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SONORA, TEXAS, June 21, 1919.

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Thanks, Notices of Entailments where
an admission fee is charged, Etc., will
be charged for at our regular adver-
tising rates.

IF YOU BOUGHT
YOUR
THRIFT STAMP TODAY
SAVE AND SUCCEED!

Wise saving will increase your
buying power. Investing in W. S.
S. or wise saving.

If you want to be successful
learn to save. Acquire the habit
through purchasing W. S. S. regu-
larly.

PHONE 101 for cream at 50
cents per quart. A quart of this
cream will make a pound of butter.
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Some one is saving what you
spend foolishly. Who is deposit-
ing your dollars. Invest them in
W. S. S. and save them for yourself.

The holes in a sieve are small
but water runs out mighty fast.
Does your money dribble away?
Save it in Thrift Stamps.

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wounds... cents. Your
money back... satisfied. Ask your
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It's not what you had but what
you have. How many W. S. S.
have you gotten on your 1919 Cer-
tificates so far?

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Hens Lay More Eggs. Your Money
back if not perfectly satisfied. Ask
your Dealer. 88-6m.

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Savings Stamps bear four per cent
interest, compounded quarterly.
Make your money make money for
you.

Opportunity may not knock but
once. If you failed to hear her
call just remember the postoffice is
around the corner and the post-
master is there waiting for you
with a supply of 1919 W. S. S.
Don't put off your visit. Drop
around and see him today.

If you have the itch, don't
scratch. It does not cure the trouble
and makes the skin bleed.
Apply BALLARD'S SNOW LINI-
MENT. Rub it in gently on the
affected parts. It relieves itching
instantly and a few applications
remove the cause thus performing
a permanent cure. Sold by the
Sonora Drug Co.—Adv.

Uvalde, Texas, June 10—Oil
development is on in earnest in
Uvalde County. The Century Oil
and Gas Company have their 80
foot derrick up and spudded in
their first well on the George Hous-
ton ranch this week. Oil leases in
that neighborhood were eagerly
sought after and the price on some
went up to \$10 per share. C. L.
Bloom is down several hundred
feet at the Pulliam ranch. This is
in the same neighborhood where oil
was first found in this county and
developments are awaited in much
interest. H. L. Graves has several
carloads of material on hand and
will soon commence drilling on the
Gato Creek Pasture.

KILL THE BLUE BUGS By Feed-
ing "Martin's Wonderful Blue Bug
Killer" to your chickens. Your money
back if not absolutely satisfied. Ask
your Dealer. 88-6m.

NOTICE OF BOND ELEC- TION RETURNS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Sutton.

In the Commissioners' Court of
Sutton County, Texas.

At a meeting of the Commis-
sioners Court of the County of
Sutton, Texas, held on the 31st
day of May, A. D., 1919, in the
Commissioners' Court Room in the
Courthouse at Sonora, Texas, came
on to be considered the returns of
an election held on the 24th day
of May, 1919, to determine whether
or not the bonds of said County
should be issued to the amount of
\$300,000.00 bearing interest at the
rate of 5 1/2 per cent per annum,
payable in thirty years from date,
for the purpose of constructing,
maintaining and operation mac-
adamized, graveled or paved roads
and turnpikes, or in aid thereof
and whether or not a tax shall be
annually levied, assessed and col-
lected in said County of Sutton,
Texas, sufficient to pay the cur-
rent interest on said bonds and to
provide the required sinking fund
to redeem them at maturity, and
it appearing that said election was
in all respects lawfully held, and
said returns duly and legally mad-
e and that there were cast at said
election 176 votes, of which num-
ber 162 votes were cast "For the
issuance of bonds and levying of
the tax in payment thereof", and
14 votes cast "Against the issuance
of bonds and levying of the tax in
payment thereof."

It is, therefore, ordered and de-
clared that the proposition to issue
said bonds and levy said tax was
sustained by a two-thirds majority
of the qualified property taxpayer
voting at said election, and that
the Commissioners' Court of said
County of Sutton, Texas, is autho-
rized to issue said bonds, and to
levy and have assessed and collect-
ed said tax.

Attest: J. D. Lowrey,
County Clerk, Sutton County,
Texas. 944

W. E. HODGES,
County Judge, Sutton County,
Texas.

Overheated.
Citizen—Where's the cold wave
you said was coming?
Weather Man—Fact is it travel-
ed so fast it got overheated.

Time to Get Up.
A new bunch of colored recruits
arrived at camp late one night.
They were startled from their
sound slumber by the sonorous
and insistent notes of the bugler
blowing reveille. None of them
paid any attention to it except one
darker, who sat up and shouted:

"You all bettin get up! Dat
ain't yoh mothah callin' you up,
boys; dat's yoh uncle talkin' to you
now."

TILL IT FELL
Husband—What kind of a cake
is this Effie?
Wife (Who made it)—It was an
angel till it fell.

SPEAKING OF DANGER
The teacher had been telling her
class about the rhinoceros family:
"Now name some things, she said,
that are very dangerous to get near
to, and that have horns."

Automobile promptly answer-
ed Johnnie.

MAKING REPAIRS.
Repair Man (entering business
office) Does your typewriter need
repair?
Head Clerk—It would seem so;
she has just gone across the street
to the dentist.

HE AROSE
Fond mother—"Way child, what
is the matter with you? Your
clothes are covered with ashes."
Advanced Infant—"We have been
studying mythology, and I played
Phoenix. I had to rise up out of
the ashes.

At regular morning operation of
the bowels puts you in fine shape
for the day's work. If you miss it
you feel uncomfortable and cannot
put vim into your movements. For
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nora Drug Co.—Ad

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SHEEP AND GOAT RAISERS CONVENTION.

Preparations for the fourth annual convention of the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association of Texas assumed more definite form during the past week.

It was announced that the sheep and goat show to be held in connection with the meeting on June 25, 26 and 27 will be conducted in the Allen-Overland Company's new garage building on East Two-way avenue. This structure is now being rushed to completion.

Professor Robert F. Miller, who is a member of the faculty of the Agricultural and Mechanical College and a sheep specialist, will judge the sheep show, while F. O. Landrum of Uvalde, for forty years a breeder of pure bred goats, will pass on the Angoras and kindred breeds.

From his home in Del Rio, president J. B. Moore, a former San Angelo man, has called the executive committee to meet here on June 23rd to make final arrangements for the convention. A tentative program already has been arranged, and a daily program will likely be announced soon. The members of the executive committee are: J. B. Murrish, San Antonio; J. M. Slaytor, Brackettville; Sam Witt, Brackettville; F. O. Landrum, Laguna; Robert Keal, Kerrville; George R. Pepper, Rock Springs; John S. Allison, Sonora; B. M. Halbert, Sonora; James Cornell, Sonora; T. L. Drisdale, Juno; Will Hill, San Angelo; N. H. Soaggs, Junction; W. W. Russell, Menard; and Julian Bassett, Dryden.

The San Angelo Municipal Band is to furnish music during the three days' convention. There will be a base ball game each afternoon between West Texas teams, and each evening there will be a dance. On Friday night, to close the convention, there will be a final block dance on Beasore garden avenue near the court house.

Some of the best known authorities in America on the sheep and goat industry will speak in San Angelo at the convention. Among this number are Professor F. R. Marshall of Washington, head of the federal bureau of animal industry, and Colonel Ike T. Pryor of San Antonio, president of the American National Livestock Association. Colonel Pryor will speak upon the importance of organization industry of every kind.

Professor Marshall is to bring with him a celebrated motion picture entitled "From Wool to Cloth," which will be shown daily at local theaters.

Many sheep will be judged at the stock show from the packers standpoint. Following are the exhibition grades and cross breeds that will be in this class:

Mutton Grades and Cross Breeds.
Pen wethers (five head) two years and over: 1st, \$20, Stock Yards National Bank, Fort Worth, Texas; 2nd, \$15, Cam-rum Lumber Company; 3rd, \$10, Crowther Hardware Company.

Pen wethers (five head) one and under two, \$15, \$10, \$5.
Pen wethers (five head) under one year \$15, \$10, \$5.

Champion pen of wethers, silver loving cup donated by Kansas City Life Insurance Company, Mrs. M. T. Rodgers, agent, San Angelo.

Best pen Angora wethers: Pen wethers (five head) two years and over, \$15, \$10, \$5; Pen wethers (five head) one year and under two, \$15, \$10, \$5. Pen wethers (five head) under one year, \$10, \$5, \$2.50.

Champion Pen wethers, silver loving cup by Central National Bank.

Boys and girls' lamb to be shown by boy or girl under fourteen years. First \$15; Second \$12.50; Third, \$10 by National Stock Yards National Bank, Chicago; 4th representative, W. B. Sillman, Eldorado, Texas; Fourth, \$7.50; Fifth \$5; Sixth \$2.50, by Probanot Printing Company of San Angelo.

Delaine Merino Offers

The American and Delaine Merino Record Association is offering special cash prizes. Secretary S. M. Cleaver of Delaware, Ohio, has furnished the appended list of penials:

Ram, two years old or over \$10, \$5, \$2.50.

Ram, under two, \$10, \$5, \$2.50.
Ewe, two years old or over, \$10, \$5, \$2.50.
Ewe, under two years, \$10, \$5, \$2.50.

breeders flock—One ram, one year old or over; one ewe one year or over, and two ewe lambs, all bred by exhibitor, first \$10; second, \$5.

Pen of lambs owned and bred by exhibitor, two ewes and two rams, first \$10 second \$5.

All breeds will be represented in the sheep entered. Two of the lists are as follows:

Shropshires
Shropshires, to be recorded in American Shropshire Registry Association, Lafayette, Ind. Julia M. Wade, secretary.

Best ram two years and over, \$5, \$3, \$2.
Best ram one year and under two, \$5, \$3, \$2.
Best ram lamb, \$5, \$3, \$2.
Champion ram \$10.
Best ewe two years and over, \$5, \$3, \$2.
Best ewe one year and under two, \$5, \$3, \$2.
Best ewe lamb \$5, \$3, \$2.
Champion ewe, \$10.
Best pen consisting of one ram and three ewes, any age. Special by San Angelo Motor Car Company Miller inner tube.

Hampshires
Hampshire sheep, to be recorded in American Hampshire Sheep Breeders Association.

Best ram two years or over, \$5, \$3, \$2.
Best ram one year and under two, \$5, \$3, \$2.
Best ram lamb under one year, \$5, \$3, \$2.
Champion ram, \$10.
Best ewe, two years and over, \$5, \$3, \$2.
Best ewe, one year and under two, \$5, \$3, \$2.
Best ewe lamb, \$5, \$3, \$2.
Champion ewe, \$10.
Best pen consisting of one ram and three ewes, any age, special by Findlater Hardware Company, set of knives and forks.

BUILD UP THE CONSTITUTION OF THE GOAT.

Dr. D. H. Bennett, Veterinarian at the Sonora Sub Station of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, returned Friday from a professional visit to College Station, the Corpus Christi country and other portions of the state. His visit to the coast country was to investigate the goat raising industry in that part of the state. He found that in his opinion the reason for disease among the goats was the low altitude, too much moisture and not sufficient browsing. He recommended small pastures as a restraint and the substitution of other livestock. The goat business had been fairly profitable there during the dry wether but even then the constitution of the animals deteriorated. Dr. Bennett says he finds the tendency of the goat raisers generally, even in this part of the country is to sacrifice constitution for fineness and length of fleece and he would warn growers while there is yet time.

B. W. Hutcherson sold 58 head of cows, 3's and up to Jack Ward law at \$50.

Geo. S. Allison and B. W. Hutcherson bought from Frank Ouditt the 10 1/2 section ranch adjoining the Moos place at \$7.50 per acre.

T. B. Adams of Sonora, bought 2,300 yearling ewes from Hector McKenzie of San Angelo. Mr. Adams will put these sheep on the ranch just purchased from Chas. Evans.

T. B. Adams of Sonora bought the Charles Evans ranch in Menard, Concho and Tom Green counties, known as the Mrs. Tisdale place and consisting of 5,517 acres at \$10.50 per acre. The ranch is well improved mesh wire fenced, good house, etc.

Allison & Hutcherson sold their 15 section Martin ranch in the eastern part of the county to E. J. Ridley and H. P. Allison at \$10 per acre and bought from them their 8 section ranch seven miles east of town, the Holland pasture, at \$15 per acre for four sections, the other being under lease.

The Wool Growers' Central Storage Co., of San Angelo sold 200,000 pounds of 12 months wool Tuesday to Crimens & Pierce of Boston. The prices obtained for a few of the Sonora 12 months clips heard from is as follows: Jack Wardlaw, 58c; Aldwell Bros, 54 1/2; T. B. Adams, 57 1/2; J. W. Wilson, 58; W. E. Glascock, 56 1/2; Geo. S. Allison 55; Cornell & Hunt 57.

THE FINEST EVER BROUGHT TO WESTERN TEXAS

A CAR OF REGISTERED RAMBOUILLET RAMS

WILL BE IN San Angelo During the Meeting OF THE Sheep & Goat Raisers Association June 25, 26 and 27th

These Registered Rambouillet Bucks are the Very Choicest of OHIO BREEDING and Breeders wanting STUD BUCKS to head their flocks should see these rams

IT PAYS TO BREED THE BEST

T. B. ADAMS, Sonora Rambouillet Raiser.

Telegram Tells of Delayed Shipment.

The News received a TELEGRAM from J. T. COOPER at Prescott, Ariz., stating that it was impossible to reach San Angelo on June 25-27 as advertised but would on a later date be there with 300 Pure Bred Rambouillet Rams

These are the same breed of bucks we have been selling in this part of the country for the past 5 years and have given general satisfaction. These bucks were bred by the Grand Canyon Sheep Co., of Flagstaff, Ariz., and are coming twos.

For further particulars see or write J. T. & J. D. COOPER, Del Rio, Texas.

BUYING AT HOME HELPS

BASE BALL.

The Sonora Base Ball Club will play at San Angelo June 25th; at Ozona July 4th and Menard will play here on July 12th

Have you a copy of the BOB CAT, the first Annual of the Sonora High School? Its a credit to the school and community

T. P. Price, president of the International Auto School, 707 South Flores St., San Antonio, was in Sonora, Friday, soliciting students for his school which is said to be one of the best auto schools in the State.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Keene were visiting in town this week.

Joe Bloodworth of Fort Worth a brother to Lloyd P. Bloodworth was here Monday.

J. E. Casner, Ford agent at Alpine was in town Tuesday en route to Llano.

Ben Gresham of Austin is here on a visit to his cousins Louie and Henry Stuart on the ranch.

G. C. Earwood, John A. Ward and Fred Earwood left for Abilene Thursday.

Miss Fay Keeton of Jewett, accompanied Grady Lowrey from San Antonio for a visit and is a guest on the Stuart ranch this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Chapman of Dallas, are guests of the Commercial Hotel. They like Dallas but the Doctor has some unfinished business and will spend the summer here and at Eldorado.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Miers and daughter Miss Gladys Miers left on Sunday for Hot Springs, Ark. on a vacation.

Joe Sellers of Marfa, spent Wednesday night here. He says all the bandits on the Mexican border are not Villa men.

Mrs. Victor Saul and Miss Lotie Stevens of Bandera are the guests of their sister Mrs. O. C. Ridley.

R. J. Calder and L. C. Grace of Galveston were here Wednesday from a visit to the Hudspeth ranch.

Heavy rains have fallen in various parts of the country this week but the precipitation in Sonora was 95-100 of an inch.

Hollie Carson of Brawley, Cal. was here Thursday visiting his mother Mrs. C. Whitfield. He brought his wife and babies to Juno on a visit to her parents, Mr and Mrs. John Taylor. Mrs. Carson has recently been in ill health and the visit is expected to help her more than medicine.

Wiley Williams Adams of Sonora and Miss Mattie Goodall of Roosevelt, were united in married at the Methodist parsonage in Junction Sunday June 15th 1919. Rev. Swinnee officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. L. G. Good all of Roosevelt and a sister to the Postmistress Miss Eunice Good all of that place as well as a sister to Mrs. Joe F. Logan of this county. The groom is the eldest son of T. B. Adams, and is a popular, industrious and progressive young stockman. The News extends best wishes.

HEREFORD BULLS.
For sale 14 head Fullblood Hereford Bulls, Two years old in good condition. See, Write or Phone A. R. Gauthorn, Sonora, Texas.

IMPORTANT PART IS ILLTREATED

Owners Should Give More Attention to Universal Joints, Declares an Expert.

SHAFTS MOVING CONTINUALLY

On Account of Location Joint Is Neglected More Than Any Other Part of Car—Engine Is Blamed for Difficulty.

Pity the sorrows of the poor universal joint. Compelled to struggle alone, out of sight and out of mind striving to overcome friction when neglected, shocked almost to the breaking point by contact of the rear wheels, with water bars and mud holes, wrenched unmercifully by sudden use of the clutch—still it stands up under the strain. Study its needs and attend to them, and you will be repaid a hundredfold, writes an expert in an exchange.

The purpose of a universal joint is to deliver power from one shaft to another when out of line or at a varying angle. The forward end is fastened to the spline shaft in the gear box and the rear end to the propeller shaft going to the differential and rear axle. Some manufacturers place another universal joint near the differential. The two shafts are rarely in line, so some sort of a flexible coupling is necessary, and the present high-grade joint has been devised.

Shafts Kept Moving.
The gear box rises and falls with the spring action, but the rear axle follows the contour of the road. Thus the two shafts are continually moving out of line and the need of a flexible joint is quite apparent. The angle is never very great, because any departure from a straight line loses power. When the car is properly loaded with passengers the line will be found to be very nearly, if not quite, straight.

On account of its location the joint is often neglected probably more than any other part of the car. It is a dirty job to grease or even to inspect it, and so it is neglected until the engine is unable to pull the usual hills on high gear. Frequently the engine is blamed for this, whereas the fault is entirely due to friction in the universal joint, gears, and differential. Long before this trouble arises the joint should be lubricated.

The old types were covered with a leather boot difficult to remove. But the present type is completely incased in metal with a convenient plug for greasing. Of course a grease gun must be used and the lubricant forced in at different angles. Use a light gear-case compound, one that will reach every part readily.

Avoid Cup Grease.
Do not use a cup grease, as it will not work into the joints, but will squeeze out and stay out. This also applies to the lubricant used in gears and differential. It must be of a consistency to run in between the gears as fast as it is forced out.

Now give a good look at the bolts

holding the flanges together and you may learn something to your advantage. Sometimes a bolt will loosen, throwing extra strain on the others. The joint loosens up and the bolts break. Put a wrench on them occasionally or, better still, have them secured by heavy ball wire. This will prevent them from turning.

TO STRAIGHTEN GARAGE DOOR

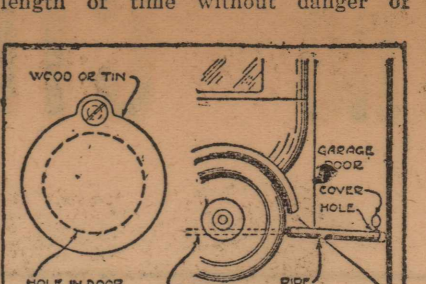
Suggestion Given Which Is Better Than Planing Off Bottom to Prevent Sagging.

Here is a suggestion for straightening a garage door that has begun to sag which is better than the ordinary method of planing off the bottom. Drive two heavy nails in opposite corners of the door and run some lengths of heavy wire between them. Slip a couple of blocks of wood under the wire and then take another spike and use it as a turnbuckle in the center of the wire. This will draw the bottom of the door up, so that it will fit its frame properly. Finally drive the turnbuckle spike in the center of the door and the cure for sagging will be permanent.

ASPHYXIATION IN A GARAGE

Danger May Be Avoided by Arranging Exhaust of Automobile Through Pipe System.

A simple way to fix a garage so that the motor may be run for any length of time without danger of



A Pipe Extension for the Exhaust of an Automobile to Run the Gases Outdoors.

asphyxiation to anyone inside may be accomplished as follows:

Get a hole about 2 1/2 inches in diameter in the door. Over this fit a swinging door, to be closed when not in use. Take a 2-inch pipe, and place one end over the exhaust pipe of the automobile and the other end through the small hole in the door.—S. L. Farwell, in Popular Science Monthly.

TO FIX BROKEN INSULATION

Injury May Be Quickly and Easily Repaired by Using a Small Quantity of Tar.

When on the road it is found that wiring insulation is broken with all its attendant troubles, the injured insulation may be quickly and easily repaired by using a small quantity of the tar which is to be found on top of the battery. Melt the tar, and while it is hot spread it over the break in the insulation and cover the whole job with a piece of cloth. Of course, if electricity's tap is at hand this may be used to repair the break; indeed, this is precisely the sort of service for which the tap is intended.

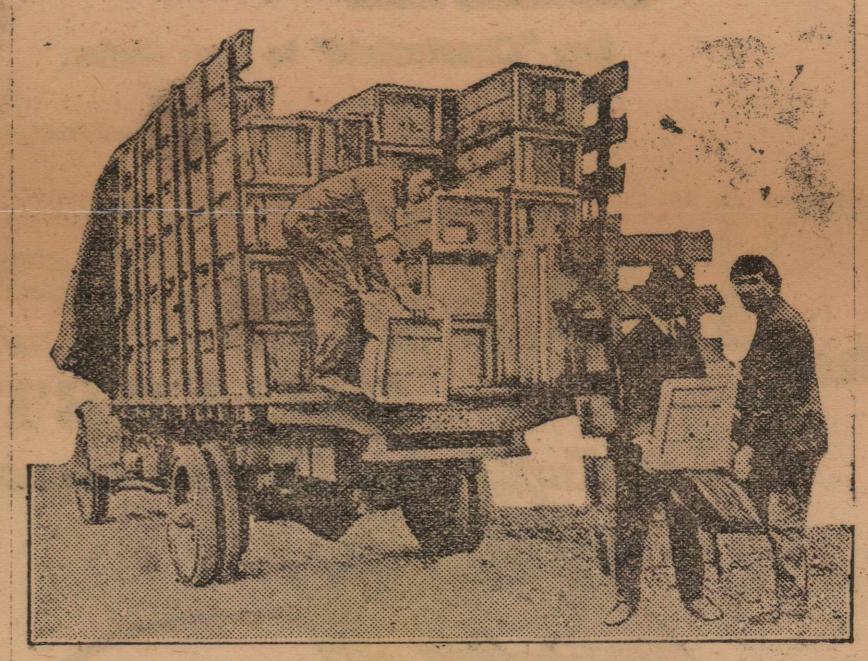
COLLECTING AND DELIVERING FARM FREIGHT

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Farm-to-farm collection of freight on motortruck crates is practiced on short rural routes where comparatively few stops are ordinarily made. Such collection is costly both in time and gasoline and hence necessitates higher rates. The cross roads collection system is popular also, the shippers centralizing their produce at certain points where it can be loaded on the trucks. The central assembling method where the shippers concentrate their freight at one point or where a lighter, auxiliary truck collects and delivers it is worthy of trial, as it possesses many efficient features. The delivery of the goods at their destinations may be handled very satisfactorily in a similar manner.

simple his system, should keep a record of his expenses. The bureau of markets in an investigation of over 60 rural motor routes, ascertained that many operators who kept no accounts thought they were making a profit, when, as a matter of fact, they were gradually exhausting their original investment for current expenses.

Must Practice Economy.
Rural hauling by motor is limited and restricted by the operation costs as compared with those of railroads, electric lines and boat routes. The truckman must practice every possible economy in order to minimize his expenses which will be reflected in his charges. Truck routes are only adapted to sections in which the roads are good, as poor roads are an insurmountable obstacle to motor freighting. Furthermore, truck operators must be financially responsible for the goods they carry. Consequently they should be protected by adequate insurance. It is only by such practices that a permanent and certain business can be developed.

Must Keep Accounts.
The small-scale truck line usually collects the charges when the freight is accepted, while the more elaborate systems which haul regularly for different patrons submit weekly or monthly bills. It is essential that each truck operator, no matter how



Loading Crates of Celery on Motortruck.

Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given that all trespassers on my ranch known as the Lost Lake ranch 12 miles north east of Sonora, and other ranches owned and controlled by me for the purpose of cutting timber, hauling wood or hunting hogs without my permission, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

A. F. CLARKSON, Sonora, Texas.

BUCKS FOR SALE.

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A NEW HOME FOR FIRST NATIONAL.

At an early date the First National Bank of Sonora will begin the erection of a two story modern bank building on the corner of Main and Concho avenue formerly occupied by a drug store. This improvement has been needed for several years as the importance of this institution has grown with the settlement of the country and its duties have multiplied with the years and its business became more important, confidential and voluminous. The plans have not been drawn but the directors have decided that there is nothing to gain by longer delay.

Mrs. Wilfred Conerly of San Angelo, is the guest of Judge and Mrs. L. W. Elliott.

Mrs. Lillie Covington and children of Plainview are visiting her mother Mrs. J. L. Davis.

Dr. A. G. Blanton of Ozona made a short visit to Sonora Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Brasher and son Junior are visiting relatives in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Jud Nicks of Schleicher county, were visiting in Sonora Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Evans were in Sonora this week from the ranch north of Fort McKavett.

T. D. Word was in town last week from his ranch 25 miles west of Sonora.

Lewis Hersey and Frank McMullan of Angelo were in town Monday.

Mrs. King of Brady, formerly Miss Lizzie Yoas, was in town for a few days this week the guest of Mrs. Allison.

Hiram Stokes who is assisting T. A. Williams in making abstracts of Edwards county, was home on a visit Saturday.

Mrs. Ben L. Grimes of Lampasas is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. Walter Davis on the ranch north of town.

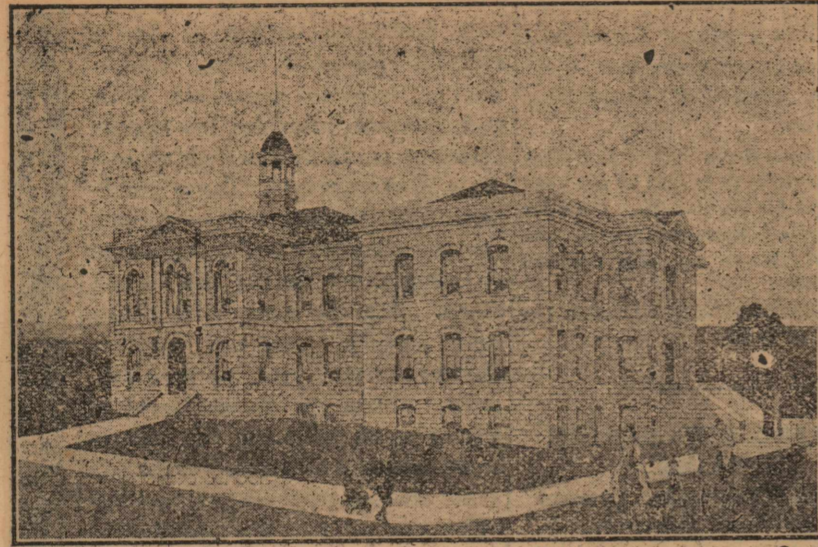
We would respectfully call attention of the T. B. societies that Harrison Fishers latest American girl is drinking water from the old oaken bucket with a tin cup.

S. E. Gilbert of Fort Stockton, former sheep inspector, but now engaged in the sheep business with Allison Brothers was here a few days this week.

Ed Fowler who is ranching on the North Llano, was in town a few days this week. He says conditions are prosperous in the Llano country.

Mrs. Myrtle Baker daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Berry Baker of the North Llano country, is home from Angelo where she attended the convent school.

SONORA SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT.



The Sonora school term for 1918-19 has passed into history. The Commencement exercises that brought a successful year to a close was particularly attractive and will live long in the memory of students, parents and teachers. The programs rendered at the graduation of the three boys and three girls Friday night was more advanced than previous commencement and the large, well dressed, intelligent audience was representative of the successful, progressive community. The "Class History" was reviewed by Miss Bertha Pfeister; The Valedictorian Miss Girtude Karnes had "Political Leadership" for her subject; Miers Savell's oration was on the "Governments of Mexico"; the Vocal Solo by A. B. Stokes, the Salutatory of Miss Gladys Turney was "Work and Homes for the Returning Soldiers" and the "Class Prophecy" by J. R. Bradford Beard was a humorous sketch in verse. The method of presenting and the modernness of the subjects showed pep and preparation. The address by District Judge James Cornell again was different, not only in the selection of a

Notice to Eastern Star Members

The time of meeting has been changed to the third Tuesday of each month.

Jack Pierce News Agent.

The San Angelo Standard, San Antonio Express, El Paso Herald, Fort Worth Star-Telegram and Dallas News for sale at the Horn Palace.

Ernest C. Butler of Chipley, Fla., is here in the interest of an oil producing company.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ridley and children and Alton Ridley are visiting at Center Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Drisdale of the Beaver Lake country were in Sonora Friday evening.

If motorists would not cut the corners so sharply they would have better streets and the expense of upkeep of cars would not be so great.

Oscar Appelt who ranches 25 miles southeast of town, left for San Antonio last week and will probably return in a steamer automobile.

Archie Wright, editor of the Success of Schleicher county, was in Sonora Saturday and boosted the Eldorado ball club to a winning of the game.

home man but due to the fact that Judge Cornell always says something interesting and instructive to his audience.

The diplomas were presented by the new President of the Board, T. B. Adams. The Invocation and Benediction were asked and pronounced by Jewell Matthews, the Superintendent, in the absence of Rev. S. C. Dunn.

The Elementary school, senior class, were given their diplomas at the school auditorium Friday morning and W. L. Aldwell spoke words of encouragement to this class on their advancement to the high school and recitals and songs celebrated the occasion.

The Sophomore class which consists of 14 girls and three boys was organized last month and they or rather 12 of the girls put on a show Thursday night at the Auditorium. They are a bright, enthusiastic bunch and if they are studious should reflect credit to the school.

The above report shows the interest that is being taken in school work in Sonora and means much for success in the years to come.

GOOD ROADS MEETING.

A good roads meeting will be held in Sonora June 24th for the purpose of thoroughly organizing the San Antonio-El Paso Highway.

Two members of the State Highway Commission have promised to attend.

Hon. W. W. Stewart member of Road Committee of the House of Representatives, will be present as well as many County Judges and good roads boosters are invited.

The meeting is called at the suggestion of the Toyah Valley Good Roads Association and the proper organization and pushing of this Highway will mean \$100,000 State and Federal aid to Sutton county. Make it your business, to have a good meeting.

Misses Rotha and Kathleen Cocks are visiting relatives at Center Point.

F. F. Cocks, manager of the Sonora Mercantile Co., was at Del Rio on wool business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bridge of Vingaroon, Val Verde county, were in town Wednesday. They brought home Miss Lora Word who has been teaching down there this session.

"THIS SHOULD DRILL SUTTON COUNTY LEASES AT ONCE" Writes Friend

The Barnsdall Corporation of New York, capitalize at \$14,000,000 under the laws of Delaware, on June 1st offered to its employees and friends an opportunity to buy a small portion of the stock at \$22.50 per share (par value \$25) and the issue was "oversubscribed about ten times. This should drill Sutton County leases at once" writes a Pittsburgh friend to the News on June 11th and adds in answer to our comment of "Sutton Surrounded" of a few weeks ago: "The jumping of leases have kept back drilling by Pittsburgh more than anything else."

This condition does not effect the Barnsdall 65,000 acre lease in Sutton county, which is spoken of in the Report of the Assets of the Barnsdall Corporation as "under lease in favorable location in the State of Texas" but we are sorry to say does apply in two or three instances where the ranchman was persuaded by other oil scouts that the original lease was not good and that they the new lessors would pay cash and higher rental and would fight the case if the original holders of the lease should contend for their rights.

Thus it may be seen that the suggestion that ranchmen lease their lands twice, (while only accepting rental from one party) came from the oil men. However the acreage in this condition is small and should not retard development. We do not doubt the original contract will hold in the courts.

Wealthy Texan Has Large Oil Holdings in Sutton County.

Edward F. Simms of Houston, who with R. T. Wilson & Co., of New York, owns the oil lease on 43,520 acres in the center of Sutton county, has made a fortune in Texas oil and owns great oil properties in Mexico and Louisiana and his fortune is estimated at \$20,000,000. Simms and associates also has the lease on 50,000 acres in the eastern part of Sutton county.

Republic Production Company Visits Sonora

Thomas P. Lee, president and E. F. Woodward first vice president both of Houston, and Frank Cullinan second vice president of Dallas, officials of the Republic Production Company, were in town Wednesday on a tour of inspection of the coming oil development. They admired the location of Sonora and had faith in its future if the fire traps are removed.

Alfred Gray and S. H. Andrews of Dallas, surveyors for an oil company said to be one of the largest in United States, are here working over some lease holdings.

Dr. F. H. Lahee of Dallas who is geologist for a large oil production Company is here again for more work connected with his company's large holdings west and south of Sonora.

L. C. Hatzel of Pittsburgh, Pa., of the R. G. Gillespie Oil Company, Charles Searle of San Francisco, Calif., both of whom are making headquarters at the Menager, in San Antonio, were here Thursday on oil business and were accompanied by G. C. Morris attorney at law, of Devine, Medina county, where the Gillespie interests are now drilling.

A. J. Gordon, the popular representative of the Angelo Furniture Co. was here this week.

Mrs. A. F. Bellows and children have gone to San Antonio to spend the summer where Mr. Bellows has a lucrative position. B. F. Bellows accompanied them.

J. J. North of the firm of Hall, North & Simmons owners of the Sonora Garage in Sonora and the Ozona Garage in Ozona, was in Sonora for a short visit Sunday. He reports the Ozona business as flourishing and said Ozona wanted a big crowd from Sonora for their celebration on July 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Stoke Williams were in town Saturday on a short visit to relatives. Mr. Williams has recently returned from service in France and Mrs. Williams met him in San Antonio where he received his discharge. They have gone to the ranch near Meitzon where Mr. Williams parents reside.

Was Ozona Working Us?

For some reason the Ozona Giants on their visit to Sonora Friday were off their play or maybe traveling Friday. The 13th was unlucky as they were defeated by Eldorado that morning by a score of 2 to 8. J. W. Gillette of Alpine pitching for Eldorado and in Sonora that afternoon they got a bad start and let Sonora have eight runs in the first inning one in the 2nd, 6 in the 5th, and five in the 8th - total 20 and while all this was happenin' scored once and only in the 4th.

Enniete Archer who pitched for Sonora stuck out 7 without trying as he was given errorless support. Ozona had Buck Bailey and Will Roy said it was the first time in seven years of ball playing that he did not get to first. Hamilton for Sonora knocked a home and brought two men in.

The line up was as follows:
Ozona—Vernon Cox ss; Will Ray 2b; Buck Bailey 1b and bc; Chalk Barton rf; Sam Cox p; Craig c; Adam cf; Weaver 3b; Weavea lf;

Sonora—Fields lf; Archer p; W. Grimland ss; Hamilton 2b; Adams c; Driskell 3b; White rf; Gilbert cf; Keesee 1b.

Eldorado Beats Sonora

Even local ball players have their off days and this was in evidence Saturday when Sonora after winning four straight games this season was defeated by its arch enemy (its nearest neighbor) Eldorado in a ten inning game of 5 to 1. It was however the best game played in Sonora this season and while perfectly good ex-uses could be made, the Sonora team has nothing to be ashamed of. The Sonora slab artists just couldnt hit Gillette the Alpine-Fort Stockton pitcher. The first score was made by Keesee of Sonora in the 6th and this was tied by Eldorado in the 9th and they also made four runs in the tenth and the large crowd of Eldorado fans were most happy. Jo Williams of Eldorado late all around athlete of the West Texas Academy of San Antonio was the preformer for the

Matthews and W. B. Keesee were the umpires. The line up was as follows:

Sonora—Fields lf; Archer 3b; Grimland ss; Hamilton 2b; Adams c; White rf; Gilbert cf; Keesee 1b; Martin p.

Eldorado—Delma Smith cf; Ray 2b; Jo Williams ss; Grimes 3b; Gillette p; Buck Bailey c; Robinson lf; Sweet cf; T. J. Bailey lf.

Miss Ruth Davis is visiting in Mineral Wells.

Mrs. V. J. Turney and daughter Miss Thelma were in from the ranch Sunday.

The dance at the Club Friday night was largely attended and the participants had a most enjoyable time.

Dr. Chapman the dentist will be in Sonora to do dental work from June 16 to July 6th. He will give special attention to Pyorrhea and diseased gums.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beard and four sons left for their new home near Ballinger Saturday. Mr. Beard has bought a 200 acre farm and pasture at \$20 per acre four miles from Ballinger. There is 65 acres in cotton on the place and this crop will be a paying one this year.

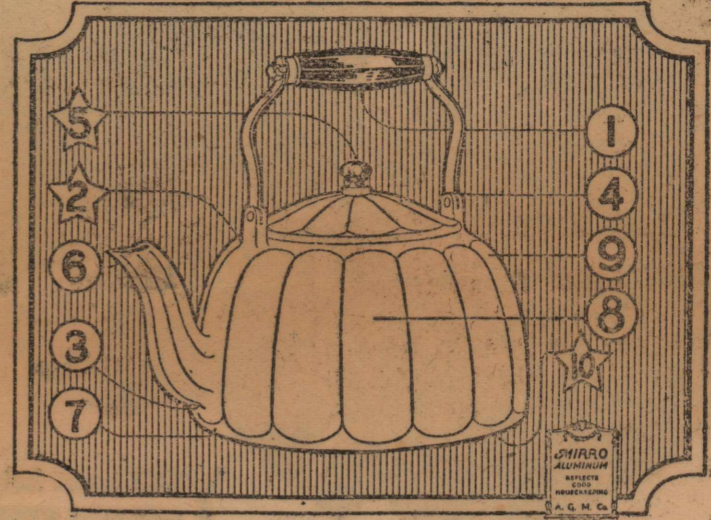
B. B. Treadwell of Uvalde, late of Corpus Christi, was in Sonora this week returning from a visit to his mother and brother John M. Treadwell on their ranch north of McKavett in Menard county. Mr. Treadwell has been in the drug business in Corpus.

W. W. Cochrane, manager of the Clarkson Garage, returned Monday from a business trip to Houston. He says the bumper corps of corn, oats and wheat are everywhere in evidence but that the low lands on the Brazos has had too much rain for cotton.

Frank Eaton was home from Rocksprings Sunday. He is wiring the town and will install the electric light plant for that improving town. He says the light company bought Michigan White cedar poles, which are better, and had them laid down for less money than they could get the Red cedar poles out of the canyon a few miles from Rocksprings.

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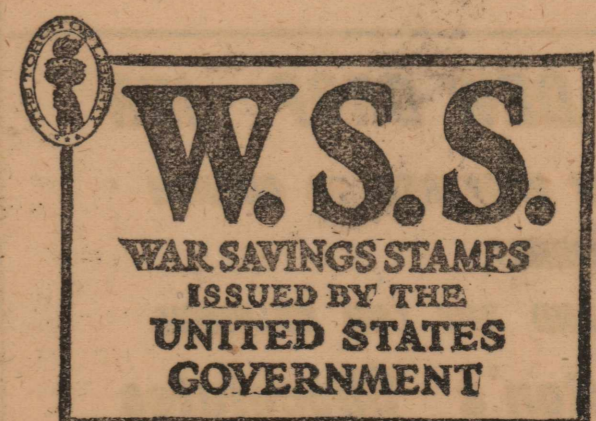
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Another Us for Newspapers.

A resourceful motorist whose car has been stuck in the mud does not always have to fall back on a pair of mules to get free. For such an emergency the United States Fire Company offers some suggestions that have proved valuable. The first calls for having stored away somewhere in the car a stack of old newspapers. When the car gets stuck and the wheels refuse to take hold, feed in some of the old papers between the tires and mud. Usually only a few will have to be worked in before the wheels will begin to grip and the car start forward. This method of handling a difficult situation is so simple and so uniformly successful that every motorist should know of it and carry a pile of old newspapers. Unless he is equipped with some other apparatus for such a coating job. Here is another method. Put the car in low, and if you can not feed the gas with your foot evenly, so that the wheels will revolve slowly, put your emergency brake on. Do not put it on so that the wheels will not revolve at all, but tightly enough to keep them from revolving rapidly. With the wheels turning slowly, the maximum pull is delivered to them by having the car in low gear, and so long as they turn slowly they can get the benefit of the tremendous power. It is not always wise to fill the hole with stones or bricks; for their rough edges are hard on tires. Small branches of trees are better, as they offer much better traction space. Should this method fail, quite often a slight push that would not do much more than move a baby buggy will furnish just the added amount of power necessary to get the car going.

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New Pupil—"Tommy."
Teacher—"What is your full name?"
New Pupil—"Tommy Jones."
Teacher—"Then Jones is your last name?"
Tommy—"No, it isn't. When I was born my name was Jones, and they didn't give the other for a month afterward."

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T. L. BENSON,
Sonora, Texas, Dec. 1, 1918.

Notice to Trespassers.
Notice is hereby given that all trespassers on my ranch 21 miles south of Sonora for the purpose of cutting timber, hauling wood, working live stock, hunting hogs or injuring fences, without my permission, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
D. B. CUSENBARY,
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Guest—You belong to one branch of our host's family, I believe.
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If Congress makes the appropriation of \$25,000 to aid in fighting the screw worm and horn fly, ask for a few days ago by Representatives E. S. and Hudspeth, it will be of material assistance in ridding Texas stockman of two of their most dreaded pests. It is hard to probable that, with the appropriation asked for, the money can be available for much, if any, work during the coming summer, but it will save a multitude of animals in future years. It is interesting to note in this connection that an appropriation of \$389,000 has just been made for use in exterminating predatory animals throughout the country a considerable part of which will most likely be used in Texas. This appropriation was secured by Representative Hudspeth, who, it is believed may be depended upon to see that Texas gets its share of the funds. The Federal Government is already doing a splendid work along this line, but there has not been a sufficient amount of money to extend operations over the large area in Texas infested by animals which prey upon young stock. The Texas Legislature appropriated \$25,000 to assist in this work, co-operating with the Federal Government, and as a result, a recent report shows that for the year ending April 30, a total of 3,242 predatory animals were destroyed in Texas. These animals included lobos, timber wolves, coyotes, mountain lions and bobcats. Besides the appropriations made by the Federal and State Governments, Texas stockmen contributed a considerable amount about \$18,000 being raised in this manner during last month alone. A great number of young calves, sheep, goats and colts are destroyed every year by wild animals. When to these losses of young stock is added the loss of adult animals by screw worms and other similar pest, and the serious effect had on them by horn flies, it may be seen how greatly stockmen are in need of measures which will protect them from such ravages and aid them in supplying the enormous amount of waste the country will be called upon to supply to Europe after taking care of its own needs in this respect.—San Antonio Express.

Life Was a Misery
Mrs. F. M. Jones, of Palmer, Okla., writes:
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