met Wednesday afternoon. Others on the committee are: Capt. H. W. Rieck, Junction, chairman; V. I. Pierce, C. C. Canon, J. T. Johnson, Adolph Steiler, Roger Gillis.

At a meeting of the executive committee of seventy-five Wednesday night B. M. Halbert of Sonora, urged that the name "chevon" be retained as a name for goat meat. One of the speakers at the barbecue dinner that night was S. G. Tayloe, San Antonio attorney and former Sonora resident.

Abe Mayer, San Angelo, president of the association has served less than a year and may be re-elected at three this afternoon when officers are chosen and a site for the 1936 convention is named. Others who are mentioned for the honor of directing the activities of the association are Roger Gillis, Del Rio, H. C. Noelke, San Angelo, and Capt. H. W. Rieck, Junction.

Among others on the program during the two days are: James V. Alfred, governor of Texas; F. R. Marshall, secretary, National Wool Growers Association; Charles L. South, representative in Congress, 21st District; C. K. Quin, mayor of San Antonio.

Sonora Banker To Preside at Meeting

Round Table Discussion Feature of Saturday Session

Presiding at the regular meeting of the Hill Country Bankers' Association meeting in the Pan-American room of the Gunter Hotel in San Antonio Saturday night will be George H. Neill, cashier of the First National Bank.

Mr. Neill is president of the association, which is made up of representatives from twenty-four Texas banks.

Addresses will be made by Prof. James C. Dolley of the School of Business Administration, University of Texas, and by Fred Florence, president of the Texas Bankers' Association. A feature of the meeting will be a round table discussion of current problems in banking. Among the subjects on which members will be asked to express their views are: Federal Credit Agencies competing with banks, regulations of Federal Deposit Insurance Commission workings, the government bond market.

The committee of San Antonio bankers arranging the meeting which will begin with a social hour at six o'clock is composed of Henry M. Hart, John M. Gaddis, W. A. Ramsey, E. J. Miller, E. A. Baetz, Carl Jockusch and J. O. McCaskill. Mrs. Neill and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Allen will also go to San Antonio for the meeting.

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CHRISTMAS PROGRAM
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Choir of the First Methodist Church
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AT THE
FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sonora, Texas, Sunday, December 8, 1935
Scripture Reading..... Dr. K. P. Barton
Prayer and Chorus from "Der Freischutz"..... Wagner
Miller String Quartette
The Story of Bethlehem
By WILLIAM R. SPENCE
PART ONE
The Shepherds.....
Organ—Allegretto Pastorale.....
Chorus..... "There Were Shepherds Abiding"
Bass Recitative..... "And Lo! the Angel of the Lord"
V. R. Quinlan
Soprano Solo..... "Fear Not, I Bring You Glad Tidings"
Mrs. J. C. Meredith
Tenor Recitative..... "And Suddenly There Was With the Angels"
J. R. Sanders
Chorus..... "Glory to God in the Highest"
Bass Recitative..... "And It Came to Pass"
Charlie Poulter
Chorus..... "Let Us Now Go Even Unto Bethlehem"
Alto Recitative and Solo..... "Sleep, Holy Babe"
Mrs. L. B. Horton
Bass Recitative..... "And Thou Bethlehem"
Charlie Poulter
Chorus..... "He Shall Be Great"
PART TWO
Organ—"March of the Magi"
Men's Chorus..... "Where Is He That Is Born King of the Jews?"
Ladies' Chorus..... "And to the Star Which They Had Seen"
Soprano Solo..... "Earth Hath Many a Noble City"
Mrs. Culberson Deal
FINALE
Chorus..... "Adeste Fideles"
Hallelujah Chorus from the "Messiah"..... Miller String Quartette
THE CHOIR
Mrs. Culberson Deal, Director
Mrs. R. V. Amacker
H. W. Axe
O. O. Abel
Miss Edith Anderson
E. W. Bode
Mrs. Hunter Cherry
Mrs. J. C. Clements
Mrs. H. Christensen
Miss Bess Easterly
Mrs. Isla Eckert
Mrs. Robert Crowther, Organist
Mrs. O. W. Greene
O. W. Greene
Miss Thelma Lynn
Mrs. J. C. Meredith
James Montgomery
Mrs. L. J. Parker
Mrs. H. D. Pope
Charlie Poulter
Mrs. C. H. Quinn
V. R. Quinlan
J. R. Sanders
MILLER STRING QUARTETTE
Mrs. Gus Miller, Director
Lanham Deal
Willie Mae Barron
Mrs. C. B. Beall, Organist
Jon Miller
Kathryn Lee

SAILS FOR OLYMPICS



Richard H. Dorrance of Dartmouth university, photographed as he sailed for Europe to take part in the winter Olympic games. He will compete in the ski jumping at Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany.

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(Fed.-State Market News Service)

San Antonio, Dec. 4.—Receipts in the cattle division of the San Antonio livestock market were fairly liberal Monday for the holiday season; supplies included 775 cattle and 734 calves; shippers and order buyers were active and the price levels held fully steady to strong; a good clearance was made in the morning round of trading.

Good slaughter calves and light weight yearlings cashed mostly at \$5 to \$5.50 with few short strings at \$5.75 and \$6; medium grades sold around \$4 to \$5; common kinds down to \$3.25; few short fed yearlings held at \$6.75; bulk of common and medium grade cows brought \$3.25 to \$4 with few good kinds at \$4.50; low cutter and cutter cows in active demand at \$2 to \$3; heavy bulls in light supply and steady at \$3.50 to \$4 with light weights selling down to \$3.25; common and medium grass steers mostly \$4.50 to \$5.25, few higher; stocker and feeder calves of good breeding in active demand at \$5 to \$5.50; plainer kinds down to \$4.25.

Hogs, 29 head; market opened 25c higher than last week's close at \$9 for best 175-275 pound truck offerings; buyers were fairly liberal in sortings and few medium grades brought top prices; desirable 140-160 pound slaughters, \$8 to \$8.50; 300-375 pounds, \$8.25 to \$8.75; packing sows steady at \$7.50 to \$8; feeder pigs in light demand at \$7 to \$7.50.

Few thin aged shorn wethers received late; no lambs or goats on offer; quotably steady; fat aged slaughter wethers around \$3.50 and down to \$2.50; goats, quotable at \$1.50 to \$2; demand for both sheep and goats very light.

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

Mrs. G. B. Rankhorn and daughters, Audrey and Betty Gene, were in San Angelo Wednesday.

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SONORA, TEXAS

Few Giving Now To Will Rogers Fund

Contributions To Be Received Until December 14

Only two dollars has been received during the last week from Sutton county citizens who want to do their bit for the Will Rogers Memorial Fund.

Only one week remains for gifts to the fund. Giving will continue until Saturday night, December 14, according to announcement by nationally known men at the head of the movement.

Gifts from Sonora and Sutton county people may be left at the NEWS office or at the First National Bank. At this time \$57.75 has been given by a comparatively few individuals and business firms. Those who have given are:

- Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Shurley, Dock Friend, Dow Puckett, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Espy and Harrell Espy, H. V. Stokes, Virgil Powell, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Hull, Mrs. E. E. Sawyer, Patsy and Peggy Gilmore, "One Who Has Enjoyed 'Will' Many Years," Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lowrey.

STATION A CONTRIBUTORS

- D. Epley, A. L. Ohlenburg, T. J. Griggs, G. Richardson, D. L. Kimball, Ed Ratliff, W. McLeod, J. H. Davis, Carl S. Chumney, Clyde Joiner, B. A. Harris, L. E. Clement, W. B. McShan, R. L. Allen, Russell White, G. D. Bishop, L. R. Hudson, J. R. Kinstle, Paul McLeod, Frank Smith.

- Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Aldwell, Dr. J. Franklin Howell, J. M. Puckett, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fields, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Vander Stucken, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Neill, The Devil's River News, Mr. and Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil H. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Halbert, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Murray

Miss Elizabeth Francis spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Francis, in San Antonio.

Co-Hostesses At Bridge Party Given Friday Night

Jo Nell Miers and Cathryn Trainor were hostesses Friday night at the clubhouse of the Sonora Woman's Club, when they entertained with a bridge and forty-two party.

Those who attended the delightful courtesy were:

- Jo Ann Marion, Lunetta Marion, Wilma Hutcherson, Wynona Hutcherson, Joyce McGilvray, Kathryn Brown, Rena Glen Shurley, Emmalou Logan, Edythe Carson, Mildred Frambrough, Mattie Mae Friess, Mary Alice Rorie, Wilma Hamer.

Richard Vehle, Tommie Barrow, Alvis Johnson, Jr., Jack Shurley, Troy White, Jr., Reginald Trainor, Marion Elliott, Web Elliott, Joseph Logan, Garland Slaughter, W. B. Brantley, Bob Jackson, Robert Shapleigh, Kenneth Babcock.

Lem Eriel Johnson, Robert Allen Simmons, S. H. Stokes, Harrell Turney Espy, A. W. Awalt, Wesley Sawyer.

At the close of the games, high cut for girls was awarded to Jo Ann Marion, and low to Joyce McGilvray. High cut for boys was won by Wesley Sawyer, and low by Web Elliott.

Sandwiches, cocoa and fruit cake were served.

MANY ATTEND CONFERENCE IN SAN ANTONIO FRIDAY

The Texas State Teachers' Association annual convention was held in San Antonio Friday.

At one meeting, the eighteen-year rule was discussed. This rule had been ordered put into effect as of September 1, 1936. Under this rule all pupils eighteen years of age before September 1, would be ineligible for interscholastic competition.

Educators who attended the meeting were overwhelmingly opposed to the rule, but were satisfied for the age limit to be placed at nineteen. The conference passed a resolution calling for submitting the rule to a referendum of the schools, the decision of the referendum to determine the action of the state committee.

Those who attended the conference from here were:

- Misses Johnnie Allison, Pauline Davis, Leta Ray, Anna B. Wilson, Mrs. Gloria Sanders, Walter E. Willis, Preston C. Lightfoot, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. McEain.

MUCK CROPS QUEEN



Competing with 20 other girls, Miss Evelyn Edwards was crowned "queen of the muck crops show" during the annual northern Indiana muck crops show held in North Judson, Ind. A beautiful fur coat as well as the beauty crown went to the fair winner.

Mr. and Mrs. William Allison spent the holidays with relatives and friends in San Antonio.

Miss Clara Allison and Miss Sal-He Wardlaw were in San Angelo Wednesday.

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Spanish Club Organized
Wednesday the Spanish Club of Sonora high school met and elected the following officers: President, Wesley Sawyer; vice-president, Vincenta Sanchez; secretary, Jo Nell Miers; treasurer, L. U. Marie Smith; reporter, Jo Ann Marion.

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Mexican People To Have Baptist Church

The Rev. Frank Nixon Aids in Forming Group Sunday

Organization was perfected Sunday afternoon of a Sonora church to be known as the First Mexican Baptist Church.

Directing the organization of the new religious group were the Rev. Frank Nixon, pastor of the Baptist Church, the Rev. I. V. Garrison of Ozona, the Rev. D. Ruiz of San Angelo and the Reverend Rios of San Angelo.

Twenty members are enrolled in the church which is to have services in its own building in the Sonora Mexican district. The Reverend Rios has recently been assigned by the home mission board of the denomination to work with the Mexican people here and in other towns of this section. He will have headquarters here.

Most of those who make up the church now presented letters from churches in San Angelo, Ozona and Del Rio. Two presented themselves for baptism. Four others, it is understood, will come into the church by letter soon but were not able to attend the organization meeting.

It was voted unanimously that the church would work with the Concho Valley Baptist Association, the Mexican Baptist Convention and the Baptist General Convention of Texas. Articles of faith were read and adopted and at the close of the service the Church Covenant was read.

Pupils Are Guaranteed Good-Looking Teachers

Rockford, Ill.—Teachers who are not comely need not apply to Superintendent William W. Ankenbrand for jobs. "All public school pupils are entitled to good-looking teachers," Ankenbrand said, indicating one look often is enough to disqualify a teaching applicant.

Masons To Meet at Waco
W. L. Davis, Paul Turney, M. G. Shurley and Alvis Johnson left Tuesday for Waco where they are attending a meeting of the Grand Lodge.

NOTICE
to
TRESPASSERS

You are hereby notified that my pastures are posted according to law and I forbid all trespassing of hunters, trappers, dead wool pickers and hauling of wood, etc.

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LA VISTA THEATER SONORA
SHOW STARTS AT 7:30

TODAY — SATURDAY
'Every Night at Eight'
Featuring George Raft

"Mystery Mountain"
with
KEN MAYNARD

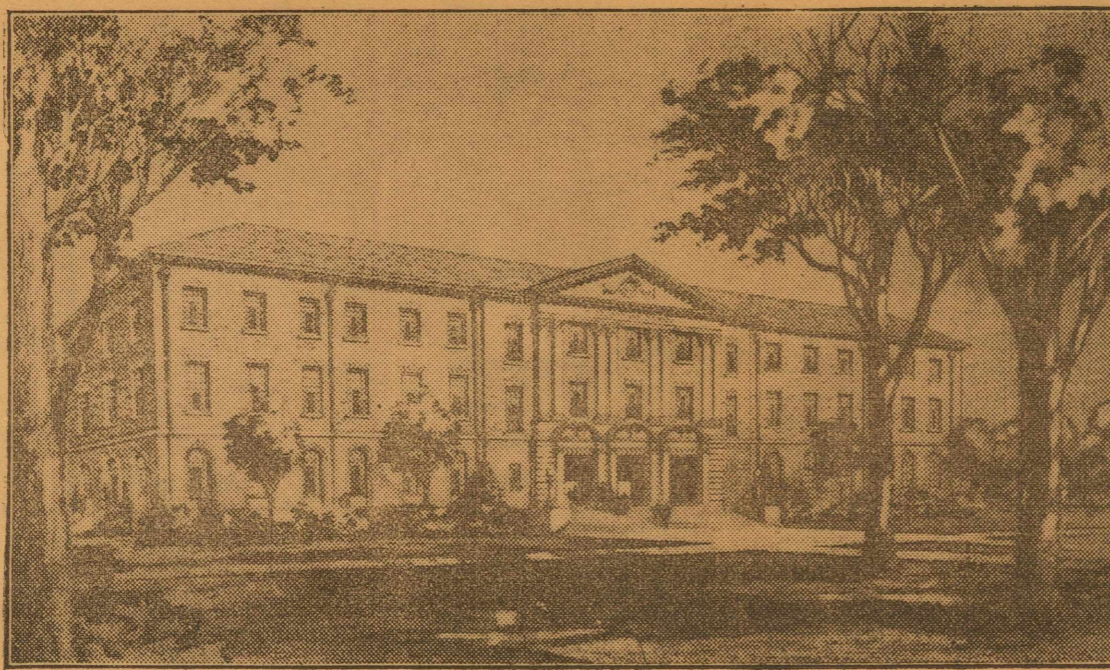
SUNDAY—MONDAY
"Alice Adams"
with
Fred McMurry
Katherine Hepburn

TUESDAY ONLY
'Men Without Names'
featuring
Madge Evans :: Fred McMurry

WEDNESDAY—THURSDAY
"King Solomon of Broadway"
You'll like this cast:
Dorothy Paige Pinkey Tomlin
Edmond Lowe

If
MRS. THELMA BRISCOE
will present this program at the box office she will be given a WEEK'S PASS for one (1) person.
Watch For Your Name!
—YOU MAY BE NEXT—
See Next Week's Program in
THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

Work on College Music-Speech Building Under Way at Denton



PWA funds amounting to \$169,000 will make possible the erection of a music-speech hall at Texas State College for Women (CIA). This building, pictured above, will be an addition to the present auditorium and will house the departments of music and speech. Twin dormitories were also provided for in the total loan and grant of \$536,360. Actual construction began December 1.

RARE MAMMALS ARE SECURED IN TIBET

Expedition Also Discovers New Scientific Data.

Philadelphia.—New and important scientific data and specimens of rare birds and mammals have been discovered by the Dolan expedition in eastern Tibet, according to Charles M. N. Cadawalader, director of the Academy of Natural Sciences here.

Cadwalader reported that he has re-established communication with Brooke Dolan II and his group after their whereabouts were unknown for months.

Buffalo Grass to Resod Great Plains Advised

Quanah, Texas.—The Great Plains must be resod before the dust storm menace can be controlled, in the opinion of Superintendent J. Roy Quinby of the Texas agricultural experiment station here.

Princess Drops Royal Rights to Wed Salesman

London.—Inheriting her father's disregard for tradition, Princess Ingeborg of Benthelm-Steinfurt, twenty-four years old, cast aside all hereditary and royal privileges at Caxton hall register office in London when she married August Anton Hans Solken, twenty-two years old, a salesman.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Halbert were in San Angelo Monday.

Miss Merie Draper spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Lohn.

Marvin Smith visited his mother, Mrs. Velma Shurley, over the weekend.

John McClelland, Ernest McClelland and Seth Lancaster went to Fort Worth Saturday.

Mrs. J. Franklin Howell and daughter, Marguerite, were San Angelo visitors Saturday.

Alton Hightower, George E. Allison and Jodie Trainer returned Tuesday from a trip to Fort Worth.

Lavelle Meckel, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Meckel, who is attending school in Waco spent Thanksgiving here.

Mrs. L. E. Johnson was in San Angelo Monday and was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. A. J. Smith.

Joseph Logan who is attending A. & M. College spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Logan.

Mrs. Fannie Duncan of San Diego came here Monday from San Antonio to visit her sister, Mrs. Edith Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Joy and sons, John Wesley and A. Z., spent the Thanksgiving holidays with friends in Lampasas.

Willie B. Wilson of Austin spent Thanksgiving here; his mother, Mrs. N. B. Wilson, returned with him to Austin.

Mrs. Russell Long, Mrs. A. P. Prater, Mrs. A. W. Awalt and Mrs. W. C. Warren were in San Angelo Tuesday.

Alvis Johnson, Jr., who is attending school in Austin, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Johnson.

Seven Working On WPA Flood Control in Lowrey Draw

Thirty-one Certified Men in Sutton County; More Names Sent

Although only seven of the thirty-one approved, certified WPA workers in Sutton county are employed on the flood control project recently started an additional twenty-five names were submitted for certification this week.

The remainder of the thirty-one approved did not report for work.

George E. Smith, city manager, said Monday that he was told in the Works Progress Administration office in San Angelo last week that the city's street project, the county's retaining wall around the courthouse block and the school district's school grounds improvements program had been approved.

Work on the various projects, he said, cannot be started until the relief "load" contains enough certified workers to use on the projects. The school's project is a \$13,000 one and the county's one of \$1,226. Certification of relief workers must be sent to Abilene first. That office then sends approval to San Angelo and the office there advises when workers may be put to work.

The city's project includes the gravel topping of thirty blocks of streets sixty feet wide, the treating of fifty blocks with two course penetration asphalt and the constructing of 3,000 lineal feet of curb and gutter. Twenty of the thirty blocks item already have a base constructed.

See gift stock George Barrow, Jeweler, will show you.—adv.

Business Firm To Sponsor Free Show

Sound Picture at La Vista at Four Monday Afternoon

Sound motion pictures portraying the romance of man's ever-helpful aids—cotton, steel, lumber and dairy products are to be offered Sutton county citizens at La Vista Theater Monday afternoon at four.

Bearing the title, "Our Debt to Mother Earth," the picture is sponsored by Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc.

Portions of the picture will be on "The Romance Behind Live Stock Raising and Marketing," and the "International Live Stock Show and Blue Ribbon Winners." A Crazy Kat cartoon, especially interesting to the children, will also be shown.

Jean Paul King, radio announcer, will be heard in the sound portion of the screen presentation. No admission is to be charged and W. C. Warren, manager of the firm, is urging that adults attend and bring with them the children who will enjoy the program which will be both interesting and educational in nature.

Phone your news to 24.

George W. Smith in San Angelo Little change was noted this week in the condition of George W. Smith, father of several Sonora and Sutton county residents, who has been seriously ill for several weeks. He was taken to San Angelo Saturday by his son, George E. Smith, and is now confined in a hospital there.

Place For Bikes The traffic superintendent was examining a dumb applicant for a truck driver's job.

"And what does that white line in the center of the road mean?"

"Why, Boss," replied the applicant, "that there white line is for bicycles."—Southwestern Ambassador.

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HAPPY, HOLIDAY
 SEASON MAY REACT
 TO GOOD OF ALL

People everywhere think little of Christmas until after the Thanksgiving holidays are gone. Then only a short time remains until the happy holiday.

Especially a season to delight the hearts of children who receive, if fortunate, playthings and tidbits in which they take great joy. It isn't a season only for the younger person.

Adults, too, can get a great deal of good out of the blessed Christmas season if it is lived as it should be lived... with a smile for this one and that one, a cheery message to someone less fortunate and with a thought, in material fashion, for those in poorer circumstances.

Gladden someone's heart or several people's hearts this Christmas season by showing a spirit that will tell all with whom you come in contact that you have a desire to be helpful and kind at this, the happiest, most joyful season of the year.


Dr. Kilman Hunting Here

Formerly a resident of Sonora but now a physician in Temple, Dr. J. R. Kilman is in this section this week on a hunting trip. He was accompanied Wednesday by W. C. Gilmore. They have been hunting in the Rocksprings vicinity.

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It Happened To A Quaint Lady in a Hospital....

One afternoon there was a flutter of excitement around the chart desk. The nurses gathered, smiling and interested, to watch the progress of a very old, very small, very old-fashioned lady.

She wore a quaint dress of black silk that had a stiffened bodice and full graceful skirts. Her dainty hands were encased in lacy black mitts, a soft silk shawl of pale lavender was folded about her shoulders, and on her curling white hair there rested a butterfly cap of lace trimmed with little bows of lavender and tied under her chin in a lover's knot.

She was an independent little lady, refusing regally the proffered assistance of her daughter and her stalwart son-in-law. A negro chauffeur brought up the rear, loaded down with luggage and parcels. But when a student nurse stepped forward and slipped a hand under one slender black-clad arm, the old lady smiled up at her and spoke softly.

"This is my first trip to a hospital, my dear. I am a very sick woman!"

Illness a Feigned One?
 The nurse looked into the bright blue eyes, her gaze took in the healthy pink and white face, the straight lines of the little figure, the steady steps. Maybe this new patient was ill, as she claimed, but she certainly did not look it.

Too often, when an elderly person is brought into the hospital for "observation," the nurses become suspicious. It is such an easy way for the relatives to shunt their responsibility and get a troublesome old person off their hands. But this case was different. The daughter and son-in-law were obviously unhappy and disturbed.

Pleased With Room
 In the sunny hospital room, the little old lady looked about delightedly.

"Isn't this nice?" she inquired of her escorts, "three big windows, and four chairs for visitors, and look at that lovely bed, it's fit for a queen; I want to get in it right away!"

"But, mother," her daughter interposed anxiously, "don't you think you'd better wait until bedtime? You won't be able to sleep if you go now!"

The little old lady's cheeks flushed vividly, her voice trembled. "But I'm a sick woman, a very sick woman. Who ever heard of a body going to the hospital and sitting up all day? I might just as well have stayed at home!"

A quick glance passed between the nurse and the daughter. Then the nurse stepped to the bed and pressed the call bell.

"A probationer will be in right away and help you undress," she told her new patient.

The new patient smiled happily. "Now that's more like it," she announced placidly, and then, as the probationer appeared in the doorway, "Come right in, my dear. Get my nicest nightgown out of that brown bag. And the rest you can just shoo out for a while!"

Out in the hall, the daughter motioned her husband and the chauffeur away, then she turned to the older nurse.

"Mother has me worried sick!" she confided, "she told us yesterday that she didn't feel well and I called our physician. He came out last night. He examined mother thoroughly and told us that nothing is wrong. But she insisted that she was ill and persuaded him to send her here. He gave in because she was making herself sick about it."

The nurse considered in silence for a moment, then answered slowly. "Perhaps she knows more about herself than anyone else does. Anyway, she's in where we can watch her closely and find out what is wrong. Don't worry. If your doctor told you she was not seriously ill, there's nothing to worry about."

Few Friends to Visit Her
 The daughter nodded reluctantly. "Perhaps you are right. But I do hope she gets over this idea. I have so many social duties I just can't spare the time to come here every day, especially when she's really perfectly well!"

"Is your father living?" the nurse inquired.
 "No. He died several years ago. That was when mother came to live with us. She has her own suite of rooms on the third floor, her own

maid, and the chauffeur takes her for a drive every afternoon."

"Does she have many friends?" The daughter shook her head. "Not many, most of them are too old to come to see her. But she is content enough. She has her books and her fancy work. She stays up stairs almost all the time, except for meals. And often she prefers to eat alone."

The nurse was beginning to understand, she smiled encouragingly. "You go in and see her for a few moments and then go on home. She will be all right. And by the way, you might send her some flowers."

"Flowers?" the daughter was startled. "Yes, potted plants would be nice, then she can watch them grow and take care of them." "All right, if you say so," answered the daughter, "and would you mind calling her 'The Duchess'? We call her that at home, just a little joke, you know, but it pleases her."

"Of course we will," replied the nurse as she followed the daughter into the new patient's room.

A Memory From Her Youth
 The daughter bent over her mother. "I'm going now, dear. Is there anything you want?"

The Duchess considered, then answered diffidently. "Once when my mother was quite ill, a friend sent her some hothouse grapes. I was just a little girl, but I've always remembered them. They were so big and so purple! Do you suppose—that is—"

She paused, flushing, and looked pleadingly at her daughter.

"I'll find some like that if I have to go to every fruit shop in town, mother!"

And as the daughter and the son-in-law left, the Duchess sighed happily and smiled up at the nurse. "Do you believe that I'm sick?" The nurse looked for a long moment in the lovely old face, she looked beyond it and saw the lonely heart and the wistful pleading in the eyes.

"I know that you are sick, dear, but we're going to make you well," she answered quietly.

The Duchess smiled gratefully. Someone believed that she was ill, not just old and unnecessary and lonely. Now she could start on the road to recovery, with lots of friendly people interested in her case and urging her to get well.

Flowers Bring a Smile
 The nurse left the room and found the interne on the case. In a few words she told him what she had learned and he nodded solemnly.

"Bless her dear heart, I'll show her that we believe in her."

He started down the hall just as the florist's boy came struggling along under an arm-load of potted plants, each plant bearing the new patient's room number. The interne took the plants from the boy and carried them in to the Duchess.

"Looks like you're a pretty popular young person!" he announced.

"Are those for me, all of them?"

"Every one!" he answered as he removed the envelopes from them, "and there's a message on each one!" He handed them to her, noting how her fingers trembled with delighted excitement.

She read each of the three cards carefully, then leaned back on her pillows.

"It's almost worth being sick to get such flowers, isn't it?"

"Indeed it is," came the serious reply.

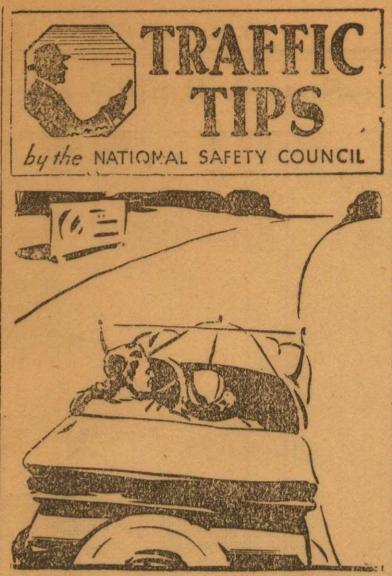
As he wrote her history and waited patiently for answers to his questions, he watched her closely. And when he had finished he wrote carefully on the bottom of his record: "Heartsick and lonely" and signed his name with a flourish.

One week later the Duchess was ready to go home. By patient and subtle questioning the interne had discovered that what she wanted most of all was to visit her daughter in California and see the three grandchildren she adored.

A word to the attending physician had settled that. The daughter agreed willingly when told that the mother needed a change of scene.

The nurses gathered from all over the floor to say goodbye to their favorite patient, and that happy little person kissed them all around and told them her news.

"I'm to leave tomorrow for California! I may stay several years, just think, I'll hold babies in my arms again and hear them call me



A BUM STEER

If auto designers had felt that one hand was sufficient to drive they would have used door knobs instead of steering wheels.

With nearly 25,000,000 cars in use, driving today is a two-fisted job. But when both hands are used, steering is such a simple part of the operation that many drivers feel one hand can do the work of two. So they use one hand to light up; or they use one arm to hug their sweetie. Often they reach back, while speeding, to slam a door shut.

If it were not for emergency one hand might suffice, for in the modern auto the slightest pressure brings instantaneous response. But the unseen hazards are what make one-hand driving dangerous.

Such things are pavement holes or bumps; unnoticed obstacles on the road; or circumstances which require sudden turns or quick brake work.

Then the full strength of two hands is needed. So, just to be sure, try to keep both hands on the wheel. In self defense, you know, two hands are always better than one.

U. S. Tells Buyer in Home About Towels

Study Shows Light Weight One Best For Drying

Washington, Dec. 4.—The thickest, heaviest Turkish towels wear the longest, but they don't dry one after a shower quite so fast as a lighter weight towel. It's up to the purchaser—and every housewife has to buy a good many towels in the course of a lifetime—to decide whether a speedy rubdown or long service is most important. Price enters into her consideration, too, since the cost goes up as wearing qualities improve.

These are some of the conclusions from a study of cotton Turkish towels from nine different mills, recently made by the Bureau of Home Economics of the United States Department of Agriculture.

At present there are no satisfactory quality grades of towels to guide the retail buyer. The Bureau's studies indicate a practical method of classifying Turkish towels.

The towels studied ranged in retail prices from 14 cents to \$1.50 each. Size 22 by 44 inches, or the next nearest, was selected. Consideration was given to ply of the yarn, number of twists per inch, twist direction, thread count, and length of loop or pile. Except for water absorption, the trend of all qualities was higher as price increased. The more expensive towels have longer loops and higher thread count, and so are thicker and heavier per square yard. Breaking strength, a test of durability, also improved as the price increased. A thin, poorly constructed, cheap towel may dry the skin more quickly, but it will break and wear out much sooner than a strongly woven, thick-piled towel.

Tommie Barrow of Alpine spent Sunday here.

G. W. Archer, Jr., who is attending school in Alpine, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Archer.

The Rev. and Mrs. Frank Nixon and children visited Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Nixon in Harper, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adams in Cain City, during the holidays.

It pays to laugh if you know when to stop.—Dean E. V. White.

'grandma'! It will be just like having my own children little again!" She walked happily down the hall and out of sight.

And the interne, smiling to himself, wrote one word on the dismissal sheet:

"Cured."

—Kansas City Star.

35 YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Savell are visiting in San Angelo.

Miss Luella, the pretty daughter of Mr. Doc Word, spent several days this week at the J. L. Davis ranch with Miss Hollis Davis.

H. H. Sheard, the fine sheep raiser of Eldorado, was in Sonora Friday on business. He reports fine range and fat stock on the divide.

An advertisement in the Oct. 8, 1898, issue:

HON. GEO. H. NOONAN
 Republican Nominee For Congress Will Speak at the Courthouse in Sonora

FRIDAY NIGHT, Oct. 14th
 Everybody, Friend and Foe Invited!

Claud Jenkins, the stockman from Wildcat Hollow was in Sonora Tuesday.

Si Hodges, the well known and popular hardware drummer of Brownwood was in Sonora several days this week.

Mrs. B. M. Halbert returned from her visit to Edwards county Thursday.

Bob Adams is back from the war and is the lion of the hour. Bob was discharged owing to disabilities but looks as strong and healthy as ever.

Will Alexander has gone on a visit to the folks in Lometa.

Watches, Chains, Watch Bands—pleasing gifts. George Barrow, Jeweler.—adv.

W. M. S. HAS MEETING; NEW OFFICIALS ELECTED

The Methodist Woman's Missionary Society was led in a study Wednesday at the church by Mrs. B. H. McLain. Those present were: Mesdames J. Franklin Howell, C. E. Stites, T. O. Rorie, J. W. Trainer, Robert Rees, J. D. Lowrey, Stella Locklin.

Officers recently elected were: President, Mrs. W. E. Caldwell; vice-president, Mrs. George B. Hamilton; recording secretary, Mrs. J. W. Trainer; corresponding secretary, Mrs. O. L. Richardson; treasurer, Mrs. J. Franklin Howell; local treasurer, Mrs. J. D. Lowrey.

Superintendents: Of study, Mrs. B. H. McLain; local supplies, Mrs. A. W. Awalt; local work, Mrs. Joel Shelton; welfare, Mrs. J. T. McClelland; agent, World Outlook, Mrs. Marion Stokes; publicity reporter, Mrs. Robert Rees.

Margaret Faye Smith Better
 Improvement was noted Wednesday in the condition of Margaret Faye Smith, daughter of Mrs. Velma Shurley, who has been ill of influenza for several days. Another daughter of Mrs. Shurley's, Lillie Marie Smith, was ill last week but is back in school now.

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NINA ROUCHE, Society Editor

Parties . . . Clubs
Future Events

Teacher Tells of
Foreign Influences

Report Given of State P. T. A. Convention Recently

An interesting explanation of "The Influence of Foreign Activities On the United States," was given by Miss Annie Duncan before members of the Sonora Parent-Teacher Association at their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Duncan is history instructor in the high school.

In the absence of Mrs. Velma Shurley, president, the chairman for the day was Mrs. F. T. Jones, vice-president of the organization.

The Rev. Frank Nixon, pastor of the Baptist Church, spoke on the subject, "For What Are We Training Our Youth?" A report of the state convention of delegates of Texas Parent-Teacher associations in El Paso was given by Mrs. S. T. Gilmore who, with Mrs. Velma Shurley, represented the Sonora group.

A vocal solo was sung by Margaret Ada Martin with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot. The fifth grade, taught by Miss Rena McQuary, was awarded the prize for having the most adults present and crediting their attendance to that grade.

CHARLES BUIE MANAGER
OF BRACKETTVILLE STORE

Purchase of a half interest in the stock of the City Variety Store at Brackettville by Charles Buie, formerly of Sonora but more recently of Eldorado, was announced this week by F. J. Wood.

Mr. Buie has been in business in Eldorado since leaving here more than a year ago. Mr. Wood stated this week that Brackettville business is now a corporation. Mr. Buie is in charge of the store at Brackettville.

Bridge Club
Entertained By
Mr. and Mrs. Elliott

Members of the Friday Night Bridge Club were entertained Friday night by Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Elliott at their home.

A two-course dinner was served. Guests were:

Messrs. and Mesdames R. A. Halbert, L. E. Johnson, P. J. Taylor, W. C. Gilmore, R. C. Vicars, Collier Shurley, Nolan Kennedy, Edgar Shurley, Miss Ada Steen and George Wynn.

At the close of a series of five games Miss Ada Steen and Mr. Gilmore were declared the most successful players.

Baptist W. M. S.
Has Week of
Prayer Service

"South America and Mexico," were studied by the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church Monday afternoon at the first meeting in the organization's series in observance of the Week of Prayer.

During the week meetings have been held every day. At Monday's meeting in the church, Mrs. T. L. Harrison was in charge. An interesting talk on Mexico was given by Mrs. Hi Eastland. Others taking part on the program were: Mesdames Ban Odom, Bob Odom, G.G. Stephenson, Frank Nixon and Miss Victoria Grimsley.

"China and Japan," were studied Tuesday. Mrs. Frank Nixon was the program leader. At the meeting Wednesday, "All People," was the subject led by Mrs. Hi Eastland. Mrs. T. L. Harrison gave a lecture on "Europe, Africa and Palestine." Thursday the meeting was led by Mrs. Cyrus Ogden. Today the program leader will be Mrs. Ban Odom.

CRANBERRY-RED, ACID BERRY, MAKES
APPETIZING DISHES FOR THE TABLE

Denton, Dec. 4. — Cranberries were first used by the Pilgrim women on the Cape Cod peninsula. From them came the custom of having cranberry sauce with turkey.

Now cooks know that cranberries make delicious pies, preserves, and puddings as well as sauces and jellies. In the winter season they are plentiful and inexpensive and afford a fruit that adds just the right tartness to a heavy meal.

Breakfast: Stewed prunes, omelet, whole wheat toast, butter, coffee, cream, sugar and milk.

Luncheon: Navy bean soup, crackers, cranberry salad, bread and butter, hot gingerbread with whipped cream, tea and milk.

Dinner: Baked ham steak, baked sweet potatoes, string beans, sliced tomato salad, bread and butter, cranberry pie, coffee and milk.

Breakfast: Kraut juice, bacon and eggs, hot biscuits, preserves, coffee, cream, sugar, milk.

Dinner: Chicken spaghetti, spiced cranberries, buttered spinach, carrot and raisin salad, bread and butter, chilled pears, coffee, milk.

Luncheon: Salmon cakes, English peas, combination vegetable salad, bread and butter, baked apples, coffee, milk.

Cranberry Salad

Half cup diced celery, 2 medium apples diced, 1 cup chopped raw cranberries, French dressing and lettuce. Combine the diced celery and apples and the chopped raw cranberries. Mix with French

Stanley Mayfield, who is in school at San Antonio, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mayfield.

Chester Minnick returned Saturday from Abilene where he has been visiting his mother who has been very ill, but is greatly improved now.

Mrs. Josie McDonald left Wednesday for San Antonio where she will attend the convention of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association.

dressing and serve on crisp lettuce.

Cranberry Pie

Four cups raw cranberries, 2 cups sugar, 1 cup water, 2 tablespoons butter, 3 tablespoons flour and pastry. Cook the cranberries, sugar and water until the berries pop. Add the melted butter mixed smooth with the flour. Mix well. Fill a pastry-lined pie plate. Cut thin strips of pastry and lay them crisscross on top of the berries, wetting the edges where they join the edge of the pie. Bake in a hot oven at 40 F. until the pastry is firm. Reduce the temperature to 350 F. and bake until the pastry is browned and the berries tender. Serve cold.

Mock Cherry Pie

One cup raw cranberries, ½ cup raisins, 3-4 cup sugar, ½ cup water and 1 tablespoon flour. Soak the raisins in ¼ cup water until puffy. Cook the cranberries with the sugar and ¼ cup water until the berries pop. Combine the cranberries, raisins and flour mixed in a paste with water. Fill a pastry-lined pie plate. Cover with top pastry and bake as for the pie above.

Chilled Cranberry Pudding

Two cups dried cake or cookie crumbs, sugar, 1 cup cranberry sauce and whipped cream. Add a little sugar to the cake crumbs and dry thoroughly in a shallow pan in a slow oven. Cool and fix with the cranberry sauce. Chill before serving; top with whipped cream and chopped nuts.

Mrs. Brown
Party Hostess
Friday Evening

At her home Friday evening, Mrs. Maysie Brown was hostess when she entertained five tables of forty-two.

The guest list included: Messrs. and Mesdames Orion Brown, A. W. Awalt, J. W. Trainer, T. O. Rorie, W. E. James, T. C. Murray, C. E. Stites, Mrs. Rose Thorp, Mrs. J. A. Cauthorn, Mrs. O. G. Babeock, Miss Annie Duncan.

Mrs. Cauthorn and Mr. Trainer held the high scores. Refreshments were served.

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George H. Neills
Entertain Guests
at Home Friday Night

Honoring their guests, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hamilton of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Neill were hosts at three tables of bridge at their home Friday night.

Other guests were:

Messrs. and Mesdames Bryan Hunt, Miers Savell, H. V. Stokes, Carl Chumney.

A buffet supper was served.

At the conclusion of the games Mrs. Hamilton held high score for ladies and Mr. Savell held high for men.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Aldwell left Tuesday for San Antonio where Mr. Aldwell is attending the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association convention.

Just now an optimist is regarded by many as half lunatic and half liar.—Southwestern Ambassador.

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Seeing Is Believing
For no good reason at all, children are confined all day by the four walls of a classroom. There is so much to be seen on the outside, it seems such a waste to let opportunities go by. Realization of this is taking place among teachers, and increasingly children of all grades are being treated to educational excursions far and near. Parents are participating by loaning their automobiles and themselves as drivers. No doubt their own experience in seeing the activities convinces them that sight is a powerful factor in learning.



Municipal activities are always interesting, and among them are the fire house, water filtration and pumping station, sewage disposal plant, and public health laboratories. Most manufacturers are prepared for visitors and are especially glad to welcome school children. For the health lesson there are trips to dairy farms and dairies, bakeries, food canneries, drug houses, and candy and ice cream factories. A large hotel or restaurant kitchen holds innumerable surprises. A meat packing house reveals many features of sanitation as well as the safeguard of inspection provided by the government. Try to arrange to visit while a refrigerator car is being unloaded. Naturally, such excursions are preceded and followed by class planning and discussions. But "seeing" is believing, and let us add "it is also remembering."

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SALE OF TUBERCULOSIS SEALS BEGINS IN TEXAS

Austin, Dec. 4. — One of the state's largest armies since the days of the World War is lining up its the Texas Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated groups in all sections of the state for the annual sale of Christmas Seals which opened Thanksgiving Day.

The Christmas seals, which this year bear the picture of a young girl in a quaint old fashioned costume posting a letter in an early type mail box, are the sole support of the organized fight against tuberculosis.


"The girl of the 1860's never heard of Christmas Seals," Miss Pansy Nichols, state seal sale director, declared. "But she knew about 'consumption.' Tuberculosis still takes fifty per cent more girls than boys between the ages 15 to 24. To help protect our modern girls from this disease the Christmas Seals must continue its program of education and prevention."

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Lights of New York
By L. L. STEVENSON

Ran into several Radio City yarns. The first concerns the president and vice president of a large firm that occupies considerable space in the building. As they were passing along one of the upper floors, they ran into one of those tours that make regular trips through Rockefeller Center. Curious to know what the college graduate guide had to say about their surroundings, they tagged the sightseers. All went well until the guide made a check up and discovered that his party had grown. Calling a halt, he motioned for silence and announced that there would be no further progress "until two chisellers leave us." Whereupon, the president and vice president, their faces very red, slunk away as quickly and quietly as they could.

The second tale has to do with a highly paid woman executive who not infrequently spends her evenings at her desk. Recently, she failed to notice the lapse of time, with the result that when she finally did leave, she came down in an elevator with a group of scrubwomen who, having completed their night's work, were on their way to their homes. The woman who stood next to the executive wore a coat and dress quite similar to hers, though it obviously was a cheap copy. She stood behind that particular scrubwoman when she registered out and as she picked up the pen to write her own name, the night superintendent remarked, "Oh, that's all right—two of you."

Last is the N. B. C. executive who as he was passing through a hall noticed one of the numerous studio ushers standing in an obscure corner with his face toward the wall. On his return, some time later, he saw the young man still in the same place and the same position. So he went up to him and inquired the reason. "I'm sorry, sir, but I'm being punished," was the reply.

Conductor William B. Hobson, retired recently by the New York Central because he had reached the age limit, served that one railroad 54 years. Forty-seven of those years he was on the Twentieth Century running between New York and Chicago. He figures that he has traveled 2,000,000 miles on that train and has "carried" every person of importance in the country, including every governor, from David Hill to Herbert Lehman. Of all, he holds Theodore Roosevelt to have been the greatest. His acquaintance with Franklin D. Roosevelt began when the President was a schoolboy. And every week for a half century, he brought down a basket of fresh eggs from upstate.

Kate Smith—not the radio singer—is fifty-three years old, but doesn't look more than thirty-five. Smiling happily, she regards life as a great adventure. When she was nine years old both her arms were burned off. Refusing to acknowledge even such a terrific handicap, she set about doing what other little girls did. She learned to sew in school and when the teacher didn't thread her needle fast enough, she threaded it herself. For years, she taught herself to do various things and succeeded well. Then she received training at the Institute for Crippled and Disabled. When she wants to do a thing, she practices until she masters it. She's shy while trying something new, but after that doesn't care.

For hands, she has substituted her feet and teeth. She combs her hair and makes up her face with her feet. She makes all her clothes and can operate both a sewing machine any typewriter. She can sign her name with a fountain pen and is remarkably swift in folding and inserting letters. She is an excellent swimmer and an expert pistol shot. She has been married twice, but divorced both husbands and now makes her own living. Her baby died in infancy, but she cared for it herself and for some time earned her living by caring for babies in a Chicago institution.

When nothing else offers, she travels with a sideshow. That's the last resort, since she doesn't look on herself as a freak. She doesn't look upon herself as unfortunate or handicapped, either. Life has given her much, she holds. I like Kate Smith.

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Woman Heads Bank
Larned, Kan.—This town boasts the only Kansas woman bank president. Mrs. A. H. Moffett has been chosen president of the First National bank, succeeding her late husband.

Brick Brings Back 56-Year Memories
Newburyport, Mass.—Fifty-six years ago John J. Quill and three other youths inscribed their names on a brick before it was put in the oven. Today Quill has the brick, which recently was unearthed in front of his home by FERA workers.

PERSONALS

Mrs. A. C. Elliott was in San Angelo Saturday.

W. J. Fields and E. E. Pittman spent Thanksgiving in Austin.

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

Herbert Fields who is attending school in Lubbock spent the week-end here.

Mrs. Lee Holland and daughter, Viba, of San Angelo spent the week-end here.

Cleve Jones, Jr., spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jones.

Miss Nann Karnes and Mrs. Fred Simmons were in San Angelo Wednesday of last week.

Miss Ealen White spent the week-end with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hull.

Mrs. M. G. Shurley and children, Rena Glen and Jack, were San Angelo visitors Saturday.

Walter E. Willis, Mrs. Frank Bond and Mrs. Edith Bond were in San Angelo Friday.

Mrs. Lewis Roueche and daughter, Nina, and Miss Velma Chadwick were in San Angelo Saturday.

Edwin Sawyer, Alice Sawyer and Elizabeth Crawford of Amarillo spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. E. E. Sawyer.

Mrs. W. J. Fields, Jr., and Miss Nina Roueche went to San Angelo Wednesday afternoon of last week; Faye Weatherby returned with them.

Lem Eriel Johnson, C. M. Gage of Sherman, and Miss Mildred Frambrough of Breckenridge spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Johnson.

LANTERNS ON POLES HELP PROTECT TURKEY FLOCKS

Washington, Dec. 4. — Western sheepmen often place lighted lanterns on poles at night near their flocks to keep coyotes away. Many turkey raisers in the Great Plains follow the same plan to protect their birds. Coyotes usually are less daring when they see a light.

To get them on clean ground, farmers often raise turkeys at some distance from the farm home. Such flocks are more likely to be attacked by coyotes — especially when they roost outdoors.

"Coyotes are naturally afraid of anything that is unusual," says the Bureau of Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture. "Tin cans tied together on a pole and rattling in the wind also frighten them—but once accustomed to such devices they are likely to begin their depredations."

HOUSTON PLANNING THREE 1936 CENTENNIAL EVENTS

Houston, Dec. 4. — Magnificent parades and colorful pageantry will mark Houston's celebration of Centennial year events, according to plans being developed by the San Jacinto Centennial association. Three special events definitely are planned, including the opening celebration March 2 which will be an appropriate observance of Texas Independence day; a ten-day celebration, culminating April 21, the one-hundredth anniversary of the victory which gave Texas its independence, and the celebration on August 30 of the one-hundredth anniversary of the founding of the present great metropolis and cotton port.

A. & M. Ranks First in 4-Year Students

Enrollment Survey Shows Texas School First in World

College Station, Dec. 4. — In point of enrollment of undergraduate students pursuing four-year courses in agriculture, the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College, according to a survey just completed, outranks this year any other institution of higher learning in the world.

The survey made by Dean E. J. Kyle of the school of agriculture of the college, covers the leading agricultural colleges and universities of every state and territory of the United States. Placing first in that list, the Texas institution attains similar world rank since agricultural colleges of the United States outrank those of other countries in enrollment.

The survey just completed shows freshman and total enrollment in agricultural courses as of Oct. 10, 1935, excluding forestry and home economics. Texas A. & M. College stands at the top of 488 freshmen and a total of 1,164 undergraduates taking four-year courses in agriculture. The Texas school ranked first in agricultural freshmen enrollment for 1934-35 but was second that year in total agricultural enrollment, being led in the latter by Cornell University. For the current school year, the Texas school holds the lead over all in both freshman and total agricultural enrollment.

Going to the bad is always fast traveling.—Dean E. V. White.

Sonorans See College Game

The 20 to 14 defeat of St. Mary's University, San Antonio, by Sul Ross College, Alpine, in Del Rio Saturday night was seen by O. P. Adams, Sonora coach and former Sul Ross student, Francis Archer, Robert Shapleigh and Tommie Barrow, former Sonora student who is enrolling in Sul Ross this week. G. W. Archer, Sonora young man who is attending Sul Ross returned with the group and visited his parents before returning to the Alpine school Sunday.

Mrs. John Fields returned Thursday after a several weeks' tour of California.

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Christmas shopping should be a happy, effortless thing so that the shopper may capture the spirit of Christmas and enjoy the selecting and buying which precedes giving. Sonora merchants are ready to help you do your Christmas shopping NOW. Take advantage of their buying and select your gifts from the many articles they are displaying.

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Fourth Grade: Alta Pearl Lively, Lois Morris, Betty Lou Shoemaker.

Fifth Grade: Peggy Gilmore, Willie Nell Hale, Addie Thorp.

Sixth Grade: Mary Jo Rape, Betty Grace Vehle, Doris Meckel.

Choir To Present Christmas Program

Methodist Group From San Angelo Here Sunday Night

As surely as the Christmas season rolls around every "twelvemonth" Sonora and Sutton county music lovers receive the treat of hearing the large choir of the First Methodist Church, San Angelo, in a Christmas program at the Methodist Church here.

Sunday night at 7:30 the singers, directed by Mrs. Culberson Deal, will again entertain with a choral worship service at the church here.

General theme of the program will be "The Story of Bethlehem," by William R. Spence. The scripture reading will be by Dr. K. P.

The complete program to be presented Sunday night by the San Angelo choir may be read on page 2 of this issue of the NEWS.

Barton, pastor of the San Angelo church which the singers are affiliated. The opening prayer and chorus will be from "The Pre-sets" by Wagner.

The Miller String Quartet, directed by Mrs. Gus Miller, San Angelo violinist who is known to many here, will appear with the choir. Mrs. C. B. Beall is organist. The quartet is composed of Latham Deal, Willie Mae Barron, Jon Miller and Kathryn Lee. Jon Miller, son of Mrs. Gus Miller, was presented in recital here in the spring with LaMarr Chapman, pianist.

The Christmas choral program of the local church is being prepared for presentation on Sunday, December 15.

Phone your news to 24.

Pep Squad Banquet Honoring Football Players Saturday

Bronchos Lose To Eldorado By Large Score Thursday Afternoon

Flashing in early-in-the-game attack which startled the Eldorado Eagles, seemingly quite a bit overconfident at the outset, the Sonora Bronchos could not maintain their initial stride Thursday afternoon of last week and were defeated on the Schleicher county gridiron.

When the final whistle blew Sonora trailed far behind. Their opponents had piled up forty points while the Sonora eleven had failed to make a single touchdown.

Twice in the 20-yard "danger" zone of the Eagles, the Bronchos threatened soon after the game started. During the first quarter Vehle, right guard and captain, went out of the game because of an ankle sprain and the team did without his services the rest of the day. R. Trainer was ill the week of the game and did not start. When put in later he made nice runs.

Archer, 81-pound halfback, completed a pass to Roueche and also made three nice runs of six to twelve yards each.

Completing event of the 1935 football season will be the annual banquet Saturday night at the Methodist Church when girls of the Pep Squad entertain members of the football squad. Students, coach, players and school officials will be on the program. Sweaters will be awarded players who earned them by playing a required amount during the season.

The district football team is being selected, Mr. Adams said, and will be announced soon. Players who "make" the mythical team are selected by vote of the coaches serving the six schools of District 34-B.

Basketball practice, under the direction of O. P. Adams, coach, began this week at Sonora Wool and Mohair Co. with twenty-six students being issued suits.

Mr. Adams said Wednesday that challenges have been sent to quite a few schools in West Texas that have gymnasiums in which basketball may be played. Last year the Sonora team played in an Ozona tournament and played several scrimmage games with Ozona but had no contests with others schools.

Ten red and black "playing" suits, ten black "warm-up" suits and twenty "work-out" suits have been bought, Mr. Adams said. Half of the latter are red and the remainder black so that scrimmage may be more effective.

Students who played last year and who are reporting regularly for practice this year are: Francis Archer, whose football playing attracted favorable comment until a collar bone injury forced him out; L. M. Roueche, Kenneth Babeock, Marion Elliott, Web Elliott, Jim Taylor, R. Trainer. Seventeen others are reporting for practice.

Utility Rates and—
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him to bring up the matter.

Sponsorship of an airplane landing field by the Eldorado Lions Club was mentioned by John Eaton who declared that sometime in the next few years the problem of a landing field for Sonora would present itself and would have to be solved.

Theater Aids Christmas Fund Hix Hall, La Vista Theater manager, volunteered to donate fifty per cent of net proceeds from the Wednesday and Thursday night programs this week to the Lions' Christmas work. Pictures of the convention in Mexico City in the summer were a feature of the program each night.


Announcements were made by H. V. Stokes concerning survey work on a Rocksprings highway and by John Eaton regarding the collecting of clothing by Boy Scouts for Christmas work of the club. Mr. Eaton also told of the Ranch District Scout Rally and Court of Honor in Ozona tonight.

Guests were Dr. J. R. Kilman, former member and now a physician in Temple, and James Lucas of Belton, brother of Mrs. C. H. Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Aldwell spent Thanksgiving with their son, Lea Roy, who met them in Houston; they also attended the football game at College Station.

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Ill Ranchman Slightly Better
Slight improvement was noted Wednesday in the condition of J. D. Wallace, Sutton county ranchman who has been seriously ill at his home in Sonora since Sunday. He became ill Wednesday of last week. His illness was diagnosed as pneumonia by attending physicians.

There is no place in heaven for him who enjoys doing wrong.—Dean E. V. White.

A big wedding may forbode an ostentatious divorce.—Dean E. V. White.

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Milk, 6 small 17c
Milk, 3 tall 17c
Pork and Beans, Phillips, 5 cans 24c
Soup, Phillips Veg. etable, 2 cans 15c
Soup, Phillips Tomato, can 5c
Tomato Juice, Phillips, 5 cans 24c

Lard, 8-pound carton 98c
Lard, 4-pound carton 50c

Quick Jel, 3 packages 13c
Shelled Pecans, pound 25c
Pickles, sour, the quart 16c

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1-lb. jar 32c
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Raisins, 2-pound package 13c
Cocoanut, 1-pound package 15c

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