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Seven Days of Rain Drench County; Shearing Is Stopped

Much As In Same Month-1935

5.06 AT STATION

Ranch Country of West Texas

The Biblical quotation - "good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over" --might be an apt description of the way residents of the "Stockman's Paradise" feel about the six and a half days of rain that fell in the period, Friday of last week to Growth of Boys' Work in Large Thursday morning.

Thursday (May 28) was the seventh consecutive day rain has fallen in Sonora.

Nearly All Get Rain



same."

May Fall Nearly As most impassable. The contracting firm has been able to work only fourteen days this month and will probably not work again until Monday.

Tom C. Davis, paving engineer, state highway department, was a business visitor here Wednesday and said that a contractor on the Moisture General In road between Marfa and Alpine had not been able to work for eight days. That highway has an elevation of 5,300 feet. Near it is Pasiano Pass, the highest point on the Southern Pacific Railway

Scout Leader Here **One of Two Men To Represent Council**

Concho Valley Area Told in **Ballinger** Monday

Appointment of Roy E. Aldwell, for many years identified with the for the Concho Valley Council was made in Ballinger Monday night. Fifty-seven Scout troops in the council area entitled the organization to two representatives. Houston Harte, San Angelo pubisher, is the other representative. meeting and banquet in San Angelo Jaauary 24. At the same meeting Mr. Aldwell was given the

Silver Beaver Award. Many West Texas Scouts

One thousand two hundred and sixty-two boys are now working time Monday was James T. Brooks, tion are looking forward with as Boy Scouts in the twenty-two Big Spring attorney. Judge Brooks, pleasure to the coming here Saturcounties of the huge Concho Valley formerly a district judge, was on day night of Joe Buzze and his or-Council area. A year ago only 1,- his way to San Antonio to attend chestra to play in the Scout Hall. gave to the moisture received since 030 were registered. There are also the Democratic convention in ses- The dance, sponsored by the Sonolast Friday. Few reported hard 126 Cub Scouts-younger boys who sion there this week. Active in ra Volunteer Fire Department, is

the precipitation. One ranchman Sonora Boy Scouts, who could seemed to be very few Democrats watched the rain in town Wednes- not attend the Camporal at Camp in his county who were not enthusday evening and remarked that on Louis Farr, Mertzon, last week-end lastic in their support of Franklin his place east of town it hadn't missed not a thing as the sheeduled D. Roosevelt. rained that hard but that he had events were not held. More than received "good ones, just the 200 Scouts pitched camp but rain Friday night and Saturday forced

NEW OBSERVATORY WILL ATTRACT CENTENNIAL VISITORS Young President of

College Suggests "Happy Life" Rules

Honors For Those of High School and Seyenth Grade Awarded Friday Night

Happiness, success and a life of service may be attained by careful attention being paid to five cardinal points, seniors of Sonora high school were told Friday night at the commencement program which made them "graduates" rather than "students" of Sonora high school.

Don Morris, youthful vice-president of Abilene Christian College, principal speaker of the evening, was introduced by B. H. McLain, superintendent, as "an outstanding young man whose progress I have. watched for years."

Lillie Marie Smith Speaks The seniors marched into the auditorium as "Coronation March," by Meyerbeer, was played by Miss farie Watkins. They sat on the stage with those on the program and members of the board, Sonora Independent School District, Lillie scholarship, welcomed those of the audience and expressed thanks of H. L. Cook, employee of the Am- the class to teachers and parents. In Mr. Morris' address he named school, home, country, and one's installation of the telescope as he Lord as being four things that the was of a similar one for the Uni- young people should remember in their life to come. These four, how-The NEWS and the Fort Worth ever, he explained, are worthless

Diploma Award An Honor "Remember these things," Mr. E. P. Burrell, director of en- that of Mr. Cook and his associates. Morris urged, "put them all into practice and you young gentlemen will be as brave as the heroes of the Alamo and you young ladies

"Soon you will be given a piece of parchment attesting that you have completed a course in the Sonora public school system and the Texas school system. It is no mean honor that you get such.

"It would be a great deal if that certificate only indicated that you had completed a course in the educational system of Texas in this the state's Centennial year."

J. O. Mills, vice-president of the the school as the group's parting gift.

Observatory under construction in the building.

there. Favorable atmospheric condi- lowing: tions on Mount Locke, with its el- Ambrose Swasey, 90, veteran the University of Texas by the late telescope; W. J. McDonald of Paris, Texas.

Big Spring Attorney Here A visitor in Sonora for a short | Lovers of dancing in this secblest with "a goodly portion" of fledged Boy Scouts of America. Judge Brooks stated that there for several weeks.

> Layelle Meckel Church Officer those in charge to call off the Cam- of Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Meckel, as

In all likelihood there will be | The picture at the upper left is |gineering for the Cleveland firm; Marie Smith, who ranked second in many a Centennial visitor to Texas of the dome-shaped building which "Just the kind we needed" was Boy Scout movement in Sonora, as who will pilot his automobile up houses the telescope instrument. the description most ranchmen a national council representative Mount Locke, near Fort Davis, to At the right, above, is the 41see the million dollar McDonald ton telescope being installed now

In the group below are the fol-

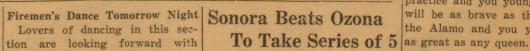
Halbert Ranch Getting Rain In the 127-day period from Jan- of 4 to 3.

uary 1 to May 7, B. M. Halbert | Bud Smith pitched seven innings says, only one inch of rain fell on for the Sonora team, and then gave his ranch. From the seventh until way to "Lefty" White who "filled class, presented a trophy case to Election of Lavelle Meckel, son Thursday morning the same place the bill" in excellent shape by as given five and a half inches stril cing out four of the

An associate of the other genlemen: brose and Swasey firm for thirty-

six years, who is in charge of the versity of Texas two years ago.

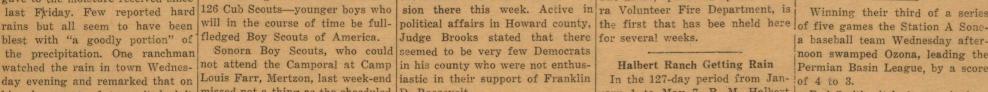
evation of 6,791 feet, caused it to head of Ambrose and Swasey, Star-Telegram are, it is believed, without a regard to the adage "to He was named at the tenth annual be selected as the site of the insti- Cleveland manufacturing and en- the only newspapers in Texas to thine own self be true." tution, made possible by funds left gineering firm which made the have published these pictures of the observatory, the telescope and



Lowake Foe of Station A Team Here Sunday Afternoon

Winning their third of a series a baseball team Wednesday after-

noon swamped Ozona, leading the Permian Basin League, by a score



Co. the gauge showed that 3.28 poral. inches fell from May 22 (last Friday) to 9 o'clock yesterday morn-Tuesday when 1.23 inches fell.

More Than 3 Inches at Station

W. H. Dameron, superintendent, inches in the same period as that for which the wool house figures are given. Heaviest fall at the Station was Sunday when a total of 1.44 inches wes recorded.

One ranchman says that he believes he has about a four-foot laver of soil over most of his ranch and that he has found it is well "dampened."

Precipitation in Sonora for May (to 9 a. m., May 28) was 7.93 inches, according to George D. Chalk, weather "prognosticator" and statistician, at Sonora Wool & Mohair Co. The fall of May 10 was estimated at three inches by Mr. Chalk. The gauge was blown over during that rain. Temperature ranges during May have been from a low of forty degrees (May 10) to ninety-six degrees (May 13 and May 18).

More Than 5 Inches This Month At the Experiment Station 5.06 inches had fallen in May up to nine o'clock Thursday morning.

In May, 1935, the Station records show, 5.96 inches fell during the entire month. Only .45 inches fell in May, 1934, and 6.52 inches in the 1933 month.

In June last year 9.93 inches fell. May rainfall at the Experiment Station (to May 28 at 9 a. m.) was divided in this manner:

.11-May 4; .97-May 8; .10-May 9; .09—May 10; .19—May 13; .07-May 14; .28-May 19; .06-May 22; .60-May 23; 1.44-May 24; .75-May 25; .36-May 26; .04 -May 27.

Contractors Handicapped People traveling west from Sonora to Ozona were being permitted this week to travel on the roadwork being done rather than on the detours which were considered al-

Five weeks of camping will be started Monday at Camp Louis ing. The heaviest recording was Farr for boys of the Concho Valley Council area. Fifteen men, not including a cook and two helpers,

will comprise the staff in charge, Ranch Experiment Station, says named by Julius Johnson, San Anthat the records there show 3.25 gelo merchant and camping chairman of the Council.

Boys Here Camp June 7-14

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CHURCH OFFICIAL TO BE

IN SONORA SUNDAY

secretary-treasurer of the Baptis rain. Church was the principal business when the board of deacons met at

Eighteenth Century Bible With "s" That

the church Wednesday night. The new secretary-treasurer, who succeeds C. H. Allen, was a graduate of Sonora high school in 1934. After that he attended Baylor University.

Sen To Mr. and Mrs. Davis at the camp from June 7 to June last week to Mr. and Mrs. Johnny He suffered a broken nose, several foot. mie Leon.

Harold Saunders Badly Hurt in Ozona.

Information received Thursday | Bryant and Myers did the first from Mrs. H. C. Saunders at San pitching and catching for Ozona Marcos by E. C. Saunders, her but before the game was over father-in-law, told him that her Buchanan relieved Bryant. In sevson, Harold, had been severely in- enth inning Buchanan knocked a

The young man, formerly a student A boy weighing seven and one- here, lost control of the car he was and six by Ozona. Two errors were Sonora boys are scheduled to be half pounds was born Tuesday of driving and it crashed into a tree. made by each team's players. 14, according to an announcement Davis. The baby was named Jim- broken ribs and a badly in ured two games in Sonora. Wednesday

ters who faced him. McLeod caught for Sonora. The game was played

jured in an automobile accident. home run over the fence. Four hits were made by Sonora Sunday the Lowake team plays the Station A Sonora team travels to Iraan for a game and later in

the month the Iraan team will play in Sonora.

Last Sunday the Station A So-(Continued on page 4)

Wool in Warehouse More Than Year Ago

Total of 730,000 Pounds With Much Shearing Not Done

Although ever-welcome rain has and benediction. The Bible was printed at Oxford, England. A title page introducing brought shearing in Sutton county the New Testament portion of the to a virtual standstill the Sonora Wool & Mohair Co. has in its ware-"Printed at the Clarendon Press. house 730,000 pounds, of which 140,000 pounds is 8-months and

One hundred and fifty thousand was bound. Mr. Saunders has done Bible Warehouse, Paternoster Row, pounds of the 12-months is ungraded wool, it was stated Thursday.

W. J. Fields, Jr, manager, said PRIVILEGIO" which it is believed Thursday that last year at this The volume, printed with the indicates the permission of the time there was about 300,000 'long s" of olden days, was given king of England-George III of the pounds in the warehouse which can pounds.

The fly-leaf bears the date, Mr. Fields estimates that shear-The "long s" style in which ev- "June 18, 1794," which, it is pre- ing in Sutton county is not more ery "s" resembles an "f" makes sumed, is the date one of Mrs. Mc- than forty per cent completed. Gregor's relatives was given the Sheep are shearing about fifteen

ford, Ontario province, Canada. this time.

Wesley Sawyer Gives Valedictory Wesley Sawyer, highest ranking student, made the valedictory address on behalf of the class-composed of sixteen members.

Lions Club medals were given Wesley Sawyer and Joe Nell Miers for having made the highest aver-

"Lion" and "Lioness" for the first six weeks of the 1936-1937 school term were announced this week as Violet. Drennan and Web Elliott. Theformer was a senior this year and the latter was a pupil in the ninth grade. Violet's average was 941/4 and Web's 89 3-4.

ages in the high school during the school year. His was 94.94 and Joe Nell's 96.37.

F. T. Jones, school principal, introduced the seniors to the board members and their diplomas were handed them by B. F. McLain, superintendent of schools. The Rev. T. O. Rorie, pastor of the Methodist Church, spoke the invocation

A complete list of the various honors earned this year by high (Continued on page 2)

NEW MINISTER TO PREACH HERE SUNDAY, JUNE 7TH

First services to be conducted at the Methodist Church by the new pastor-the Rev. R. F. Davis, now of Alpine-will be Sunday, June 7. In an announcement to the NEWS Wednesday the Reverend

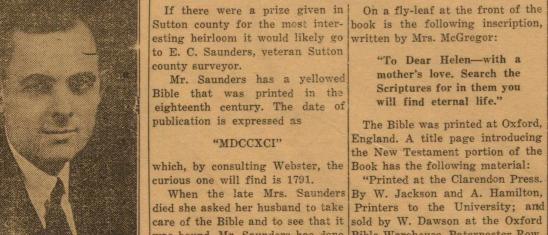
There will be services at the church both morning and evening of the seventh, according to the letter written by the Reverend Mr. Davis.

Daughter To Mexican Couple A baby daughter weighing eight the name, "Mary Ferguson," that her parents to West Texas in The warehouse also has about pounds was born Sunday to Felix of Mrs. McGregor before she was 1876. She was a native of Strat- 100,000 pounds of mohair in it at and Mrs. Noriega. The child was named Alisandra.

The quarterly conference with members of the Methodist Church will be conducted Sunday night by Dr. L. U. Spellman of San Angelo, presiding elder of Methodist churches in the San Angelo district.

Dr. Spellman will preach at the church Sunday night before the conference.

Last week Dr. Spellman was given an honorary D. D. degree by McMurry College in Abilene. He is a graduate of Southwestern University and of Southern Methodist University.



married.

Resembles "f" Difficult One To Read

died she asked her husband to take Printers to the University; and 590,000 pounds 12-months. care of the Bible and to see that it sold by W. Dawson at the Oxford that and the book is in such shape London." On a separate line is "CUM now that it will probably remain

intact many more years.

Mrs. Saunders (Miss Helen Mc-House of Hanover-at that time. accomodate about 21/2 million Mr. Davis said that he and Mrs. Gregor before her marriage) by George III, who died at the age of pounds. He estimated that this Davis would come here Thursday, her mother, Mrs. Alex McGregor, eighty-one, ruled England fifty- year the warehouse organization June 4. for many years a Ballinger resi- nine years-longer than any other will probably handle two million dent. Both Mrs. McGregor and her male ruler of that country.

husband are dead now.

the book very difficult to read. Between the leaves of the faded book. Mrs. Saunders, seventy-four per cent more per head than last volume was found an acrostic on when she died in 1934, came with year, he estimated.

Book has the following material: When the late Mrs. Saunders By W. Jackson and A. Hamilton,

"To Dear Helen-with a

mother's love. Search the

Scriptures for in them you

will find eternal life."

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THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

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Body of Martyr Priest on Way to Belgium



After almost half a century's rest in the island where he found his life work and welcome death, the body of the famed martyr priest, Father Damien de Veuster, apostle to the lepers of Molokai, arrived in San Francisco on the army transport Republic, enroute to Belgium. The photograph shows the casket being carried on a gun calsson to St. Mary's cathedral where it lay in state before being sent on eastward.

PERSONALS

Young President of-(Continuel from page 1)

school students is as follows:

Honor Certificates Seventh Grade: Myron Morris, Marjorie Davis.

Eighth Grade: Louise Briscoe, Brownwood. Jimmie Gwynne Langford, Wanda B. Rape, Margaret Sandherr.

Ninth Grade: Vicenta Sanchez, Mrs. W. E. Caldwell. Rena Glen Shurley, Jim Taylor.

Joe Nell Miers, Dickie Vehle. Eleventh Grade: Kenneth Bab- San Antonio.

Shroyer, Lillie Marie Smith. Honor Roll, 1935-1936

Driskell, Katha Lea Keene, Jimmie her son, Dr. J. A. McDonald, and Gwynne Langford, Margaret Ada Mrs. McDonald. Sandherr, Robby Jo Wyatt,

Rena Glen Shurley, Garland versity of Texas. Gilvray, Joe Nell Miers, Dickie and Mrs. Will Drake, in San An-Vehle.

Lillie Marie Smith.

Perfect Attendance, 1935-1936

gan, Garland Slaughter, Robby Jo Wvatt. J. C. Norris, Wanda B. Rape, Paschail Odom.

Typewriting Awards

minute); Lillie Marie Smith (50 be made. Nora B. Hill (40 words per matron, Ardena Speed; associate Grace Vehle.

Raymon Morgan spent last week in Llano. Miss Johnnie Allison left Satur-

day to visit with her parents in Mrs. Lula Belle Dunn of Forsan is visiting her parents, Mr. and

Tenth Grade: Emmalou Logan, Tuesday for a visit with her par- of last week was the announcement

cock, Violet Drennan, Nora B. Hill, Mrs. Claudia Sanders left Sat-J. O. Mills, Wesley Sawyer, Dora urday morning for Austin where she will study; later she will visit

in Houston. Myron Morris, Marjorie Davis, Mrs. Josie McDonald left Wed-Louise Briscoe, Claude Thomas nesday for a visit in Del Rio with

Martin, Wanda B. Rape, Margaret Miss Lita Ray left Sunday for her home in Fort Worth; later in week's NEWS.

Vicenta Sanchez, Jack Shurley, the summer she will enter the Uni-Slaughter, Jim Taylor, Serena Mrs. Sam Karnes and daughter, Trainer, Marion Elliott, Emmalou Anne, returned Monday from a Logan, Jo Ann Marion, Joyce Mc- short visit with her parents, Mr.

gelo. Kenneth Babcock, Violet Dren- Miss Elizabeth Caldwell will ert Hamer, average 87.3. nan, Nora B. Hill, Wilma Hutcher- leave June 10 for Ohio where she eight weeks.

Violet Drennan, Emmalou Lo- O. E. S. INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS MONDAY

At the Masonic Hall Monday night a public installation of officers of Kenneth Babcock (65 words per the Order of the Eastern Star will words per minute); Wesley Saw- The officers are: Worthy mayer (45 words per minute); Wilma tron, Mary Lee Hull; worthy pa-Hutcherson (45 words per minute); tron, Merton Shurley; associate Meckel, Mary Jo Rape, Betty drive the bus within an inch of a

Alta Pearl Lively and Robert Hamer

Elementary School Honor Pupils from time to time. Named During Commencement Program

An interesting part of the commencement program for elementa-Miss Elizabeth Francis left ry school students Thursday night ents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Francis, in by F. T. Jones of honors that had been earned by the younger students during the school year.

> The elementary school this year has been the "workshop" of all lamis in 485 B. C., Xerxes lists "the school pupils from the first to the Ionians that dwelt on the sea and sixth grades, inclusive. The sev- those that dwell beyond the sea' enth grade, taught by Miss Deal, as among his tributary peoples. was in the high school building and honors won by students in that Drives Bus 600,000 Miles grade are given elsewhere in this

Students who excelled in the Elementary School to win medals offered by the Lions Club were:

Pearl Lively, average 93.18; Rob-

Primary Department (Grades 1 son, Lunetta Marion, J. O. Milis, will study at the Cincinnati Con- to 3, inclusive): Billie Cartwright, trip every three days. The distance Through Scouting and other worth-Wesley Sawyer, Dora Shroyer, servatory of Music, for six or average 96.1; Don Nichols, average 92.2.

Other awards of various kinds were won by the following: SIXTH GRADE

Perfect Attendance: Mary Jo Rape, Odell Odom.

Third Six Weeks' Honor Roll Doris Keene, Doris Meckel, Mary Grace Vehle.

Honor Roll, 1935-1936: Doris

FOURTH GRADE-Upstairs

Perfect Attendance: Justin

Third Six Weeks' Honor Roll

Justin Odom, Peggy Reming, Edith

FOURTH GRADE-Downstairs

Third Six Weeks' Honor Roll.

FIND RECORDS OF XERXES' CAMPAIGNS Eagle Scout Tells of Jamboree To Win \$5,000 College Scholarship

Unearthed by University of Chicago Scientists.

Chicago .- Army records of Xerxes, ancient Persian emperor whose lamis, have just arrived at the Oriental institute of the University 29,000 clay tablets in cuneiform Troop 83, Portland, Oregon. characters, were found by the uni-Persia.

The army records were found in a room of the army garrison east of the Great Palace terrace at Per- Out of War." sepolis, the "Versailles" of ancient Persia, construction of which was begun by Darius and finished 49 years later by his son, Xerxes, some 2,400 years ago. Persepolis is being unearthed and reconstructed by the Oriental institute.

in Oriental languages at the university, who will undertake part of the task of translating the army records, pointed out that the repulse of the Persians by the Greeks was vital to the national life of Greece, it was not a crushing blow to Persia, for the Persians, dominating the Lead Young Pupils largest empire the world had seen up to that time, had armies of imperial conquest on many fronts

> The tablets bearing Xerxes' army records were coated with paraffin before being shipped, to aid in their preservation. They were discovered by a party digging under the direction of Dr. Erich Schmidt, field director of the institute's expedition. The Oriental institute announced recently the discovery of seven stone his provinces. In this list, obviously inscribed before the battle of Sa-

Without Single Accident

Omaha.-No aviator, but a 600,-000-mile man is Dean O. McGrew, Boy Scouts. of this city.

McGrew, a driver for a bus com-Intermediate Department pany, has been wheeling big passen-(Grades 4 to 6, inclusive): Alta ger transports since 1925, without a single accident.

At present he is on the Omaha-North Platte division of the Omaha-Los Angeles run. He makes a round is 289 miles.

The safe driving record McGrew this can be accomplished. attributes to the fact that he has tried to follow the ordinary precepts of good driving. His schedule rehour.

Jo Rape, O. L. Richardson, Betty hood, to watch the curb or other over the hood, so that he can meant.

> curb that he cannot see. McGrew can size up another driv-

ficer of Regional Sea Scout Flag- friendliness. of Chicago. The records, incised on ship "Columbia" and member of "All boys at the Jamboree want-

Scout Camp Provided Basis

The fourth World Scout Jambo- ture. ree which Matthews attended as one of the 402 Scouts and leaders from the United States was held at Godollo, near Budapest, Hunident of the University of Chicago; York; Ray Wilbur, president, Leland Stanford University, and dent of Vassar College - based tablets, "cornerstone" documents at teresting letter, regardless of Persepolis, in which Xerxes listed fancy writing and technical knowl-

Boy a Junior Scoutmaster

er and then Junior Assistant turn to America they should desive experience at Camp Meriweth- older organizations telling the

lows:

"My idea of how America can stay out of war is based on my personal experiences.

"I am an Eagle Scout and have been in Scouting for seven years. while youth movements is the way

quires an overall average, including Scout Jamboree to be held in Go- gress are those who will do everystops, of from 38 to 40 miles an dollo, Hungary, and made my plans thing humanly possible to always to attend. I went to the Jamboree vote to keep us out of war. He has one particular trick that and there found my solution for "If we teach our youth of today helps him in driving. Unable to see future world peace. While a mem- the crime of taking human life, as down over the right side of the ber of this wonderful Jamboree I in war, they will vote in the future obstacle, he has learned to "sight" learned what true brotherly love to never leave their own shores to

"In Europe wherever we met a war."

New York, May 27 .- The great | person in the Scout uniform we game of Scouting points the way to knew he was our loyal friend and world peace according to Eagle brother. Although unable to conlegions were defeated by the Greeks Scout Owen W. Matthis, 3rd, an verse with some foreign Scouts, able Sea Scout and Divisional Of- their actions always bespoke

ed to be friends and we made new Matthews was the winner re- ones every day. By actually living versity's expedition at Persepolis, cently of the Eddie Cantor \$5,000 for two weeks with thirty thousand scholarship prize essay contest en- foreign Scouts we learned that titled "How Can America Stay they thought and acted just as we

did, even though their color and creed might be different. We loved One of 212,000 entries submitted, these brother Scouts as much as Matthews' whole approach to his those in America. Throughout the subject was based on his two weeks Jamboree encampment covering experience camping in a foreign many square miles was an attitude country with 30,000 Boy Scouts of friendliness and good will, no Dr. George G. Cameron, instructor from forty-six different lands plus thought of enmity, everyone showthe friendships with foreign boys ing their paramount thought of in the years that have followed. creating world peace for the fu-

Friendships Maintained

"The benefits from this Jamboree are being manifested as time gary. The four judges of the essay eight Scouts I met at the Jamgees on. I am corresponding with contest-Robert M. Hutchins, pres- boree who live in the following Frederick Bertrand Robinson, pres- England, Austria, Persia, Syria, ident, College of the City of New South Africa and Australia. We exchange stamps, songs, literature Henry Noble MacCracken, presi-our respective countries and theretheir decision on the quality of "the friendship. After these contacts by continuing our worthwhile most constructive, sincere and in- how could we ever want to go to war against each other?

"If the United States government sent picked groups of youth Matthews has a Scout record re- to these international gatherings, lecting his leadership qualities. expenses paid, it would open the Successfully he served his troop as eyes of youth the world over as to Patrol Leader, Senior Patrol Lead- the futility of war. Upon their re-Scoutmaster and he has had exten- liver lectures in schools and to er, the camp of the Portland, Ore., thoughts of youth in regard to war with other countries. If taught in Matthews' winning essay fol- youth the crime of war, as adults these boys will wholeheartedly disfavor war. Peace gatherings and encampments of youth from all countries will do more to further world peace than adult peace conferences held in some castle or other building.

Intelligent Voting Needed

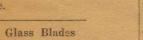
"Stress the movement for intel-"The spring of 1933 I heard of ligent voting at the polls, to see the coming Fourth International that the only people sent to Con-

fight against other nations.

Met Friendly Boys Everywhere "Thus America can stay out of

atron, W. L. Davis; secretary Marjorie Davis, whose average Mamie Awalt; treasurer, Pearl was 92 5-8 and Myron Morris Smith; conductress, Vida Lightwhose scholastic ranking this year foot; associate conductress, Della has been 97 7-8 were given schol- Logan.

arship pins in recognition of the work they have done in the seventh grade.



Razor blades made of glass are kell; marshal, Buena Davis; organreported from Czechoslovakia - ist, Iris Locklin; warden, Marguerthey are inexpensive and, although ite Turney; sentinel, Joe Logan. they cannot be resharpened, they have a keen edge.

WARNING!

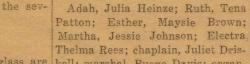
Positively no swimming allowed in tank on Baker Ranch. (adv.) COLLIER SHURLEY vears later.

OUR GARDEN

and LAWN

NEEDS THES

Ph. 113



Elective officers installed were:

The First Auto Radio

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LONG ...

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(with couplings)

\$3.00

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Gilmore Hardware Com

The first automobile radio was

Alta Pearl Lively, Margie Crowell, built in 1922 by William Lear of Lois Morris, Betty Lou Shoemake, Quincy, Ill. Regular factory production did not begin until five Edna Lee Wilson.

May Babcock.

Nell hale.

Odom.

Honor Roll, 1935-1936: Lois Morris, Margie Orowell, Betty Lou college. hoemake

THIRD GRADE

Sidney Awalt, Sybil Burleson, Billie Cartwright, Marguerite Howell, Warren Reddoch, Lois Whidlon, Eugene Shurley, Don Nichols, Claude Draper, Geraldine Meckel. Honor Roll, 1935-1936: Marguerite Howell, Lois-Whiddon, Billie Cartwright, Sybil Burleson.

SECOND GRADE

Perfect Attendance: Davey Dean

Third Six Weeks' Honor Roll: Sammie Jeanne Allison, Lila D. Chalk, Patsy Draper, Frances Jo Lancaster, Geraldine Morrow, Betty Gene Rankhorn, Margaret Pearl Smith.

Honor Roll, 1935-1936: Margaret Pearl Smith.

FIRST GRADE Third Six Weeks' Honor Roll: Ethel Mae Alley, Charlene Hull, Carolyn Johnson, Helen Kasper, John Allen Ward.

Lions Club awards in the L. W. Elliott School went to: Intermediate Department

(grades 6 to 8, inclusive): Esther Virgen and Alberto Tijerina. Primary Department (Grades

to 5, inclusive): Dionicio Gomez and Adelmira Arrendondo.

er half a mile away, and pretty Perfect Attendance: Mabel Davis. well tell whether he is a motor ma-Third Six Weeks' Honor Roll: niac or a sane driver. Small haulers Willie Nell Hale, Mary Gwendelyn | are the worst menace, he says. They Wyatt, Addie Thorp, Louise Merri- are apt to have glaring lights, and won't stay on their own side of the road. McGrew always aims to stay Honor Roll, 1935-1936: Willie 12 or 18 inches on his side of the pavement center lines.

Student 'Grubstake'

now grown to \$612.91. The original loan was brought to President Benjamin Ide Wheeler in 1908 by a messenger from some unidentified person who wanted it to be used to "grubstake" some student through

The original amount was \$350, but President Wheeler gave the Third Six Weeks' Honor Roll: messenger \$1. The remaining \$349 was kept invested when it wasn't 'grubstaking" some student, until it has reached its present proportions.

Mountain Farmer Is

"Carving" Out Home Huntsville, Ark .- Dewey Mc Cullah, thirty-seven years old, mountaineer farmer, with a second-hand ax, a draw knife, a wife and six children is carving out his future home atop a mountain near here. McCullah bought 80 acres of

unimproved land, signing a note and mortgage for the farm. Borrowing \$44.20 to buy food supplies, he took the ax, knife and his family and settled on the farm.

Six months later saw the Mc-Cullahs living in a comfortable two-room log cabin with a barn, chicken house and smokehouse erected nearby.

Five acres of tillable land had been fenced with hand-riveted pickets, and a wheat and oat crom harvested. The land was tilled by hand with a grubbing hoe made from the spring of a motor truck, and a weeding hoe from a cross cut saw serving as implements

MEXICAN WOMAN DIES OF RECENT BURN INJURIES

Funeral services were conducted Padillo. in San Angelo Thursday of last week for Mrs. Lorenzo Trevino, 18, who was severely burned at her Sonora home April 29.

Mrs. Trevino, sister of Chico gasoline from her home.

She was buried in Fairmount cemetery in San Angelo after services conducted by the Reverend

Student Returns To Sonora

The summer vacation will be spent with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Chavez, employee of Hotel McDon- Barnes in Sonora by Miss Mary Doubles in 28 Years ald for many years, had been re- Barnes, who has been a student Berkeley, Calif. - A "grubstake" covering in San Angelo since the this last year in St. Theresa's loan fund of \$349 donated to the accident which happened when she Academy. Miss Barnes came here University of California in 1908 has was attempting to carry burning Wednesday afternoon from San Antonio.



Sonora, Texas, May 29, 1936

To Begin Campaign SATURDAY

Amarillo capitalist and hotel

owner, Ernest O. Thompson,

chairman of the state railroad

commission, tomorrow will be-

gin his campaign for re-elec-

The opening address of his campaign will be in Alvord,

Wise county, where a commun-

ity celebration and picnic will

do honor to the "native son."

member of the commission

since June 4, 1932, when Gov-

ernor Ross Sterling appointed

him to succeed Pat Neff who

resigned to become president

Bring it here. George Barrow, Jew-

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY_

JEAN HARLOW

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of Baylor University.

eler.-adv.

Mr. Thompson has been a

tion to that body.

35 YEARS AGO

Mal Walters, one of the good looking cowboys was in from the Whitehead ranch Wednesday and expects to lay off for a few days.

W. A. Glasscock the prosperous stockman was in Sonora Monday; he had just returned from a trip to San Angelo and reports business rather dull. * * *

George Haley one of the popular young cowboys was in Sonora Wednesday from the John Robbins ranch where he has his cattle.

R. F. Halbert the well known stockman left for Fort Worth Monday to attend the convention.

Bill Ike Babb and son, Will, were here this week.

Sam Duncan is getting along all commission. right.

John McKee the stockman was in Sonora Tuesday from the Gunzer ranch and says they had good rains out there and the stock doing all right.

B. F. Bellows says if it does not

rain before tonight he will have Most people eat flattery, then two houses off his hands. At the lick the dish .- Dean E. V. White. rate of a house a week from each carpenter Sonora would soon be

I pay highest prices for old gold. a city. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bond were in Sonora this week from their ranch in the southern portion of the county.

> B. M. Halbert, cashier of the Bank of Sonora, has gone on a vacation for his health.

Stock Items

A. C. Fambrough sold to Dr. A. L. Taylor 30 head of stock horses at \$8 per head.

Fred Koenig sold to Ben Hill 41 head of cows and calves, off colors, at \$15 per head.

E. J Jackson sold 140 head of stock cattle to Ben F. McDonald at \$17 a head everything counted. SPENCER TRACY A. P. Belcher received Monday from Ed Corbett 39 feeder bulls

also Tom Mix in the thrilling serial at \$24 per head. Ed Putman was in Sonora Saturday and reports having bought 400 head of stock goats from T. J. Moss at \$1.50 per head.

Manager Applies Penalties

'A Night at the Opera' St. Louis, Mo., May 27.-Frank Frisch, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, decided to pep up his

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CITIZENS WARNED ABOUT DANGER OF MOSQUITOES

Discarded cans which might contain water which would serve as breeding places formosquitoes should be taken care of at once, according to a warning issued Thursday by J. Franklin Howell, county health officer.

If the cans cannot be hauled to the city dump they may be turned over so they will not serve as receptacles.

Cans and stagnant pools of any kind, created as result of the recent rains, should be destroyed so that disease-carrying insects may not be bred, the officer reminded.

Sonora Young Man To Work Here night, Willie?" Work will be done in Schleicher, Sutton and adjoining counties for the next month by Lea Roy Aldwell, an investigator for the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission. Gid Hill the handsome mutton Mr. Aldwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. buyer was in town Wednesday on Roy E. Aldwell, works out of the the look out for muttons. Gid says San Angelo district office of the

Banks Rapidly Reduce Debt

Although the sum of \$1,860,000,000 has been advanced to banks and trust companies by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation since it began operations in February, 1932. down to April 30, 1935, these institutions have repaid no less than \$1,340,000,000, or more than 72% This rate of repayment is reported as being considerably in excess of that made by any other type of borrower.

Loans were authorized by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to 7,396 banks and trust companies in an aggregate amount of \$2,350,000,-000, but of this sum \$345,000,000 was withdrawn or cancelled and \$140,-000,000 has not yet been taken out by the borrowers.

Simplification of Bank Checks

New York .-- In a bulletin issued by the Bank Management Commission of the American Bankers Association, plans are described for carrying on the simplification of bank checks, notes, drafts and similar instruments in respect to size and uniformity of arrangement of subject matter.

Detailed recommendations for this end were formulated by the association about ten years ago, the bulletin says, and promulgated by the United States Department of Commerce among banks, business houses using large numbers of checks, commercial stationers and lithographers. As a result about 85 per cent adherence to the recommendations was brought about. The present bulletin, which describes the standard specifications in full, is issued to maintain this high level of adherence to the commendations.

George Brockman a County Agent Ira C. Green and son, Ira, Jr., of Work as assistant county agent San Angelo were in Sonora Wedin Reeves county has been assumed by George Brockman of San Angelo, son of Mrs. George Brockman, a sister of E. F. Vander Stucken. Mr. Brockman was graduated from Texas A. & M. College in 1935. In his new work he will have headquarters at Pecos, the

Recovering From Burn Injuries Painful injury was received by Mrs. Joe M. Vander Stucken last week when she spilled hot grease on her ankle and foot. She is better this week.

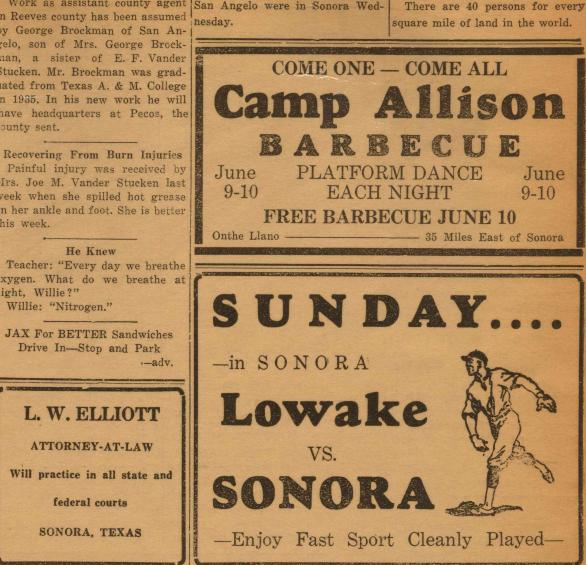
oxygen. What do we breathe at Willie: "Nitrogen."

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Such As It Is

TUESDAY ONLY-"Woman Trap" Gertrude Michael : George Murphy OTTO KRUGER and MARGARET CHURCHILL

> If MRS. ALFRED COOPER

box office she will be given a teams. WEEK'S PASS for one (1) person. Watch For Your Name! -YOU MAY BE NEXT-See Next Week's Program

team by fining inept players. A Cardinal, with one or none out, who Fleas and Taxis Bring failed to drive in a runner from third was to be assessed \$5. Frisch WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY- with the first fine-payer; with "Dracula's Daughter" the bases filled, he hit into a double-play, fined himself \$10. the "carrozza" on the gasoline age, Walter O. Briggs, wealthy owner of the Detroit Tigers, had to with- the worst enemy of the carriage is draw his offer of \$50,000 to his the flea. team if they won the American

League pennant. League officials will present this program at the feared dissatisfaction among other

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End to Coaches in Italy

Rome .--- 'The old "Jehus" of Rome are passing like coachmen the world over. Some blame the decadence of but all tourists will tell you that

Fleas thrive in the battered upholstery of the vehicles which for hundreds of years have rattled through the cobbled, narrow streets of Italian cities.

Sightseers gradually shied from the carroza and took to taxis. From 5,000 carriages in 1928 the number in Rome has fallen to below 300.

Canary Singing Tourist: Takes a 14,400 Mile Trip Fremont, Neb .- Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Morehead had nothing but praise for their canary as a traveling com-

panion after their return from a 14,400-mile motor tour. The bird, they reported, sang all the way and even entertaïned guests at restaurants where they stopped.

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Want More Laughs in Shakespeare's Plays

Temesvar, Rumania.-William Shakespeare had better keep away from this section in the future unless he puts more laughs into his plays.

Peasants of a nearby village who were disappointed in the comedy in the famous tragedy, King Lear, said that unless the author keeps his distance, "we will not guarantee his safety." They interrupted the performance "because there was nothing to laugh at."

Amid shouts and jeers the director sent an actor before the curtain to present himself as Mr. Shakespeare, the author, who would attempt to explain his

play. "You are a crook to write works which do not give good laughs for our good money," the furious peasants shouted at the actor. He left the stage hurriedly.

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The Devils River Heus ESTABLISHED 1890 Robert W. Jacobs Editor and Publisher

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AFTER ALL, ANYONE CAN FIND SOMETHING TO BE WORRIED ABOUT

Some people cannot find the "silver lining" in a cloud even if that cloud happens to be one which is giving at that particular moment moisture that will mean much to living.

that" never fell without a drought track and traffic diversion. coming in its wake.

They may be right. We wouldn't go so far as to say they were or were not. After all we've lived in West Texas only eight years.

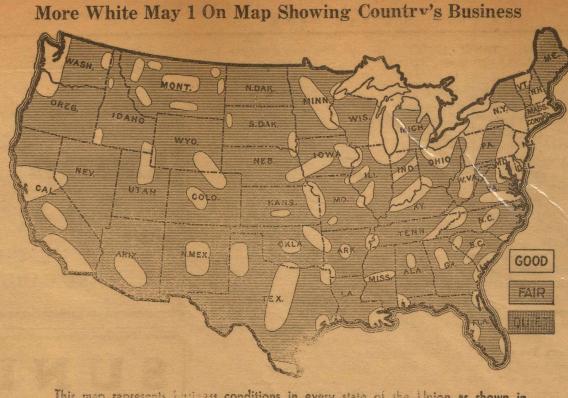
Right or wrong, though, we cannot see how matters may be helped nora team took two games from to follow glorious rain. One may Basin League. The first, a six-inalways find something to worry ning affair, was won by a score of about. Right now, however, it 13 to 0, and the last (seven inseems one should "bend every ef- nings) was won by a 14 to 6 score. Centennial Year as practiced by fort" to enjoying to the fullest Box score of the game Wednes- James V. Allred, governor of Texweather conditions which presage day was: economic conditions in the ranch industry the like of which have not been seen for several years.

Yes, there may be a long, droughty "spell." But, after all, haven't the rains been wonderful?

The First Auto Radio

The first automobile radio was Archer, 2b ____ built in 1922 by William Lear of Smith, p Quincy, Ill. Regular factory production did not begin until five years later.

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This map represents cusiness conditions in every state of the Union as shown in June, 1936, issue of "Nation's Business" official publication of the United States Chamber of Commerce

April was cold and generally April gained over March and April ings fairly well maintained earlier dry. Crop preparation and planting a year ago. Steel output and utili- gains. Bank debits and clearings

Even while rain was falling this below a year ago. Flood damage April but easing in manufactured

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Ratliff, 3b

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Leng, 3b

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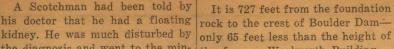
was late. Considerable damage to zation showed especially heavy increased over 1935 with the part gains. The stock market lost most centage rise in debits three times the country in which that person is winter wheat and orchards was re-of the first quarter's price gains. The stock market lost most centage rise in dents three diffes ported. Early crop promise seemed Food prices led in strength in somewhat below a year ago.

The Map "White" Is Larger Another slight whitening of the

tion. "I don't know," said the minister dubiously, "I'm afraid the congregation would laugh."

last Sabbath you prayed for loose livers."-Royal Arcanum Bulletin.

Kidney vs. Liver



Boulder Dam Height

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Memphis, Tenn., May 27. from Tulsa, Okla., having ploided

A Scotchman had been told by the diagnosis and went to the min- the famous Woolworth Building. ister of his church with a request for the prayers of the congrega-

"I don't see why they would," replied the sufferer. "It was only

Former Sonoran Here Thursday A business visitor in Sonora Thursday was W. B. Holland of Ballinger who, at one time, was pastor of the Baptist Church here. Mr. Holland is now selling a screw worm remedy known as "Gets'em." He was on his way to Fort Stock-

last week some were heard to re- of March, however, proved rather materials, fuels and oils more than mark gloomily that a drought was less than earlier feared. Railroads offset this, causing the price index bound to come, that "a rain like in flooded regions suffered from to decline for the fifth successive map reflects the expansion of month, leaving it, however, still a spring trade and the maintenance Trade and manufacturing in shade above a year ago. Carload- of manufacturing activities. Sonora Beats Ozona— Governor Not Able To Be Here in June (Continuel from page 1) by mournful predictions of drought the Veribest entry in the Concho His Representative May Come For master. Mr. Eaton said Thursday **Camp** Allison Barbecue

Publicizing of Texas and its as, goes further than his public services for Yates Hall, chief buildlife.

ABRHE So one may judge by the en-0 graved, personal stationery on which Governor Allred has written San Angelo; flag raising; invoca-Alfred Schwiening that he cannot attend the Camp Allison Barbecue Angelo; talk, history of Yates Hall, June 9 and 10.

Directly below the date on the Recognition of Ira G. Yates 0 0 0 letter is typed "Texas Centennial Fayette Tankersly and Louis Farr 1 1 0 Mr. Schwiening reads:

34 4 4 2 of the 18th inviting me to come tonio; retreat and benediction, by ABRHE owing to another engagement I al- Methodist Church, San Angelo. 3 0 1 ready had it is going to be impossible for me to be with you. If you desire, and will advise me, I shall 0 be glad to designate a member of "Thank God for a civilized coun-4 0 1 my official family, or other per- try," was the comment of Dave .3 0 0 0 sonal representative, to represent Sweatman, 71, who arrived here 0 3 1 1 me on this occasion . . . " 0 _1 0 0

Scout Leader Here-(Continuel from page 1) this week by John Eaton, Scout-

that boys who intend to go to Camp should get application blanks from him at once so that their registrations might be sent in at once. On Sunday, June 7, dedication ing of the camp, will be held. The program, as announced by the Council office this week, is:

Band concert, Boy Scout Band, tion, by the Rev. Ralph Grant, San Houston Harte, San Angelo.

Year." Governor Allred's letter to __by John Y. Rust, president emeritus, Concho Valley Council. "I deeply appreciate your letter | Address, Bill McIntosh, San An-

there on June 10th and regret that Dr. K. P. Barton, pastor, First

Thankful For Something



Sonora, Texas, May 29, 1936

Music . . . Art

Interests

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Party Monday By Mrs. Aldwell Honors Miss Francis

Women's

A bridal shower given by Mrs. Roy E. Aldwell and complimenting Miss Elizabeth Francis, who is to be married in June, attracted a large number of guests to the clubhouse of the Sonora Woman's Club Monday afternoon.

In the receiving line with Miss Francis and Mrs. Aldwell were Mrs. J. A. Cauthorn, Miss Harva Jones, Mrs. E. E. Sawyer, Mrs. L. W. Elliott and Mrs. R. A. Halbert. As the guests came in the door each was asked to write a wish for the bride-to-be to read later in the afternoon

Solo Sung By Young Man

While the guests were being seated Edwin Sawyer played several piano numbers and then Lea Roy Aldwell sang "At Dawning," with piano accompaniment by Miss Elizabeth Caldwell.

Ferns, a tiger plant and lighted, pink candles in the windows provided a pleasing decorative plan for the clubhouse.

Miss Francis was seated at a "Well of Mystery," beautifully strand passing through a ring of without exception.

more and Mrs. L. E. Johnson. Gifts From the "Well"

one she is to marry were read by must be chosen. The Porterhouse kind with one addressed to the ones for broiling. guests.

brought.

were:

Johnson, Hix Hall, R. C. Vicars, J. juicy. Joel Shelton, Merton Shurley, Velma Shurley, E. F. Vander Stucken,

H. V. Stokes, J. W. Trainer, Paul Musical Turney, Harold Friess, J. H. Bra-Program at sher, M. M. Stokes, Preston Prater, Maysie Brown, T. O. Rorie, Woman's Club Mike Murphy, Josie McDonald, Richard Vehle, F. J. Wood, E. E. Sawyer,



A Porterhouse steak, wisely preheat the broiling oven with the of the stove. When the skillet is planned in pink and white, and chosen and nicely broiled, makes a oven regulator set at "high." Place sizzling hot, place the steak in it,

Toasts to the honoree and to the so, a proper cut of a good quality tion to the distance.

Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot and Mrs. or T-bone, the Club or Delmonico,

A Way To Judge Quality

the gifts that the guests had of fat over the outside and plenty platter.

then the outside may be nicely

New officers were installed for beth Caldwell, Marie Watkins. It was decided that renting W. C. Gilmore, R. A. Halbert, J. ing of the Sonora Woman's Club, the clubhouse would be handled by Thursday night of last week at the Franklin Howel, W. D. Wallace, Thursday afternoon of last week, Mrs. W. J. Fields, Jr. I. B. Boughton, W. H. Dameron, when a group met at the clubhouse In the absence of Mrs. E. F. Vanling Baker, W. E. Caldwell, J. A. der Stucken, Mrs. W. E. Caldwell Mrs. Decker presented a book review on "So Red the Rose." Both an entertaining and inter-Davis, L. W. Elliott, Lula Belle esting program was given. Miss Dunn of Forsan, Joe F. Logan, J. Elizabeth Francis played a piano A. Ward, Jr., Mrs. Preston C. solo, "Gramercy Square." Miss Marie Watkins sang "His Lullaby," by Carrie Jacobs Bond. Piano ac- afternoon when she entertained companiment was by Mrs. Hix with two tables of bridge. Merle Draper, Elizabeth Caldwell. Hall. "Caprice Vennois," by Kreiser, was played by Miss Elizabeth Caldwell.

asked to draw from the well a ce- meat dish deserving of high hon- the steak on the rack far enough and allow the steak to brown on dar bucket containing the wishes ors for every meal. It is, in the from the flame that it will be half both sides. Then reduce the temthe guests had written. The opinion of most persons, the very done by the time the top is nicely perature and allow the steak to "windlass" rope was a white finest kind of a meat dish, and that browned. With the flame or ele- cook more slowly until done, pourment at "high," the top of the ing over the fat as it accumulates white in the overhead portion of Broiling the perfect steak, it is steak should be about three inches in the pan, and turning occasionthe "well." The wishes were read said, begins at the meat market, in from the flame or heating element. ally. No fat is added to the pan, to Miss Francis by Mrs. W. C. Gil- choosing a steak suitable for cook- If it is not possible to place the even in the beginning for if the ing by this method. The steak must steak this far from the heat, then pan is sizzling hot, the steak will be tender, and in order to have it lower the temperature in propor- not stick. Nor is the pan covered at

Immediate Serving Esseutial

any time during the cooking. Cuts Should Be Impartial When the steak is nicely broiled A steak, so well prepared, needs

Johnson. Miss Francis replied in and the sirloin steaks are the best on one side, season it with salt and very little garnish to make an atpepper, turn it, and allow it to tractive platter. Tomato slices and brown on the second side. By this a bit of parsley are all the gar-Fruit punch and angel food As to quality, the amount of fat time, the steak should be done. nishes used above. In serving, the squares were served. At that time is a good indication. A steak of Then season with salt and pepper meat first should be loosened Miss Francis drew from the "well" high quality has a good covering and serve immediately on a hot around the T-bone with the point

of marbling of fat throughout the You may keep your family wait- wise into pieces, an inch or more Those who attended Mrs. Ald- lean. A steak for broiling should ing on the steak, but never the in width, depending on the number

> Eastland, W. J. Fields, Jr., John Fields, Hix Hall, J. Franklin How- Thursday Night ell, Velma Shurley, H. V. Stokes, Misses Nann Karnes, Jamie For Lunetta Marion Gardner, Elizabeth Francis, Eliza-

Drop in

at the A. & W. often

Phone 255

George B. Hamilton, E. H. Richey, R. A. Halbert, Robert Rees, T. O. Rorie; Miss Marie Watkins. The Methodist Woman's Mission- Bridge Club

A. W. Awalt, O. L. Richardson,

ary Society met Wednesday after-noon at the home of Mrs. R. A. Entertained By Halbert with Mrs. R. K. Muckleroy, Mrs. R. A. Halbert Mrs. J. T. McClelland and Mrs.

Events

Parties Clubs

Future

Ladies Meet

With Mrs. Halbert

Robert Rees as hostesses.

Hall.

House."

en Mrs. T. O. Rorie.

Punch was served to:

Members and guests of the Fri-Special piano music for the oc-casion was played by Mrs. Hix the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. "Who Is Leader," a talk, was Halbert.

made by Mrs. A. W. Awalt. Miss Roses were placed at vantage Marie Watkins sang "The Ninety points in Mrs. Halbert's living and Nine." Mrs. Hall played the room. piano accompaniment. The pro-

Mrs. Halbert's guests were: gram, which was led by Mrs. Messrs. and Mesdames P. J. Tay-Muckleroy, was completed when Mrs. J. Franklin Howell read "Re- lor, W. C. Gilmore, R. C. Vicars, ligious Emphasis on the Wesley A. C. Elliott, L. E. Johnson, Collier Shurley,

Miss Ada Steen, Mrs. Nannie B. A miscellaneous shower was giv-Wilson and George Wynn.

Mr. Taylor won high score for Mesdames W. E. Caldwell, J. W. men and Mrs. Elliott won high for

Trainer, W. E. James, M. M. ladies. High cut award was pre-Stokes, J. D. Lowrey, C. E. Stites, sented Mrs. Wilson.

Ice cream and cake were served. Hix Hall, J. Franklin Howell,

Preston Prater, O. G. Babcock, J. T. McClelland,

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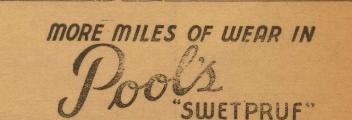
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EVERY DRUG STORE SERVICE



Mesdames Bryan Hunt, L. E. browned and the inside tender and broiling oven, comparable results should be served a portion of the may be obtained by parboiling, if meat on both sides of the bone, that D. Lowrey, J. S. Glasscock, John To broil a steak as perfectly as properly done. This is a method of is, a portion of both the tender-Fields, S. T. Gilmore, John Hamby, the one shown above, thoroughly cooking in a heavy skillet on top loin and the outside muscle.

of the knife, and then cut cross-

well's courtesy to Miss Francis be cut thick, at least one inch, for steak waiting on the family. of persons to be served and the If it is impossible to use a size of the steak. Each person

Caldwell, W. R. Cusenbary, Hi Party Given

F. T. Jones, W. J. Fields, Jr. C. H. Jennings, A. W. Awalt, Ster-Cauthorn.

George D. Chalk, Ben Cusenbary, G. H. Davis, Hi Eastland, W. L. Lightfoot.

Misses Harva Jones, Ada Steen, Nina Roueche, Marie Watkins,



Betty Has a Beau

The young fellow she met Saturday is calling to suggest a movie. There used to be long, lonesome evenings. But since Dad got a tele-phone . . . well, Betty has a beau.

To Betty—as well as the rest of us—the telephone brings happiness. Have one installed in your home . . . now.

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Yard committee: Mrs. Joel Shelton, Mrs. Hi Eastland.

Membership committee: Mrs. O. Franklin Howell.

Miss Jamie Gardner.

Hutcherson with a sterling silver that can be used for sports, for Women.

her farewell message, told of her town of an afternoon with a big teresting fabrics, and dull weaves hopes and plans for the ensuing hat, white gloves and other white fashion the smartest dresses. accessories.

Mrs. Hutcherson and Mrs. H. V. given each guest.

were:

year.

Party Hostess

Thursday Afternoon

Mrs. Henry Decker was bostess na Hamer, Lillie Marie Smith, Jo to the Jolly Joker Club Thursday Ann Marion, Emma Sessions, Refreshments were served to:

Turney, Andrew Moore, Collier Marion Elliott, Kenneth Babcock, The following committees were Shurley, John Hamby, Leo Buck, J. O. Mills, Bill Seahorn of Ozona. B. M. Halbert, Jr..

cock. Mrs. Glasscock and Miss Joyce McGilvray were hostesses naming Miss Lunetta Marion as honor guest. Ice cream and angel food squares

A number of young people en-

home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Glass-

were served to: Violet Drennan, Bobbie Halbert, Nola Draper, Lunetta Marion, Wil-

V. J. Glasscock, Vincent Roueche, G. W. Archer, Wilburn Glasscock, Edgar Glasscock, Troy White, Mesdames Dan Cauthorn, Hilton Wesley Sawyer, Richard Vehle,

Mrs. Cauthorn won high club Old gold wanted. I pay highest Dameron, Mrs. I. B. Boughton, award and Mrs. Halbert won high prices. George Barrow, Jeweler.--guest award. adv.

Lloyd Earwood, Mrs. H. V. Stokes, New, Short-sleeved Dresses May Serve Dual Purpose in the Hot, Summer Months

Denton, May 27.-With the ap- for blondes or redheads, shades of Babcock, W. E. Caldwell, J. proach of summer, women every- pink from blush to dusty coral,

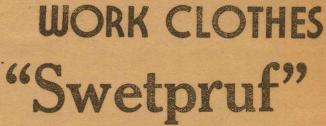
where begin their search for some- pale lemon yellow and strawberry House committee: Mrs. W. J. thing cool, yet that can be worn reds. White dresses are used with Fields, Jr., Mrs. Roy E. Aldwell, for any number of occasions. To blazing color effects. They are meet this need manufacturers pre- tops for summer wear, according The club presented Mrs. B. W. sent clever short sleeved dresses to girls at Texas State College for

card receiver. Mrs. Hutcherson, in spectator wear, and still go to Linen textures are the most in-Plaits are flat, tailored with pre-

The shops are already assem- cision, and placed where they Stokes were hostesses. The club- bling the prize assortments. Gay, do the most good. Short sleeves house was attractively arranged one-piece, unusually designed sum- are either cut with the bodice top with roses and yellow jasmine. A mer dresses show different details or cleverly inset to assure freedom Centennial theme and club colors in their make-up. They feature even for strenuous games. Cotton were used in the refreshment plate stitched bands, necklines with mesh yokes are used for contrast of cookies and brick ice cream. A front fullness contrived by ex- as well as coolness, and gently miniature United States flag was perts, buttons used for decoration rolled colars hug the neckline and as well as a purpose, pockets cut are slit down the front so that the

Members and guests attending in curves, in points, with and with- muffled ascot scarf shows. Belts are generally of the dress material out flaps.

Mesdames Roy E. Aldwell, O. G. The colors are new and exciting. when they are not of two or three Babcock, I. B. Boughton, W. E. We found aqua, a knockout blue colors for the only color contrast.



Suits...

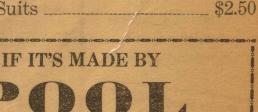
(Pants and Shirt to match)



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NEUTRALIZING GAS PERSONALS **KILLS WAR VAPORS**

New Chemical Given

France by German Exile.

Paris .- A new neutralizing vapor

which destroys the effectiveness of

certain recently developed German

poison gases capable of penetrating

any gas mask is reported to have been discovered. The city's popu-

lation is breathing considerably eas-

ier upon learning the good news,

writes Edward Taylor in the Chi-

The vapor is scattered in the air

and it combats and neutralizes the

poison gas immediately. Neither

the chemical formula of the vapor

nor the names of the gases it is

intended to be used against were

The discoverer is a savant of a

big German university of Polish

origin who was driven out of Ger-

many by the regime of Reichsfuehr-

er Hitler. He has been working

quietly in a Paris suburb and re-

cently communicated his discovery

to the French war ministry, de-

claring he offered it free to the

French people in gratitude for the

defective, the government some time

ago forbade the sale of any but gov-

ernment inspected masks, in the

meantime designating only 17 cen-

ters where they may be purchased.

and it was declared that even if

the war ministry inspection staff

worked night and day the produc-

tion of inspected masks would be

negligible. Curiously, some of the

masks passed by inspection were

made in Germany. Some quarters

suggested that the government,

whether intentionally or not, is ap-

plying the philosophy of the war-

time general, Maxime Weygand, re-

garding civilians. It is: "In case

of an air attack the best thing for

them to do is to get out of the

The excellent way in which the

grass came back last year after two

years of drouth, its value for hay

and pasture, and the comparative

ease with which it can be harvest-

ed and planted have proven its

value to the farmer, the department

Experiments made at Judith Ba-

sin, Mont., have disclosed that cat-

tle pastured more days and made

greater gains on fewer acres of

crested wheatgrass than brome or

native grass. Wheatgrass lasted 141

days, as compared with 125 days

for brome and 55 days for native

grass. The average gain per steer

in pounds was 291 for wheatgrass, 249 for brome, and 114 for native

grass. Similar results were ob-

The grass appears two or four

conditions are favorable. It makes

tained at other stations.

sod crop for flax.

telling the truth.

The supply was utterly inadequate

hospitality France showed him.

cago Tribune.

revealed.

any good.

city."

ture.

said.

Miss Grace Draper spent Sunday in San Angelo.

H. V. Stokes was in San Antonio several days this week.

Mrs. W. J. Fields, Jr., went to San Angelo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Halbert were San Angelo visitors Saturday.

Mrs. John Fields and Mrs. B. M. Halbert, Jr., went to San Angelo Friday.

Mrs. A. C. Elliott and sons, Marion and Web, were in San Angelo Saturday

Mrs. C. B. Hickerson of Denison is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McGilvray.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Huling and children of San Angelo were week-end visitors here.

W. J. Fields returned Sunday night from Austin where he had been visiting for a month.

Miss Rena McQuary and her sister, Miss Katharine McQuary, of Merkel, left Saturday for Abilene.

Mrs. M. O. Britt and Miss Pauline Davis left Saturday for their homes in Rosebud and Temple, respectively.

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A MONUMENT Stuff'n Dates O A BOOTLEG by Ned Moore

THE MOST TT AT EEMIS HEIGHTS, WHICH SUBSEQUENTLY RRENDER OF BURGYME AT JARATOGA, BENEDICT HERO OF THAT BATTLE, WAS SEVERELY WOONI EG AND HIS MOUNT KILLED BY A WOUNDED ER, AN AMERICAN TROOPER, WITH A BAYO TO DISPATCH THE ONE WHO HAD SHOT VAS HALTED BY ARNOLD'S SHOT" DON'T HURT FELLOW" HISTORIANS AGREE THAT THIS ER. AN AMERICAN TROOPER ENT ARNOLD SHOULD HAVE DIED - A HERO

'S CE PEYSTER, OF NEW YORK, HAU AMON

ME OF A TRAITOR HE HONORED THE NAMELESS HERO'S LEG

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Austin.

Mrs. W. E. James.

Monday and Tuesday.

day in San Angelo.

in San Angelo Monday.

University of Texas student.

and Mrs. Hi Eastland, this week.

where Mrs. Warren has been at-

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Baker left this

week for Rule where they will vis-

it a few days before going to

Boulder, Colo., where Mr. Baker

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Davis and

will be in school this summer.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Andrew Moore and daugh-

Miss Faye James of San Antonio

is visiting her parents, Mr. and

Miss Ora Altizer of Spofford

Miss Annie Duncan left Wednes-

day to spend the summer with rel-

atives in San Antonio and Devine.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Elliott and

daughter, Elizabeth, and Joe Nell

Miers spent Tuesday and Wednes-

Miss Nann and Mrs. Vernon Ma-

rion, and Miss Jamie Gardner were

Mrs. Lulu Karnes and daughters,

was a guest of Miss Lydah Archer

ter, Martha Jo, left Saturday for

Schedule Arranged

gas masks, none of which would Three Non-Conference Games Will Give Bronchos Practice

"An ideal arrangement" is the football schedule he has just comsquad during the 1936 season. Five conference games and four non-conference tilts - the same gas masks in the Paris area nor been contracted for by Mr. Adams. the possibility of the manufacture Three of the non-conference of a sufficient supply in time to do games are to be played before any contests with other schools of Dis-

SODA "POP" TO HELP BUY of nondescript types, many of them

When Sonora and out-ofdimes for cooling bottles of they'll be helping the 1936 Broncho football squad.

O. P. Adams, coach, said this week that he had been given the concession for the sale of drinks at Sonora baseball games and that all profits made would be used in buying equipment for the 1936 football squad of Sonora high school.

engaging in a game with a district Miss L. C. Matthis, who has been



It would be incorrect to say that all highway accidents are caused by the reckless acts of motorists. Not infrequently one finds a pedestrian or cyclist who "dares you to hit him," or takes foolish that the responsibility is all with Utilities Co .- adv. the motorist and that he is fully : aware of this obligation to drive carefully.

Such folks can be just as stubborn, thoughtless, or careless as the motorist. It all depends on the person, of course. Safety on our highways is a cooperative effort in which all users of the road share.

The use of the highway is a privilege conferred by cities and states on the theory that those who would enjoy it will show good sportsmanship and observe essential safety precautions. It may take two people to make a quarrel, but often just one can cause an accident. A high degree of alertness and a spirit of fair play must be observed at all times by motorists and others alike.

Olympics May Break Record Berlin, Germany, May 27 .- Estimates indicate that 52 nations will send 5,500 competitors to the Alvis Johnson returned Sunday 1936 Olympic Games this August. from a week-end visit in Austin In 1900 the Paris Games drew only with his son, Alvis, Jr., who is a 500; at Los Angeles four years ago 1,700 athletes competed. Frederick Mr. and Mrs. Byron Newby and W. Rubien, secretary of the Amerson, Hi Eastland, of Brackettville ican Olympic Committee, calculates visited Mrs. Newby's parents, Mr. that it will cost \$325,000 to transport, train and board the full Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Warren re- United States team. So far, only turned Wednesday from Oklahoma \$120,000 has been raised.

tending college for several months. Phone your news to 24.

Sonora, Texas, May 29, 1936

Instructor Working in Sonora Work was begun this week at the Corner Drug Store by O. P. Adams, high school instructor and coach of athletics. Mr. and Mrs. Adams and daughter, Shirley Lee, will remain in Sonora for the summer. Mrs. Adams and her brother, Robert Shapleigh, who was graduated here this year, left this week for a visit in El Paso with their nother.

Bakers Entertain Visitors Here While in Sonora last week Don H. Morris, vice-president of Abilene Christian College, was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Baker. Mr. Morris, a friend of Mr. Baker for several years, was accompanied to Sonora by Mrs. S. W. Treat of Abilene, Mr. Baker's aunt, who was also a guest in the Baker home

BUY NOW AND SAVE

One-fourth to one-half off on indirect floor lamps, percolators, chances on the erroneous theory toasters and urn sets. West Texas



LOTS for sale; 3 large lots in West Sonora; cheap for cash. See W. E. James 3tdh



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Buy FENCE ON MERIT ALONE AND

May Take Place of Masks. It is hoped his further investigations may reveal defense vapors **Excellent Football** against other gases. Some competent scientists declare that the continued development of neutralizing gases may thrust aside the use of be usable against all gases, and

One of the latter is said to way O. P. Adams, high school use an arsenic base and to pene coach, referred this week to the

Find Defective Work.

trict 34-B. This will allow the So-As a result of the flood of gas masks of private manufacture and

NOSE AND SHIN GUARDS

town baseball fans pay their carbonated water this summer

children drove to San Angelo Wednora team plenty of practice before nesday after Mrs. Davis' sister,

the most efficient of which would be utterly useless against certain of the new German gases. trate even glycerin and nickel. Paris earnestly hopes the new pleted for the Broncho football anti-gas method can be placed on such a cheap, practicable basis that general distribution will be possible, since there is neither anything like an adequate supply of number of each as last year-have

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Tests Disclose Imported Grass Boon to Farmers games, a non-conference school lege in Abilene. Washington .- Because of its value will be played. Eleven days later-

as a forage crop that will regrass on November 11-another conferarid land of low value, demand for ence game will be played. crested wheatgrass seeds exceeds Menard, playing here November the supply, according to a report 21, will be the last opponent of the Baptist Church by the Woman's from the Department of Agricul-

season. The complete schedule as an-The grass was introduced into this

country from the dry plains of Si- nounced by Mr. Adams is: beria. The unusual demand for seed September 19 was attributed to several causes.

MERTZON at Sonora September 26 **ROBERT LEE at Sonora**

October 3 Iraan at Iraan

October 10 Eldorado at Eldorado * October 17

JUNCTION at Sonora *

October 24 Rocksprings at Rocksprings *

October 31 **BRONTE** at Sonora November 11

OZONA at Sonora * November 21

MENARD at Sonora *

(Games starred (*) are conferweeks earlier than native grass in ence ones with other teams of Disthe spring and lasts four to six trict 34-B, Texas Interscholastic weeks longer in the fall, if moisture [League.)

hay of a higher quality, is a good New Coaching Record Established producer, and is an excellent grass New York City, May 27 .- Deterto use in rotation, espcially as a mined to break the New York-Atlantic City record for a coachand-four, established by Paul Sorg, **Simplest Lie Detector** tobacco millionaire, 26 years ago, Is "Few Good Drinks" Mrs. Florence Dibble, Boston Hamilton, Ont. - One of the sportswoman, tooled her coach ovsimplest and most effective "lie deer the 118 miles in 9 hours, 45 mintectors" is liquor, in the opinion of

utes elapsed time. Sorg's record Prof. Joslyn Rogers, Ontario anwas 12 hours, 18 minutes. The latalyst. Asked about lie detectors. Rogers said that he believed a few ter used six'y horses in relays; good drinks was as effective a way Mrs. Dibble used only sixteen, as any to get a man talking, and sending each relieved relay on ahead in motor vans.

Rare Rabbit Killed

Sister of Mrs. Hutcherson's Dies Tabor, Iowa .- A black "cotton-Mrs. J. T. Bisset of Sayre, Okla., tail" rabbit killed recently by Glen sister of Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson, Wetherhead, has been turned over to the state game technician at Des died Monday in a hospital follow-Moines as one of the rarest speci ing a mastoid operation. She was mens ever found in Iowa. buried Tuesday in Sayre.

foe. Then, after three conference attending school at McMurry Col-

Baptist Ladies Meet Wednesday A regular business meeting was

held Wednesday afternoon at the Missionary Society. Mrs. Ban Odom led the devotional. The meeting time has been changed from three to four o'clock.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank ail the good people of Camp Allison and Sonora for the kindnesses shown at the time of the death of Louie R. Cross. Mrs. L. R. Cross R. M. Cross H. T. Cross (adv.)

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Sonora, Texas, May 29, 1936

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MARX BROTHERS PICTURE TO BE SHOWN TWO DAYS

Helter-skelter comedians of the motion picture world, the four Marx Brothers Harpo, Groucho, Marko and Zeppo-will entertain Sonora theater goers Sunday and Monday at La Vista theater in "A

the four comedians are featured that has been shown here for many months.

are featured in "Riff-Raff," offered today and tomorrow at the theater. Tuesday night, "Woman Trap," with Gertrude Michael and George Murphy in the principal roles is the screen entertainment to be shown.

On Wednesday and Thursday 'Dracula's Daughter," a companion picture to other "Dracula" productions, will be shown.

Run from your creditors and your credit will fly from you.-Dean E. V. White.

Better-Always-AT JAX! Try a Sandwich There -adv

Expert Works on Plane to "Send to Moon."

700 MILES AN HOUR

ROCKET SHIP SOARS

Week of May 24

TEXAS HISTORY

Week by Week

in

1841-On May 24 the Battle of Village Creek was fought about twenty miles from Dallas. Sixtynine Texas rangers won the fight | lant rocket, reported that his exagainst 500 Indians.

1843-The Democratic National Convention on May 27 adopted an ord. aggressive program for the annexation of Texas and the reoccupation of Oregon.

1865-Sabine Pass, Texas, was evacuated by the Confederates on May 25.

1865-On May 29 President Andrew Johnson appointed Andrew J. Hamilton of Austin, a union man, as provisional governor of Texas.

for adoption of the constitutional amendment prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicants, but voted against the proposed woman suffrage amendment proposed.

(By T. S. College for Women)

Mrs. B. B. Kelly and son, Jamie, and Bobby Newbrough of Texon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. James last week-end.

be solved. 1919-On May 24 Texas voted

Political **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The following candidates have announced themselves as candidates for the office indicated, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election July 25, 1936:

For Sheriff-Assessor-Collector: B. W. HUTCHERSON C. T. (CLEVE) JONES

For County Judge: ALVIS JOHNSON

For County Treasurer: MRS. THELMA BRISCOE MRS. A. J. SMITH

For County Clerk: J. D. LOWREY

For Senator, 29th Legislative District: H. L. WINFIELD BENJAMIN F. BERKELEY

CONTRACTORS NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION'

Sealed proposals for constructing

Washington .--- Jules Verne's fantastic story of a trip to the moon by rocket may be nearer reality than many believed.

Dr. Robert H. Goddard, who has worked 15 years on a liquid propelperimental ships had reached a top speed of 700 miles an hour and that he hoped soon to surpass this rec-

His work was so exceptional in this previously neglected field that three years ago Col. Charles A. Lindbergh helped the Clark university physicist obtain a grant from the Guggenheim foundation. After experiments in a specially constructed laboratory at Boswell, New Mexico, Doctor Goddard broke a selfimposed silence to discuss his process to date and the problems yet to

Beats Plane Record.

Already Doctor Goddard has attained a speed which is more than double that breath taking record set by Sir Malcolm Campbell when he Lake City, Utah, at slightly better named Joe and Mary. than 300 miles an hour. The fast-

est seaplanes, stripped down to tremendous powerhouse motors with gnat-like wings, still have to streak along at 500 miles an hour. Yet fellow scientists are not cer-

tain that this extraordinary speed of 700 miles an hour can be maintained long enough to throw a rocket out into space where the earth's gravitation would not pull it back again.

The "motor" used by Doctor Goddard is powered by a combination of liquid oxygen and gasoline.

Discussing the chamber or "motor" of the rocket ship, Doctor Goddard said the one decided upon was 534 inches in diameter and weighed five pounds. The maximum lift obtained was 289 pounds and the period of combustion usually exceeded 20 seconds. The lifting force was found to be steady.

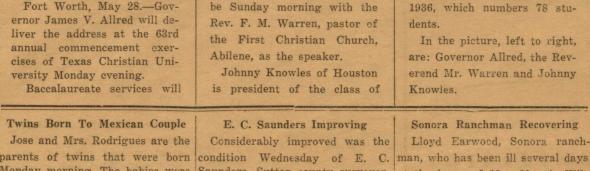
Problems which still have to be conquered before Jules Verne's fantasy can come true include stabilization and construction of a ship that is lighter than the present experimental rockets which weigh from 58 to 85 pounds.

Use Small Gyroscope.

Best results so far have been obtained by inserting a small gyroscope in the rocket. This is the same device that is seen in some children's mechanical toys or on ocean liners which attempt to overcome the rolling motion.

"Inasmuch as the rockets started slowly, the first few hundred feet of the flight reminded one of a fish swimming in a vertical direction." wrote Doctor Goddard in an article describing actual test flights.

9.938 miles of Caliche Base Course of the rockets, with the accompany-"The continually increasing speed and Triple Asph. Surf. Treat. from ing steady roar, make the flights a point 10 miles West of Sonora to very impressive. In two flights the Sonora on Highway No. 27, covered rocket left a smoke trail and had a by Regular Federal Aid Project small, intensely white flame issning No. 617-C U-II in Sutton county, from the nozzle, which at times



GOVERNOR, MINISTER AND STUDENT ARE TO SPEAK

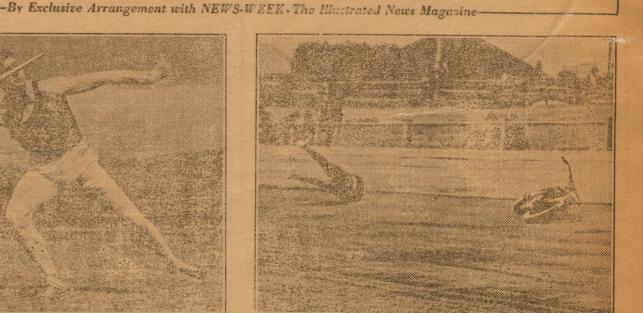
who has been ill several days.

1936, which numbers 78 stu-

Sonora Ranchman Recovering Lloyd Earwood, Sonora ranch-

son is better.

NEWG-WEEK NN PRCTURES



GERMAN ATHLETE TRAINS FOR OLYMPICS

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Hans Heinz Sievert, decathlon champion of the Reich, trains for the javelin throwing event in this summer's Olympics at Berlin. A decathlon champion arns his laurels by scoring highest average in ten different field or track athletic events.

A DANGEROUS SPILL AT A MILE A MINUTE

In a practice spin at the Sydney, Australia, Showgrounds, Jack Rydstrom took his spectacular spill right in front of the camera. Although making 60 miles er hour, he was only slightly injured, even though thrown about thirty feet



blurred across the flats near Salt Monday morning. The babies were Saunders, Sutton county surveyor, at the home of Mrs. Nannie Wil-

In the picture, left to right, are: Governor Allred, the Reverend Mr. Warren and Johnny

Night at the Opera." It is the first picture in which

Jean Harlow and Spencer Tracy

will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, Texas, until 9:00 a. m., June 2, 1936, and then publicly opened and read.

The attention of the, bidders is directed to the required special provisions covering subletting or assigning the contract, the selection of labor and hours and conditions of employment.

borers, workmen or mechanics em- university, the Carnegie institution ployed on this contract shall be Seventy-Five (75c) Cents per hour for "Skilled Labor," Forty-Five "Deaf Spots" Are Erased (30c) Cents per hour for "Unskilled Labor."

ial provisions, included in the pro- searchers seeking a scientifically posal to insure compliance with the ideal ear amplifier. the State of Texas.

Per Diem Laborer, Wage Workman (Based on Rate or Mechanic an Eight (8) Hr. Wkng. Day)

Skilled Labor _____\$6.00___ Intermediate

Grade Labor _____ 3.60_ .45 Unskilled Labor ____ 2.40___

For the classification of particial Provisions.

*The above prevailing minimum wage rates shall govern on this Soviets Report Increase contract. Overtime and legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

A local employment agency from which the Contractor shall obtain employment lists will be designated prior to the award of contract. Plans and specifications available at the office of E. E. Pittman, Resident Engineer, Sonora, Texas,, and State Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. 29-2te bad, 85,400; Stalinabad, 40,300.

in roar or propelling force.' The white flashes below the rocket, he said, were explosions of the gasoline vapor in the air.

Doctor Goddard said that the greatest height obtained in any of the tests was 7,500 feet. He said be wanted to work out certain fundamental construction problems before attempting a ceiling record.

Besides the Guggenheim founda-Except as otherwise specified, tion, Doctor Goddard's experimental the minimum wages paid to all la- work has been supported by Clark of Washington and the Smithsonian institute.

diate Grade Labor," and Thirty by New Amplifier Device Los Angeles .- Success in giving

95 per cent perfect hearing to half Attention is directed to the spec- deaf persons was announced by re-

Delighted smiles of persons hearrequirement of House Bill No. 54 ing the high notes of an opera for of the Forty-Third Legislature of the first time in their lives are rewarding the researchers, Prof. Vern Type of | *Prev. Min. | Prev. Min. | O. Knudsen, and two graduate stu-Hourly dents, Norman Watson and Ludwig

Wage Sepmyer, who have spent a year and a half on the project at the University of California.

They seek to place mechanical hearing aids on the same prescrip-\$.75 | tion basis as eye glasses, promising great relief to the hard of hearing. who are estimated at 3,000,000 in the United States alone.

.30 Discovering that most of such afflicted persons hear some notes perular positions under the above fectly, but are deaf to others, Doctypes of Laborers, Workmen or tor Knudsen built an amplifier that Mechanics, see the Required Spec- | will pick out a certain range of tone and amplify that alone.

in Population in Cities

Moscow .- Pegged on a census

polled in 1920, population is on the upgrade in the important cities of the Soviet union, according to figures released by the government through the central department of statistics. The cities and their population were listed as follows: Moscow, 3,641,500; Leningrad, 2,739,800; Kiev, 625,000; Minsk 186,500; Tiflis, 426,300; Tashkent, 565,000; Ashkha-

FRENCH CABINET CHANGES

Joseph Paul-Boncour (left), minis-

ter without portfolio, and Marcel

Regnier, former Minister of Fi-

nance, still in doubt as to inclusion

in new Blum cabinet.

AUSTRIAN LEADER REVIEWS CATHOLIC WORKERS' ORGANIZATION

Chancellor Kurt Schuschnigg salutes a guard of honor of the Freiheitsbund, or Liberty League, in Vienna, at the very moment when disorders prevailed in another section of the city. A clash between the Liberty League and the Heimwehr, supporting Vice-Chancellor Von Starhemberg, precipitated the latter's removal from office and subsequent flight into exile.

MAKES BLIND LANDING

O NEWS-WEER

In planes equipped with this gyroscope, the pilot abandons all con trols and lets the device bring ship to perfect landing,



FROM COVERED WAGON TO BANDWAGON

Governor Alf M. Landon, of Kansas, takes a ride in an ancient prairie schooner at the Wichita Airport pageant celebrating the citv's 75th anniversary. The Governor's supporters claim sufficient delegates to insure him the Republican Presidential nomination at the Cleveland Convention next month.



O NEWS-WEEK DECLINES ANOTHER TERM

Pleading pressure of private business, Herbert Lehman has declined a third term as Governor of New York, to the dismay of Administration political leaders.

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up in various ways for serving, whole wheat muffins, bacon, cof- corporations in taking advantage but whatever the finished dish is fee, milk. three and a half inches long. Stand tea. cook another five to ten minutes. cup and sponge cake. Asparagus cooked this way may be

slipped through lemon rings and

to be, the cooking process is about Lunch: Asparagus scalloped with 5, 6 or 7 per cent obligations with the same. Cut the tough ends from hard cooked eggs, steamed rice, 3 and 4 per cent issues. Glutted

upright with tips protruding out Dinner: Roast leg of lamb with of the water and cook until the new potatoes, new peas in white stalks begin to be tender-about sauce, spring onions and radishes, fifteen minutes-then lay flat and fresh pineapple and strawberry

Asparagus and Salmon Salad

Grilled Asparagus

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK SONORA TEXAS "Serving Sutton County"

the supper they attended the show. chemist. Chemists can always read

half off on floor lamps, toasters, The chemist looked at the slip of Utilities Co .- adv.

First Apartments

Charleston, S. C., claims the first "There you are, madam," he said. neither will work .- Sedalia (Mo.) apartment house constructed in the "That will be fifty cents."-South-United States, built in 1800.

An invitation to dinner had been Miss Harva Jones, Pat Cooper sent to the newly settled practiand Edwin Sawyer were guests at tioner. In reply the hostess re-

doctors' letters, however badly they

percolators, urn sets. West Texas notepaper, went into his dispensary and returned a few minutes later with a bottle, which he handed over the counter.

western Ambassador.

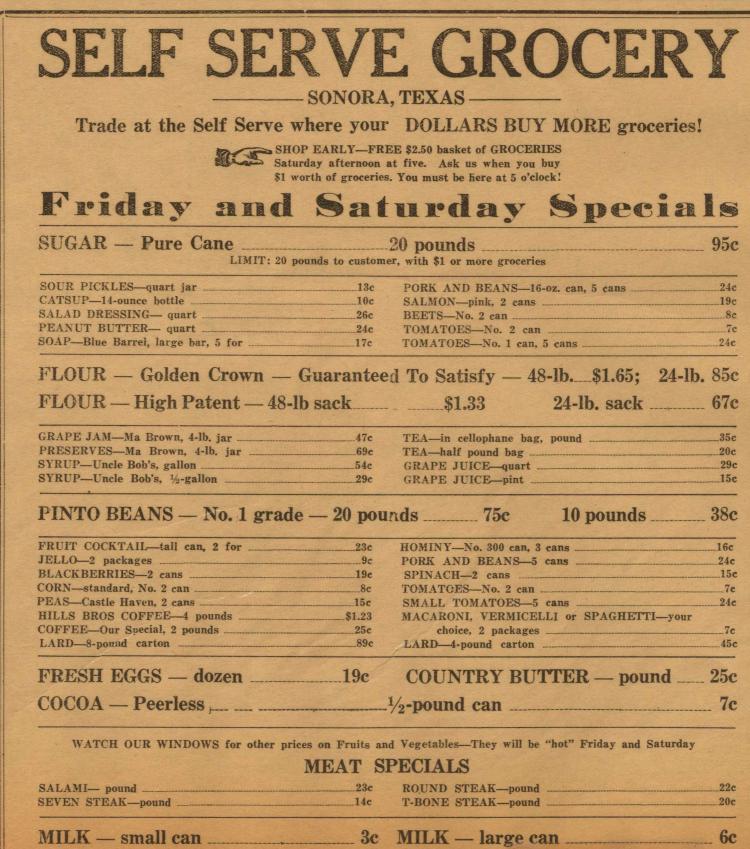
gelo of cheap money by refunding their

the stalks leaving the tips about sliced tomatoes, cookies and hot with money, the banks find few is like an exorbitant pension plan; profitable investment outlets for it. both will take your money but

If it's printing, see the NEWS, Democrat.

A broken penny weighing-scale

Sonora, Texas, May 29, 1936



richer sauce is desired, Holland- salad plate. In the center place served with white sauce or if a flaked salmon mixed with mayontise can be used. If the asparabus is to be scal- naise and garnishd with olives.

loped, cut pieces an inch long, re- Surround with fresh cooked asserving the tips to be cooked later paragus which has been maintained as in the first method of cooking. with French dressing.

Frequent use of new onions and radishes to replace the salads used One bunch asparagus cooked, 1/2

in the winter months and the serv- cup grated cheese, 1 cup fine bread ing of fresh raw pineapple and crumbs, 2 tablespoons melted butstrawberries instead of pastry and ter. Roll the stalks of asparagus other cooked desserts will not only in this mixture, arrange on the lighten the work of preparation for boiling pan and brown on all sides. the housewife, but will improve the Serve plain or with a white sauce. diet for spring.

-Department of Home Economics, Texas State College for Women.

Breakfast: Tomato juice, breakfast food, cinnamon toast, coffee, You SAVE By Buying Now! milk.

Menus

Lunch: Grilled asparagus, spring lamps, (indirect), percolators, urn salad (lettuce, onion and radishes, sets and toasters. Come see! West sliced), whole wheat muffins, Texas Utilities Co.-adv.

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