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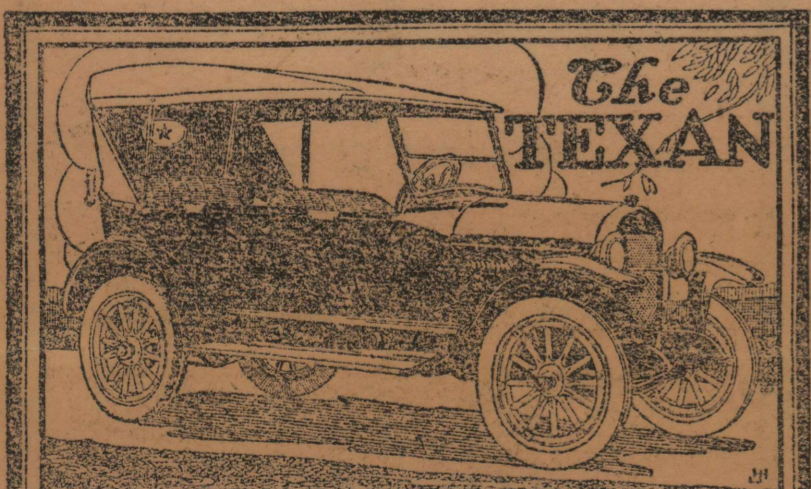
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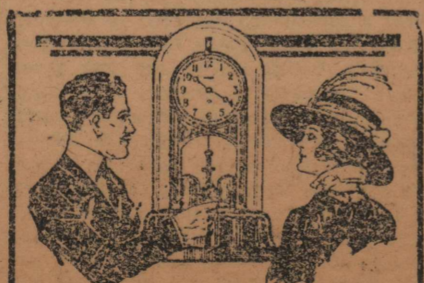
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Sonora, Texas. — August 7, 1920.

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.

**QUARANTINE NOTICE.**

To Whom It May Concern:  
By virtue of the Authority vested in me as County Judge of Sutton county, I, E. S. Long, do hereby cause to be published in the Devil's River News the Proclamation of Quarantine of Sutton county against the movement of Live Stock from the Quarantined counties or parts of counties enumerated in the following order of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas, and have employed Guards to prevent the entry into Sutton county of all live stock as for bidden by the said Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas.  
Given and Issued at Sonora, Texas, this 29th day of July, 1920.

E. S. LONG,  
County Judge of Sutton County,  
Texas.

**LIVE STOCK SANITARY COMMISSION OF TEXAS.**  
CIRCULAR NO. 6.

Whereas, It has been determined by inspection by an authorized inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission that the contagious disease, known as anthrax, exists among live stock in the counties of Edwards, Uvalde, Kinney and Val Verde in the State of Texas; and whereas, by reason of said infection the county of Uvalde and parts of the counties of Edwards, Kinney and Val Verde were quarantined by order of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission;

And whereas, the counties of Crockett, Sutton, Kimble, Kerr, Bandera, Real, Medina, Frio, Zavalla and Maverick are apparently free of the contagious disease among live stock known as anthrax;  
And whereas, it is deemed advisable to protect the counties enumerated in section 2 hereof from infection from the hereinbefore mentioned quarantined county and parts of counties, the following order is hereby issued to take effect on and after date hereof;

It shall be unlawful for any cattle, horses, mules, asses, goats, sheep or hogs to move or be moved from said quarantined county and parts of counties into the counties enumerated in section 2 hereof, unless such live stock are accompanied by a permit or certificate issued by an authorized inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission. All persons, companies and corporations are hereby forbidden to move any of such live stock in violation of this order, and all owners and caretakers are hereby forbidden to permit the movement of such live stock in violation of this order.

This order shall be effective on and after the 22nd day of July, A.D. 1920.  
Witness our hands at Fort Worth, Texas, this 22nd day of July, A.D. 1920.

Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas.

By W. A. WALLACE,  
CHAS. P. BRIGGS,  
CAESAR K. EBERG,  
Commissioners.

**TO THE PUBLIC.**—I now have a new, improved Hemstitching Machine and am doing picotting and hemstitching in my parlors on the sixth floor, Central National Bank Building for the regular price per yard. But there are no charges on picotting and hemstitching on dresses made in my shop. We also make buttons to order. Mrs. G. W. Walling, Phone 536, San Angelo. 414

**NOTICE.**

The Board of Trustees of the Sonora School wish to announce that Mr. R. J. Harris, of Galveston, Texas, who is now residing at Eldorado, Texas, will teach a High School Orchestra in connection with our school this season.

The charge or tuition will be \$4.00 per month per pupil, payable monthly, and the Board of Education, as an inducement, has voted to pay one half of this amount up to 20 pupils.

There will be class instructions each week. Organization is perfected; and it is the wish of the Board that those interested in this High School Orchestra and would like to take part in the same will notify the secretary, Mr. Geo. J. Trainer, to the end that the organization may be completed by the time our school begins.

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523 T. L. BENSON.

**PLEATING.**—Am now prepared to do accordion, side knife and box pleating. Make all kind of buttons to match your material. Also do hemstitching and picot edge work. Prompt attention given to all mail orders. Mrs. W. R. Truss, Fourth floor, Central National Bank Building, San Angelo, Texas. 504p

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I will have in my pasture near town on or about August 1st, 200 head of Rambouillet Bucks 1 and 2 years old out of Registered Bucks and some of the best bred does in Ohio. These Bucks are from the herd of G. F. Billings of Roswell, New Mexico.

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SONORA, TEXAS.

**DENTAL NOTICE.**

I expect to make Sonora ever other month and spend a week or more.

Dr. J. A. McDonald,  
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**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. 92

**BETTER BE SAFE THAN SORRY.**

Insure now, before your house burns up, in some good old line company.  
T. L. Benson, Agent. 9

**Notice to Trespassors**

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.

**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, Tex. at, Dec. 7, 1918.

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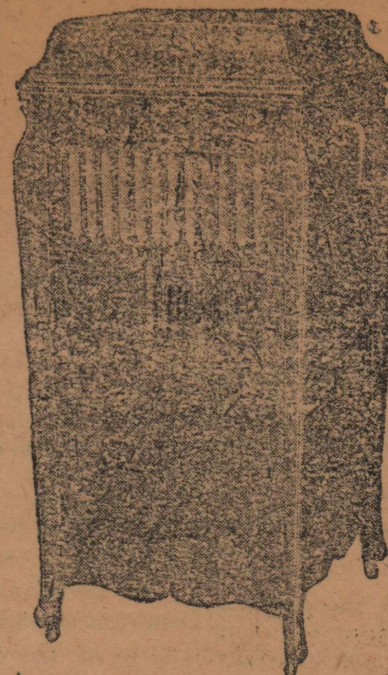
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The MATTHEWS "Full Automatic" Electric Plants are the most modern and efficient, manufactured in the United States today, and are absolutely the best that money can buy, and every Electric Plant, as well as ISKO ELECTRIC REFRIGERATION SYSTEM that we install, will be fully guaranteed by The ROACH McLYMONT CO. These Systems will enable the Ranchman that wants city conveniences to have them on the ranch, and we believe will meet a long felt want.

Both the MATTHEWS "Full Automatic" Power Plant, and the ISKO ELECTRIC REFRIGERATION SYSTEM, will shortly be installed in our store, where you can see a practical demonstration of same. It will afford us pleasure to show you the machines in actual operation, and figure with you on your requirements.

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J. W. CONWAY, Livestock Exchange, Fort Worth, distributor for Continental Serum Laboratories Co., Muscatine, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Walter Davis and daughter Nell came out from Austin last week and will spend a few weeks on the ranch.

**TO KILL SCREW WORMS.** Keep off flies and beat wounds, use "Martins Worm Killer." More for your money and your money back if you don't like it. Guaranteed by all dealers. 38-26

Mr. and Mrs. Roy H. Speth will in San Angelo to hear Bailey speak in his candidacy for Governor, declined to debate their ranch home, 27 miles west of Sonora. The improvements will cost about \$3000 and will include modern fixtures.

See our complete line of Aluminum ware for the kitchen. The prices are right and the quality the best. E. F. Vander Stucken Trainer Co.

Judge James Cornell of Sonora, introduced Hon. Joseph Weldon Bailey ex-United States Senator a candidate for Governor of Texas to the grand rally at West Texas Democrats at San Angelo, Monday night. There was a large crowd and those who attended from Sutton county are more enthusiastically for Bailey for Governor than ever.

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### RAILROAD COMMITTEES MEET.

A meeting was held at the First National Bank building Friday morning, July 30, at which time Honorable James Cornell reported to the Railroad Committees for Sutton and Schleicher counties the results of his visit with the State Railroad Commission, en route at Austin and an interview he had with Vice President and General Manager Pettibone of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe railway at Galveston, relative to the securing of the construction of a line of Railway from San Angelo to Sonora. The meeting was presided over by W. L. Aldwell, chairman of the Sutton County Citizens Committee and a number of citizens, not members of the Committee attended. The members of the Schleicher County Committee present were J. A. Whitten, W. O. Alexander, J. E. Hill and W. F. Ford.

E. D. Parker, chief engineer to the Texas Railroad Commission was also present.

Judge Cornell's trip to Austin and Galveston was made in order to arrange the extension of the Railroad to Sonora matter in a tangible shape for presentation to the Interstate Commerce Commission. He explained to the Railroad Commission the status of the case and asked the assistance of that body to the extent of being permitted to obtain the services of Engineer R. D. Parker to make a resurvey and an estimate of the probable cost of putting the Grade built by the Orient with the peoples money in the counties of Tom Green, Schleicher and Sutton, and which by contract and agreement reverts to the people as represented by their Railroad Committees, in shape for operation by a Railroad. Chairman Althson Mayfield and Commissioner Gilmore, recognizing the necessity of the road and the benefit it would be to the State, granted Engineer Parker the opportunity of spending his vacation in this part of the West.

General Manager Pettibone of the Santa Fe gave Judge Cornell a three hours hearing and the matter was gone into fully and the tentative understanding reached that if the Orient should fail to obtain the assistance needed, and the Citizens built the road, the Santa Fe would furnish the rolling stock and connect its service with the Citizens Railroad.

Mr. Pettibone stated that at the present time the Santa Fe could not undertake the building and operating of the road as a part of the System.

The following resolution thanking Judge Cornell was passed by the meeting:

At a meeting of the Railway Committees of Sutton and Schleicher counties, in joint session, including citizens of Sutton county, held in Sonora on Friday July 30th, 1920, the following resolution was adopted by Hon. J. A. Whitten of Eldorado and seconded by W. C. Bryson:

"That the citizens of Schleicher and Sutton counties tender the Honorable James Cornell their thanks for his assistance and untiring services in aiding the citizens in their efforts to secure the railroad from San Angelo to Sonora."

W. L. ALDWELL, Chairman.

The Committee agreed that a meeting be had with the Committee of Tom Green county at San Angelo on Monday August 2.

### FOR SALE.

One Six Drop Shearing Machine, McMillan & Wright or Clyde Windsor San Angelo. 53-4

### BLACKLEG

Germ Free Blackleg Filtrate Serum. One dose immunes for life. 5-3 T. L. BENSON.

### NATIVE RAMS.

Sixty head Pure Bred Native Raised yearling Rambouillet Rams for sale at reasonable prices. M. M. STOKES, Sonora, Texas. 28-2

## GOOD-BYE PROFESSOR.

Rev. Jewell Matthews who has been in charge of the Sonora schools for the past three years, has accepted the call and entered into a contract to Minister to the congregation of the Central Christian church at Weatherford. Mr. Matthews was reared at that place, his grandfather, Rev. Mansfield Matthews being the Christian minister there in 1874.

Jewell Matthews did splendid work as superintendent of the Sonora school and it was regretted that the Board could not pay the salary necessary to retain his services. As a citizen he was always agreeable and willing to help in any worthy cause and had the faculty of being able to make a good address at any time and on any subject. He was particularly useful in this way during the war when the Red Cross and Bond issues were so prominent before the people. The best wishes of the News and a host of friends in Sonora go with Mr. and Mrs. Matthews to their new field of endeavor.

Sunday night at the Methodist church Mr. Matthews conducted the services, by courtesy of the Pastor, Rev. S. C. Dunn, and his remarks were in the nature of a farewell address. He told of his appreciation of the assistance given him in his work here and spoke words of encouragement and gave good advice to the boys and girls who have been under his guidance during the three years he was Superintendent of the school. After the services the large congregation shook hands with him and expressed their wishes for his success in his new field of endeavor.

### CLUB NOTES.

Mrs. L. W. Elliott and Mrs. J. A. Cope entertained the Needle Craft at the home of Mrs. Elliott from four to six o'clock, Saturday afternoon July 31.

The warm weather does not phase the industrious ladies of this department of Sonora Women's Club. Mrs. Fred Simmons was elected secretary-treasurer. After a delicious banquet course the Club adjourned there being no further business.

Those present were: Mrs. James J. W. Trainer, Marion S. C. s. Fred Simmons, Charlie Evans, E. J. Pierce, Will Wilson, Edward Willoughby, Fredling Baker, Sam Bull, L. S. Johnson, J. A. Cope, L. W. Elliott, Will Taylor, Miss Estelle McDonald. Invited guests Mrs. Fannie Cawyer, Miss Cecil Martin.

M. V. Sessom will build a small residence on the ranch 20 miles south of Sonora.

Mrs. Woodie Martin and sister Miss Ada Steen have returned from Angelo where they had been for medical treatment.

Mrs. Whitfield and daughter, Miss Byril Whitfield, left for Angelo Monday on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Joe Turney arrived home Sunday from a visit to Hot Springs, Ark. Joe says there is lots of sunshine and moonshine in that part of the country.

Mrs. S. P. Gilmore left for Fort Worth Tuesday on a visit to her sons. While in Fort Worth Mrs. Gilmore will ship to a remainder of their household effects.

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

Miss Agnes Cole of Fort Worth was the guest last week of Miss Amanda Eastland. Miss Cole was a school chum of Miss Eastland at San Antonio.

Lieutenant D. E. Goodrich of Del Rio was here Sunday on a visit. The Lieutenant made the trip in his ship accompanied by his mascot. He has recently been ordered to the Aviator Field in Florida.

Diamond brand "Lifetime" Aluminum ware in the most approved patterns of utensils for the kitchen are sold at E. F. Vander Stucken-Trainer Co.

Misses Margaret Davidson and Kathleen Buck of Ozona and Miss Kittle of Comanche were over from Ozona for the dance Friday July 23rd.

Mrs. Alvin Keene has returned from a visit to Houghton, La. Mrs. Keene bought home with her Miss Elizabeth Cornelius, her niece, who will make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Keene.

Forty years of constant use is the best proof of the effectiveness of White's Cream Vermifuge for expelling worms in children or adults. Price 75 cents. Sold by Sonora Drug Co.

The Ford Sedan is high class in appearance and appointments. The seats are restful, and deeply upholstered with cloth of high quality. Large doors give convenient entrance on either side; plate glass windows make it a closed car for inclement weather, and give fresh air when open. With high quality in appearance and equipment there is the simple and safe control in driving. A woman's—a family car for every day in the year.

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## TEXAS SCHOOLS MAKE PUPILS STOCKHOLDERS OF THE GOVERNMENT

Dallas, Texas.—Pupils in six schools in six Texas towns made such unusual records in thrift work that their reports have been received by the Savings Division of the United States Treasury from Miss Annie Webb Blanton, State Superintendent of public instruction.

Lorena school is represented by the grade taught by Miss Modena Griffin, who has sixteen pupils, and under the encouragement of Miss Griffin and Miss Myrtle L. Tanner, superintendent, they owned, at the close of school, Thrift and War Savings Stamps to the amount of \$1351.50. One high third grade in the Travis School of San Antonio, with thirty-one pupils under Miss Ruth E. Laidlaw, owned \$1590. Miss Stella Traweck's third grade with thirty-six pupils own \$1704 of the government's securities, bought as Thrift Stamps and converted into War Savings Stamps.

The Farmersville High School, with sixty-six Stamp owners, reports, according to Superintendent A. M. Blackman and Principal R. Reese, ownership of \$2,999.75 in Government Savings Securities. N. O. Robbins, superintendent of the Jasper schools, entered the high school, with Mrs. Joe McCarthy in charge, which owns, according to Mrs. McCarthy \$34.15 in Government savings. Miss Eva Grizzard of Waxahatchee, according to Superintendent G. B. Winn, had a class of fifty pupils, who on June 1 owned \$3,650.50. Miss Grizzard's pupils own an average of \$72.61 and Miss Griffin's pupils own an average of \$85 each in Government Savings Securities.

"Perhaps other schools may have done as well," said Dinsmore W. Hume, Federal District Director, "but we have not been advised. Certainly these children have learned a valuable lesson as well as accumulated what is to a school child an unusually large sum of money. This work will be continued in the schools next season."

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BUYING AT HOME HELPS.

