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## RANCH DISTRICT BOY SCOUTS HOLD FIELD MEET HERE OCT. 6

A field meet for the Ranch District of the Boy Scouts will be held here October 6th, beginning at ten o'clock in the morning at the school grounds. C. B. Foster, field executive, will be in charge of the meet, according to reports from the local committee composed of Roy E. Aldwell, chairman, Wirt Stephenson, Vernon Hamilton and William C. Gilmore.

At a meeting of the local Scouts Monday night, Rees Hill, proprietor of Hill's Cafe, was unanimously chosen as scout leader for the scouts here.

Boy Scouts from Junction, Ozona and the local scouts will compete in the following events:

**KNOT TYING**—For Tenderfoot Scouts only, 6 knots—square slip, clove, bowline, timber hitch, two half hitches. Speed event.

**BROAD JUMP RELAY**—Team of 6 Scouts broad jump in relay for greatest distance.

**RESCUE RACE**—Boy laying on ground 25 yards from starting point. Rescuer runs to boy to be rescued, picks him up without aid and brings him back to starting point using correct fireman's carry.

**SEMAPHORE SIGNALLING**—Teams to send messages given by judges. Speed and perfection. Four boys on team, Reader, Sender, Receiver and Writer.

**MORSE SIGNALLING**—Same as semaphore.

**FIRST AID AND RELAY**—Boy laying on ground 25 yards from starting point. Two boys run to him, one putting on head bandage, the other puts spiral reverse bandage on arm. Then pick him up and carry him (pack saddle carry) to the starting point at a walk. Any team running is disqualified. Speed and neatness—Judges decision.

**FACE SWEVER RACE**—Team consists of rider and four horses. The horses are stationed 50 feet apart. At the signal start the rider

mounts horse no. 1 who carries him to no. 2 at the 50 foot line. The rider changes not taking more than 2 steps. No. 2 carries rider to No. 3 at the 100 foot line who brings him back to no. 4 at the 50 foot mark and No. 4 brings the rider to the start. Speed event.

**FIRE BY FRICTION**—First to get flame wins—Speed event—2 man team.

**CHARIOT RACE**—Team of five boys. All join hands and at the signal to go run 25 yards to handkerchief on ground. As they go around the driver (boy in middle) goes down and gets handkerchief in his teeth and comes back to starting point. If the line breaks at any time the team is disqualified. Speed event.

**STRING BURNING**—Each boy furnishes knife and hatchet. Before start each is given two 2x4 24 inches long. At the signal start, he cuts this up and places his fire, the height not to exceed the 1st string (18 inches.) The fire is to be lit with flint and steel, boy furnishing his own tinder. Once lit the fire cannot be touched and the first to burn the 24-inch string wins. Two entrants from each troop.

**KNOT TYING FREE FOR ALL**—Using tenderfoot knots. Team of 3 from a troop.

**MESSAGE CARRYING RELAY**—Team of six boys carry message given by judges over a given distance. Message to be given orally and each boy must tell the next member of the team. Speed and correctness—Judges decision.

**WALL SCALING**—Team of eight boys to scale regulation board wall. No spiked shoes allowed. Speed event.

**BUGLING**—Two man team. All calls in merit badge to be used. Draw for order of performance.

**ARCHERY**—Two man team—Each shoots five arrows at 30 yards. High score wins.  
First—10. Second—5. Third—3.

## MANY LIONS WERE PRESENT MONDAY NOON

Thirty-seven Lions and visitors were present at noon luncheon Monday in the basement of the Methodist Church. P.-T. A. ladies who were in charge of the serving of the luncheon, did exceedingly well as they had been notified to prepare for twenty-five, but thirty-seven were served a delicious fish plate.

Miss Broome, teacher in the Sonora High School, sang a cowboy's life song, accompaniment by Miss Elizabeth Francis, teacher of piano. A reading was given by Miss Halley, teacher of expression and was enjoyed by those present.

John Angus, plumbing inspector for the City of San Angelo, was called upon for a talk and held the attention of the crowd. Mr. Angus told of the time some thirty years ago when he came on a visit to Sonora with his father. They camped in a wagon yard. His father sent him to town to buy some steak, and the butcher told him that steak was not available in this town, but they could sell him venison. Mr. Angus said this was the only town he ever visited that sold venison in the markets.

Prof. Riggs, band instructor of San Angelo, was present, having been invited by the Lions and P.-T. A. to discuss the prospect for a band and

## DRAMATIC AND CHORAL CLUBS FOR HI SCHOOL

Under the direction of Misses Halley and Francis, the Dramatic Club of the Sonora High School was organized this week with Lester Archer, president; Jessie Louise Evans, vice president; Margaret Hull, secretary and Dorothy Baker reporter.

The Dramatic Club will meet each Tuesday afternoon at 3:35. This club has already enrolled twenty members and hopes to increase to a larger membership. Plays will be given and the proceeds will go to the coffers of the athletic funds and other purposes. All high school students are invited to attend.

**THE CHORAL CLUB**  
Miss Broome will direct the Choral Club with Margaret Hull, president; Eileen White, sec-treas. Dorothy Baker reporter. This Club will meet each Wednesday afternoon. Plays will be given for the benefit of the high school athletics.—Reporter.

At this moment Prof. Britt expressed his belief that a band could be had here with the proper instruction and support.

The ladies who assisted in the serving were: Mesdames Robert Halbert, Ira Shurley, Marion Stokes, C. E. Stites and others.

## LIONS AND P.-T. A. SPONSOR MOVE FOR BAND FOR SONORA

### APPEAL MADE BY RED CROSS FOR STORM SUFFERERS

Mrs. A. J. Smith, chairman of the Red Cross for this county, received a message from St. Louis headquarters this week asking for donations to the Florida and Porto Rico storm sufferers.

Four hundred thousand are homeless in Porto Rico, seeking shelter among trees with barely enough to eat, the report read. There are also thousands upon thousands of homeless and straying people in Florida. Mrs. Smith said, who needed assistance from the outside world.

W. L. Aldwell, president of the First National Bank of this place, is treasurer of the Red Cross relief funds here and L. W. Elliott is secretary. Those wishing to make donations should either leave their funds with these two gentlemen or with the Lions Club, Mrs. Smith informed the News at noon today.

### Livestock on Highway Killed This Week

An appeal from this paper's editorial columns last week served as an incentive for someone to do a good deed—kill several horses and mules on the State Highway between here and Elodrado this week. This paper made the threat hoping that the owner of the animals would have them ejected from the highway, but someone evidently thought the writer meant what he said and beat him to it.

Anyway seven horses and mules are being burned today by H. L. Taylor and his highway maintenance force.

It is the belief here that the killing of these animals will meet with the approval of tourists in this section.

A committee from the Sonora Lions Club composed of W. C. Gilmore, Ben Cusenbary and O. G. Babcock met at the school house Monday with a committee from the Sonora Parent-Teachers Association to discuss a band and orchestra for Sonora. Both committees agreed that a band would be much quicker developed and cheaper than an orchestra. The band would help, at a later date, to develop an orchestra, it was pointed out.

These committees request that any one interested in a band for Sonora send their names to Mrs. Lem Johnson using the straw ballot in this paper, also stating if they are willing to pay their own tuition and band instrument. In the event a person desires becoming a member of the band should not be able to pay their tuition, etc. the Lions and P.-T. A. will furnish the required funds.

Citizens and business men here have expressed their desire for a band, and want everyone interested to use the ballot on the front page of this paper. In this manner, no movement will be forced upon the people. Both committees urge everyone who would like to see either a municipal or school band send in their ballot to Mrs. Johnson.

Prof. Griggs, band instructor of San Angelo, will likely be employed should the people want a band. It is left to you, citizens and business men of Sonora, to decide whether or not Sonora wants a band.

Mrs. Byron Newby of Del Rio is a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hi Eastland. Mr. Newby accompanied her here but has gone on to Goldwaite for a few days business trip.

Arthur Simmons was among those transacting business in town Wednesday afternoon.

## BAND STRAW BALLOT

The ballot below is to determine whether or not Sonora wants a band. It is your duty to express your opinion either pro or con. Do it!

ARE YOU IN FAVOR OF—

- (1) —BAND?
- (2) —MUNICIPAL BAND?
- (3) —ORCHESTRA?
- (4) —NO BAND?

IF you favor (band), leave that line, etc.—should you favor (no band)—leave that line and mail your ballot to Mrs. Lem Johnson, Sonora.

# GOODYEAR

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### \* \* \* \* \* U. S. CAPITOL \* \* \* \* \*

By William P. Helm, Jr.  
Washington Correspondent of The News.

Washington, Sept. 28.—The national forum is now in session. Six weeks to go; and the entire United States is today a court of hustings. Stick a pin into the map anywhere and there you will find politics the order of the day. Everywhere the warring camps are astir and bustling by day; everywhere oratory floods the evening air. And nowhere is the campaign a whiter heat than in those stricken States of what we call the Middle West, or along the border line of the old Confederacy.

Fourteen commonwealths stretching from Maryland to Oklahoma and north to the Canadian line constitute these two battlefields. Fourteen States with 45,000,000 persons within their borders; with a combined vote of 196 in the electoral college—more than one-third of the total—such is the territory for which the donkey and the elephant are at grips.

Largely the population of this area is agricultural. The rural vote, perhaps, in this territory out-balance the urban. The issues that appeal to the farmers are the issues that probably will come first in determining the result. Second to these is the issue of prohibition. That glows white hot in the great cities. In some of them it may cause a reversal of the previous vote.

Maryland, West Virginia, Kentucky, Missouri and Oklahoma—five States that may go either way—comprise the border territory. The fight in these states is intense. In Maryland, prohibition and religion are the topics most discussed. Ritchie, her Democratic Governor, is a power with tremendous following. He is alert and energetic in his work for the ticket. He may succeed in swinging the eight votes of his State to Smith. The fight is close and the State is doubtful.

West Virginia leans to Republicanism, but not so far over that it cannot be swung back. The Republicans there have factional rows on hand that seem, at the moment, to be putting the brake on their endeavors. Kentucky is a hot battleground. Her thirteen votes incline to Hoover at the moment. But like West Virginia she is not committed. Smith will have to work to win the Blue Grass State.

Missouri swings Smithward it would seem. Democratic Kansas City will be Democratic in November by all signs. Republican St. Louis seems likely, too, to cast a Democratic vote. Prohibition is the determining factor there. Rural Missouri is concededly Republican. It will have to roll up heavy majorities, in all likelihood, to overcome the prospective Democratic lead in the big cities.

Oklahoma probably would give Hoover 1000,000 plurality were the election to be held tomorrow. Such is the Republican claim. Oklahoma would be surely for Smith. Such is the Democratic claim. Take your choice, at two big newspapers—at Tulsa and Oklahoma City—have swung from Democracy to the Hoover camp this year; and Robert L. Owen, 18 years a Democratic Senator and a former candidate for the Presidential nomination, is out on the stump for Hoover. I believe Oklahoma will vote Republican.

Coming to the Middle West, one finds that Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and Minnesota, the issues revolve largely around the farm problem. Al Smith has invaded this territory. He has made a hit in many sections. Thousands upon thousands of farmers like the direct, chatty way he has discussed their problem. They like "Al" himself himself, brown derby and all. By the way, he refused to sell that famous brown derby the other day. Refused \$100 for it.

Smith got right down to the ground in his talks. He poured hot shot into the Republicans for their delay in settling the farm problem. He arraigned them for a policy of promising rather than performance. He committed himself to the principle of the McNary-Haugan bill, but declared he would not tie himself to the details of procedure. He won votes.

Not enough, perhaps, to swing Iowa and Kansas to his column. Enough to worry the Republicans mightily in Nebraska and Minnesota. The Democrats today are claiming both States. So are the Republicans, but with somewhat less assurance than they claimed them before the Smith invasion. It seems to me that Iowa and Kansas are undoubtedly Republican and that Smith has a chance in Nebraska and a good chance in Minnesota.

In Iowa, Indiana and Illinois, the immediate results of the Smith campaign were less heartening to the Democrats. They cannot wipe out

### Magnetic Declination in Texas in 1927

The Coast and Geodetic Survey, Department of Commerce, has just made available a new particular value to surveyors of this state who are required to use magnetic methods in recovering the lines of old surveys. The publication also contains the information necessary for testing compasses at the magnetic stations established by the Coast and Geodetic Survey, descriptions of which stations are given in full in the publication. With this publication, it is possible to find changes in the magnetic bearings at different localities in the State as time has elapsed. The use of this information for every degree of longitude and latitude makes it easy to find the correct values for any given place. A copy of this publication may be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. by remitting fifteen cents and requesting a copy of Coast and Geodetic Survey No. 417, "Magnetic Declination in Texas in 1927".

The ration in increase in electrical production in Texas is greater than the average for the United States. Interconnection has made electricity available to hundreds of towns which would otherwise not have had this convenience.

the somewhat discouraging registration and primary figures which gave the Republicans a showing of big majorities. But in Ohio there is a large and undetermined vote that likes the idea of amending the prohibition laws and it belongs to Smith. This vote, as elsewhere, is largely in the cities.

Indiana has a political mess on its hands for several years, a mess involving Republicans and the Klan. It has been doing a bit of housecleaning, however, and today seems inclined and more inclining toward its traditional Republicanism. The country vote and the city vote again are at odds.

In Illinois, the Republican majorities of the past seem so large that it is difficult to imagine they will be upset in 1928. Yet in Peoria and Chicago, the prohibition views will win many thousands of votes for Smith. In the coal fields the miners are still remembering with gratitude the part Hoover played in making their Jacksonville wage agreement. Illinois may conceivably turn Democratic, but the chances are almost altogether against it.

In Wisconsin Smith seemed to have a decided edge on Hoover six weeks ago. The edge is less decided today. It may disappear altogether; it may become greater during the next six weeks. Wisconsin is a battleground that may be won by either side. Prohibition cuts both ways here.

Michigan is somewhat similarly situated, but the Smith chances there appear less bright than in Wisconsin. In 1924, Michigan gave Coolidge 874,000 votes; Davis, 152,000, a modern miracle if the State went and La Follette, 122,000. It would be Democratic this year. But this is a year of miracles. Wisconsin, in 1924, went for La Follette and much of the State's progressive vote will go, it is believed, to Smith in 1928.

Fourteen States with 196 electoral votes and of them more than 100 are doubtful. Hoover almost certain of three or four States, Smith reasonably sure of one with bright prospects in at least three others. The remaining States still on the fence, leaning some one way, some another. Such is what the Middle West and border States situation appears today.

#### DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES OF SUTTON COUNTY

- For County Judge  
Alvis Johnson.
- For County and District Clerk  
J. D. Lowrey.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector  
B. W. Hutcherson
- For Tax Assessor  
Geo. J. Trainer.
- For County Treasurer  
Mrs. A. J. Smith
- For County Surveyor  
Edgar C. Saunders
- For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1.  
Joe F. Logan.
- For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2.  
Roy Hudspeth
- For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3.  
C. W. Adams
- For County Commissioner Precinct No. 4.  
C. T. Jones

J. D. Lowrey, county and district clerk for Sutton County, do hereby certify that the above named candidates were elected to their respective offices in the Democratic Primary held in this county on the last Saturday in July.

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**Tunncliff Studies Swell Head Disease**

(By E. A. Tunncliff, veterinarian at Experiment Station.)

The ears swell from two to five times the normal thickness and the other portions of the head may also swell. After the swelling has subsided the ears become very hard and dry and the skin cracks open allowing the watery serum to escape to the surface of the skin where it forms in a hard crust. Later the skin and hair on the ears, about the eyes, nose, tails and mouth peel off. There is a discharge from the eyes and nose. The animal loses its appetite and becomes emaciated, the skin has a rough harsh feeling and the goat is usually constipated.

In an attempt to locate the cause preliminary feeding was conducted at the Ranch Experiment Station, Sonora, Texas, using live oak and shin-oak buds and twigs and sacahuista buds. This feed was gathered on the range and fed in dry lots where the feeding conditions were carefully controlled. Salt and water were supplied in all pens in addition to the respective rations. Since cotton seed cake is known to prevent the devel-

oping of swell head a series of pens with these feeds plus cotton seed cake were used for control pens.

One goat developed swell head after eating live oak for five days. The tests continued for fifteen days and after they had closed because of the matured condition of the feeds in question, the animals were released to a small trap. Three days later two goats were observed to be sick from swell head. One of these chevrons that had been in the Sacahuista group were not in good condition when released from the test, therefore, we may assume that if the experiment had been continued this case would have developed in the sacahuista pen. The other goat belonged to the sacahuista and cake group, although he had never eaten either, consequently the self-enforced fast must be taken into consideration.

Although this is in the nature of a progress report for preliminary tests the following points may be noted at this time. It is possible to produce the disease by exclusive diet of buds, leaves, and young twigs of live oak, by feeding sacahuista followed by an abundant of range feed or by starvation for fifteen days then abundance of range feed.

**BE CAREFUL IN TAKING BARGAINS FROM STRANGERS**

A nation-wide swindle in the sale of tires has been brought to light by the arraignment in New York City of a prisoner on a charge of misrepresenting merchandise.

Testimony disclosed the method being followed, it is alleged, by tire swindlers in a number of states. A truck occupied by two men, it was testified, draws alongside another motor car halted in traffic. One of the men asks the driver if he wants to buy a tire or two cheap. They offer to sell for \$25 two tires priced at \$25 each and sometimes reduce the price on the two to \$18.

When the prospective customer expresses incredulity, part of the wrapper of the tire is torn aside to show the maker's stamp. But if he purchases the tires he finds that they were battered, used tires. If he was shown a trade-mark stamped on the tire, he learns that the letters were part of a line carefully "spotted" by the swindlers for the trick.

Representatives of a large rubber company with the co-operation of the National Business Bureau of New York are making a countrywide drive to stamp out the swindle.—Exchange

**KNOW TEXAS**

Last year 30,200 domestic customers were added to electric lines in Texas making a total of 491,000.

A plant is under construction near Pampa for manufacturing carbon black that will consume 22,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily.

Texas has more than 634,729 telephones and there are more than 3,200,000 telephone conversations a day in this state.

It is estimated the 5,000,000 persons outside of Texas are engaged in industries directly dependent on or connected with Texas cotton.

Farm products in the South were valued at \$5,672,000,000 as against \$4,777,000,000 for the entire United States in 1920. This showing could not have been made without Texas.

The output for cotton for the whole United States in 1900 was \$340,000,000 whereas that for the South alone in 1925 was \$940,000,000. Texas is making the South's leadership possible.

**FRED HULL IS GRANDPA**

Announcements were received here this week announcing the arrival of Margaret Pearl Smith, born September 9th at Cedarville, Ga., to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith. Mrs. Smith will be remembered as Miss Pearl Hull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hull of this city.

The birth of this young lady makes Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hull grandparents for the first time.

San Angelo—Contract for twenty blocks of additional blocks of pavement has been let by the San Angelo City Commission. An electric bond of \$1000.00 was accepted.

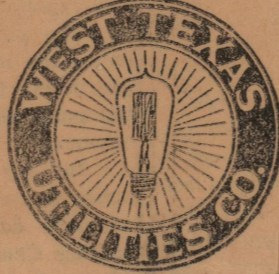
Did you ever see a Blue Wildcat? There are lots of them at E. F. Vander Stucken's store. 4-t-c.

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R. A. M.

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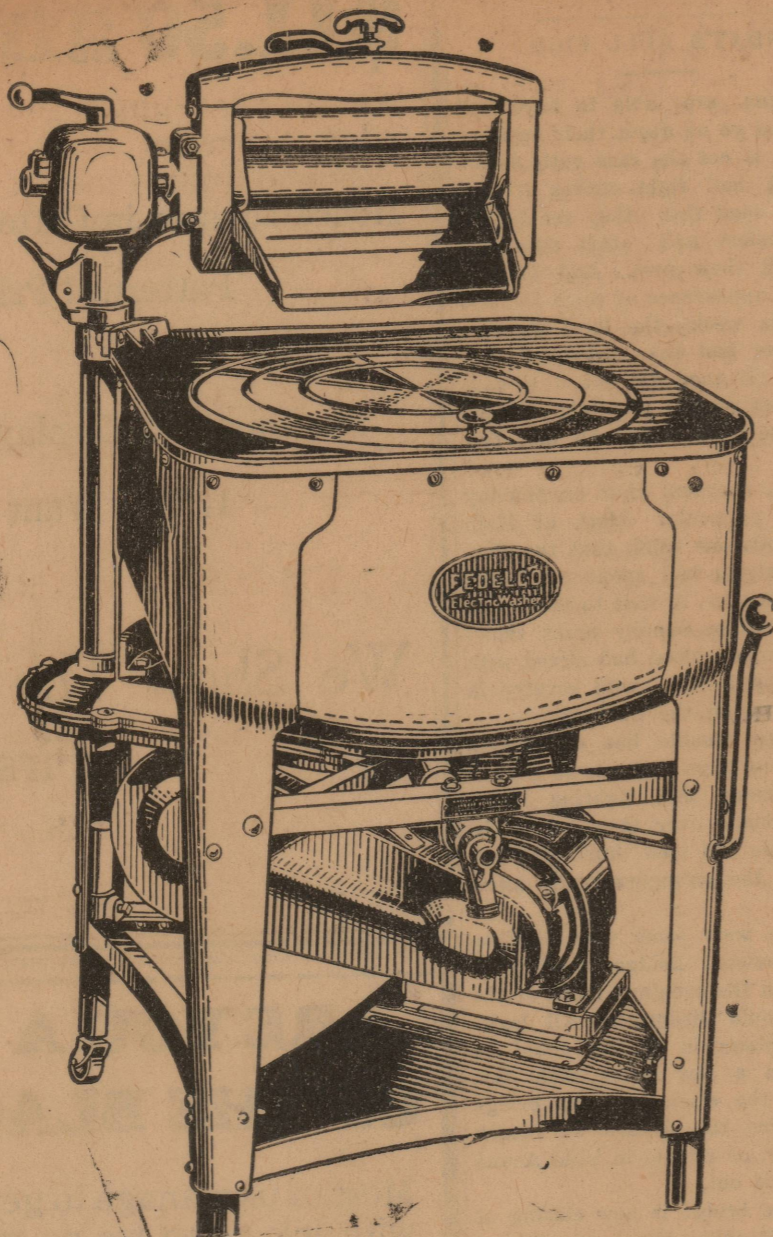
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(By Edson R. Waite, Shawnee, Oklahoma.)

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THAT they are real boosters. Boosters are always builders. JOIN THEM!

**THEM!**

THAT no hand can stop the march of development as long as your boosters are boosting. JOIN THEM!

THAT your boosters realize that your city is on the tide and will ride rapidly forward on the topmost wave. JOIN THEM!

THAT the people who have faith in your city are boosters. Have faith and show it by joining them.

THAT there will be an advance in progress of your city even beyond the expectation of the far-sighted boosters. You can make it advance faster by JOINING THEM!

THAT it will grow because of the united efforts of your boosters in boosting and encouraging better business. JOIN THEM!

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**MUTTON AND CHEVON**

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Chevon should be used and applied to the goat family. Just as mutton is used in the sheep family. Viz: A "Chevon" is a wether goat, and chevon is the name of all edible goat meat, raw or dressed food. Barbecued Chevon is considered one of the finest and best meats that help make up the menu of our Western banquets. "Chevon" is a word that was added to the English language some six years ago, through a contest for a prize, for the best name for the flesh of goat, sponsored by the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Ass'n of Texas. The name "Chevon" properly used fills a place in our language that has been long needed.

It has the recognition of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and in the course of a few years of usage, will be in all up-to-date dictionaries of the country.—E. M. Halbert, Chairman of Chevon publicity Committee of Sheep and Goat Raisers' Ass'n.

**Orient Rates Not Cheaper than Frisco**

Springfield, Missouri  
 September 18, 1928

Shippers:  
 Some time ago, while in Ozona, Texas, I was in conversation with some sheep buyers who were contracting sheep for movement to Colorado, and learned that there was a general impression in that coun-

try that rates on sheep from K. C. M. & O. points was, in some instances, cheaper than the rates from Menard to the same Colorado points. This is not the case, and in order to correct this impression. G. L. Oliver, our freight traffic manager in Texas, has prepared a statement showing the rates from Menard and from important Orient shipping points; also quoting the rates to the Fort Worth markets, Oklahoma City, Kansas City and Denver. While the rates are only shown to Denver, rates on sheep to points between ver and Texas could not be higher. Above as information to you, and will appreciate the favor if you will give it as much publicity as possible when discussing prospective sheep movements.

Very truly yours,  
 E. T. Tillman,  
 General live stock agent.

**Goodyear Men Liked Chevon Barbecue**

Sept. 11, 1928  
 Dallas, Texas,

Mr. E. M. Halbert,  
 Sonora, Texas,  
 My dear Mr. Halbert:

I am very sorry that we did not get to see you in Sonora the other night in order that we might thank you personally and tell you just how much we all enjoyed the barbecue, and especially the Chevon.

The piece I had was without a doubt the best piece of meat I ever ate in my life and I heard most of the gang express themselves in like manner.

In my opinion, the American public is certainly cheating itself out of some delicious dinners in not making Chevon one of the standard meats of their board.

We had a great time down there, and wish to thank you very much for affording us the pleasure and experience of eating barbecued Chevon.

I hope to see you down there on my next visit to Sonora.  
 Yours very truly,  
 S. E. Rain

The Sonora Motor Company, Sam R. Hull, president gave this banquet to the Goodyear Tire people of Dallas, Texas. And all we did was to furnish Mr. Hull the "Chevon". Glad you enjoyed the best of eats. Mr. Rain, come again, for we ranchmen always did like "Rain."

Chevonly Yours,  
 E. M. Halbert

**SUNDAY'S BULL FIGHT**

Mexicans are able to have bull fights and go on about their business but such is not the case with Americans. A bull fight makes Americans so mad that they see half a dozen colors and start numerous fights all their own. And judging from the appearance of some Del Rio men this week the local fighters must have had the worst of encounters. If they did not it is safe to say that several hospitals of West Texas are well filled the last few days.

In fact, a casual view on Monday of one particular block of Main Street made one think that the Porto Rico storm had spent its forces in Villa Acuna. A visit to the International bridge Sunday night showed that human blood had mixed with bull's blood in the wild revelry in Villa Acuna on the Sabbath.

So much trouble has occurred in the last few days that one is led to the conclusion that fighting liquor is being made over there. That is, the Del Rio bad men think they can fight and the strangers really know how.

If there were some way to close the International Bridge about 5 or 6 o'clock in the evenings much of the trouble would disappear. All legitimate business in Mexico could be handled in a few hours each day, and then the closing of the bridge would force the drunks to return home early, or remain in Villa Acuna and fight it out.

Since the bridge is now closing at midnight it takes the local officers several hours early in the morning to handle the troublemaker. The police court was filled Monday and it is always that way when there is any kind of special celebration. It is bad enough every day and constantly grows worse.

Some of these days or nights a riot will break out in Villa Acuna and a half dozen or more get killed. And then there will be a great effort made to hush the matter up, and all of the terrible news over the world will be severely condemned for simply telling the truth. But it is reasonably safe to say that when the great tragedy comes the reading public will be fully informed of just what happened and how many times what happened and how many killed.—Val Verde County Herald.

**Uncle Tom's Cabin Coming to La Vista**

The Bible is regarded as the most widely read book in the whole world and "Pilgrim's Progress," John Bunyan's classic, as the runner-up according to librarians. Following them are a group of books, prominent among which is "Uncle Tom's Cabin," the great novel of Harriett Beecher Stowe. This book has been translated into four different languages and is growing in popularity daily in spite of its seventy-five years. This American classic has now been made into a motion picture of epic proportions by Universal, and

it is scheduled to open at the La Vista Theatre October 18. An all star cast will take part, including Margarita Fisher, Arthur Edmund Carew, John Roche, Gertrude Astor, Lucien Littlefield, George Siegmann, Mona Ray, Virginia Grey, Eulalia Jensen, J. Gordon Russell, Aileen Manning, Jack Mower, Vivian Oakland, and others. Harry Potter directed.

Goree—The first users of natural gas in Goree were the Goree Gin Company. In a few minutes after the gas was turned into the mains the gin, which had previously installed burners was running with the gas as its fuel.

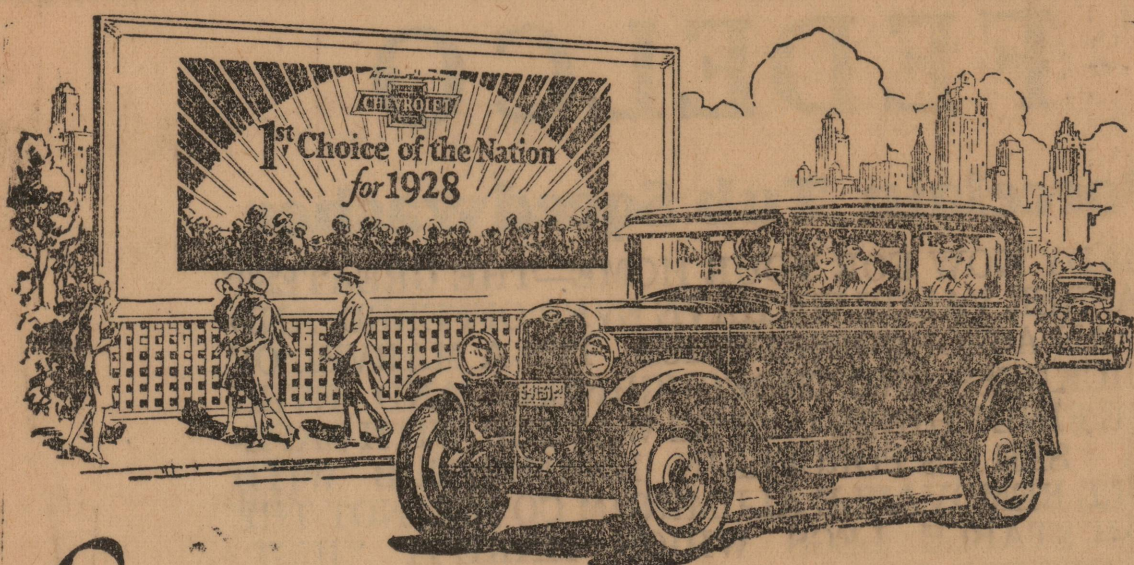
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"Thank you for giving me the offer for a position at Nacogdoches. I appreciate the services of your employment department, however, since I have several offers for positions nearer home, I must decline your offer. Two of the positions will be mentioned in this letter.

I was offered a position in the First National Bank at Quitaca, Texas, with the understanding that I would be promoted to cashier as soon as I could understand the business, which would be only a short time. I was offered a job with the Lockney Oil Mill, Lockney, Texas, which belongs to Anderson & Clayton. This is a large Company and, having a large field for advancement, I accepted the offer in preference to the bank.

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### THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Sutton County—Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to making publication of this citation summon S A L O M E GALINDO once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, (which has been published and had a general circulation for at least one year continuously) to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Sutton County, Sonora, Texas, on the first Monday in November, A. D. 1928, the same being the 5th day of November, A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 14th day of September, A. D. 1928, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 596, wherein Marie Rodriguez Galindo is plaintiff, and SALOME GALINDO is defendant, said plaintiff alleging that plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married in Edwards County, Texas, about the year 1911 and lived together as husband and wife until about the year 1916, when and at which time the defendant, without any just cause whatever, left and abandoned this plaintiff, and returned to Old Mexico where he again married another woman; that the defendant has never returned to plaintiff, and they have not lived together as man and wife for more than eleven years; that defendant's action toward plaintiff in so abandoning her is of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable.

Plaintiff prays for judgement dissolving the marriage relations now existing between plaintiff and defendant, for costs of suit, etc.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in the town of Sonora, Texas, this the 14th, day of September, 1928.

J. D. LOWREY,  
Clerk, District Court, Sutton County Texas. 4-t-9-21-28 c.

A true copy I certify:  
B. W. HUTCHERSON  
Sheriff, Sutton County, Texas.

### Pure Water For San Angelo

San Angelo, Texas, Sept. 28.—Insuring the City of San Angelo an inexhaustible supply of chemically pure and clear water, the new filtration plant of the West Texas Utilities Company under construction here will be put into operation by October 1st, it was announced by E. R. Hoppe, chief engineer of the company.

About 90 per cent of the construction work has been completed and the plant will be ready for operation, Mr. Hoppe said. "One pump has been set and the other pumps in the high lift pump station are being set. There remains yet a small amount of electrical work to be done.

"The clear water and coagulating basins are completed as are the river intake and low lift pumping stations. The pumping capacity of the new plant will be 12,000 gallons daily."

Mr. Hoppe pointed out that with the new plant San Angelo would evade the possibility of muddy water as has happened occasionally in the past when the Concho River was at flood stage and carrying much sediment.

The building program also included the water the mains of the city these now being in better shape than any time in the past. The pump house or water works building will be fire proof, using brick, concrete and steel red face brick will be used on the exterior and the inside will be finished with white faced brick.

### PICTORIAL LIFE OF HERBERT HOOVER

No. 3

By Satterfield



1. On August 10, 1874, Herbert Clarke Hoover was born in West Branch, Iowa. He had one brother and a sister.



2. As a boy, Herbert loved all sports and outdoor pastimes. In winter he delighted in snow sports.



3. Herbert's father died when he was six, and Aunt Agnes took him on a visit to Oklahoma.



4. The boy's playmates during this visit were little Osage Indian boys, who taught him many Indian sports.

### Sonora Woman's Club Will Open October 4

The Sonora Woman's Club will open October 4th for the beginning of this year's work. A Federation program will be in charge of Mrs. Sterling Baker, Alvis Johnson and Miss Estelle McDonald.

Hosts for the afternoon are Mrs. Chas. Evans, Mrs. L. W. Elliott, and Mrs. Joseph Vander Stucken. The hosts for that afternoon will serve the club for the entire year as program committee.

### Believes Al Smith Is Farmers' Friend

Declaring that the farm problem is the chief issue of the present campaign, Dr. Tait Butler, editor of "The Progressive Farmer," at Memphis, Tenn., and Dallas, Texas, declares that the Democratic platform and the position of Governor Smith make them the standard bearers of agriculture in this fight.

In an editorial in "The Progressive Farmer," Mr. Butler says that Herbert Hoover "is the enemy of culture and the privileges of agriculture whenever a question arises between the rights of agriculture and the privileges of protected industry and commerce."

Dr. Butler points out that with Governor Smith in the White House the genuine farmers and their leaders would determine the farm policy of the government. He adds, "who are the best qualified to formulate a national policy for the future development of our agriculture? Should this policy be dictated as attempted during the present national administration, by a mining engineer, and a secretary of Commerce, by a brewer, a manufacturer, a capitalist and a Secretary of the Treasury; and by a Vermont lawyer, a politician and president, or by farmers, farm economists and farm leaders? Is this not an important question? Who are most capable to formulate our national policy for agriculture? It has often happened to the Writer to wonder if the monumental egotism and brazen effrontery of this trio of politicians presuming to dictate the agricultural policy of this country has ever occurred to them."

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#### Travel and Sport Fashions.

are of tweed, camels hair, Comaco and Knit-tex cloth. Many strictly tailored, others with fur collars of fox, beaver or sandwolf. In herringbone, jacqued and other novelty weaves with shades of tan and grey predominating among the colors. As Model B.

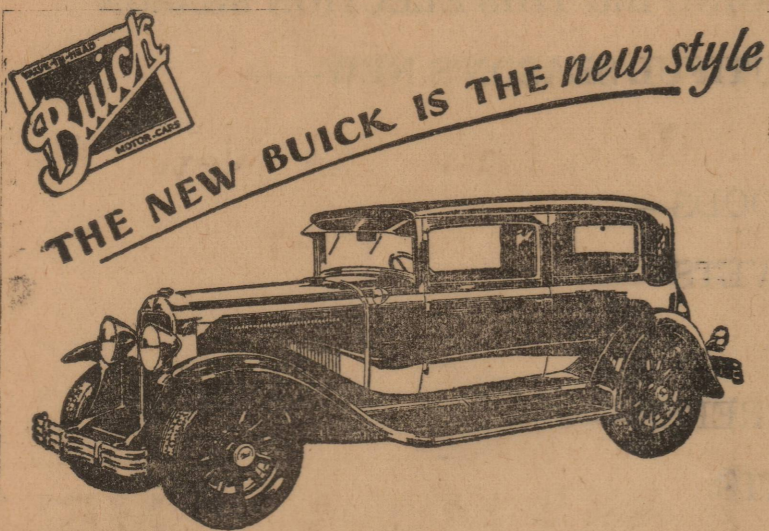
#### Those With Scarf Collars

with scarf effect. One is a jacquard weave, scarf collar is of same fabric. We are showing two beautiful coats as the coat and cuffs of badger. Another is one of imported majora cloth, with beaver horseshoe collar, whose cloth scarf may be either worn down the front or back. As Model C.

#### Shawl Collar Model

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making publication of this citation  
once in each week for four consecutive  
weeks previous to the return  
day hereof, in some newspaper published  
in your county (which has  
been continuously published for more  
than one year in the County of Sutton,  
with a general circulation) to appear  
at the next regular term of the  
District Court of Sutton County, to  
be held at the courthouse thereof in  
Sonora, Texas, the first Monday in  
November, A. D. 1928, the same  
being the 5th day of November A.  
D. 1928, then and there to answer a  
petition filed in said court on the  
26th day of September, A. D. 1928,  
in a suit numbered on the docket of  
said Court No. 598, wherein CAR-  
MEN GALINDO is plaintiff, and  
JUAN GALINDO is defendant, said  
petition alleging that plaintiff and  
defendant were lawfully married in  
Schleicher County, Texas, on or about  
June 18, 1924, and plaintiff continued  
to live with him as man and wife  
until about the 16th day of May,  
1926, when at which time by reason  
of cruel and harsh treatment she  
was forced to separate from defendant,  
and has not lived with him since.  
That plaintiff had two children by  
him, to-wit: Osker, a boy, born April  
16, 1925, and Aurelia, a girl born  
August 16, 1926. That during all the  
time they lived together she conducted  
herself with propriety and treated  
her husband with kindness and fore-  
bearance; but that defendant failed  
to provide for plaintiff and treated  
her with utter disregard. That on  
or about the 16th day of May, 1926,  
at or near Miles in Runnels County,  
Texas, at a time when plaintiff's  
first child was only 13 months old,  
and near the time when her second  
child would be born, defendant left  
plaintiff and her 13 months old  
child in destitute circumstances, among  
strangers, and plaintiff was forced  
to chop cotton to get money to  
support herself and child and prepare  
for her expected second child; that  
after the birth of her second  
child, her father came and got her  
and brought her back to Sonora,  
Texas, that defendant thereafter re-  
turned to Sonora, but plaintiff would  
not further live with him; that such  
treatment, as aforesaid, was under  
circumstances which showed an utter  
disregard of plaintiff's health,  
if not her life, and was of such  
cruel and harsh nature as to render  
their further living together insup-  
portable and caused plaintiff to per-  
manently quit defendant. That de-  
fendant has never contributed to the  
support of their children, but that  
plaintiff is now working and sup-  
porting them.

Plaintiff prays for judgement dis-  
solving marriage contract between  
her and defendant, and for the care,  
custody and education of her two  
children, and for costs, etc.  
HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have  
you before said court on said first

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her fourth birthday.

Various games were enjoyed. Wirt  
Ellis Stephenson proved to be the  
most accurate in the donkey tail pin-  
ning contest with Ruth Harris win-  
ning the booby prize.

Mrs. Sam Thomas entertained the  
tiny tots with several piano selec-  
tions.

Cutting of the birthday cake caused  
much excitement. Master Ray Wal-  
lace Stephenson cut the ring, Kelso  
Locklin the dime, Forrest Crowder  
the button and Wirt Ellis Stephenson  
the thimble.

Ina Archer was awarded first prize  
in the all-day sucker contest.

The little hostess received many  
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Those enjoying Miss Doris' party  
were: Edith Babcock, Lida D. Chalk,  
Robby Joe Wyatt, Ruth, Lois and  
Doris Harris, Jamie Trainer, Wirt  
Ellis Stephenson, Ina Archer, Forrest  
Crowder, Katha Lee and Doris  
Keene, Louise Briscoe of San Angelo,  
Katherine Caldwell, Jamie G. Lang-  
ford, Ray Wallace Stephenson, Kel-  
so Locklin, J. L. Barnes, Allen Lane  
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Claude Keene, George D. Chalk, Sam  
Thomas, O. G. Babcock, James Deck-  
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ing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the  
seal of said court, in the town of So-  
nora, Texas, this 26th day of  
September, A. D. 1928.

J. D. LOWREY

Clerk, District Court, Sutton County,  
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A true copy I certify:

B. W. HUTCHERSON

Sheriff, Sutton County, Texas. 4-1-9  
28-c.

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Without the appendix we work for memorization and drill, the "Three R's"; with the appendix, in addition to these, we work for modification of conduct—to develop higher moral character, better health, greater civic consciousness, closer home relationship, greater vocational efficiency and more wholesome use of leisure.

How this organ of education functioned—what is its value based on two separate tests?

Take the service test: keeping in mind our twentieth century environment, with its increased leisure, shall we remove the recreational and group interest activities—the gymnasium, the play ground, the chorus, the orchestra and the band? Keeping in mind the spending orgy, shall we eliminate the teaching of thrift? Keeping in mind the artificial living, shall we eliminate good health instruction and medical supervision? Keeping in mind the tremendous waste and loss of life by accident or fire, shall we eliminate "Safety First inculcation"? Keeping in mind the need for self-expression, shall we eliminate art, music and dramatics? Keeping in mind competitive business and industry, shall we eliminate pre-vocational training? Keeping in mind the prevalence of citizenship, in-

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30 or 35 Delaine rams, reasonably priced; can be seen at my ranch 25 miles west of town. Phone, write or see T. D. Word, Ozona, Texas. 2-t-pd.

FOR SALE—P. Hurst residence and adjoining land, two hundred and sixty four acres. Well and improvements on place. See Bud Hurst, Ft. Stockton, Texas, or Mrs. C. Mienicke Ozona, Texas, or Mrs. Rose Hurst, Sonora, Texas. t-f-c.

BILLIES FOR SALE—25 billies, coming two-year olds, out of the John Ward stock, reasonably priced. See or phone Edgar Shurley. 1-t-c.

### GRASS FOR CATTLE

Best grass in West Texas for 150 to 200 head of cattle for entire winter; attention and salt furnished. Call 3741 or see Ira C. Green. 2-t-c.

### REAL RANCH LAND

7,300 acres, known as Williams or Hays City ranch, near San Marcos—nearly all black, some honey comb, some red flint, all mesquite grass, fine live oak and other brush and timber. The finest of virgin sheep and goat ranch and hard to beat for cattle; plenty of tillable land, very little cedar, 1 1-2 miles of river front. If you enjoy looking at good land you will never forget the time spent looking at this place. For about thirty days I am offering this ranch as a whole or any size tract at very low prices and good terms. A. G. Vogt, Boerne, Texas. 5-t-c.

RESIDENCE LOTS FOR SALE  
I have five residence lots, 50x140 feet near school building for sale or will trade for sheep or goats.

See Cyrus Ogden at Sonora Motor Company or call 152. t-f-c.

### POSTED

My ranch, twenty-four miles east of Sonora is posted according to law, and anyone caught trespassing will be prosecuted.—Ira C. Green. t-f.

### POSTED NOTICE

This is to notify the public that my ranch, 25 miles southeast of Sonora, in Sutton and Edwards counties, is posted according to law, and any person caught trespassing will be prosecuted according to law; officer in charge. Oscar Appelt 4-15-28

### Birthday Party for Jeanette Burnett

Mrs. J. M. Burnett entertained a host of little friends Saturday afternoon at her home in honor of her little daughter, Miss Jeanette Ellen, who celebrated a birthday. The youngsters were escorted to the La Vista Theatre where a picture was shown. After enjoying the show they departed for the Burnett home where they had much fun at various games. Little Kathryn Brown gave a dance which was followed by a reading by Kathryn Jane Burnett.

Prizes were given to the boys and girls who won at various games. The girl's prize was won by little Miss Kathryn Brown, and the boy's by Marion Elliott.

After several games were played the birthday cake was cut and served while a Vincennes machine from the La Vista Theatre was played by Master Jack Burnett.

Those who enjoyed Mrs. Burnett's hospitality were: Elizabeth Elliott, Doris Keene, Lunette Marion, Kathryn Burnett, Jesse Harrison, Kathryn Brown, Mary Barnes and Jo Nell Miers.

Donley—Two booster trips advertising the Donley County fair were taken by enthusiastic citizens to Lelia Lake, Hedley, Giles, Jerico, and Marlin, all neighboring towns.

difference, shall we eliminate the teaching of civic responsibility?

Take the interest test: There are 14 per cent of the total school enrollment in high school today as against 1.1 per cent forty years ago. There are 82.8 percent of the children, between the ages of 5 and 17, in school today as against 65 per cent forty years ago. Over a similar period the length of the school term has increased 30 per cent. The average number of days attended by each child, ages, 5 to 17, has increased over 100 per cent.

Our schools have moved forward and kept pace with general progress. Shall we remove the appendix which thus has produced the tremendous holding power of the schools? The clock of educational progress is set back a generation when shortsighted civic bodies set out to rob education of its finer shade. This process undermines and emaciates it. It brings education back to its bare skeleton, to its kindergarten days.

Operation on the appendices of education—the removal of those factors in cultural and practical development—on the pretext of retrenchment in public support means physical, social and mental retardation in the community that performs the operation.—Better Schools League.



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**City Garage**



AT THE LA VISTA NEXT WEEK

J. M. Burnett, the La Vista man, continues to give to the movie fans of Sonora some of the best pictures available among which are:

MONDAY—A big Pathe feature—"Walking Back" with Sue Carroll. Pathe News reel will also be shown.

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY—A First National—"Chinatown Charlie" with Johnny Hines. Everyone who likes comedy will surely enjoy this picture for the noted Johnny Hines is playing.

THURSDAY—Vitagraph feature—"Pay as You Enter." Pathe Comedy—"Children of the Stars in Young Hollywood."

FRIDAY—Another Vitagraph feature—"Pay as You Enter." Pathe News No. 74. Last chapter of a good serial—"Terrible People." First run of the Collegians.

SATURDAY—M. G. M. feature—"Laugh, Clown, Laugh" with Lon Chaney. You cannot afford to miss this one of Lon Chaney's. It is full of fun and you will enjoy it.

Concrete Walks Are Being Built

Anticipating the hard surfacing of four blocks of Sonora's streets, the First National Bank is having side walks and curbing built in front of their present quarters.

G. W. Archer, local contractor, is doing the work for the bank, and is making a nice job of it.

Work on the First National's new home, which when completed will cost approximately \$80,000, is going forward. Brick work on this edifice is completed, and workmen are busy with the window work and inside work.

This new building will be ready for occupancy probably by the first of December or a little later.

Mrs. J. L. Latham of San Angelo is a guest this week of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Kiser and family.

Miss Alma Ory returned Saturday from a month's visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. D. Lovelady in El Paso.

SEWER FUND REPORT of the City of Sonora

(Editor's note: the statement below is of the financial condition of the sewer funds of the City of Sonora. The balance, of which is \$2,879.77 has been effected in a saving by the City Commission on the \$46,564.17 sewer system, besides the buying of five hundred feet of pipe). The statement follows:

| RECEIVED   |                    |
|--|--------------------|
| Received from sale of bonds and accrued interest           | \$46,465.62        |
| Received from Mosher Steel & Machine Co. freight allowance | 58.20              |
| Received as payments for breakage on tile                  | 40.35              |
| <b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>                                      | <b>\$46,564.17</b> |
| DISBURSEMENTS  |                    |
| Paid out for material                                      | \$11,609.50        |
| Freight and hauling  | 3,647.66           |
| Labor  | 12,752.30          |
| Dynamite and caps  | 829.69             |
| Repair bills, damage to houses                             | 17.00              |
| Paid to Municipal Engineering Co.                          | 13,769.17          |
| To Chapman Cutler, opinion on bonds                        | 55.00              |
| Printing of bonds  | 76.70              |
| Advertising bonds and hauling contract                     | 90.05              |
| Telephone and telegraph                                    | 5.93               |
| Insurance and postage                                      | 6.40               |
| H. P. Stockton for engineering services                    | 150.00             |
| Secretary salary   | 600.00             |
| Outstanding bills (estimated)                              | 75.00              |
| <b>TOTAL cost of installing sewer system</b>               | <b>\$43,684.40</b> |
| Final balance in fund                                      | 2,879.77           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>   | <b>\$46,564.17</b> |

Itemized statements of the above totals are on file in the office of the City Secretary and are open for inspection.

A. C. ELLIOTT,  
Secretary and Treasurer  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 20th day of September, A. D. 1928.  
(Seal) GEO. H. NEILL,  
Notary Public.

Pursuant with the policy of the West Texas Utilities Company, landscape artists will lay out parks and flower beds making it one of the most beautiful spots in San Angelo.

Bronchs Play Junction Tomorrow

Disappointed in their trip last Saturday to Rocksprings, the Sonora Bronchs will invade Junction Hi at Junction tomorrow with a full determination to win. The lineup for this game will be:

|              |                 |
|--------------|-----------------|
| Left End     | Red Hill, Jr.   |
| Left Tackle  | Wesley Hill     |
| Left Guard   | James Whidden   |
| Center       | Hillman Brown   |
| Right Guard  | Mat Adams       |
| Right Tackle | Pat Cooper      |
| Right End    | Pete Taylor     |
| Quarterback  | John McClelland |
| Halfback     | Woodrow Norris  |
| Fullback     | Louie Trainer   |
| Left Half    | DeWitt Blanton  |

Others who will make the trip and will be probably used in the game are: Chas. Harold Evans, Edwin Hollmig, Jack Pfeister, Charlie Pharris, Elwood Dunklin, George Ory and Keggy Hollmig.

Schedule for the Sonora Bronchs is as follows:  
September 29 Junction at Junction  
October 6 Ozona at Ozona  
October 13 Kerrville at Kerrville  
October 26 Rocksprings there  
Nov. 3 Menard at Menard  
Nov. 10 San Angelo at Sonora  
Nov. 17 Fredericksburg at Sonora  
Nov. 24 Open date  
Nov. 29 Ozona at Sonora

ALFRED SESSUM SELLS LAMBS AND KIDS

Five hundred mixed lambs and 60 mutton kids were sold this week and delivered by Alfred Sessum to Bert Page of Eldorado. The lambs brought \$7 and the kids \$4.

Mesdames Louie Stuart and Ira Shurley were shopping in San Angelo Wednesday.

Roy Hudspeth, prominent ranchmen of this county and one of the county commissioners, was attending business here the fore part of the week. Mr. Hudspeth stated that Mrs. Hudspeth was doing nicely after returning from the Kellogg Sanitarium at Battle Creek Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simmons were in from their ranch the fore part of the week on business.

Pat Jarrott and Gus Jones, representatives of the Security Building and Loan association of San Angelo, were here Wednesday on business. Their company has entered this field and hope to do some business here.

Political Announcements

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

E. W. HUTCHERSON  
(Re-election)

For Tax Assessor  
GEO. J. TRAINER, SR.  
(Re-election)

For County Treasurer  
MRS. A. J. SMITH  
(Re-election)

ALVIS JOHNSON  
For County Judge:  
(Re-election)

For County Clerk:  
J. D. LOWREY  
(Re-election)

For District Attorney: 83rd.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1  
JOE F. LOGAN  
(Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2  
C. T. JONES  
(Re-election)

For Representative 86th District  
COKE R. STEPHENSON

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1775 Broadway, New York City  
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Democratic National Committee

Brady—A campaign to solicit \$100,000 stock subscriptions for the erection and equipment of a powdered milk plant at Brady recently got under way. The plant is to cost \$200,000, but one-half of the capital is to be furnished by foreign interests.

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First National—"CHINATOWN CHARLIE"  
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Vitagraph Feature—"PAY AS YOU ENTER"  
Pathe Comedy—"Children of the Stars in Young Hollywood."

FRIDAY—

Vitagraph—"PAY AS YOU ENTER"  
Pathe News No. 74. Last Chapter of a good serial—"TERRIBLE PEOPLE"  
First Run of the Collegians

SATURDAY—

M. G. M. Feature—  
"LAUGH, CLOWN, LAUGH"  
With Lon Chaney

Walker Bus Company

Will begin operating Buses between Mc-Camey and Llano on the 15th of August.

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