

## Money Allotted For Improvements On Water System

Outright Grant On 55-45 Basis Made On Application of Months Ago

### Bulletin

Tuesday afternoon, after the story below was in type, W. C. Gilmore, mayor received a telegram from Charles L. South, representative in Congress, that \$40,090 had been granted the city of Sonora for waterworks "purchase and improvements."

Since the application for the PWA grant was filed the city has bought the water plant with revenue bonds. It has been contemplated that remaining bond money would be used for the improvement program which will be started soon.

Mr. Gilmore said that the bond money will now be used as a source of supply for the city's 55 per cent matching the PWA 45 per cent money for the improvement work. The purchase of the system having been consummated none of the federal money, an outright grant not a loan, may be used except for construction and improvements.

Under consideration for many months, news was received this week of the city's application for a Public Works Administration project for waterworks construction work.

Charles L. South, representative in Congress, wrote W. C. Gilmore, mayor, a note and inclosed a letter he had received from Col. Horatio B. Hackett, Assistant Administrator, Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works. Colonel Hackett's letter, in part, reads in this manner.

"I have your letter of August 16 in which you urge favorable consideration of an application filed by the City of Sonora, Texas, for funds to aid in the construction of a waterworks system.....

"This application is still under consideration by this Administration but no statement can be given as to its final disposition. You may be assured, however, that it will be given every consideration circumstances permit. Your comments concerning it have been noted."

Mr. South wrote Mr. Gilmore that it is his understanding that projects such as the one applied for by Sonora will be reached for study within a short time.

The project, if approved, would be on a 55-45 basis with the city supplying 55 per cent of the funds needed for water system improvements and the federal agency supplying the remaining 45 per cent.

### Arkansas Visitors Here

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Tyson and son, Rembert, of Camden, Ark., and their daughter, Mrs. William Cantrell of Fort Worth, are visiting Mrs. Tyson's daughter, Mrs. G. W. Cunningham, and family.

### School Teacher Returns Home

Miss Jamie Gardner, Sonora school instructor, returned this week from Lubbock where she has been attending the summer session of Texas Technological College.

## Last Week One of Anniversaries For Sam Hull; First Free Dance Twenty Years Ago

Last week was anniversary week for Sam Hull, veteran automobile dealer in Sonora.

Wednesday he passed another milestone on life's journey when he observed his birthday.

Two days later—Friday, August 20—he observed the twentieth anniversary of the opening of the business in its own building—the first one built of crushed rock in Sonora and boasting the first concrete floor and sidewalk in Sonora.

Mr. Hull forgot about the birthday and had to be reminded Friday of the passing of a decade of business under one roof. Fred Simmons, owner of the business with Mr. Hull and Joe North twenty years ago, called his attention to the anniversary.

When the building was completed and ready for use the firm sought a way of inviting the public to see it. The idea of a free

## Station A Loser in 3-1 Battle Sunday With Crane Oilers

Feathers, New Pitcher, Will Be Used in Games This Week-end With Texon Team

He may be old (that man Osborn) as the fans said he was and he was the butt of spectators' sallies all afternoon Sunday but his mighty blow for a home run gave Crane a 3 to 1 victory in a hard fought game of baseball on the Sonora diamond.

With neither team scoring in the first three innings and only one run (made by Crane) in the fourth, the first eight innings gave promise of a real struggle for supremacy. Bob Osborn did the Crane hurling and Al Crostwaite, Station A pitcher earlier in the season, was on the mound for Sonora-Ozona.

A single by Moos brought Crittenden home in the fourth after he had gotten on the base paths with a double.

Mangold's 3-base hit in the last half of the ninth was a gendso to the Station A team, scoring Ratliff who had taken a walk to first. The game went into the extra inning. Osborn's home run came when Miller, Crane fielder, was on base, going there by a hit to left field.

Seven hits and two errors were made by the Crane players and nine hits, one error by the Station A men.

The Saturday game, scheduled for play in Crane, could not be played on account of wet grounds. It will be played at another time, set by the league president, George Lee of McCamey.

Immediately after the game

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## Comstock Ranchman Buyer of Business

Thomas Brothers Sell Service Station To Norville Baker

Ownership and operation of the Texas Company service station business will be assumed September 1 by Norville Baker, formerly of Comstock, who has been in the ranching business there with his father, A. A. Baker.

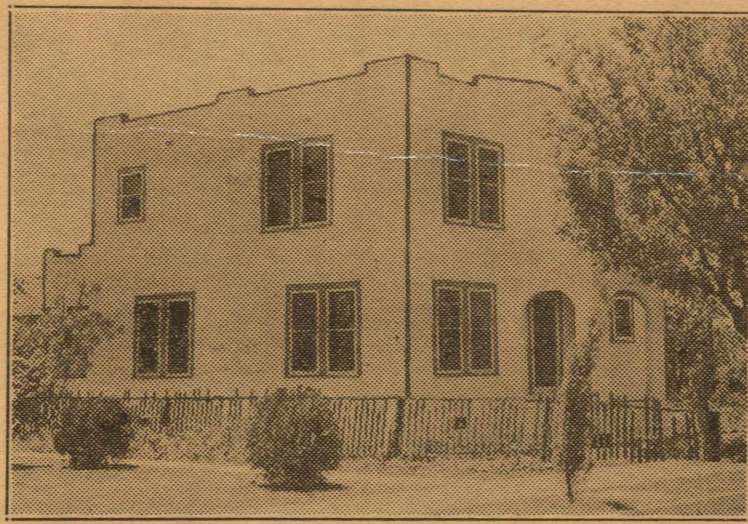
Announcement of the transfer of the station September 1 was made this week by Sam Thomas and George Thomas, brothers who have operated the business since May 1 when George Thomas came here from Arizona. Sam Thomas was formerly a ranchman here.

The Thomas brothers said Tuesday that they were not ready to make an announcement of their future plans.

Mr. Baker was reared and educated in the Comstock section and has been operating a ranch for his father and running some sheep of his own. He said this week that when he assumes the business he will keep Jack Rape and Louis Bennett who are employed now and will also employ Sandy Turner, formerly an R. V. Sewell employee, and Carlisle McFarland, formerly employed at a Del Rio service station.

The Sonora business property is owned by the Texas Company of Houston.

## Sutton County Is Building!



Serving both as a home and as rental property the duplex completed recently by Mrs. A. G. Blanton faces the Savell home and the small house owned by the Savells.

Mrs. Blanton and her daughter, Mary Sue, live in the lower rooms (living room, two bedrooms, kitchen and bathroom) and Mr. and Mrs. George E. Bean and son, Richard, live upstairs.

The house is of frame and stucco construction and was built at a

cost of \$3,000. Mrs. Blanton said this week. The builder was J. T. McClelland.

The Blanton property, pictured above, is shown as one of a series being used by the NEWS in connection with its "Home Builders' Page." Others shown in the NEWS recently have been those of Mr. and Mrs. John Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Neill Roueche, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Ross and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Wood.

## Turn Now To The "Home Builders' Page"

### Baptists' Meeting Will Begin Sunday

Church Pastor To Speak Twice Daily Through Sept. 5

Using the lawn between the church building and the pastor's residence, Baptist Church members will begin a revival meeting Sunday that will continue through the following Sunday evening.

The porch of the residence will be used as a pulpit, the Rev. R. C. Brinkley said this week. The morning service at ten o'clock will be in the church and the evening one outside. Preaching will be by the pastor.

Among the subjects which the Reverend Mr. Brinkley will use are: "Essentials of An Evangelistic Victory;" "A Glimpse of Calvary!" "The Great Salvation;" "The Race With the Horses;" "Hell."

Miss Rena McQuary, Sonora school instructor, is to return this week to play the piano for the services. F. T. Jones, Margaret Ada Martin and Lavelle Meckel will be in charge of the music with Miss McQuary.

### Mrs. Merriman Hurt Today

A severe arm burn was suffered early this morning by Mrs. O. E. Merriman when she dropped a coffee pot while preparing breakfast for her family. The burn was on one arm.

## "SAM" TO WEST TEXANS EVERYWHERE



A number of Sutton county people as well as hundreds of other West Texans attended funeral services Friday afternoon in San Angelo for Sam Ashburn, San Angelo newspaper man who died of a heart attack the afternoon before. Most elaborate of the floral offerings was one in the shape of a windmill sent by the West Texas Warehouse Association.

### All of Amendments Favored By Voters in Sutton County

Stockholders' Liability and the Harris Proposal Closest in Voting Here

The few Sutton county voters who did care enough about what is done to their state constitution to go to the polls and vote Monday said "aye" to each of the six proposed amendments.

That is a majority of those who voted said "aye."

Differing somewhat from voters in the state as a whole, all of the amendments passed in Sutton county. Other people's votes were for all the amendments but the one regarding the restoring of the fee system for paying county officials.

The vote in Sutton county, by voting boxes, was:

No. 1.... Courthouse Bank stockholders' liability: For 15, Against 7; dependent children: For 21, Against 6; abolishing salary system: For 21, Against 6; discount for tax paying: For 19, Against 7; Harris road plan: For 16, Against 6; aid for blind: For 23, Against 5.

No. 2.... No votes cast

No. 3.... Cedar Hill School Bank: For 5, Against 3; children: For 18, Against 1; salaries: For 7, Against 4; taxes: For 17, Against 1; Harris: For 6, Against 3; blind: For 18, Against 1.

No. 4.... Owensville School Bank: For 2, Against 1; children: For 3, Against 1; salaries: For 3, Against 1; taxes: For 2, Against 1; Harris: For 1, Against 2; Blind: For 2, Against 2.

No. 5.... No votes cast

The total vote in the county was: Bank: For 22, Against 11; children: For 42, Against 7; salaries: For 31, Against 10; taxes: For 38, Against 9; Harris: For 23, Against 12; blind: For 43, Against 7.

Those in charge of the voting were: No. 1, Fred Simmons, Cecil Allen, Mrs. P. J. Taylor, Miss Nann Karnes; No. 3, D. Q. Adams; No. 4, Leonard Gibbs.

### Sonorans' Relatives Injured

Mrs. Annie Sharp and son, Stokes, of Alpine were injured Thursday morning when their car was wrecked near Fort Stockton. Stokes suffered a fractured skull. They were on their way to visit relatives here but were taken back to an Alpine hospital. Mrs. Sharp's sisters, Mrs. J. W. Trainer, Mrs. Ernest McClelland, and her brother, H. V. Stokes, and Mrs. Stokes went to Alpine Thursday.

### Sonorans Return From East

Mrs. Velma L. Shurley and children, Lacey, Lillie Marie, Margaret Fay, Eugene and Jerry, returned yesterday from Boston and other eastern cities. In Boston they visited another son, Marvin, and Wilburn Glasscock, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Glasscock.

## Nearness of School Days Aid To Sonora Building Activity

Houses in Town Being Built By Sutton Ranch People

MANY COMPLETED

Pipe Line Company's Houses Under Way On 2.85 Acres

School days in Sutton county will find a number of Sutton county people moving to town from the ranch because of the advantages to be derived by their children in attending Sonora schools.

That fact has added some impetus to building activity of many types in town and country which has continued through recent weeks with little change in pace.

### Ranchman Building

On one of two 50-foot lots near the Gene Lightfoot residence Otto Mund, ranchman thirteen miles from Sonora, this week began a four-room and bath home. The Munds' child, Eunice, will go to school for the first time in September.

The Mund home, on property bought recently from J. C. Morrow, is set on cedar posts resting on concrete. There will be two bedrooms, living room, kitchen and bathroom. The house, 24 by 28, will cost about \$1,350 exclusive of the lot, Mr. Mund says. A garage will be built later.

Most noticeable perhaps of construction work is that being done on the Sa nAngelo Telephone Co. business-residence building.

Inside walls of building tile are completed and a good proportion of the face brick outside walls is finished. The residence portion in the rear has been covered and wiring, in pipe, finished there. The garage has been completed. Steel casement windows at the front probably will be placed next week.

### Aldwell Home Nearly Finished

Almost opposite the telephone company building finishing touches are being given the Mrs. W. L. Aldwell home of stone construction. Bathroom tile was being laid this week, Papering is completed and ornamental iron work has been done around the porch and at the front entrance.

Six weeks' work at the home of Mrs. Rena Mayfield will be completed this week, Mrs. Mayfield said Monday.

A breakfast room, glassed-in, has been built at the rear and the entire two-story house stuccoed. Each room has been papered and inside refinishing done. The wooden porch at the front of the house has been replaced with one of concrete. A linen closet has been placed in the bathroom and a clothes closet built in each of the upstairs bedrooms.

### G. P. Hill Building

A frame house was begun this week on G. P. Hill property adjoining Mr. Hill's home on the Junction highway. The home, one of two rooms and porch, will be occupied by a son of Mr. Hill, Lee, and Mrs. Hill and their daughters, Lois B. and Sadie Lee, who will be in school in Sonora this year.

Lumber formerly used in the school superintendent's home is being used by Dr. Tom White in a 4-room residence being built next to his home and across from the Three-in-One Tourist Camp.

The White property, will have a living room-dining room combination, bedroom, kitchen, bathroom. It faces the street leading to the new home of the school superintendent and the garage homes being built by Dave Joy and J. V. Alley.

Carpentering is being completed this week at the Ira Shurley ranch home, southeast of town. A dinette, front porch and bathroom have been added. A new roof has been a part of the improvement program, costing about \$750, which will be completed by the papering of each room of the house.

First construction on College Street, alongside the school campus, is well under way with Dave

Joy and J. V. Alley each building a garage home.

Each garage will be of stucco construction, 16 by 24 in area, and will provide living room, kitchen and bathroom. The Joy property will have a wooden floor and the Alley one will be of concrete. False fronts, easily removed, will be replaced with doors when the buildings are to be used for 2-car garages.

Seven of the ten lots in the block have been sold, John Eaton said this week. The other three (at the end nearer the through street) are not for sale. Buyers of the lots are: Dr. Tom White, 2; Artie Joy, Dr. I. B. Boughton, J. V. Alley, Jim Luckie, Mrs. John Eaton. A two-inch water main has been laid to serve the property owners and electric connection was to be made this week.

Sometime this fall, probably within the next two months, rock veneering will be done on the 5-room home owned by Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Penick on the Junction highway near the city limit. The Penick home, a frame building, will then match nicely with the rock veneer home recently built on adjoining property by Dr. and Mrs. Joel Shelton. Across the street is the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Wyatt and next to the Shelton residence the new home of Mr. and Mrs. John Fields.

### Company Houses Under Way

Survey work for the laying out of a building plan for ten company houses was being done Wednesday morning on 2.85 acres of land bought recently by Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Co. from A. C. Elliott for \$1500.

The property has 600-foot frontage on the Menard road just beyond the Elliott residence and that of H. V. Stokes. Mr. Elliott, who bought the property from Mrs. Roberta Watkin in 1933, retained two acres between the property sold and the road leading to the Sutton County Burial Park.

W. L. Basore, carpenter foreman, doing survey work Wednesday for a topographical map of the site of the cottages, said he did know exactly how many would be built now. An elevated water tank, drives, five garages (one slightly larger for use of the superintendent) and a larger house for the superintendent and family are to be built. The houses and garages, in sections ready for putting together, were unloaded Wednesday.

### Storage Tank Being Erected

At the pumping station site farther out on the Menard road forty-two men were at work Wednesday as the location appeared to be a beehive of activity. As many as 100 have been employed recently.

The first section of the 10,000-barrel steel storage tank was being erected by a 7-man crew Wednesday morning. Underneath a riveter was busily working with his buddy inside the tank making it tight. Water is run in the tank after the first perpendicular section is attached to the base in order to check it for leaks. A twelve-inch line leads to the tank.

The engine and pump house building walls were practically complete Wednesday. A glazier was rapidly putting window panes in place. The building, of metal construction, is 60 feet by eighty feet and 28 feet high.

### Pipe Covering Repaired

Young fellows were working, when the NEWS man was there, at the job of taking tar paper covering from pipe when it had been bruised in transporting. Other tar paper, in patch form, is used for replacement.

Welders were at work over their blue flames on pumping units, lining them up so they are plumb, just outside of the engine and pump house building.

P. P. Brooks is construction engineer on the job. E. C. Sharp, Junction, of the auditing department was a visitor at the job, known in company parlance as "Estimate 18," Wednesday.

### Repairing Completed

Inside refinishing and papering as well as laying of a new roof and outside painting has been completed.

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**Mayfields in Monterey**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed C. Mayfield and son, Stanley, and their guests, Margaret Hearn and her brother, Robert, of Houston, are expected to return today from a visit in Monterey, Mexico.

Mrs. Lee Labenske and daughter, Mildred, were in San Antonio during the week-end.

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**  
Sealed proposals, addressed to W. C. Gilmore, Mayor of Sonora, Texas, for the drilling, casing and testing of a water well for the Sonora City waterworks in accordance with the plans and specifications and instructions to bidders prepared by H. R. F. Helland, Consulting Engineer, will be received at the City Hall, Sonora, Texas, until 2 p. m., September 4, 1937.

The Works will consist of the furnishing of all labor and materials for drilling a well and casing with 10 3/4 O. D. Casing, and testing to full capacity.

A Cashier's or Certified Check, payable without recourse to the order of W. C. Gilmore, Mayor, or an acceptable Bidders' Bond in an amount of not less than five per cent (5 per cent) of the largest possible total bid must accompany each bid as a guarantee that, if awarded the contract, the bidder will promptly enter into contract and execute a bond on the forms provided, as outlined in the specifications and contract documents.

A performance bond, in an amount not less than one hundred per cent (100 per cent) of the contract price, conditioned upon the faithful performance of the contract and the payment of all persons supplying labor or furnishing materials, will be required.

The Bidder's attention is called to Chapter 45, Acts of the Regular Session of the 43rd Legislature relating to penalties for underpayment of workmen, et cetera.

All lump sum and unit prices must be stated both in script and figures. The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive formalities. Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

Specifications, plans and contract documents are on file at the City Hall, Sonora, Texas, and at the office of H. R. F. Helland, Consulting Engineer, Frost National Bank Building, San Antonio, Texas. Copies may be secured from H. R. F. Helland upon deposit of \$10.00, of which \$8.00 will be returned upon submission of a bona fide bid on the work with such plans and specifications, or upon immediate return of the plans and specifications after examination of same with the advice that no bid will be submitted, otherwise the deposit will be forfeited. 42-2tc

W. C. Gilmore, Mayor  
George E. Smith, City Secretary.

## Holland Queen Opens World Jamboree--"Peace Its Purpose"

The NEWS is privileged today to present excerpts from a letter written by Wesley Sawyer to the NEWS about the experiences of himself and his friend, Jack Shurley, while in Europe.

Last week's issue contained a letter written by Scout Shurley. Sawyer's letter, in part, was:

Baby horned toads for sale or trade! The first to be born in New York, on the high seas and in Rugby, England! (Direct from New Mexico).

I've been keeping a kind of a diary about the things we saw and will try to "make out" what I wrote in order to write them a little better for you to worry over.

**Fog Only Sea Discomfort**

Our ocean trip was uneventful. There was plenty of fog and for that reason we were a day late in England, missing the Shakespeare country. We are leaving Holland a few days early in order to see the country on the return trip.

In London we saw the Duke of Wellington's town house, Hyde Park—where people are allowed to talk about anything or anyone, famous streets including Piccadilly—the entertainment circle of London. The spot where Gray's Elegy was written was interesting as was Eton College, most exclusive college in England.

On a trip down Lombard Street, richest in the world, we saw many offices of banking and insurance companies. St. Paul's Cathedral was pretty with its hand carved, altars and gold leaf and marble decorations.

**Guest in Dutch Home**

We had to wear special slippers in order to be permitted to see a part of Westminster Abbey where the floor is made of tile manufactured in the fourteenth century.

We went by train to Harwich, channel seaport in Essex, England, and by boat from there to the "Hook" of Holland. The trip from there through the Hague and to Camp was by train. It was much colder in Camp than in Washington. Dutch windmills and wooden shoes galore were seen after we left the "Hook."

Queen Wilhemina of Holland officially opened the Jamboree. In the stand with her was Lord Baden-Powell, world Scout executive. Distinguished guests of our troop for a short time later that day were James E. West, U. S. Chief Scout Executive, and the ambassador of Holland.

Promotion of world peace is the chief reason for the Jamboree. A boy from East Texas and I ate two meals with

Dutch boys in order to see how Dutch people really live. Although the boys' parents could not speak English we had lots of fun. The apartment houses are modern and spotless. Amsterdam is much more modern, I think, than London. Perhaps my reason for thinking this is that Holland is more Americanized than London, with people using American makes of cars rather than European ones.

Holland is very beautiful with its dikes and quaint windmills everywhere. The Jamboree is a great success!

**U. S. Boys Curiosities**

...We are like freaks in a circus, No foolin'. People stare at us and watch us eat. We have to give our autographs most of our free time.

I'm using "the Devil's" stamps for Air Mail in America as the postoffice facilities here aren't wonderful. I'll probably put on an extra stamp and mark it "Air Mail." I hope it works.

Our address in Paris will be: "Ardmore Boy Scout Troop, c/o American Express Co., 11 Rue Scribe, Paris, France (Per S. S. Bremen, Aug. 20).

**Much Printing For Texans**  
Denton, Aug. 25.—News is flashed into Texas homes by a total of 909 publications, according to the 1937 Ayer & Son directory. Of this number 773 are newspapers. With 579 incorporated com-

munities in the state, 563 of them have newspapers located there. A great majority of these papers, 620, are weeklies, 131 are dailies, 20 are semi-weeklies and 2 are monthlies.

"Spiral" Stiff Cover Stenographers' Note Books—at the NEWS office. Heavy tan board cover, 80 pages, wide-ruled and narrow-ruled in stock.—adv.

Scratch Pads, doz. 20c—NEWS.

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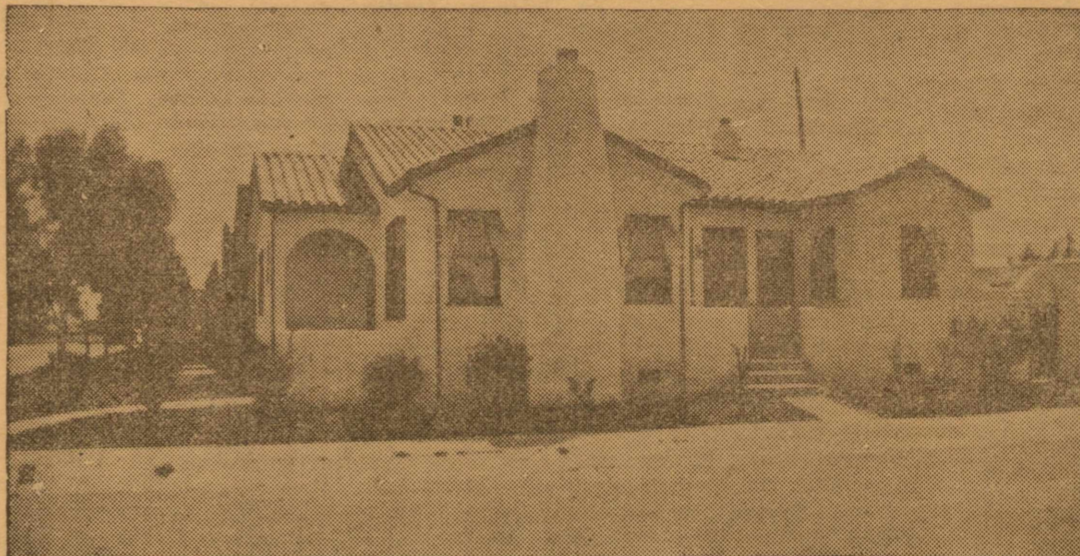
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# Are you going to BUILD?

# Are you planning IMPROVEMENTS?



IF you are thinking of building or are planning to improve your property by painting, remodeling, plumbing, roofing, refinishing floors, etc., skilled and dependable men and firms can be located by consulting the "Home Builders' Page" — on Page Six — of the NEWS.

## You'll Find These Advertising on the "Home Builders' Page"

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West. Res. Bldg. San Angelo  
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**Lumber, Materials**

WEST TEXAS LUMBER CO.  
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.....TURN NOW TO THE "HOME BUILDERS' PAGE"

### 35 Years Ago

Louis Morris left this week for the East, with a bunch of horses.

Uncle Billie Forbes the well known stockman was in Sonora this week as jurymen.

French Madras, silk effects, Yukon stripes and all the latest patterns at Mayer Bros. & Co.

Ralph Colvin, one of the industrious young men of Sonora has moved to Schleicher county.

Bob Dameron sold to J. M. Ford 1200 muttons at \$2.75. They were tops and Martin Murphy made the cut.

Mr. William Adams, the millionaire sheepman from Edwards county was in Sonora several days this week.

Miss Mona Rountree, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Rountree is expected home from Ballinger tonight.

P. G. Hill one of the oldtime shepherds was in Sonora several days this week, shaking hands with his old friends.

W. A. Williams of Junction, recognized as one of the ablest lawyers in the country was here this week attending court.

Sam Woodward the popular grocery clerk at Hagerlund Bros. & Co. is expecting his sister on a visit from Coleman and is in hopes she will not come alone. Ah! there, Sam.

#### Notice to Trespassers

Notice is hereby given that all trespassers on my ranch south of Sonora, herding sheep, cutting timber, or working stock of any kind, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—J. C. Barksdale, Sonora, Texas.

#### PRESIDING ELDER TO BE HERE FOR CONFERENCE

No evening service will be held Sunday night at the Methodist Church on account of the pastor's absence from Sonora. In the morning the Rev. L. U. Spellman, presiding elder, will be in the pulpit. The fourth quarterly conference will follow the morning service.

Sunday School will be at 9:45. The Rev. R. F. Davis, pastor of the Methodist Church, this week urged Sonora people to attend the series of revival services which will be started at the Baptist Church Sunday with the Baptist pastor, the Rev. R. C. Brinkley, doing the preaching.

Sixty years after they were youthful sweethearts, James Lowrie and Mrs. Janet Ferguson of St. Louis were married.

## WANT ADS

TWO-room apartment; bathroom; good location. Phone 205. Adolph Flores. 1tc

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SIXTY head of bucks for sale. M. G. Shurley—Phone 8602. 37-7tp

SIXTY-five yearling bucks and 30 yearling billies; priced right. W. L. Davis. 40-4tp

### CAN YOU MATCH IT?

The "Can You Match It?" column would not be complete without reprinting the following from the Del Rio Evening News:

Friends of the Rev. L. C. Beasley, pastor of the First Methodist Church, and who is spending a few days in Port Aransas, received a telegram from him Tuesday morning that they spent hours trying to figure out. The Rev. Beasley wired:

"Two hundred twenty pounds dressed three hours this morning."

His friends are unable to decide whether the pastor meant he caught a fish weighing 220 pounds dressed after fighting it for three hours this morning; whether he meant he had caught a number of fish whose total weight was 220 pounds when dressed, after he fished for three hours this morning or whether the pastor meant he weighed 220 pounds when he dressed in three hours this morning.

### Game Warden Tells of License Changes

#### Users of Natural and Artificial Bait Must Pay Now

Both fishermen who use worms as bait and those who use artificial bait are now required to buy licenses from the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission in order to enjoy their sport in Texas.

R. H. Remschel, game warden, has received a digest of recent hunting and fishing legislation passed at the last session of the legislature. Sutton county is one of twenty-two counties of this section affected.

No Texan may hunt in any of the twenty-two counties without buying a \$2 license which expires August 31 after purchase. Persons under seventeen or those hunting in the county of their residence on land which they own or on which they live are exempted.

Fifty-five cents is the natural bait fishing license fee with those under seventeen years of age exempted. Residents fishing in their own counties on land which they own or on which they live are exempted. Those holding artificial lure license (\$1.10) are also exempted from the natural bait license fee.

Eighty-five per cent of the license fee collections is returned to the county of origin for work of the department, according to Mr. Remschel.

Counties affected are: Mason, Menard, Kerr, Schleicher, Crockett, Sutton, Kimble, Real, Edwards, Blanco, Llano, Kendall, Gillespie, El Paso, Hudspeth, Culberson, Val Verde, Kinney, Maverick, Terrell, Brewster, Harris.

#### Cotton and Oil Predominates

Almost half the total population of Texas earns a part of its living from cotton. It is grown in 233 of Texas' 254 counties. Another one-sixth of the population is employed directly or indirectly by the petroleum industry. This means that a little more than one-third of the people are left for other occupations.

#### Many Go To Church in Texas

With the highest percentage of church-goers per capita of any state in the nation, Texas claims 2,280,366 church members. There are 63 denominations in the state and 15,062 churches, according to the U. S. religious census in 1926. Leading denominations are the Baptist, Roman Catholic and Methodist.

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### E. C. Saunders Now Man of 80 Summers

#### Surveyor Hard at Work Monday Before His Birthday

E. C. Saunders, eighty years old Tuesday, completed a 20-day survey of Schleicher county land the day before but decided he would not start on his birthday another job he has lined up.

Mr. Saunders, a surveyor "off and on" for fifty-six years, recalled the morning of his birthday



that when he first came to Sutton county he camped under a liveoak tree right back of where the John Fields home is now. His brother William, a resident of Young, Arizona, today, and Robert S. Dodd, special state surveyor, were with him. Dodd died in San Antonio about two years ago.

The men came from near Brady on a hunting trip. The next year, 1889, Mr. Saunders returned to live.

No prediction would be made this week by the veteran surveyor as to how long he might live. His father lived to be eight-seven, his grandfather and grandmother were eighty-six when they died and his great grandfather was within five days of the century mark when he passed on.

#### Jimmie Martin Hurt Saturday

Severe bruises and cuts as well as a fractured jaw were received Saturday by Jim Martin, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Martin, Jr., when a horse he was riding on the ranch fell on the child. Seven stitches were necessary in order to sew up the lacerations on the boy's lip.

Clayson White of Somerset is visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stephen.

### GOATS BOUGHT AND SOLD BY MARTINS THIS WEEK

Four hundred nannies were bought this week by J. A. Martin, Jr., at \$5.50 a head in the hair and trucked Tuesday to the Martin ranch in southwest Sutton county.

Mr. Martin bought the animals from Pat Martin, ranchman in the Eldorado section.

A return load was secured for the trucks when Mr. Martin sold the Eldorado ranchman 380 mutton kids at \$4.50 per head and 195 yearling muttons at \$5 a head. The livestock was taken to the Eldorado ranchman's place Wednesday.

### GOATS BOUGHT WEDNESDAY BY SUTTON COUNTY MAN

One thousand head of mixed kids bought by Paul Turney, Sutton county ranchman, were delivered to his ranch Wednesday night.

The goats were bought at \$4.25 a head from C. T. Jones, Sutton county commission man. Six hundred eighty-four of the animals were bought by Mr. Jones from Bunger Brothers in the Ozona section.

#### Fort Worth People Visit Here

Guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adams and Mrs. W. B. Adams of Camp Allison were Bob Shropshire, Carter Phillips, Mrs. Madelle Phillips and Miss Mary Dell Bussy, all of Fort Worth. Bob Shropshire, Jr., returned with them to Fort Worth after spending summer weeks here.

Mrs. Birdie Rutledge and granddaughter, Margaret Russell, of Ozona spent several days this week in San Antonio.

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No trespassing on the Aldwell Bros. Ranch. Violators will be prosecuted!

**Aldwell Bros.**

#### Masons Going to Junction

Six Sonorans will be in Junction tonight for Masonic work with members of the fraternal order in that city. Those from here who are going are Alvis Johnson, Beamon Speed, Paul Turney, N. T. Poindexter, W. C. Gilmore and E. D. Shurley.

#### Mrs. W. B. Bond and her mother,

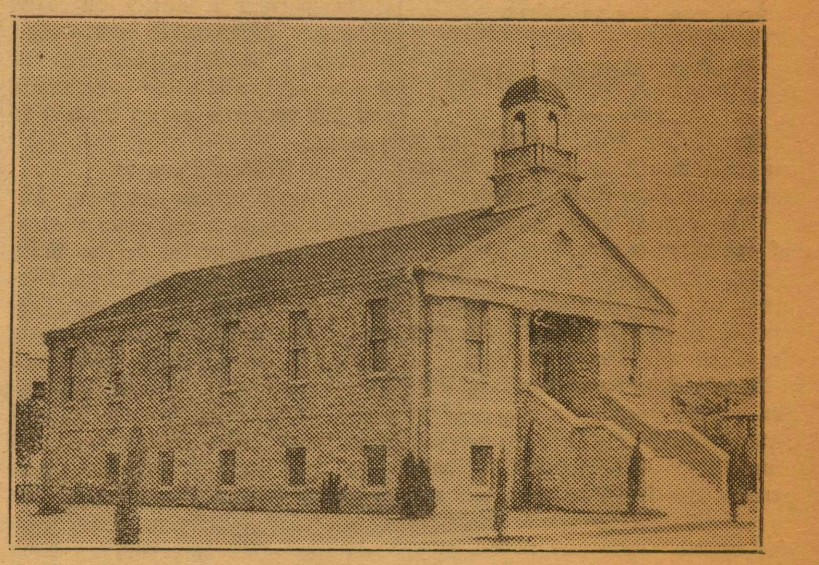
Mrs. W. O. Ray and son, Billy, returned to San Antonio Monday, after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Owens.

#### Mrs. John McClelland, Mrs. Joe

Hull and Miss Muriel Simmons were in San Angelo Saturday.

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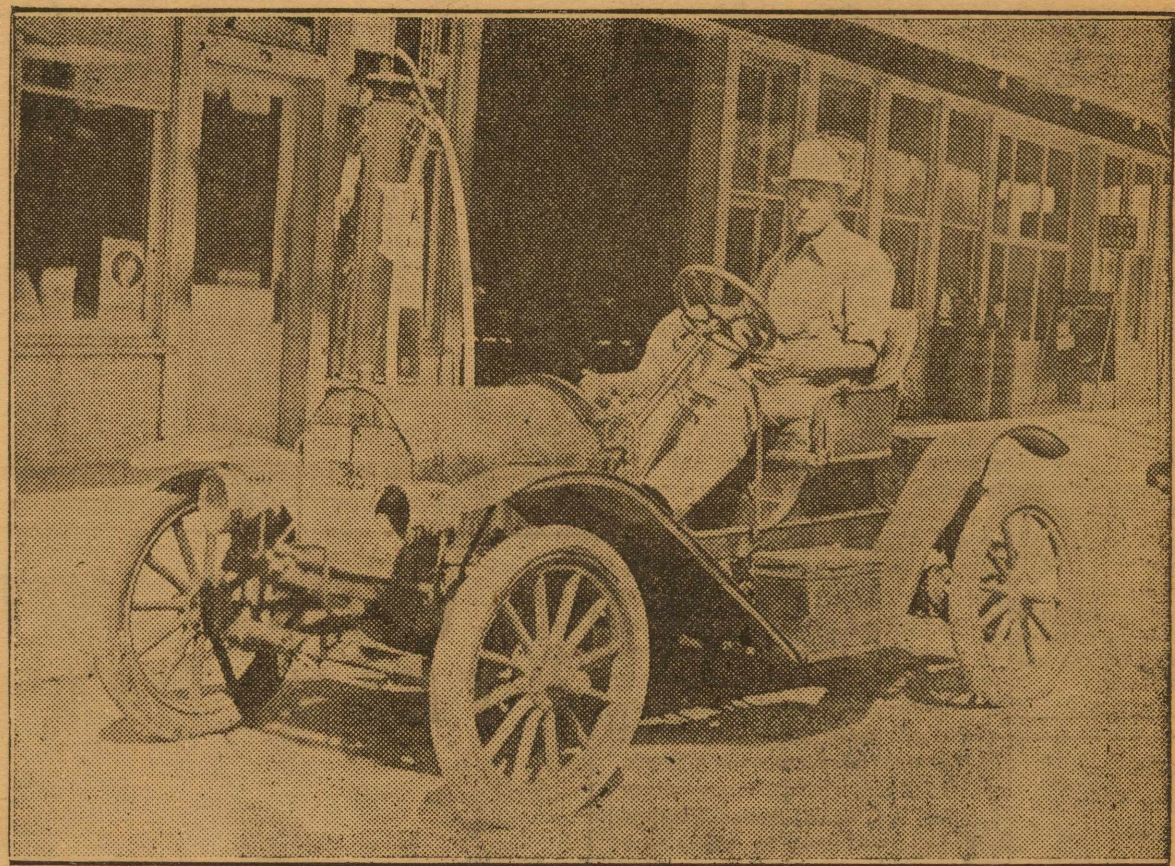
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**Drive Safer Now!**

The writer once worked for a man who in urging economy of business operation always said: "The time to start cutting costs of operation is now."

The same thing is true of the need at this particular time of paying more attention to the way in which one drives his car.

Nearly 800 young people of Sutton county week after next will be attending school. Their parents are sending them through Sonora streets trusting that they will get to school safely and will return in the evening safe and sound.

Motor car drivers can do much to see that these children are taken care of so that they may continue their schooling uninterrupted by either injury or death. A bit more caution on the part of each driver as he travels up and down Sonora streets and Sutton highways will be that much more assurance that Sutton children will not be hurt.

The time to begin is NOW! Drive so that not a child will be hurt or killed during the 1937-1938 school year!

**GEYSER SPOUTS IN YELLOWSTONE LAKE**

**Strange Phenomenon Adds to Wonders of Park.**

Yellowstone Park, Wyo. — The pent-up energy which underlies Yellowstone National park found a new vent early this summer in the form of a new geyser which has sprung up within the confines of Yellowstone lake.

Ranger naturalists this spring heard strange rumblings only a few feet from shore in the West Thumb area of the lake. After giving off some steam and emitting sounds similar to gigantic hammering, the hot spring threw water into the air to a height of approximately 60 feet. Dr. C. Max Bauer, park naturalist who has made a study of the strange phenomenon, is unable to predict whether a new permanent geyser has started or whether the water spout is only temporary. It has erupted sufficiently during the summer, however, to indicate that it may continue for some time.

The geyser is particularly unusual, according to Dr. Bauer, because the crater is completely under water.

Rocks have been scattered about along the shoreline near the crater, and trees on the bank within the immediate vicinity have been killed. The shoreline has been badly torn up for a space of nearly 50 feet. No danger to buildings or equipment is foreseen by ranger naturalists in the area.

Because new geysers are constantly appearing and old ones are constantly ceasing to play, Dr. Bauer will not say whether the new lake phenomenon will take its place with the more than 200 active craters within Yellowstone National park.

**University Trailer Camp**  
 Kent, O.—A camp for automobile trailers is being built on the campus of Kent State university for the use of summer session students.

**Rats Are Friends of Montana Miners**

Zortman, Mont.—The Piper of Hamelin with his magic flute may be welcome in most cities and towns to drive out rats, but there is one spot in the United States where he would be totally unwanted.

Under strict orders from the management, the employees in the mines near this small mining community protect the hundreds of rats that scurry from tunnel to tunnel and regard them as their friends.

The rodents have saved many miners from injury and possible death because of their uncanny sense to detect a cave-in.

"Spiral" Stiff Cover Stenographers' Note Books—at the NEWS office. Heavy tan board cover, 80 pages, wide-ruled and narrow-ruled in stock.—adv.

**New Ideas For Old Foods Help Appetite**

**Beans, Peppers May Be Prepared In New and Better Ways**

Denton, Aug. 25.—"The same old thing!" How many husbands and children make this remark when they look discontentedly at the food before them? But this cruel cry is surprisingly unnecessary. Mistress Cook merely has to try out some new ideas in the preparation of old foods and the problem vanishes.

**Spanish Beans**

One qt. kidney beans, 1 pt. strained tomato, 1 chopped onion, 1 chopped pepper, 1 t. paprika, ¼ lb. fat pork, 1 T. salt. Soak beans overnight, drain, cover with water. Parboil 1 hour. Drain. Put in earthen dish, add other ingredients and hot water to cover. Cook 6 to 8 hours.

**Stuffed Peppers**

Six large green peppers, 1T, chopped onion, 1 cup canned corn, 1 cup bread crumbs, ½ cup milk, 2 T. flour, 1 T. butter, 1 egg. Parboil peppers 10 minutes in 1 qt. water. Cut stem end, remove seeds and stuff with stuffing made from other ingredients. To make stuffing, make white sauce from milk, butter, flour, salt, onion and add corn and cook 5 minutes. Add beaten egg and bread crumbs to absorb excess moisture. After peppers are stuffed, cover top with bread crumbs and bake in moderate oven until brown.

**Bean Loaf**

Two cups dried lima beans, 1 cup dry bread crumbs, 4 T. peanut butter, 1 T. bacon fat, 2 T. grated onion, 2 t. salt, ¼ t. pepper, 1 cup water or other liquid, 1 T. celery leaves or seed. Wash, soak and cook beans 1 hour. Drain. When cool chop coarsely and add crumbs and all other ingredients. Put into greased bread pan and bake in moderate oven 30 minutes.

**Peanuts and Rice**

One-half cup uncooked rice, 1½ cups white sauce, 3-4 cup chopped peanuts, with white sauce. To make white sauce use 1 cup milk, 2 T. fat, 2 T. flour. Cooking rice in boiling salted water, keeping grains separate. Drain. Put in buttered baking dish. Add white sauce and peanuts and heat in moderate oven 20 minutes.

**Examinations For Licenses October 1**

**All Wanting To Be Operators or Chauffeurs Eligible**

Austin, Aug. 25.—Due to lack of man power, actual examination of applicants for Operator's and Chauffeur's Licenses will be delayed until after the first of October, it was announced here Saturday by Colonel H. H. Carmichael, director of the Department of Public Safety.

Under the provisions of the amended Driver's License Law, it was explained, all applicants for such licenses must be given an examination by the department.

"However," Colonel Carmichael stated, "the department will be unable to make these examinations, estimated at more than a quarter of a million annually, until additional personnel is secured from graduates of the Highway Patrol Training School now in progress at Camp Mabry."

The administrative set-up for the examination of applicants and the issuance of licenses has been completed, and been given the approval of the Public Safety Commission. Under the approved plan, the Driver's License Division, headed by Ralph L. Buell, will be assisted by assigned personnel of the Texas Highway Patrol in maintaining a regular examination schedule which will reach every county seat in the state at least once a week.

Permanent offices, open every day in the week except Sunday, will be maintained in the larger cities, including those at which highway patrol headquarters are located. At these points examinations will be given on demand either by patrolmen or examiners of the Driver's License Division.

**Former Sonoran Visiting Here**

Marvin Barnes of Robert Lee is visiting his father, W. R. Barnes, and Mrs. Barnes. Mr. Barnes is manager of the San Angelo Telephone Co. at Robert Lee.

Mrs. J. J. Armour and Miss Mildred Labenske went to San Antonio yesterday.

Ball Bearing clips, for holding several sheets of paper. At the NEWS office.—adv.

**Station A Loser in—**  
 (Continued from page 1)

Sunday A. H. Olenburg, manager, announced that Thomas (Lefty) Feathers of D'Hanis was in uniform on the Station A bench Sunday and thereby eligible for play this week-end.

Feathers has played in the San Antonio section a great deal and this year was with the Milwaukee club of the American Association, according to Olenburg. While in the "big time" he won eleven games, lost four.

It is likely that Feathers will be used this week-end in the series with Texon, the Saturday game of which will be in Texon and the Sunday one in Ozona, beginning at three o'clock.

**All-Stars Being Chosen**

Balloting has begun for election of an all-star Permian Basin League team to contest Roy Gardner's Texon Oilers in a Labor Day classic at Texon September 6.

Fourteen players and a manager are to be selected on the all-star team, that is, three pitchers, two catchers, a utility infielder and utility outfielder, and a man for each of the other positions.

Players eligible for selection to the all-star team have been announced by league officials.

That the eligibility list may be used as a ballot, space is provided opposite each name below in which fans may indicate their choice for the all-star aggregation. Check the players you want and mail your ballot to Fred Haddock at Texon, Texas. The list follows:

- L. Gray, of-p ..... I
- Manny, c ..... C
- C. LeMeilleur, of ..... I
- Meyers, of-3b ..... O
- Crostwaite, p-1b ..... O
- R. LeMeilleur, of-2b ..... I
- Hunt, ss ..... I
- Colvard, of ..... C
- Moos, of ..... C
- Hensley, 3b ..... I
- Heatherly, 2b ..... O
- DeFoyd, c ..... I
- C. J. Smith, 2b ..... C
- Mangold, ss ..... O
- Anderson, c ..... C
- White, P-1b ..... O
- Estes, of ..... I
- Stuart, c ..... O
- G. Barbee, of-2b ..... I
- P. McLeod, of ..... O
- Davis, 1b ..... C
- Dorley, 1b ..... C
- West, of-3b ..... O
- M. McLeod, of ..... O
- B. Williams, 1b ..... I
- Osborn, mgr.-p ..... C
- Weaver, of ..... O
- Preslar, ss ..... C
- Ratliff, 3b-p ..... O
- J. Paige, p-1b ..... I
- Crittenden, 3b ..... C
- S. Gray, p ..... I
- W. McLeod ..... O
- Finney, 2b-ss ..... I
- Smith, p ..... O
- Jones, p ..... C
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**Personals**

Marjorie Davis has returned from a visit in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Hamby went to San Angelo yesterday.

Mrs. R. L. Adams and daughter, Roeann, of Del Rio are visiting her brother, C. G., and Mrs. Roe.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Jones and daughter, Sandra Ruth, returned Tuesday from a visit in Goree.

Mr. and Mrs. Mans Hoggett of Mertzton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lowrey, Sunday.

Miss Joyce Bogard has returned from San Saba and is at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. B. Shoemaker.

Reuben Brinkley came Friday from San Antonio for a visit with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Brinkley.

Miss Harva Jones and Miss Emma Sessions will return today from a visit in Menard with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Moser.

Miss Emma Sessions has returned from a visit in McCamey with her sister, Mrs. Jimmie Martin, and Mr. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Thiers and Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Thiers left Tuesday morning on a trip to Carlsbad Caverns.

Mrs. Homer Dee Payton and her cousin, Mrs. J. T. Hough, of Austin are visiting Mrs. Payton's mother, Mrs. Amanda Hart.

Miss Joyce McGilvray is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McGilvray, between summer and fall sessions of San Angelo Business College.

**"Little Poland" in Texas**

Panna Maria, the oldest Polish settlement in the United States, was established near San Antonio in 1835 by a group of immigrants who had been practically driven out of their native land. Penniless and disheartened, the settlers were aided by nearby ranchers and more fortunate colonists until they could support themselves. With thrift, persistence and work the group soon developed into a thriving community. Many of the original homes, built of hand-quarried stone because there was no wood, still remain in the modern Panna Maria.

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**M. G. SHURLEY**

**"Just For Fun"**

Just for Fun is a new weekly feature in The NEWS. Some of the statements below are true, some are false. Indicate your answer at the side of the column and when you have finished the quiz turn to the correct answers and grade yourself. Deduct 10 points for each incorrect answer. Subtract the total of mistakes from 100 to get your score. There are no prizes. The whole thing's Just for Fun.

- Vassar, famous girls' school, is in Poughkeepsie, N. Y. \* \* \*
- E. C. Saunders has been a surveyor fifty-six years. \* \* \*
- Ten inches of snowfall are equal to one inch of rain in water content. \* \* \*
- Nearly 800 Sutton county children are eligible for schooling in September. \* \* \*
- A half carat diamond is more valuable than an emerald of equal size. \* \* \*
- Busiest place, by all odds, in Sutton county now is the site of the Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Co. station on the Menard road. \* \* \*
- Only six in Sutton county have applied for permits to operate package liquor stores for the year beginning September 1. \* \* \*
- The east-west highway through Sonora makes a turn at the Sonora Motor Co. corner. \* \* \*
- Crockett county is the "parent" of Sutton county. \* \* \*
- Sutton county's bank has assets of \$800,000. (Answers On Another Page)

**ERROR BY "JUST FOR FUN"**  
 The thanks of the "Just For Fun" editor are given this week to Miss Lunetta Marion who discovered a "slip" in the "Just For Fun" feature last week. There are fourteen lines in a sonnet rather than thirteen as was stated. Sorry!

**Trucks' 'Pay Load' Corpus Christi Goal**

Manager of C. of C. Visitor in Sonora Monday Afternoon

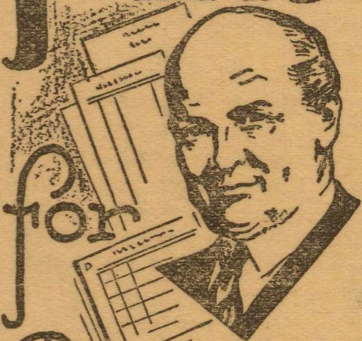
Enthusiastically describing his city, J. E. Bell, secretary-manager of the Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce, was a visitor in Sonora a short time Tuesday on his return trip from a vacation spent west of here.

Mr. Bell left at the NEWS office, and with several individuals, copies of "Port of Corpus Christi," official publication of Nueces County Navigation District, and "Corpus Christi Commerce," new monthly publication of the Chamber of Commerce.

Particular attention was called by Mr. Bell to an article "Salt and Chlorines are Next" in the port publication. It tells of the plant under construction by Southern Alkali Corporation to manufacture salt, providing return load for trucks hauling wool to the Corpus Christi port from West Texas.

A fishing map, in colors, showing where different types of fish inhabit Corpus Christi waters was left at the NEWS and may be seen by sportsmen contemplating a trip to the coast city which now boasts a population of 55,000.

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# SOCIETY NOTES

Parties...Clubs  
Future Events

NINA ROUCHE, Society Editor

## Mrs. Shelton Hostess at Five Tables of Bridge

Colors of pink and green were emphasized Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Joel Shelton was hostess at five tables of bridge. Verbenas and zinnias added a pleasing note to the party.

As the guests arrived they were greeted at the door by Alyce Claire Shelton who served carbonated drinks and gave each a tally.

At the tea hour a refreshment plate of fresh peach ice cream and cake was served.

Mrs. R. A. Halbert won high score award and Mrs. W. J. Wilkinson low.

Mrs. Shelton's guests included:

Mesdames H. V. Stokes, George H. Neill, P. J. Taylor, Collier Shurley, E. D. Shurley, Ernest McClelland, Stella Keene, Ben Cusenbary, J. C. Morrow, John Hamby, W. J. Wilkinson, R. A. Halbert, Robert W. Jacobs, Bryan Hunt, Frank Bond, R. C. Vicars, B. M. Halbert, Jr., John Fields, W. J. Fields, Jr., Miss Alice Kranes.

## Dinner Sunday Honors Miss Ruth Freeman

To honor her daughter, Ruth, on her birthday, Mrs. Beal Freeman was hostess Sunday evening at a chicken dinner served at six o'clock.

Mrs. Freeman's guests were:

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Barrow, Lavelle Meckel, Mrs. A. S. Ethridge and son, Claude, Miss Lillian Moore and her brother, Clyde, all of Blanco, who were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. Freeman.

## Personals

Mrs. Mike Murphy and Miss Nann Karnes went to San Angelo Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Evans and daughter, Mary Jane, of San Angelo were here Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Labenske and daughter, Mildred, were in San Antonio last week-end.

Mrs. Ernest McClelland and sister, Mrs. J. W. Trainer, went to San Angelo Saturday.

Mrs. Jesse G. Barton and Mrs. Hayne Graves of Eldorado returned Sunday from a visit in San Antonio.

Mrs. Ernest Smith and daughter, Marilyn Faye, of Burnet are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Archer.

Mrs. Cliff Johnson and children are visiting in Eunice, New Mexico, with her sister, Mrs. Henry Greenhill, and Mr. Greenhill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Archer and children, Edward, Ina and Lester, and Mrs. Archer, returned Sunday from a visit in Burnet and Austin.

Mrs. J. T. Penick and children, Dorothy and Billy, and Frank Stovall, Jr., of Madison, Georgia, went to Del Rio and Villa Acuna Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Miers and daughters, Addah and Joe Nell, will return today from Dallas where they attended the Greater Texas and Pan-American Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Meckel and daughters, Doris Love and Geraldine, left Tuesday for Dallas, where they will attend the Greater Texas and Pan-American Exposition.

Mrs. Ralph Jones of Ozona who has been ill three months at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schwiening, will live in San Angelo during the fall and winter months at 1417 MacKenzie.

## Successful Benefit Party For Child Welfare Work

Sonora people and several from out of town enjoyed bridge or domino games Monday night as they played on tables arranged on the courthouse lawn at a benefit party sponsored by the child welfare committee of the Lions Club.

The committee, composed of Dr. Joel Shelton and Homer Harris, reported Tuesday that a net amount of about \$60 was secured. Principal use of the money will be in providing luncheons for underprivileged school children.

Punch was served throughout the evening and at ten-thirty a luncheon of hot beans, potato salad, sandwiches and wafers was served the players at their tables.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Neill received a gift for highest score among the bridge players. Mrs. O. G. Babcock and J. W. Trainer were most successful of the forty-two players and Richard Vehle was declared the best domino player of the evening.

Those attending were:

Messrs. and Mesdames Alvis Johnson, J. T. Penick, Robert Rees, Cashes Taylor, J. W. Trainer, C. E. Stites, J. C. Stephen, O. G. Babcock, W. E. Caldwell, George H. Neill, Roy E. Aldwell, Bryan Hunt, N. T. Poindexter, Robert W. Jacobs, E. D. Shurley, R. A. Halbert, W. R. Cusenbary, H. V. Stokes, W. J. Fields, Jr., W. H. Dameron, Lee Aldwell of San Angelo, T. A. Williams of Rocksprings, W. J. Wilkinson, J. C. Morrow, Collier Shurley, Joel Shelton, W. C. Warren,

Misses Edythe Carson, Nann Karnes, Alice Karnes, Doris Keene, Mary Sue Blanton, Gloria Sanders, Margaret Schwiening, Alyce Claire Shelton,

Mrs. R. F. Davis, Mrs. Maysie Brown, Mrs. Ernest Carroll, Mrs. Stella Keene, Mrs. P. J. Taylor, Mrs. Lee Labenske, Mrs. W. L. Aldwell, Mrs. J. L. Nisbet, Mrs. John Hamby,

Messrs. Marion Stokes, George Wynn, J. D. Lowrey, Dewitt Lancaster, C. H. Carson, Joe Berger, Frank Knapton, E. S. Long, Homer Harris.

Those who reserved places at the party but were unable to attend included:

Mrs. Clyde Gardner, Miss Mary Louise Gardner, Miss Grace Draper, Mrs. Mike Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gilmore, W. D. Martin, Mrs. Fred Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Trainer.

The committee Tuesday expressed its gratitude to all who aided in the giving of the party.

## Two Girls Honored Friday At Birthday Party

Louise Merriman and Catherine Cartwright were honored on their thirteenth birthday Friday afternoon when Miss Violet Drennan and Juanita Cartwright were hostesses at a party at the home of Juanita's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cartwright.

A color plan of pink and green was used in decorating for the party.

Birthday cake and lemonade were served to:

Bernice McKee, Elaine Joy, Kathleen Brinkley, Lorene Fambrough, Edith May Babcock, Betty Lou Shoemaker, Mary Lee Heflin, Billy Cartwright, Mrs. Mont Merriman and daughter, Wanda Lee.

Marion Louise Adams assisted the hostess.

## Mr. and Mrs. Hale Have Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head and children, Imogene and Jack, of Fort Worth, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Hub Hale, and family. Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Hale also of Fort Worth are visiting here with his brother, Hub, and family.

Miss Caldwell Returns Home  
Miss Elizabeth Caldwell has returned from a visit in San Antonio, Laredo and Monterrey. Miss Caldwell, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Caldwell, will teach here this year.

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## Mrs. Howell Honors Daughter Thursday Afternoon

Marguerite Howell was honored on her tenth birthday Thursday afternoon by her mother, Mrs. J. Franklin Howell, when twenty-one guests were entertained at the new home of the Howells.

The children were served punch as they arrived, and a guessing game was played. After a number of outdoor games were enjoyed the children were taken into the dining room and served white birthday cake. A plate of sandwiches, olives, ice cream, cake and mints was served. Favors were marshmallow men and whistles. Colors of pink and white were used throughout the party.

Mrs. R. D. Trainer and daughter, Cathryn, and Mrs. W. R. Cusenbary assisted Mrs. Howell in entertaining and serving.

Those who called to help Marguerite celebrate her birthday were:

Sammie Jeanne Allison, Mary Jane Evans of San Angelo, Lila D. Chalk, Maxine Chalk, Geraldine Morrow, Sanford Trainer, Mary Burtle, Francis Atchison, Geraldine Meckel,

Warren Reddoch, Don Nicholas, Sidney Awalt, Charles Lee Cusenbary, Tina Ann Taylor, Kenneth Lee Akin of Dallas, Clayton Hamilton, George B. Hamilton, John Franklin Howell, Jr.

## Bridge Club Entertained By Mr. and Mrs. Neill

Four tables of bridge were enjoyed Thursday night, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Neill when they were hosts to the Sonora Night Club.

Their guests included:

Messrs. and Mesdames John Fields, Duke Wilson, John Hamby, W. J. Fields, Jr., Bryan Hunt, Mrs. J. C. Morrow, Mrs. Sam H. Allison, Miss Bertha Harris of Cuero, Miss Ada Steen, George Wynn.

A refreshment plate of frosted punch, sandwiches and cake was served, after several games of bridge.

Mrs. Allison won high club award, and Mr. and Mrs. Hunt second high. High guest score was held by Mr. and Mrs. Hamby, and Mr. Wynn won the traveling prize.

## Miss Smith Bride of H. F. Gilley in Ft Stockton Ceremony

Fort Stockton.—Miss Evelyn Smith became the bride of Henry Floyd Gilley in an impressive candle-light ceremony here at six o'clock Sunday evening. The vows were read by the Rev. S. F. Marsh of the First Baptist Church.

An improvised altar was covered with ivy and banked on either side with ferns, palms and baskets of gladiolias.

While Mrs. C. S. Ten Eyke softly played the piano Betty Jo Christler, Janice Butler and Betty Jo Collins lighted the tall white tapers which lighted the aisles and the altar.

Boyd Caffey of Sonora sang "Ah! Sweet Mystery of Life," accompanied by Mrs. Ten Eyke.

The bridegroom and his groomsmen, Jerry Starnes of Alpine, entered to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March, followed by the four ushers, Sammie D. Thomas of Alpine, R. H. Remschel of Sonora, Paul Chaffin and T. M. Sawyer of Hobbs, New Mexico.

Following were the bridesmaids, Miss Lenora Ligon and Miss Mary Etta Gilley, sister of the groom, Miss Leona Branon and Miss Nell Brown; the maid of honor, Miss Virginia Douglass, and the flower girl, little Barbara Ray Bradford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bradford of Grandfalls. The bride, attired in white satin and carrying a white orchid and white Testament, entered on the arm of her brother, Wilson, who gave her in marriage.

Immediately following the ceremony an informal reception was held in the Smith home in honor of the couple.

The wedding trip will be spent in El Paso, Colorado and Utah. Mrs. Gilley's going away suit was of gray wool with gray caracul trim, and she carried black accessories. Both bride and bridegroom are graduates of Sul Ross State Teachers' College, Alpine.

Mrs. Gilley was a member of the Grandfalls faculty last year, while Mr. Gilley served as principal of

L. W. Elliott School in Sonora. He has been re-elected there to the same position, and the couple will be at home in Sonora after September 1.

Mrs. Murray Attends Funeral  
Funeral services for Dr. J. N. Permenter, brother-in-law of Mrs. T. C. Murray, were held Tuesday in Fredericksburg. Dr. Permenter had been in ill health about a month but had been seriously ill only a day. Mrs. Murray went to Fredericksburg Monday and returned to Sonora Tuesday.

## LA VISTA THEATER SONORA Show Starts at 8:00

FRIDAY—  
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ROSALAND KEITH  
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SATURDAY NIGHT—  
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SUNDAY AND MONDAY—  
"Wake Up and Live"  
starring  
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Walter Winchell  
Patsy Kelly  
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TUESDAY ONLY—  
"Career Woman"  
with  
Claire Trevor and  
Michael Whalen

WEDNESDAY—THURSDAY—  
"Another Dawn"  
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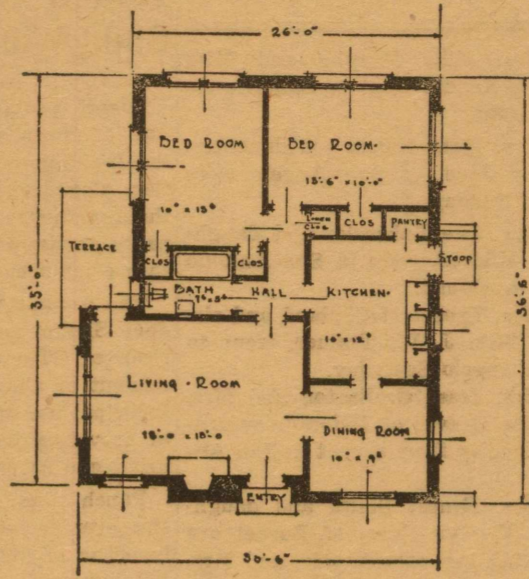
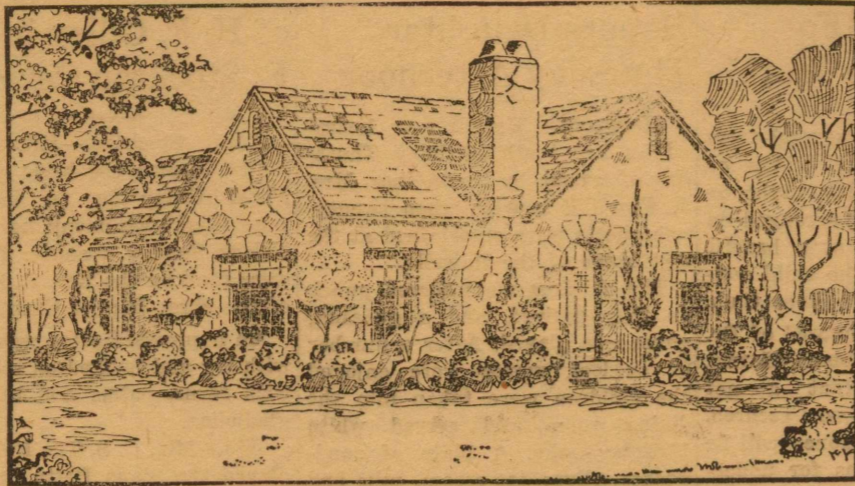
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# HOME BUILDERS' PAGE



A breakfast room has shelves, like an open bookcase, built around a window. They are painted to match the woodwork on the outside, while the inside is painted a bright shade reflecting one of the room's colors. The shelves hold glassware and pottery.

## Native Rock Ideal For This Home of Five Rooms and Bath



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One authority states that this home, if located where native rock may be secured, can be built for \$3,700.

The arch doorway and unusual treatment of roof lines and chimney makes this rock veneer residence unusually attractive. It is designed for a north front, the living rooms and both bedrooms

thus benefiting by the exposures.

The living room has a real fireplace and a door opening on a master terrace. The master bedroom has two closets; the guest bedroom is provided with a closet, and there is a linen closet in the hall. The dining room is conveniently located and the kitchen contains a large pantry, tile drainboard and well arranged cabinet. The bath has a tile floor and built-in tub.

The foundation is continuous and reinforced with steel. The roof is of composition, fireproof shingles and the floors of oak. The interior woodwork of the entire house has three coats of enamel. A single car garage is provided.

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### Home Builders May Avoid 'Pet Peeves'

Poll Determines How Householders Have Made Errors

A magazine devoted to building interests recently conducted a poll among home owners for "pet peeves." The purpose of the vote was to provide suggestions for the contractor and builder and for the dealer supplying equipment to the home owner.

Lack of closet space was the complaint voiced most often, with an inadequate supply of electric outlets second.

Uneven distribution of heat was a "pet peeve" voiced by many disgruntled owners, and other complaints included poor kitchen arrangements, drafty houses, rooms that provide no wall space for furniture, rooms that lacked sunlight.

Families with children complained about a lack of space for keeping toys, and a universal complaint about inefficient hot-water heaters was voiced. Garage doors that don't work followed, with a house that is difficult to care for getting the vote among women's dislikes.

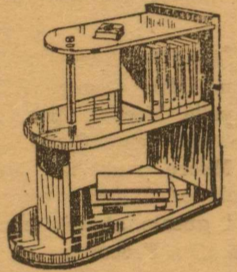
Refrigerators that are not large enough to store the family food supply, drain pipes that clog, lighting fixtures that glare, basements that flood every time it rains, garages that are too small, pipes that rust, hallways and stairways that are dark, screens that rust, and badly flowing water completed the list of grievances.

### Have a Thought For Piers

Piers which support a house or porch should be examined occasionally. It is well to see that they are plumb and have not settled. If they are of brick or tile or concrete units see that the joints are not cracked and that the mortar is solid in the joints. Settling or crumbling piers will cause settlement of the house itself. Cracked plaster hammering radiators, trapped water lines and sloping floors are but a few of the ailments which might result.

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# Treasurer's Report

REPORT of Mrs. Thelma Briscoe, county treasurer of Sutton county, Texas, of receipts and expenditures from May 10 to August 9, 1937, inclusive:

JURY FUND—1st Class	
Balance last report	590.53
To amount received since last report	30.40
By amt. paid out since last report, Ex. A	73.36
By amt. per cent com. on amt. received	.03
By amt. per cent com. on amt. paid out	.07
Amount to balance	547.47
Balance	620.93
Balance	620.93
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND—2nd Class	
Balance last report	12,755.96
To amount received since last report	1,986.65
By amt. paid out since last report, Ex. B	5,837.69
By amt. per cent com. on amt. received	1.98
By amt. per cent com. on amt. paid out	5.83
Amount to balance	8,897.11
Balance	14,742.61
Balance	14,742.61
GENERAL COUNTY FUND—3rd Class	
Balance last report	6,546.09
To amount received since last report	1,566.78
By amt. paid out since last report, Ex. C	2,541.84
By amt. per cent com. on amt. received	1.56
By amt. per cent com. on amt. paid out	2.54
Amount to balance	5,566.93
Balance	8,112.87
Balance	8,112.87
COURTHOUSE AND JAIL FUND—4th Class	
Balance last report	2,317.39
To amount received since last report	250.56
By amt. per cent com. on amt. received	.25
Amount to balance	2,567.70
Balance	2,567.95
Balance	2,567.95
SPECIAL ROAD BOND A FUND—5th Class	
Balance last report	4,687.77
To amount received since last report	1,273.36
By amt. paid out since last report, Ex. E	4,320.77
By amt. per cent com. on amt. received	1.27
By amt. per cent com. on amt. paid out	4.32
Amount to balance	1,634.77
Balance	5,961.13
Balance	5,961.13
SPECIAL ROAD BOND B FUND—6th Class	
Balance last report	3,281.92
To amount received since last report	852.31
By amt. paid out since last report, Ex. F	2,160.38
By amt. per cent com. on amt. received	.85
By amt. per cent com. on amt. paid out	2.16
Amount to balance	1,970.84
Balance	4,134.23
Balance	4,134.23
SPECIAL ROAD BOND C FUND—7th Class	
Balance last report	2,446.93
To amount received since last report	733.36
By amt. paid out since last report, Ex. G	1,613.92
By amt. per cent com. on amt. received	.73
By amt. per cent com. on amt. paid out	1.61
Amount to balance	1,564.03
Balance	3,180.29
Balance	3,180.29
ROAD AVAILABLE FUND—8th Class	
Balance last report	377.09
Amount to balance	377.09
Balance	377.09
Balance	377.09
1931 BONDS FUND—9th Class	
Balance last report	2,875.57
To amount received since last report	375.86
By amt. paid out since last report, Ex. H	247.98
By amt. per cent com. on amt. received	.37
By amt. per cent com. on amt. paid out	.24
Amount to balance	3,002.84
Balance	3,251.43
Balance	3,251.43
PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT FUND	
Balance last report	337.47
Amount to balance	337.47
Balance	337.47
Balance	337.47
PUBLIC PARK FUND	
Balance last report	1,588.82
To amount received since last report	313.21
By amt. paid out since last report, Ex. I	216.71
By amt. per cent com. on amt. received	.31
By amt. per cent com. on amt. paid out	.21
Amount to balance	1,684.80
Balance	1,902.03
Balance	1,902.03
RECAPITULATION	
Jury Fund balance	\$ 547.47
Road and Bridge Fund	8,897.11
General County Fund	5,566.93
Courthouse and Jail Fund	2,567.70
Special Road Bond A Fund	1,634.77
Special Road Bond B Fund	1,970.84
Special Road Bond C Fund	1,564.03
Road Available Fund	377.09
1931 Bonds Fund	3,002.84
Public Improvement Fund	337.47
Public Park Fund	1,684.80
Total	\$28,151.05

LIST OF BONDS AND OTHER SECURITIES ON HAND

9 S R Bonds, 1931 series	1,000.00	9,000.00
13 S H Bonds, 1929 series	2,000.00	26,000.00
9 S H Bonds, 1925 series	500.00	4,500.00
2 Ellis Co. Bonds	1,000.00	2,000.00
6 Jefferson Co. Bonds	1,000.00	6,000.00
8 Archer Co. Bonds	1,000.00	8,000.00
2 Val Verde Co. Bonds	1,000.00	2,000.00
12 Special R B 1919 Series A	1,000.00	12,000.00
1 Sutton Co. R B 1923 Series B	1,000.00	1,000.00
19 Corpus Christi Bonds	1,000.00	19,000.00
1 Pecos Co. Bond	1,000.00	1,000.00
82 Bonds		\$90,500.00

### THE STATE OF TEXAS County of Sutton

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Mrs. Thelma Briscoe, county treasurer of Sutton county, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

MRS. THELMA BRISCOE, County Treasurer.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 9th day of August, 1937.  
(SEAL) J. D. LOWREY,  
Clerk, County Court, Sutton County, Texas.

### Lometa Man Working in Ozona

A new bank employee at the Ozona National Bank is L. D. Kirby of Lometa who assumed clerical duties there last week. Mr. Kirby is a cousin of H. C. Kirby, an employee of the First National Bank here. The Ozona young man succeeded Pleas L. Childress, Jr., who resigned recently to engage in ranching on the Turkey Roost ranch.

Miss Elizabeth Wallace of Pottsville will attend high school here this year, and will live with her aunt, Mrs. Rena Mayfield.

### Snakes Sold By Pound

Down in the Valley is located probably the largest snake ranch in the world. "Snakeville" is operated by W. S. "Snake" King, one of the foremost collectors of reptiles in the United States. He supplies large museums and parks both here and in foreign countries with rare specimens. Most of his pets come from Mexico. He sells them by the pound, the price varying according to rarity and condition. In his lifetime he has handled nearly three hundred thousand snakes.

The NEWS will print it for you.

### FORMER GOVERNOR PAID TRIBUTE SUNDAY



Minneapolis, Minn. — At a memorial service on the University of Minnesota campus Sunday tribute was paid the memory of Floyd B. Olson, governor of Minnesota at the time of his death a year ago Sunday (Aug. 22).

A message from Franklin D. Roosevelt praising Olson's qualities as a leader was read at the service in the Northrop Memorial Auditorium.

Olson was a Farmer-Labor party leader.

Hugh Mason of London was fined \$75 for throwing an egg at James Collins during an election contest.

Two states registered more than 2,000,000 cars in 1936—New York, 2,453,542; California 2,327,984.

### Brownwood College Improved This Year

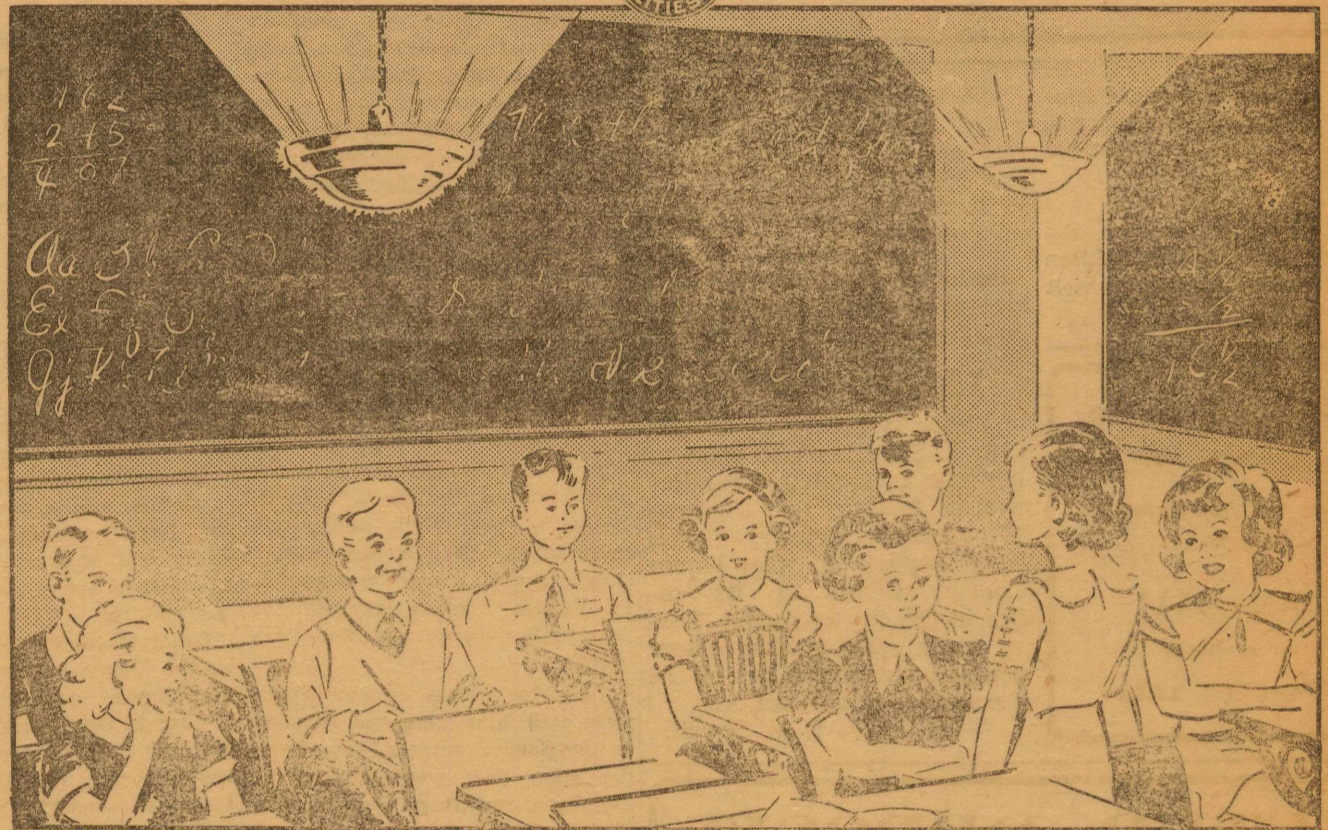
Howard Payne Receiving Students From Many States

Brownwood, Aug. 25.—Howard Payne College will open September 13th with every indication of one of the largest enrollments in its history. During the spring and summer there has been carried on an extensive improvement program.

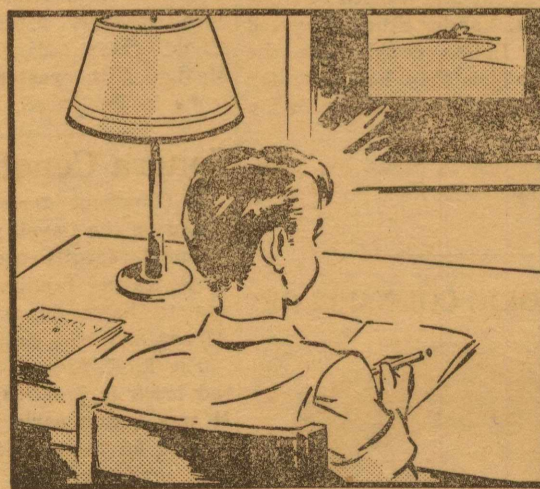
The new home economics department has been completed and will be added to the twenty-seven major departments now offering more than 270 courses of study. The new and modern cooking and sewing department will be housed in a beautiful rock demonstration cottage and laboratory of like material fully equipped with a new and modern cooking and sewing department.

Reservations are coming in every day from all over the state of Texas and from as far as Pennsylvania and Washington. Howard Payne College offers to the boy and girl of modern means a wonderful opportunity of earning part of their way while going to school. By working, a young lady can go for as little as \$242.50 for nine months, and a young man for \$212.00.

28,221,291 motor vehicles were registered in the United States last year, 4,023,606 of them trucks.



## "The Child in the Corner ..." NEEDS GOOD LIGHT, TOO!



IT IS unfortunate that so many West Texas school rooms were built without consideration for "the child in the corner". Too often he or she is surrounded by blackboards that give off no light. Crowded conditions make it impossible to seat every child where ample light is obtained from outside.

It is safe to predict that school rooms of the future will be constructed so as to assure students the maximum light provided by nature. But, meanwhile, it is impractical to re-build the present facilities. Hence, it is highly important that artificial light be used to give EVERY child an opportunity to develop under normal circumstances.

Nor can the most scientifically constructed school room, depending upon nature alone, provide sufficient light on gloomy days during the winter school months. Children are required to read on cloudy days when light is reduced to less than 10 foot-candles.

This company has developed a school lighting system that is economical. It is designed primarily for "the child in the corner". At the same time, it throws no major burden on school trustees—responsible for school finances. Inquire at our local office for free estimate.

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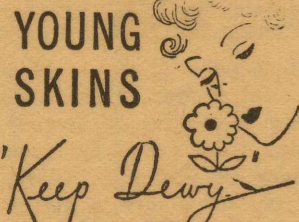
On the Look-out in Texas Davis Mountains. The million-dollar project is expected to be completed in 1938. Mount Locke is 6,790 feet above sea level, and is located northwest of Fort Davis.



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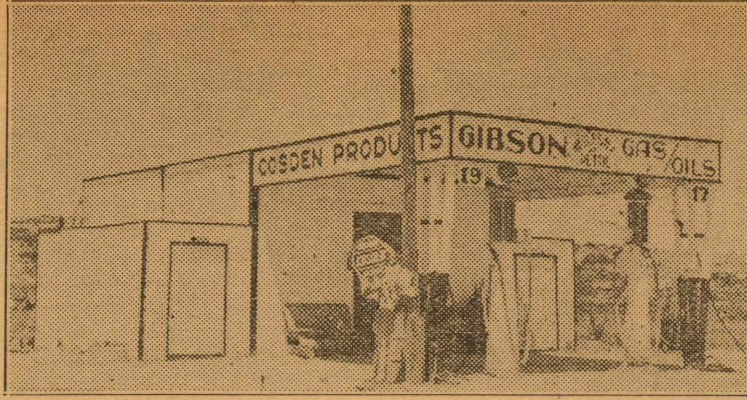
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WHERE THE COP LIVES IN SONORA



Known to West Texans by the distinctive trade character of a figure of a traffic cop officer, Cosden Petroleum Corporation products are sold in Sutton county only by W. W. Gibson who operates the station pictured above.

Mr. Gibson's station on the Del Rio highway was established last year. Recently he

has improved it by adding a canopy at the front, a room at the back and the painting of the entire property in a manner that makes it much more attractive.

The Cosden corporation, producers and refiners, has a refinery in Big Spring and offices in Fort Worth.

Four Return From  
Western Motor Trip

Vander Stuckens See National  
Parks and Lindbergh Field

Miles by motor car through the desert were interesting in all that they revealed to four Sonorans recently but Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken doesn't believe she would care to travel the same route again, especially if the trip were made in mid-summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Vander Stucken and their son, Joe M., and Mrs. Vander Stucken returned this week after a three weeks trip through western states. The trip to the Pacific Coast was made by El Paso and Phoenix. In San Diego historic Lindbergh Field, made famous as the starting point of the famous aviator May 10, 1926, was visited. A side trip by water was made to Agua Caliente and Tia Juana.

Several days were spent in Los Angeles where they visited Warner Bros. studio, where they saw the picture, "The Hollywood Hotel," being made, starring Dick Powell. Luncheon was eaten at the Universal studios where 95 per cent of the motion picture stars eat.

From Los Angeles the Sonorans went to San Francisco, then to Yosemite Park. While taking pictures in the park a bear almost caught Joe M. Vander Stucken. E. F. Vander Stucken enjoyed the time in San Diego and Zion Park greatly.

The big casinos in Las Vegas were both interesting and amusing to the Sonora people. From Boulder Dam they went directly to Zion Park and Grand Canyon. Zion Park is famous for its beauty and scenic interest. The most inspiring place to Mrs. Joe M. Vander Stucken was the Grand Canyon, and to Mr. Vander Stucken, the drive to Grand Canyon was most exciting.

Indian reservations at Flagstaff were seen on the return trip. The town was filled with Indians as they prepared for an annual tribal meeting. None of the Indians could speak English but one of the Indian women saw a dishpan in the Sonora car and wanted to trade for it. Mrs. Vander Stucken agreed that the Indian could have the dishpan, which they had used for carrying ice while traveling in the desert.

They visited in Santa Fe, Albuquerque and in El Paso on the way home.

CATHOLIC COUNSELLOR



Mrs. Leonore Z. Meder, Chicago attorney who was re-elected national counsellor of the Catholic Daughters of America at the annual convention at Bretton Woods, N. H. Delegates from all parts of the United States, Canada, Puerto Rico, Cuba and Canal Zone, representing 2,000 subordinate courts, attended the week's convale.

Mexico Summer One  
of Unusual Interest

Sonora Teacher Studies 2 Months  
in Mexico City School

The pleasures of a summer spent as a student in Mexico City were recounted this week by Miss Harva Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Jones, who returned to Sonora this week.

Miss Jones, an instructor in the L. W. Elliott School, attended the National University of Mexico. She made the trip to and from the Mexican capital city with Miss Barbara Lanier and brother, Berthal, of Belton, who were also students there.

The National Museum was interesting, Miss Jones says, because it has the finest collection of monoliths in America, and is a very rich museum. The most sacred shrine in Mexico is the Shrine of Guadalupe which was erected to Our Lady of Guadalupe.

Cuernavaca, about 47 miles from Mexico City, is called "Tropical Paradise," and is a week-end pleasure spot. Nearly every known species of tropical fruit grows in this vicinity. Miss Jones visited Cortes Palace, Borda Gardens and the Pyramid of Teopanzolco.

Taxco, the most impressive town, is a silver mining town founded in the 1700's by Borda, a Frenchman. Every roof of every building is of tile, and in every nook and corner is a picture.

Other places visited were: Puebla, the "Rome of Mexico;" Jalapa, the flower garden of Mexico; Tehuacan, the "Carlsbad of America," which is famous for its mineral waters; The Desert of the Lions, a wonderful natural park. Toluca, capital of Mexico state, has 365 churches. The market of Toluca is one of the most interesting in Mexico.

Mexico City has been described by one tourist as "Nature's Air Conditioned City."

Miss Jones' souvenirs of her Mexico summer include hand-made linens, hand-painted dishes, several pictures made by inlaid wood and with hand-carved frames, onyx ash trays, pottery, and a number of other articles.

Miss Johnnie Allison, also a Sonora teacher, attended summer school there. Miss Allison left Mexico City yesterday for her home in Rockwood.

Sonora Construction

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pleted on the Savell rental property until recently occupied by the A. F. Kasper family. The house is next to the residence of Miss Clara Allison and Miss Sally Wardlaw.

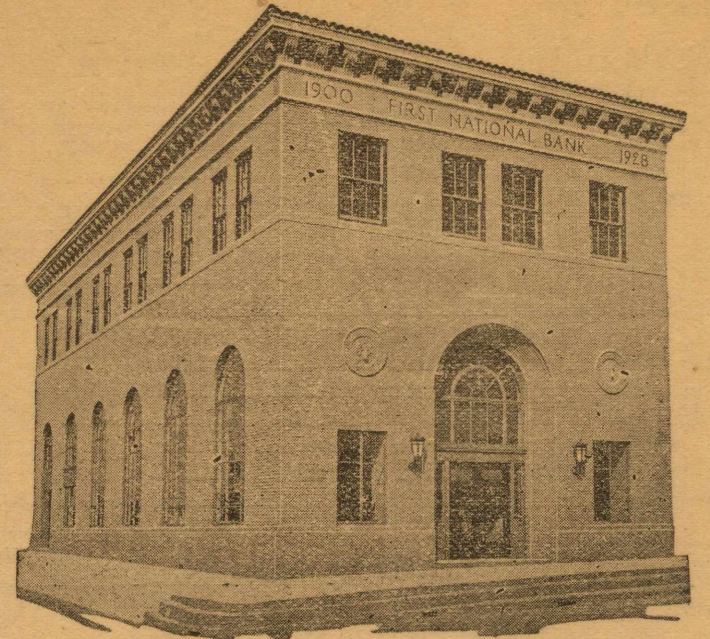
The E. E. Steen 7-room home of red brick is practically completed. It was begun early in June on a 75-foot lot facing the R. E. Glasscock property.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Franklin Howell have been enjoying their new brick home near the courthouse several weeks.

Just For Fun  
ANSWERS

1. True.
2. True.
3. True.
4. True. Scholastics: 788.
5. False. Emerald of more value.
6. True.
7. False. Seven (one to operate two places).
8. False. New route in front of postoffice.
9. True. Sutton "carved" from Crockett.
10. False. Assets shown on last statement: \$863,832.04.

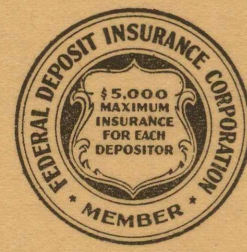
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Flour 48- 1.75 24- 95c  
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PEACHES—No. 2 1/2 can, heavy syrup	19c	BLACKBERRIES—No. 2 can, 2 for	25c
ROYAL ANN Cherries, No. 1 tall can	19c	GREEN BEANS—No. 2 can, 2 for	17c
CORN—Desire, No. 2 can, 2 for	19c	BLACKEYED PEAS, No. 300 can, 2 for	19c
Salad Dressing	qt. 29c; pt. 19c; 1/2-pt. 10c	DRIED APRICOTS—2-pound bag	33c
PRUNES—2-pound bag	20c		

CRISCO or 3-lb. pail 59c 6-lb. pail 1.05  
Snowdrift for

PEANUT BUTTER—24-ounce jar	25c	PIMENTOS—large can	10c
LIMA BEANS—small, green, No. 1 can	12c	BEETS—sliced, No. 2 1/2 can	15c
PINTO BEANS—10 pounds for	69c	LIMA BEANS—small, 2-pound bag	17c
MILK—Carnation, 7 small cans	25c	MILK—Carnation, 3 large cans	23c
BAKING POWDER, K C, 25-ounce can	17c	BAKING POWDER—50-ounce can	33c
CEREAL DEAL—two boxes Corn Bran, 1 box Krumbles—all for	39c	CEREAL DEAL—two boxes Corn Flakes, 1 box Pep	39c

Spuds-California, No. 1 grd. 10-lb. 19c

APPLE SAUCE—Monarch, No. 2 can	14c	APPLE BUTTER—Monarch, jar	19c
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VEGETABLES and FRUITS

APPLES—new crop, large, dozen	19c	GRAPES, seedless, 2 pounds for	19c
LEMONS—Sunkist, dozen	25c	LIMES—the dozen	16c
AVOCADOS—extra large, each	9c	EGG PLANT—the pound	8c
LETTUCE—per head	5c	YAMS—new crop, per pound	6c

MARKET SPECIALS

BARBECUED MEAT, the pound	30c	VEAL CHOPS—the pound	25c
PORK CHOPS—the pound	30c	GANDY'S BUTTER, the pound	38c
GROUND BEEF, 2 pounds for	25c	SPECIAL LEAN BACON, the pound	38c

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