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CITY GARAGE,
SONORA GARAGE.

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Sonora, Texas - June 19, 1920.

D. J. CHALK

Death came to D. J. Chalk Tuesday afternoon, after an illness following a paralytic stroke which had lasted for several weeks. Deceased was in his sixty eighth year and had resided in LaGrange since last fall, coming here from his farm near Rutersville.

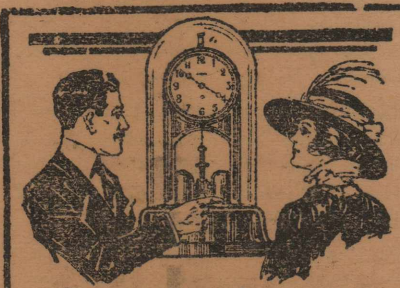
Mr. Chalk was born in Belton, Bell county, July 2, 1852, and when a lad of six year, accompanied his parents to Washington county, locating at Brenham. A few years later he became an apprentice in the Brenham Banner, a weekly newspaper then owned and edited by Col. J. G. Rankin, who is still living at Brenham. Later Mr. Chalk removed to the neighborhood of Rutersville, in this, Fayette county and on Aug. 25, 1873 was united in marriage with Miss Agnes Rehmann, daughter of the late Henry Rehmann.

Besides his family there are no living relatives. The chief mourners are his widow and the following children: Ben Chalk, LaGrange; Joe of Flatonia, Rus. H. Sonora; Frank of Sheverport, La.; Bert of Petrolia, Mrs. Joe Bradford of Sonora, Mrs. J. D. Roach of Smithville and Misses Annie and Agnes of Houston and Miss Fay of LaGrange.

Wednesday afternoon, from the family residence, the funeral was held with interment at the new cemetery. In addition to his local friends, there came many from his former home to pay their last respect. May his rest be peaceful. LaGrange Journal May 27.

BANISH BLOOD SUCKING INSECTS and keep your chickens immune from them by feeding "Nartine INSECTICIDE" to your chickens. Your money back if not absolutely satisfied. Ask Sonora Drug Store.

The Baptist protracted meeting has been postponed one week. It will begin on the third Sunday in June (the 20th) instead of the second Sunday. This change in date was made necessary from the fact that Dr. E. F. Lyon, who is to assist in the meeting, could not reach Sonora until the third Sunday.



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The Butcher's Dream.

Last evening I was talking with a Butcher aged and gray. Who told me of a dream he had, I think 'twas Christmas day. While snoozing in his office, The vision came to view. For he saw an angel appear, Dressed in garb, its white and new. Said the angel, "I'm from heaven, The Lord has sent me down To bring you up to glory And put on your golden crown. You've been a friend to everyone, And worked hard night and day, You have supported many thousand, And from few received your pay. So we want you up in glory, For you have labored hard, And the good Lord is preparing Your eternal just reward." Then the angel and the butcher started up toward glory's gate, But when passing close to heaven, The angel murmured—"wait! I have a place to give you— It's the best place in hell— Where the ones who never did you in't want always dwell." As he spoke the butcher saw the red old customers by the sea, And grabbing up a chair and fan, He wish'd for nothing more; But was bound to sit and watch them As they'd sitze, singe and burn, And his eyes would rest on debtors, Whichever way they'd turn. Said the angel, "Come on, butcher, There's the nearly gates to see." But the butcher only muttered, "This is heaven enough for me."

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The News rates for announcements is: Congressional, Legislature and Judicial Districts \$5. County officer \$10. Precinct officers \$2.50. All announcements are payable in cash in advance.

The Devil's River News is authorized to announce.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

B. J. Stewart of Barksdale, as a candidate for Representative for this the 11th District, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

TAX ASSESSOR

Geo. J. Trainer as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Sutton County subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

Mrs. Annie Winn as a candidate for election to the office of Tax Assessor of Sutton County subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR

B. W. Hutchinson as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Sutton County subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

A. D. McKnight, as a candidate for election to the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Sutton County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

COUNTY TREASURER

E. W. Hardgrave as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer of Sutton County subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

COUNTY JUDGE.

L. W. Elliott, as a candidate for election to the office of County Judge of Sutton County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

J. E. Grimsaid, as a candidate for election to the office of County Judge of Sutton County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK

J. P. Lowrey as a candidate for re-election to the office of County and District Clerk, of Sutton County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

COMMISSIONER.

Ed. Glascock, as a candidate for election to the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, Sutton county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

J. W. Wilson as a candidate for re-election to the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, Sutton County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

W. H. Kelley, as a candidate for re-election to the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, Sutton County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

JUSTICE OF PEACE.

J. N. Roselle, as a candidate for election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, Sutton county subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

Carl Morrow, as a candidate for election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, Sutton county subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

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Regular shows Tuesday, Friday and Saturday.

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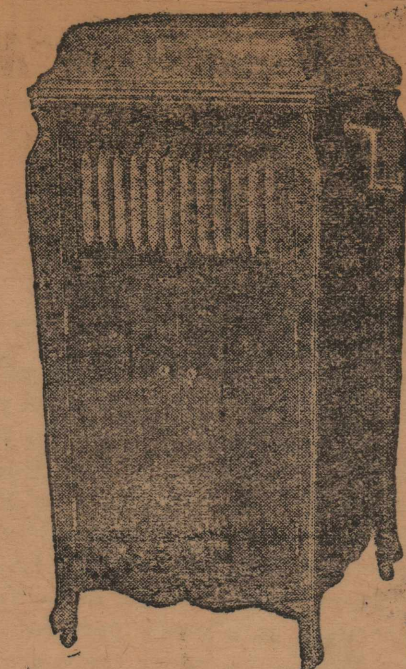
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DIED.

Mrs. Nancy Eaves, aged 91 years died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. I. B. Odom in Sonora, Monday June 14th and was laid to rest in the Sonora cemetery, Tuesday morning, Rev. W. E. Hathorn, Pastor of the Sonora Baptist Church officiating.

Mrs. Eaves has been an invalid for many years and while the mother of six children is survived only by Mrs. Odom. She was born in East Texas, probably near Independence in 1829 and her life was spent at Odessa in Hopkins county. The last seven years were spent in Sutton county with her daughters Mrs. O. T. Word and Mrs. Odom. Her grand children living are Bannister, Robert and Ira Odom, Mrs. Ed Glascock, Mrs. Will Wilson and Mrs. Sol Kelley of Sonora, Ira Word of San Antonio, Mrs. J. A. McGonigill of El Paso, Mrs. Leo Brown of Del Rio, Mrs. J. A. Witcher of Lampasas, Walter Scott of Wheeler, John Odom of Ravanna, Ark., Mrs. Bud McNealey, David and Miss Viola Bays of Cumby.

The pall bearers were W. L. Aldwell, E. F. Vander Stucken, Geo. S. Allison, D. J. Wyatt, S. L. Merek, G. B. Hamilton.

The News extends its sympathy to the daughter, Mrs. Odom, and the grand children in their sorrow.

Mrs. Ma de Barwood of June died at San Angelo Monday. She was well known in Sonora, being the daughter of the late Mrs. T. W. Bentz, a sister of Mrs. G. G. Stephenson of the Pandate neighborhood. Her husband, Edward Barwood, formerly of Jerome, Ariz., moved to Texas in the summer of 1919, and is a no man in the Juno-Comstock country. The News extends its sympathy to the daughter and husband and family in their sorrow.

You want a first-class saddle. We sell the famous R. T. Frazier saddle, made at Pueblo, Colorado. Call and see them, at the Sonora Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Lillie Covington of Plainview is here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. J. L. Davis.

Frank Decker and Vernon Hamilton are in Mineral Wells getting information about the political conditions.

D. I. McBurnett and R. B. Garrett of the Anglo Furniture Co. were in Sonora several days this week doing some house furnishing work on W. C. Bryson's new residence.

J. O. Bountree of Plainview arrived in Sonora Thursday. He wants to go fishing on the Rio Grande where they have the right kind of bait. The Judge says Mr. Bountree and the children are all in good health.

Kocco Morris, Inspector for the Sheep & Goat Raisers Association, received word Thursday that his brother George Morris had the misfortune to have his foot cut off by a train at Luling Tuesday. He is now in the hospital at Lockhart. No particulars as to how the accident occurred was received.

Mrs. D. T. Hebert is spending the summer in Denver, Col. The last letter Mr. Hebert had from her she stated that the climate and treatment she was receiving had improved her health.

Frank Decker, Notary Public Sutton County, Texas.

Minor Slutt and George Suggs of the San Angelo Standard Circulation Department, were in Sonora Tuesday interviewing some of the local sheepmen relative to having the Standard appointed official newspaper of the Sheep & Goat Raisers Association. Most of the men interviewed declared themselves as favoring the Standard. As the largest and most important newspaper in West Texas, these men felt that the Standard would be of greater service to the members of the Association and of greater help in carrying out its program. The Ozona Stockman, present official organ of the Association in a recent article stated that in its opinion the Standard would be a better medium for the Sheep & Goat men.

A bad taste in the mouth comes from a disordered stomach and sluggish state of the bowels. Hebine corrects the trouble immediately. It purifies the bowels, helps digestion and sweetens the breath. Price, 50c. Sold by Sonora Drug Co.

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E. F. Vander Stucken-Trainer Co.

MAYER BARBECUE.

The Mayer or Middle Valley barbecue and picnic held at the intersection of the Sonora-El Dorado McKavett roads, eighteen miles northeast of Sonora, Wednesday June 16th, was a most satisfactory success. The arrangement of the grounds was splendid and was a great help to the pleasure of the day. A band from San Angelo furnished excellent music for the dances and the con-

their charges and gave good service. The crowd was large and while the community was there in full force there was a large representation from Sonora and Eldorado and smaller numbers from McKavett, Menard, Junction, the North Llano, Christoval, San Angelo and Del Rio. The barbecue was of the very best with plenty for all. The goat roping, broncho busting and baseball game furnished ample amusement for the crowd and the committee should feel well paid for their effort with the universal praise accorded the days entertainment. The executive committee was C. E. Stites, H. E. Sharp, Lamar Wilkinson, Arch Crosby, Alfred Schweineing and O. B. Page, assisted by the entire community.

There were 23 entries in the goat roping contest, thirteen of whom made no time. The winner was Henry Wyatt 13 3/5; Case Meadows 17 1/5; Tom A. Bond 18 2/5.

The base ball game was an easy victory for Eldorado as their team had plenty of pep and the players on their toes all the time. Menard was poorly organized and gave no support to their pitcher Joe Glascock. They played a scoreless game up to the last half of the ninth when they made four runs. The score was 8 to 4 in favor of Eldorado.

Lost on Saturday June 5th, between Sonora and Sol Kelley's ranch, one mule chain. Finder please notify Lewis Hietsey, Sonora.

George Miers of Del Rio was here this week visiting relatives. Mr. Miers has large ranch interests in Old Mexico about sixty miles from Del Rio. He says the Provisional President of Mexico, Huerta, is a brilliant young man and he looks for Mexico to become peaceful and prosperous under the control and direction of the parties now in power. He says all gambling has been forbidden and it is likely the open saloon will be banished from the border towns. This will not mean prohibition, because all the Mexican people know how to make mescale and other alcoholic liquors.

T. L. Benson sold for Edward Wil. longibly of Schleicher county, 57 cows and calves to Smith Brothers of Mason at \$75 a pair.

E. M. Kirkland received this week 10head of registered Delaine rams, from J. E. Smith Co., of Pendleton, Oregon. They are yearlings and fine looking fellows.

The R. T. Frazier, Pueblo, Colorado. Saddles are sold by the Sonora Mercantile Co.

G. R. Warren had as his guests the past week Hubert E. Butler and Howell Muckelroy of Houston.

pleased with the Sonora country and visited the Experiment Station while here. Mr. Butler will probably buy a ranch in this part of the country in the fall.

Buy your Sheep Dip from the E. F. Vander Stucken-Trainer Company.

Oscar Appelt gave Mr. Aldwell president of the First National Bank, a large Angora goat rug and Mr. Aldwell when to ring the Federal Reserve Bank people at Dallas something of the "Mortgage Lifting" qualities of the Goat said he would send this rug to them. It will be hung on the wall and when a loan on goats is being considered the beauty, utility of the mohair goat will be represented by this silent spokesman.

We have just received a nice new shipment of Ben Hur Coffee, Teas, Extracts and Spices. E. F. Vander Stucken-Trainer Co.

G. R. Warren returned Tuesday from a visit to San Angelo. While there he met Mr. Rives, secretary for the Committee on the Sheep & Goat Raisers Association entertainment, who told him all arrangements were being made for the proper accommodation of exhibitors. The show ring will be in the Ball park near the Orient and ample shade is being provided. It is expected that 3,000 fine animals will be on sale at this meeting.

Buy your lime and sulphur for sheep dip at the E. F. Vander Stucken-Trainer Company.

Jack Miles who is representing the State in the Tick eradication work in this county, desires ranchmen who are having teams come here for wool or with freight from counties that are not clean, to notify the freighters of the necessity of having their stock cleaned before coming into this county. It is not only an inconvenience and expense to the freighters but is also liable to cause much damage to the live stock and the ranches that are clean. It is also proper that ranchmen or citizens who see stock coming into the County to notify an inspector as early as possible.

Summer School.

High School and Seventh Grade students desiring to improve on past work, prepare for new work, or make up deficiencies can be accommodated in the Summer School conducted in monthly periods at the School building. For reasonable tuition, a child is given the opportunity of making in 6 weeks the work which may occupy the whole session. This is for the convenience of the child and the work is endorsed by the Board. Pupils have entered during the week and will be taken until Monday June 21.

W. M. Hol and of Del Rio was here Thursday on oil lease business.

John S. Allison came down from San Angelo Wednesday on business, and took in the Mayer barbecue.

Howard, Wes. and Frank Smith and E. Larimore of Mason were in Sonora Thursday. They want to buy cows and calves.

Mrs. H. F. Allison and sons and Miss Hattie B. Cusenberry returned Thursday from a three weeks visit to Washington, D.C.

Walter Whitehead and one of his boys were up from the ranch Thursday on their way to Barnhart to look a ter some cattle they have up there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wardlaw and children were up from their ranch in Val Verde county Thursday. They were on their way Ballinger to visit relatives.

Mrs. T. L. Benson had as her guest this week Mrs. M. L. Holland of Blakewell and Miss Willie O'Dell of Brookmorton, her niece also Mrs. Walter Turner of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barwood of the Juno-Comstock country, were in town Wednesday on their home from San Angelo where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Enawood's mother, Mrs. E. L. Barwood.

Sunday was spent on the North Llano by a picnic party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stutz, son and Mrs. J. A. Cope, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Aldwell and Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken, Mrs. Annie Winn Mrs. Stella Stanley Mrs. A. H. Nathan Miss Violet Stanley, W. M. White, T. A. Bond, Millard Cape, Aubrey and Sanford Nathan.

Alton L. Ridley and Miss Lollie Stevens were married in San Angelo, Monday, June 14th. The groom is a younger brother of Rufus and Octav's Ridley well known ranchmen of the Sonora country and the bride is a sister of Mrs. C. O. Ridley of San Angelo but formerly of Kerr county. The News extends its best wishes for their future happiness.

D. B. Mitchell of the general ice cream business of E. F. Vander Stucken-Trainer Co. had the pleasure of extending to his father and brothers a delightful and successful visit of a week's duration on Devil's River last week. The party were Richard Mitchell head five beans Thomas Elvey, Richard Van F., all of Abilene and D. B. Mitchell of Sonora. Mr. Mitchell is late and hearty at 67 and this was the first time in several years that the boys were all together.

FOR SALE. If you want cedar posts write or phone me. MINA ADAMS, Roosevelt, Texas.

Hansen of Utah Will Have Some Fine Polled Ram Bucklets for Sale at San Angelo During The Sheep & Goat Raisers Meeting June 22, 23, 24.

W. S. Hansen of Collinston, Utah, noted breeder of Polled Rambouillet sheep, will offer for sale at San Angelo, 130 Polled Rambouillet Rams and 25 Ewes. Among the number is a Polled Rambouillet Ram that at thirteen weeks weighed 210 pounds.

This exhibit should be seen of all sheepmen of the State and particularly the fine wool growers of the Sonora country. Miss connection in the mails prevents us showing a picture of this Ram which should not be allowed to leave the fine wool belt of West Texas. The selection of new blood is what has made the Sonora country wools famous. Keep on top. 45 2

Want to buy five or six hundred Mexican Nanny Goats delivered on the Head of the River Ranch, Christoval. Write or phone. Leaman Walters, 434 Christoval, Texas.

BULLS. For Sale 12 Registered Hereford Bulls. Two to six years of age. Prices right. See or phone C. A. GRAVES, Thompson Bros., ranch, Eldorado, Texas. 34 tf.

BUCKS FOR SALE. I have 200 American Delaine Merino Bucks, one year past, for sale. Good size and condition. 30-8 E. M. Kirkland, Sonora.

Bulls For Sale. 30 head of Polled Hereford Bulls 2 and 3 year old [subject to Registration] All in fine condition. For further particulars see or phone 464 CAUTHORN BROS., Ranch 18 miles south of Sonora.

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SHEEP AND GOAT MEN

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Take the Boys With You To The SHEEP AND GOAT RAISERS MEETING at San Angelo June 22, 23, 24 Largest Exhibition of Sheep and Goats Ever in Texas This will be a Liberal Education For the Present and Future Wool and Mohair Growers of Texas. Young men are engaging in this business in preference to professions. The systems are changing. Be in the lead.



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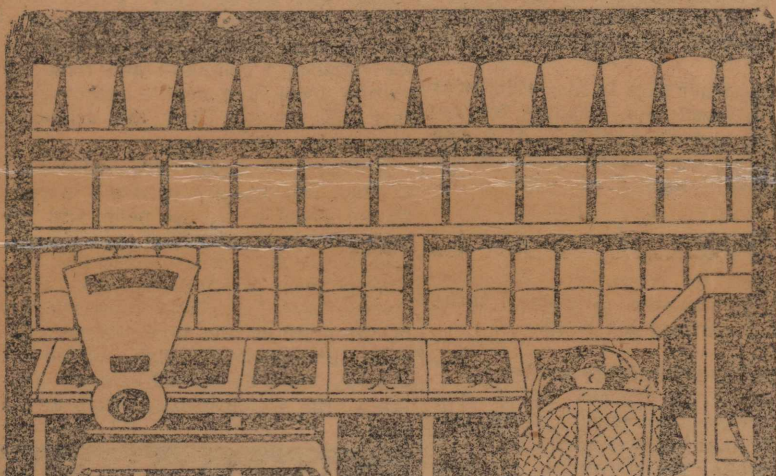
During the month of June, I will offer my entire stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Caps in fact everything in the store at Sacrificed Prices Every thing marked and labeled with a Red Tag. Want to make a change in business, and in order to do this will make a low price on everything.

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Some Fly Baits.

It seems to be human nature for most if not all of us when we reach the unsolved or unknown to look forward for something to happen, something supernatural that will solve the problem for us. But the most intricate and complicated truths are after all simple facts when once understood.

So it is with fly eradication, we are too apt to expect too much of a fly trap, a fly trap bait, a fly poison bait, a worm medicine, etc. There are limitations to all things.

Extensive breeding work have shown that carcasses are above all natural baits the most attractive to the screw worm fly. Carcasses are its real breeding ground hence a bait that closely approaches the breeding ground will no doubt give best results. In nature, wounds of most any kind is the nearest substitute, then comes the remnants of bones, hides etc., left after the buzzards have had their fill.

This has led to the idea of using meat scraps of any kind and later to using goat, sheep or horse meat to trapping flies. Goat meat being comparatively cheap, is a most excellent bait to use. A full grown goat cut into small pieces will make enough bait to bait about 17 traps. This includes the split head, intestines, and stomachs. However it is best to remove the contents of the paunch otherwise this bait would attract tumble bugs instead of screw worm flies.

Two or three large rattlesnakes or any snake makes most excellent screw worm fly bait after the snakes begin to smell. In using Jack rabbits and similar bait best results are obtained by exposing the intestines and curling the mammal in the bait pan so that the intestines are in the center. By doing so the moisture and odor is retained from one to three days longer and is much more attractive to screw worm and blow flies. Many other animals may be used as fly baits with success except birds. Even though the screw worm often breed in avians yet experience have shown that the fowl kind is not as attractive a fly bait as are the mammals or four footed animals and the reptilia (snakes etc.)

When meat of any kind is used it gives good results for from 3 to 4 days after which time new bait should be added and the old bait removed and burned or given to the dogs. Rainy weather with little sunshine will often prolong the usefulness of the bait from one to three days. The more putrefactive the odor the better the screw worm fly, blow flies, and wool maggot fly likes it.

Use the best bait most easily accessible.

A new prepared bait will be discussed in the next article.

O. G. Babcock, U. S. Bureau Entomology, co-operating, Texas Experiment Station.

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All Resolutions of Respect, Cards of Thanks, Notices of Entertainments where an admission fee is charged, Etc., will be charged for at our regular advertising rates.

Baptist Meeting Begins Sunday

Next Sunday, June 20th, we expect to begin a series of meetings which we sincerely hope will be largely attended by the people of Sonora and vicinity. Dr. E. F. Lyon of San Angelo will assist in the meeting. It will probably continue two weeks.

We extend a cordial and fraternal invitation to the various churches, congregations, pastors, singers, and people generally to come to these services and to render such help as you may be able to give. Our chief aim shall be the greatest good to the largest number. We shall strive to "seek first the kingdom of God" rather than some smaller and lower ideal of ecclesiastical aggrandizement. We shall stress the big, vital, constructive, unifying principles of the gospel of Jesus. We shall emphasize the things whereby we may build up one another.

The meetings will be held in the tent on the court house square. Our Christian brethren were kind enough to let us use the one in which they have held their meeting. If it should prove too small we will make other arrangements.

W. E. Hathorn, Pastor.

Jack Mayfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mayfield of Corpus Christi, is here spending his vacation with his Uncle Ed. Mayfield on the ranch about 15 miles west of Sonora.

Miss Bernice Glasscock wishes to thank the givers of the scholarship which was awarded her, and which she appreciates very much. She wishes to expressly thank the Womans Club.

If you have reason to think your child is suffering from worms take safe course—Waller's Cream Vermifuge Worms can not resist its expelling influence. Price 35c. Sold by Sonora Drug Co.

Alvin Keene was in from the ranch on the North Llano last week. He has finished shearing his sheep and goats, and is pleased with the work done by his own shearing plant. He found many advantages in having a shearing outfit under his management.

TO KILL SCREW WORMS. Keep off flies and heal wounds, use "Martins' 'Crew Worm Killer." More for your money and your money back if you don't like it. Guaranteed by all dealers.

Ray Crothers returned Saturday from Brady where he attended the marriage of his sister, Miss Minnie Jarvis Crothers to M. C. Wolf, at the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Crothers, on Wednesday, June 8th, Rev. John Power, pastor of the Episcopal church, officiating. Mr. Wolf is a cotton buyer, formerly of Dallas and a brother to Mrs. O. L. Greer of San Angelo.

Cases of oak or ivy poisoning should be treated with Ballard's Snow Lintment. It is antiseptic and healing and a splendid remedy for such troubles. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by Sonora Drug Co.

The Republican National convention in session at Chicago on Saturday nominated Warren G. Harding of Ohio for President and Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts for Vice-President. The nomination for president was made on the tenth ballot, for vice president on the first ballot. Harding is the junior senator from Ohio and is a newspaper man by profession. He is a self made man and 55 years of age. He visited Texas this year in the interests of his candidacy. Coolidge is the Governor of Massachusetts who called out the National Guard to protect the interests of Boston during a strike of the Police of that city.

The Red Tag Sale at Grimland's is for CASH, not Profit. The conservative and careful buyer will find splendid bargains at this sale.

For Representative.

In the announcement column this week appears the name of B. J. Stewart of Barksdale, as a candidate for the office of Representative in the Texas Legislature from, this the 115th district. The district is composed of the counties of Crockett, Sutton, Edwards, Real, Bandera, Kerr, Kimble, Mason and Menard. Mr. L. V. Wallace of Barksdale, who was here last week visiting his brother De Wallace, speaks of Mr. Stewart as a very worthy and promising young man of good character and a member of a highly respected family in that neighborhood. He is a former student of the Texas University, having left that institution to volunteer in the Marine Corps with which organization he served 15 months overseas. Mr. Stewart hopes to visit Sonora shortly and meet the people personally.

Look in at Grimland's and see the price reductions in plain figures on the Red Tag.

R. H. Chalk, Fred Berger, J. E. Grimland and Ed. Glasscock attended the funeral of Dr. Carver of Eldorado at San Angelo last Friday.

Lime and sulphur of sheep dip may be bought at E. F. Vander Stucken-Trainer Company.

Miss Myrtle Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Berry Baker of the North Llano country, who has been attending the Convent school at San Angelo returned home last week.

KILL the BLUE BUGS and all Blood Sucking Insects by feeding Martins' Wonderful Blue Bug Killer to your chickens. Your money back if not satisfied. Guaranteed by all Dealers.

Miss Ruth L. Stevenson of Junction and Gardner Franks of Rock Springs were married at the home of the brides brother, Cole R. Stevenson at Junction on Thursday, May 27.

E. F. Vander Stucken-Trainer Company have for sale arsenic, caustic soda, sal soda and pine tar for cattle dip.

The 17,712 acres of Llano county school land in Tom Green county, six miles north of San Angelo has been leased to Arch Wilkinson and R. W. Caruthers. Measured at 11 1/4 cents per acre.

itching diseases can be controlled and cured by applying Ballard's Snow Lintment. The relief is prompt and permanent. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by Sonora Drug Co.

Ira Ogden was exhibiting a hen egg Monday that measured 7 1/2 by 6 1/2 inches weighed 3 1/2 ozs. The pullet that laid this egg was a cross bred Brown Leghorn and Rhode Island Red. With further development of this strain Ira would require that eggs be sold by weight.


The misery and depression caused by a bilious and constipated condition of the system can be quickly removed by using Fleetine. It purifies, strengthens and invigorates. Price 60c. Sold by Sonora Drug Co.

The News extends its condolences to R. H. Chalk and Mrs. Joe Bradford in the death of their father, D. J. Chalk, of La Grange, an account of which appears on the first page of this issue. Mr. Chalk visited here about a year ago when R. H. Chalk was ill. Other members of the family have visited here and their friends sympathize with them in their loss.

Prices will interest you at Grimland's Red Tag Sale. Every line reduced and the bargains are numerous.

T. A. Blair of San Angelo, the new mail contractor, was here last Friday accompanied by his wife and daughter. Katrine, five years old but the most important member of the family, and Miss Ruth Woods of Fort Worth, and Miss Annie Nason of Randlette, Okla. Mr. Blair has been boosting Sonora so much that his wife and friends had to come and see for themselves. They were pleased with the trip and for once agreed with the big man.

Shoes are still high and will probably continue so, but Grimland is offering his entire line of shoes, \$4,000.00 worth at the old time attractive prices. See the other things at this Red Tag Sale.



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NO is the time to get in the oil business in order to reap the early harvest. With 600 acres of oil lands to draw from, we anticipate making big profits on our most liberal plan. PROFITS that will make fast friends for our company in future enterprises which we have in mind when the Company's present plans are in operation. DO NOT DELAY your subscriptions. There is nothing to gain and MUCH to lose by deferring until some future date. NOW is the time to INVEST, and OUR company is the ONE to be in, for it gives you the biggest run for your money in the race for MILLIONS. Fill in the subscription blanks NOW and sail in the good ship PROSPERITY.

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Dr. J. A. McDonald,
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NO TRESPASS.

Notice is hereby given that trespassers on my farm and pasture adjoining Sonora on the east, will be prosecuted according to law. Please tell your friends and relatives of this notice and they will avoid prosecution.
T. L. BENSON,
Sonora, Texas, Dec. 1, 1918.

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Notice to Trespassers

Notice is hereby given that all trespassers on my ranch east of Sonora for the purpose of cutting timber, hauling wood or hunting hogs, without my permission, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
W. J. FIELD, Sonora, Texas

TREASURERS QUARTERLY REPORT

In the matter of County finances in the hands of E. W. Hardgrave, Treasurer of Sutton County, Texas, Commissioners' Court Sutton County, Texas, in regular Quarterly Session, May term, 1920.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, as County Commissioners within and for said Sutton County, and the Hon. E. S. Long, County Judge of said Sutton County, constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said County, and each one of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 10th day of May A. D. 1920, at a regular quarterly term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of E. W. Hardgrave, Treasurer of Sutton County, Texas, for the quarter beginning on the 9th day of Feb. 1920, and ending on the 10th day of May 1920, found the same to be correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Sutton County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said Court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County Treasurer since his last report to this Court and for and during the time covered by his present report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 10th day of May A. D. 1920, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of said County Treasurer in accordance with said order as required by Article 587 Chapter 1, Title XXV, of the Revised Statutes of Texas, as amended by an Act of the Twenty Fifth Legislature of Texas, at its regular session, approved March 20, 1897.

And we, each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected and counted all the actual cash and assets in hands of the said Treasurer belonging to Sutton County, and that on the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this the 10th day of May A. D. 1920, and had the same to be as follows, to wit:

	Dr.	Cr.
Jury Fund 1st Class		
Balance on hand Feb. 9, 1920	484 41	
To amount received since said date	6 10	
By amount disbursed since said date		108 30
By balance		3-2 12
Total	490 51	40 42
To balance in fund	882 12	
Road and Bridge Fund 2nd Class		
Balance on hand Feb. 9, 1920	370 51	
To amount received since said date	20 40	
By amount distributed since said date		969 04
By amount to balance		223 23
Total	390 91	1192 27
To balance in fund	233 33	
GENERAL FUND 3rd Class		
Balance on hand Feb. 9, 1920	12268 21	
To amount received since said date	336 00	
By amount disbursed since said date		3462 29
By amount to balance		9203 82
Total	12704 21	12721 21
To balance in fund	9203 82	
Court House and Jail Fund 4th Class		
Balance on hand Feb. 9, 1920	3703 53	
To amount received since said date	2 46	
By amount disbursed since said date		717 50
By amount to balance		2987 75
Total	3705 99	3705 99
To balance in fund	2987 75	
Road Fund 5th Class		
Balance on hand Feb. 9, 1920	1116 43	
To amount received since said date	15 29	
By amount disbursed since said date		312 33
By amount to balance		8817 79
Total	1131 72	9130 12
To balance in fund	8817 79	
Highway Fund 6th Class		
Balance on hand Feb. 9, 1920	4118 38	
To amount received since said date	266 63	
By amount disbursed since said date		0 14
By amount to balance		4471 87
Total	4484 01	4481 01
To balance in fund	4471 87	
Tick Fund 7th Class		
Balance on hand Feb. 9, 1920	3496 87	
To amount received since said date	5 79	
By amount disbursed since said date		775 43
By amount to balance		3735 28
Total	3502 66	3502 68
To balance in fund	2728 23	

Date	RECAPITULATION	Amount.
May 10	Balance Jury Fund on this day	282 13
May 10	Balance to R & B Fund on this day	218 33
May 10	Balance General Fund	9203 82
May 10	Balance C & J Fund	2867 75
May 10	Balance Road Fund	3817 79
May 10	Balance Highway and Maintenance Fund	4471 87
May 10	Balance Tick Fund	2728 23
	Total Cash on hand belonging to Sutton County in the hands of said Treasurer as actually counted by us	28,592 11

ASSETS
In addition to the actual cash as above, we find the following assets belonging to the said County, and to the credit of the following funds, which is also in the possession and custody of the said Treasurer, to-wit: 10 Sonora Independent School District School House Bonds (\$2500.00) each--\$5000.00.

	Amount
The bonded indebtedness of said County we find to be as follows to-wit:	
20 Court House and Jail Bonds (\$1000.00)	\$20,000 00
100 Special Road Bonds (\$1000.00)	\$100,000 00
Total	\$120,000 00

Witness our hands, officially, this 10th day of May 1920, E. S. Long, County Judge, W. E. Glascock, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; J. W. Wilson, Commissioner Precinct No. 2; D. Q. Adams, Commissioner Precinct No. 3; W. H. Kelley, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by E. S. Long, County Judge, and W. E. Glascock, and J. W. Wilson, and D. Q. Adams, and W. H. Kelley, County Commissioners of said Sutton County, each respectively, on this the 11th day of May A. D. 1920.
(seal) J. D. LOWREY,
County Clerk, Sutton County, Texas.

Announcement of the

WOOL GROWERS CENTRAL STORAGE CO., SAN ANGELO, TEXAS.

We wish to advise our Customers, and all those who are contemplating the consigning of their wool, that we are going to store the Sutton County and Sonora Country wool separately and sell it on the merits of Sutton County wool.
J. S. ALLISON, Vice-President.

MARKET NOTICE.

We desire to notify our customers and the public generally that we cannot extend the monthly pay plan to those who do not settle their obligations before the 10th of each month. It should not be necessary to specify any reason for the observance of this requirement. Please arrange to pay before the 10th of each month if you desire the monthly pay system.
COOPER & SIMS.

WOODEN SPOIL

By VICTOR ROUSSEAU

ILLUSTRATIONS BY IRWIN MYERS

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The horse, left uncontrolled, swung round and galloped homeward, trailing the empty sleigh behind him. Marie stood shuddering at the end of the wharf. For a while she stared out in terror toward the invisible schooner, lost in the distance. She could see nothing, but she could still hear the roar of the wind in the rigging and the flapping of the great sails.

Presently, with a low cry, she turned and began running homeward. She staggered into the cottage and sank down before the stove, crouching there.

When Hilary reached the wharf it was already dark. He had been recognized by no one on the way. He went straight aboard the schooner, and found Dupont on deck.

"When do you start?" he asked.

"Immediately, monsieur," replied the captain quietly.

The schooner contained a tiny cabin in the fore-cabin. Between this and the poop, in the open bottom, was piled the lumber, secured with chains, and stacked high above the sides.

"I'm going below," said Hilary, turning away. He did not want to look upon St. Boniface again.

He put his foot upon the top rung of the ladder that led down to the fore-cabin. As he did so he felt a stinging blow upon the back of the head. He staggered, slipped, and fell down the ladder into the little open space before the cabin.

Half dazed, he was barely conscious of seeing the grinning faces of Pierre and Leblanc stare into his. His overcoat was torn from his back, his pockets emptied. He waited for the knife thrust, but only kicks followed. He was lifted and thrown into the cabin.

The outlaws ran back to assist Dupont in getting up the sails. It was not Brousseau's plan to dispatch him within hearing of the shore.

He heard the sails being hoisted, and felt the schooner moving from the wharf. Then he heard a low cry and saw Madeleine upon her knees before him.

She bent her face to his, whispering that she loved him, pleading for forgiveness, and beseeching him to rise. And Hilary opened his eyes to discover that the vision was reality.

He staggered to his feet and stood swaying in the middle of the cabin while she kept her arms about him. He began to remember. He knew where he was now. Madeleine thrust the revolver into his hand.

"They have planned to murder you!" she cried. "I learned of it and brought this. You must not die, Hilary, now that we love each other."

He broke the revolver. It was empty, and the bore so eaten away



And Hilary Opened His Eyes to Discover That the Vision Was Reality.

with rust that to have fired it would have been more dangerous to the shooter than to his object of aim. He saw the horror on the girl's face as she made the discovery.

"I did not think about the cartridges," she cried. "I heard you were in danger and I seized it and came to you. What shall we do? I am going to die with you."

"We are not going to die," he answered. But he felt a trickle of blood in his eyes. He pulled himself together to face the situation, thinking with all the concentration of which his mind was capable.

He heard the sails being run up, and the creak of the coracle in the wind. Then the schooner, grinding her course through the drift ice, began to roll and pitch as the force of the gulf current struck her. And through the portholes Hilary saw the lights of St. Boniface reel into the enveloping fog and vanish.

With Madeleine's arm about him he thought with desperate concentration. Doubtless the ruffians had gone to assist Dupont in taking the schooner out into midstream, confident that their victim was at their mercy. Once the vessel had passed the dangerous ice and deadly sunken rocks Dupont alone could keep her on her course. And Dupont had planned his death. He remembered the hate on the old man's face; but he could not imagine the cause of it, for he did not connect it with the story about Marie.

They would return, they would discover that the revolver was useless; his life was worth about ten minutes' purchase, and of Madeleine's fate he dared not think. He must fight for

HER AND LIVE FOR HER. HE GOT HIS SHAKING LIMBS UNDER CONTROL.

"I'm all right," he whispered. "I've got my plan now. Keep behind me and be ready to help. The door's locked, I suppose?"

A quick attempt to open it showed him that it was. But he had a chance, if he could break down the door, for the sound might pass unheeded in the gale, with the crashing of the ice against the sides of the schooner, enabling him to pass into the hold unseen in the darkness.

He hurled himself against the cabin door, fists, shoulders, body, with every muscle set tense. It broke upon its hinges, and Hilary fell, sprawling into the passage between the piles of stacked lumber, which rose to a height of twenty feet on either side of him, running to within a few feet of the cabin and the deck ladder.

He crouched there for a few seconds, hearing Madeleine behind him, and looked upward. The wind was roaring through the rigging with a noise far louder than that made by the falling door. No one had heard the crash. Above him swung the great mainsail, obscuring the gibbous moon that scoured like a pale ghost among the drifting clouds, halloed in the fog. Hilary could just discern the hazy figure of three men, hard at work to gain the middle channel, and the lantern that hung from the mast above, faintly illuminating them.

He had seen, but had not consciously observed, till the remembrance came to him then, that a pile of lumber, placed in the ship but not yet secured, lay about the center of the open space in front of the cabin. It could not shift with the rolling of the schooner, so as to destroy her equilibrium, on account of the stacks on either side. It consisted of the last load of logs, which had been dropped there from the end of the flume. Hilary raised two in his arms and carried them in front of the broken door. It was impossible to make his voice heard, for the ship was staggering through the clashing ice floes with a noise like that of artillery, but Madeleine saw his purpose, and in an instant was at work helping him. They began swiftly building a barricade; and, as Madeleine deposited her logs by the side of Hilary, Hilary wedged the ends against the chained stacks on either side, so that the whole would form an immovable barrier. He toiled furiously, for their scanty time was precious beyond value. Soon Madeleine was behind the barricade, adjusting the logs that Hilary brought, and it stood the height of his waist.

It was improbable that either Dupont, Pierre or Leblanc carried a revolver; but, even if they did, the bar-

ricade was bullet-proof. Hilary forgot his aching head, the retching nausea. The barrier was shoulder-high. He clambered behind it and took his station there just as the grinding of the floes ceased, and the schooner caught the clear water.

A ray of moonlight, struggling through the fog, disclosed old Dupont at the wheel above the poop, and the great mainsail, excepting one or two forms that crept along the passage between the lumber piles. They started back in sudden consternation at the sight of the unexpected barricade, and Hilary's club, aimed at Pierre's head, descended upon the outlaw's arm, which dropped limp at his side.

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