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M. O. BRITT FAVORS THE PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

"The proposed Constitutional Amendment providing for a State Board of Education and relating to terms of school officers, and which is to be submitted to the voters at the general election on Nov. 6, should by all means be adopted." M. O. Britt, Superintendent of the Sonora Schools said when questioned here this week.

"The present State Board of Education is composed of the Governor, Secretary of State, and the Comptroller. It was true fifty years ago that these officers had time to attend to these ex-officio duties for the school system. But the growth and development of the state have greatly multiplied the regular duties of these officials, and, at the same time the progress of the public school system has made more requirements upon the time of the present ex-officio Board of Education that the reorganization of the Board is badly needed. The recent rapid development of the school system with especial reference to administration, rural aid laws, and cooperation with the Federal Government in the distribution of funds for vocational aid—all of which are technical matters,—makes an ex-officio board impractical."

"Let all voters bear these school amendments in mind when they go to the polls. The adoption of the proposed changes will make for educational progress in Texas."

SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT NOVEMBER 23RD.

A general school entertainment is being planned for Friday night November 23.

A number of the teachers are preparing numbers to be used in the program which will be made up of songs, short plays, folk dances and drills.

The proceeds will be used for supplementary library material.

Benson Sells Pecos Ranch to A. Hoover

A ten-section ranch was sold recently by the T. L. Benson Commission Company to Arthur Hoover of Ozona for G. S. White of Sterling City. Several sections of leased land went with the deal. Considerations were not announced.

T. L. Benson also sold the following livestock:

For Sid Slaughter, to northern buyers, 2,000 yearling wethers; for S. E. Couch, to northern buyers, 1,400 wether lambs; for B. B. Dunbar, Sonora, to Finley and Hutcherson, 2,000 wether lambs and 1300 aged ewes. S. S. Bundy, 400 mixed kids to J. Wilson-Geo. Montgomery, Ozona, to Baugh Bros., Eldorado, 90 steers; J. A. Whitten Eldorado, 50 heifer yearlings to McCall and Cerf, Ennis; Bryan Hunt, Sonora, 400 two-year-old ewes to McCall and Cerf; Worth Odom, Ozona, 800 ewes to Hilery Phillips, Ozona; for J. P. Green, 51 bucks to White and Swearington, Sterling City and 18 bucks to Frank Lacy, Brownwood; R. E. Taylor, Sonora, 1100 ewes to Dudley Morris of Ozona.

McCAMEY COUPLE MARRY HERE

Miss Elizabeth Edwards and Joe D. Fox were united in marriage Wednesday morning in County Clerk's office in the presence of J. D. Lowrey, Mrs. Henry Decker, J. E. Grimland and M. A. Wilson. Rev. J. A. Stephen, pastor of the Baptist Church, performed the ceremony.

MRS. EDITH BOND BACK FROM CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Edith Bond returned from California where she has been for the past four months. She will spend the winter here and in San Antonio.

Alfred Schweining was here from the ranch Wednesday morning on business and visiting with his family.

BUCKS and bines for sale—G. H. Davis, It. c.

BANK BUILDING TO BE COMPLETED BY DECEMBER 1

The new two-story \$75,000 home of the First National Bank of this city will be ready for occupancy about the first of December, Roy E. Aldwell, vice president of that institution announced Thursday morning. Dr. A. G. Blanton, local physician and surgeon, will have office space in the second floor. Aldwell-Elliott Company and Wardlaw & Elliott will also move to the new building. Other spaces will be let for rent, Mr. Aldwell said.

Fixtures have been ordered and will arrive by the time the building is complete. These fixtures are of the latest and most up-to-date as is the magnificent edifice.

This bank building and bank will be a credit to a town much larger than Sonora. Successful and efficient men having piloted this bank for the past 28 years has resulted in a continuous, progressive institution.

An opening day will be observed. The date will be announced through this paper at a later date.

Morris Pfeister, 16, Died from Operation

Morris Pfeister, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pfeister of Fort Stockton, and a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morris and Mrs. Beulah Pfeister of this place, died in Pecos, Texas yesterday morning following an operation for appendicitis. He was suddenly stricken with a severe attack of appendicitis and was immediately operated upon.

He was buried at Fort Stockton this afternoon at three o'clock, where his father and mother are living.

Relatives here attended the funeral and some were at his bedside when he took his last breath.

Young Pfeister attended school here and had many friends here who mourn his death.

VALUATIONS IN SUTTON SHOW STEADY GAIN

Approximately one million dollar increase in assessed valuation is shown of Sutton County property on the books at the Tax Collector's office for 1928 as compared to 1927.

The increase, according to J. E. Grimland, is due to the Humble Pipe line, which for 45.60 miles, traverses the county. The total valuation of this line for that number of miles is \$322,830. There are also more livestock assessed for 1928 than for 1927. Taxable property, amount, etc., is shown below for 1923, 1927 and 1928:

Property	FOR 1923	FOR 1927	FOR 1928
Number			
Valuation			
Sheep	192,765	219,595	220,799
Goats	85,653	75,975	168,200
Cattle	44,479	23,224	23,788
Horses-Mules	2,326	1,618	1,618
Tel-Telegraph	256	45.60	45.60
Automobiles	321	432	432
Land	916,820	916,820	916,820
Town Lots			
Valuation	\$639,279	1,877,404	1,877,404

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E. E. SAWYER BUYS NEW PACKARD SEDAN

Milton Moore, salesman for the Cecil Taylor Motor Company, Packard dealers of San Angelo, this week sold a brand new Packard sedan to E. E. Sawyer of this city. Mr. Moore was here Tuesday morning to see prospective car buyers.

See the 1928 Christmas Card Samples at The News Office.

Santa Fe Meeting in Angelo About Oct. 10

A meeting of the Orient and Santa Fe officials will be held in San Angelo about the 10th or 11th of next month. W. L. Aldwell president of the First National Bank of this place, and a director of the Orient Ry, advises the citizens of this county to "dig down into their pockets" if they want a railroad.

After the Santa Fe meeting in Angelo the citizens of this county will be given a chance for the road, it is likely. Mr. Aldwell will be informed after the meeting just how much the Santa Fe expects to build the road. He believes that the officials of that road can be interested.

School Children in Fire Drill Monday

Under the auspices of the Sonora Parent-Teachers Association, several school children met Monday at the Lions Club luncheon and gave a fire drill play. This drill exhibited to the Lions what the children are accomplishing and the interest taken by the school faculty and P. T. A. The P. T. A. also had charge of the luncheon, one of the best ever served to the club.

At this meeting Jack Neill, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, addressed the Lions and spoke for a few minutes. His subject was investments, pointing out many different ways in which "suckers" were swindled by purchasing fake investments. He advised the purchaser to consult his local banker before making investments in stocks, bonds, etc. Miss Groom favored the crowd with two songs which were enjoyed. She was accompanied by Miss Francis.

Drawings by the school children were exhibited by Miss Groom. The drawings were on "fire prevention."

W. T. Hart, owner of the Highway Filling Station, returned Thursday from a several-days trip to North Texas.

See the 1928 Christmas Card Samples at The News Office.

PHILLIPS MAKES LOCATION FOR SECOND OIL TEST

Tools and rig material were moved the fore part of the week for the Phillips Petroleum Number Two Holman, center of Section 39, C. C. S. D. & R. G. N. G. Ry. survey in Sutton county. This test is one and one-eighth miles northeast of the Holman Number One on the Sutton-Edwards line which is now drilling at 5,500 feet, according to information received here the early part of the week.

Holman No. 2 will be drilled only about a thousand feet for a shallow test, it was learned here. Location is on the land of Miss Hattie B. Cusenbary, and on the original lease comprising 16 sections out of the Cusenbary and Holman ranch. Two sections have been added to this block recently, bringing the total acreage for the Phillips to eighteen sections.

Eight-inch casing has been set to a depth of 4,000 feet, one of the deepest sets of 8-inch casing known to the oil fraternity.

Considerable gas showing was encountered at 4,100 and 4,700 foot levels. Light showings of oil were had at 568 and 980 feet.

Water for the second test is being piped from the Holman headquarters ranch.

According to information from a reliable source, it is learned that several more tests will be made in the vicinity of these two wells.

Stites Back From Tire Dealers' Meet

C. E. Stites, proprietor of the Stites Motor Company, Chevrolet agency, and General tire dealer, returned from San Antonio the latter part of this week where he had been to a meeting of General tire dealers.

When returning, he stopped at Austin and visited old friends and relatives.

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GOODYEAR

THE VERDICT OF NUMBERS

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Straw Ballots Give Smith Lead in Texas

SPECIAL TO THE NEWS

DALLAS, October 25.—First returns in a state-wide survey of political sentiment in Texas as respects the two leading candidates for President give the following totals: Alfred E. Smith 100,688; Herbert Hoover 74,817. These returns are from fifty-one counties, representing all parts of the State, and are furnished by newspaper men in each county as their best estimates of how the vote in their respective counties will be cast November 6.

The survey is being made under the auspices of the Dallas Journal, which invited one newspaper man in each county to participate in the survey by furnishing the figures for his county.

The returns, so far, are but partial, but it is the plan to have a response from every county in the State before the survey is completed and the final results announced.

Of the fifty one counties included in the first estimate, 37 are placed in the list of those Smith will carry and 12 in the list of those Hoover will carry. Two counties are estimated as being a tie.

The counties which are included in this estimate have a qualified voting strength of 245,041, representing approximately one-fourth of the voting strength of the State.

They give Smith 57.3 percent of the vote and Hoover 42.7 percent. Smith's lead over Hoover is 25,871.

It is peculiarly noteworthy that only five of the more populous counties have so far reported. Of these three are listed for Hoover and two for Smith. Tarrant, Taylor and Wichita Falls, are given to Hoover. Grayson and Bell counties are listed for Smith.

Other counties in the Hoover column are located either in the Panhandle or along the Rio Grande, generally speaking. Smith counties represent every portion of the State.

The following counties are credited to Smith: Bell, Bosque, Brown, Coke, Collingsworth, Colorado, Culberson, Dimmit, Grayson, Grimes, Hansford, Henderson, Houston, Jim Hogg, Jim Wells, McCulloch, Milam, Mills, Montgomery, Moore, Nacogdoches, Robertson, Rockwall, San Jacinto, Schleicher, Terry, Uvalde, Victoria, Wilbarger, Williamson, Wilson and Yoakum.

The following counties are credited to Hoover: Armstrong, Bandera, Cottle, Donley, Goliad, Kent, Real, Swisher, Tarrant, Taylor, Wichita and Willacy.

The vote is estimated as a tie in these counties: Bee, Farmer and Sutton.

Angelo Trying for Air Mail Service

San Angelo, Oct. 18.—A three day report that will later be forwarded to the United States Postal authorities, has been compiled in San Angelo and sent to the Southern Airways Association at San Antonio to be used in securing an airmail line through San Antonio, New Orleans, San Angelo, El Paso and into Los Angeles.

The information in the report shows the number of pieces of first class mail that is sent from San Angelo to all control points and intervening cities.

J. W. MAYFIELD'S DAUGHTERS VISITED HERE THIS WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mayfield, prominent Sonora people, this week had as their guests, two daughters, Mrs. Harry Juergens of San Angelo, and Ellen Mayfield of Mexico City.

Miss Mayfield left the latter part of the week for El Paso, and Mrs. Juergens returned to her home the same day.



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* * * * * Personal Mention * * * * *

Sol Kelly was among business visitors in the city Monday.

Wallace Dameron, superintendent of the Experiment Station, wife and baby were in town the latter part of last week.

B. B. Dunbar was among ranchmen who transacted business here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Holman spent Monday in Sonora, the guests of relatives.

W. C. Gilmore, junior partner of the Gilmore Hardware Company, attended a school in San Antonio the first of the week which was maintained by the General Electric Corporation.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis were here from their ranch Monday, on business and visiting friends.

Sterling Baker was here from his ranch the fore part of the week to visit with his family.

Jim Cauthorn was here at home the fore part of the week from his ranch.

J. M. Puckett transacted business in the city Monday.

Joe Trainer spent Monday afternoon here. Young Trainer is employed on the Jim Cauthorn ranch south of town.

Ed Glasscock spent the week-end with his family.

G. W. Stephenson this week sold one of his registered Angora billies to a Mr. Baze of Big Spring. Cal Ory had the billie crated and sent via bus to Big Spring.

W. F. McBride, manager of the Sonora Drug Company, and wife moved this week to the Theo. Savell house. They had been residing in the Mrs. Maysie Brown residence near the News office.

Benefit 42 and Bridge Party October 31st

The Library Committee of the Sonora Woman's Club will give a benefit "42" and bridge party at the club building on the night of October 31st. Those wishing reservations, please call Mrs. John Fields.

Proceeds of the party will be used to buy more books for the library.

NOTICE

All books not returned on time the borrower will be subject to a fine of five cents each day until the book is returned. All persons failing to comply with this rule forfeit their right to obtain books. This rule has been adopted for the reason that many books have been kept too long by different parties.—Library Committee.

FREDERICKSBURG—The new Sanitarium in Fredericksburg opened Oct. 1st. The Sanitarium has equipment for taking X-Ray pictures and fluoroscope, and will save the physicians the great inconvenience of sending patients to neighbor towns for treatment.

LIVING OFF THE ARTIC

The Artic and Anartic are barren wastes of everlasting snow and ice. Animals are so scarce that often the explorer hunts hours, days—sometimes even weeks—before seeing a single creature. Then at last he finds one, anxiously he stalks it, intently he aims. For if he should miss, it may mean days of hunger while he hunts again. It may mean even starvation.

Some of the difficulties which Commander Byrd will face in his efforts to explore the South Pole are told in the story entitled "Living Off the Artic," which will appear in the Devil's River News, Monthly Section November 2nd.

Political Announcements

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

B. 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
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Song of the Range
(Adaption by Alvin Clifford Gage)

The Lord is My Shepherd—
Needs of men and women on farm and range, at home and afield are answered and supplied in this poetic psalm, just as they in turn care for the sheep and goats and cattle in their daily rounds.
I Shall Not Want—
All thru this Shepherd's Psalm the words apply to animal as to human needs.
He Maketh Me Lie Down in Green Pastures—
Our herds are grazing, browsing here and there; lying at rest under shelter of trees, in thickets of brush, or in grassy fields.
He Leadeth Me Beside the Still Waters—
The drinking-place, the "water-hole," or the tank and trough beside a windmill, often miles from a habitation. Where rivers run dry the ranch man builds to store water or draw it from sources under the ground. Again, he finds a spring, fosters its

flow; and to still pools below it comes the fleecy flock to quaff its cool freshness and purity—the water they like best of all.

He Restoreth My Soul—
Straying from the flock, kid or lamb is soon in danger. Then the herder on his pony restores the lost one to the herd; perhaps a faithful herddog finds frightened wanderers, and brings them to the shelter and rest.
He Leadeth Me in the Paths of Righteousness for His Name's Sake
Choosing the right path is the task of the shepherd. He must know the best feeding grounds, nearest water, dangerous jump-offs. If he fails in these things, his good name as a leader suffers. He must know where salt is ready for the flock. He must avoid burr-grass and poisonous lupins or other plants; he must keep the bunch from trespassing on cultivated lands. In olden days forfeiture was the rule for strays that got into gardens or vineyards.

Yea, Though I Walk Through the Valley of the Shadow of Death, I Will Fear No Evil.—
Here is the wolf-proof fence; the hunter and trapper of predatory animals; range-riders who keep off thieves; herders who bring flocks to the bed-grounds, or shelter in corrals when the freezing winds come upon the shorn band; kid boxes for the new-born.

For Thou Art With Me—Thy Rod and Thy Staff They Comfort Me.—
Symbolic of pastoral life from the dawn of history, the shepherd's crook typifies protection. The owner or flock-master quick to detect illness, parasites, external or internal, at a glance leads the way to the worm-trap or dipping-vat. He notes their hoofs; frees them from thorn, briar and barbed wire; rescues them from mire and swamp; cares for them at lambing time, kidding time and shearing time. Goats and sheep recognize this "comfort" and protection. Thou Preparest a Table Before Me in the presence of Mine Enemies.
Famine, drouth, short pasture cannot prevail against the good shep-

herd. Cotton-seed "cake" and meal, ensilage, stored roots are the "table prepared against enemies, just as other foes like the blow-fly, buzzard, eagle, snake and cur dog develop skill in handling dumb animals on farm and range.

Thou Anointest My Head With Oil; My Cup Runneth Over—
Grub in the ear, nasal-fly, shear-cuts, thorn or wire wounds, knee-bruises, hoof-rot, all casualties of the day require treatment—"anointing" in the quaint word of the Psalm. It may be olive-oil pine-tar, blue stone or protective covering, with special feeding—a "cup running over." But all these indicate care, kindness—just as I like to think God is constantly watchng over and guardng us in our daily lives, preparing a table before us, providing for our needs, precisely as the keeper of the fold cares for his "woolies." And, too, the Good Lord is watching the "cut-gate," same as the flock-master. Yet we may realize this:
Surely Goodness and Mercy Shall Follow Me all the Days of My Life.

Each day we can get a bit of consolation on the range, in the home or the desk. Is the day too filled with duties, too hot, too cold? Is the range dry and the ride long? Is the press of the household affairs heavy? There is peace in the reflection—
I Will Dwell in the House of the Lord Forever.
That there is someone who cares. The analogy of the shepherd and his

Split Voting Ruled Legal by Pollard

J. M. Burnett, who has been successfully operating the La Vista here, has renewed an old lease contract for a period of two years. The lease is for the La Vista building and equipment which belongs to Karl Gunzer.
Mr. Burnett has been getting the latest releases of pictures and some of the best shows obtainable. Among these are: Ramona, King of Kings, Uncle Tom's Cabin and other high-priced productions.

Mrs. Russell Martin in Waco for Hay Fever Treatment

Mrs. Russell Martin was here Tuesday from Waco where she had been for treatment of hay fever. She returned Wednesday where she will remain for several weeks, she said.

While here she advised The News to come to her address there.

ABERNATHY—Nine tractors have been put to work on the road between Abernathy and Hale Center to widen the road bed and bar-pits to the 100 feet width required by Federal regulations. The detour is in good condition.

flock is cose to human needs. Take this thought along thru the busy days of David (The 23rd Psalm) may appeal to you in a new way.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

(By a Scout)

Boy, our troop is beginning to look like something. We want all the boys we can get to join the Scouts. Boys, you don't know what you are missing.

You should have been at the meeting last night. We started the meeting off with the pledge of allegiance.

Scoutmaster Foster made us a talk on the kind of boys we wanted in the troop.

Max Turney was voted upon and accepted as a Scout.

We went to our corners and studied some contests and then came back to the front where we had some contests. Charlie Pharis was champion bulldogger and Herbert Fields first in a "Chinese-get-up."

Foster appointed the Silver Patrol to have charge of the next meeting.

The meeting was closed with the Scout oath and law.

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HAMLIN—Engineers are at work in Hamlin looking for a new water site. The water supply of Hamlin is sufficient at the present rate, but prior to the spring rains the lake was low.

Joe Brasher Buys Interest in Station

J. H. Brasher is the new partner of Monore Wright in the Sonora Service Station. He will quit his post at the W. O. Hightower & Company store at an early date, he said, and will devote his entire time to the new business.

Messrs. Wright and Brasher will handle groceries on the cash and carry plan, and will also restock with auto accessories.

These gentlemen are well known in Sonora and their friends are predicting success for them.

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J. D. LOWREY, Secretary

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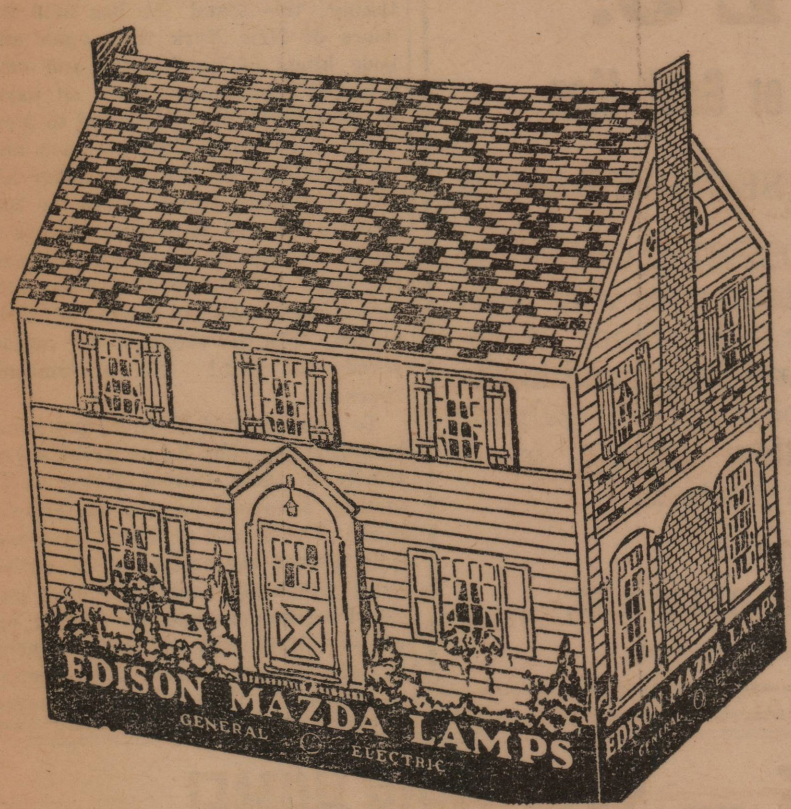
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SUTTON COUNTY MAY GO FOR REPUBLICANS

One cannot walk up Main Street out that he hears politics discussed. These discussions are both Democratic and Republican. On this corner you would be informed that Hoover, standard bearer of the Republican party, will carry this county by a large majority, while on the other corner it would go Democratic.

This paper has predicted that Sutton will go a little better than fifty per cent Republican, and that Smith will carry the State by a small margin. This prediction is made on the basis of a popular vote and not by electoral vote.

Another prediction that this paper has made is that Hoover will receive three votes to Smith's two or even better than that. This is of the whole United States.

SETH WAGNON WRITES LETTER FROM ROUMANIA

The following letter in part from Seth Wagon, former principal of Sonora High School, to Roy E. Aldwell of this city, will be of interest to the readers of this paper:

"Ploesti, Roumania, October 1st.

Mr. Roy E. Aldwell, Sonora, Texas
 Dear Roy:

I am working for the Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey and will be stationed here until 1931.

This is quite a pretty country—just in the foothills of the Carpathians, not quite so beautiful as the Swiss Alps that I came through, however.

The people here are several generations behind the Americans; but considering that, they were slaves under the Turks only 56 years ago. I think these Roumanians do well. They tell me the Turks used to harness them to plows and work them like horses and mules.

How is everybody in Sonora now? I wish I could be back there. Give everybody my regards.

Yours very truly,
 Seth Wagon."

From the People

(Editor's note: This column is open to the public at any time for discussion, and anyone wishing to use same has the privilege to do so provided he or she signs her name or address to their letter.)

GOODBYE OLD PARTY
 When Gov. Al Smith of New York was nominated for the presidency by the Democratic Party, some Texan presented to him a burro, or Mexican beast of burden (an ass) an animal of unexcelled endurance. In this case, of course, it represents the Democratic Donkey. So clated was he of being intrusted with this wonderful animal and the party's emblem that he sent it at once to his private zoo in New York that he might give it his personal attention and daily association under which the old, tough burro pined and soon died—so will the Democratic Party do the same under his leadership in November. The National undertakers had as well prepare for the funeral of this emblem. It will become necessary to embalm the mule at once, for he is now showing signs of decay.

The Democrats loudly shout and boast that their candidate was four times Governor of New York. Why was this? Because the wet foreign born and un-Americanized vote controls New York and they have found in Smith a man of their liking—a willing tool in their hands.

All the years he has been Governor, he has steadfastly proclaimed the Volstead Act or the 18th Amendment was a National law and not his duty as Governor to enforce the law—a direct disregard to his oath. By taking this stand he has held the doors of New York wide open and bode kings of bootleggers and captains of rum-runners from all parts of the world a welcome hand to New York. By disregarding his oath and the trampling of our laws under his feet of foreign liquor forces, he has branded himself an outlaw. He is a Moses sent out by Tammany Hall and the Pope of Rome to deliver our fair ration back into the hands of alcoholism. Will the voters of our nation stand for that? No, a thousand times no.

To elect old "Al K. Hall" president would, if possible, be as great a calamity to these United States as electing Ferguson to the Governor's chair. The voters of Texas have not only elected the cream of the entire State ticket this year; they have put the Fergusonism and its Forum on a cold, dark shelf in the basement of scab town and these have proven to the world that they will never

hereafter be governed by a narrow prejudist.

How any intelligent self-respecting voter can remain loyal to an old political party when it asks you to remain loyal to an old political party when it asks you to vote for such a man as the Democrats have put out is one of the few problems that King Solomon could not solve.

Don't mix politics with your religion, but take your religion to the polls with you, and if it is of the right brand let it be your guide in making out your ballot. If you can't understand your ticket, ask for help.

Ask yourself these questions: Why did Smith employ a foreign born wet Catholic as his campaign manager? If elected, who would he appoint as his cabinet, could we not be at war with Mexico within a very short time?

Now is the time to hold ourselves above and beyond any narrowness, prejudice, creed or party and elect a President who has proven his ability, his honor, his heart and fitness in every way. He is a man against whom the very faultiest mudslingers can find nothing worthwhile to say.

The greater the defeat of "Al K. Hall" Smith, the greater will be our honor, credit and prestige with the world.—Sutton County Clean Government League.

WHY I BELIEVE THE BIBLE
 (By James G. Lloyd, Minister Church of Christ.)

Let us turn our minds again to the prophecies of the Bible, the Book of God. Now in it we find the words of life. Let us come to it with open minds to search for the promises of God and their fulfillment. Throw aside all preconceived ideas and search for truth, for God is not slack concerning His promises. His promises are true.

"The sceptre shall not depart from Judea. Nor a lawgiver from between his feet until "Shiloh" come, and unto him shall the gathering of the people be"—Gen. 49:10.

We do not understand this to mean there should always be a King in the house of Juda, because there was no King. For a space of time, some 600 years after Juda, there was no King over Isreal. They were then given a King because they rejected God. The Judges had also rejected God. Having been controlled by Patriarchs and judges from the days of Shim, God had made the promise that he would dwell in the tents of Shim or Sim.

In the year (or there about) 112 B. C., Saul was made King over the house of Isreal. After he rejected God, David then came to the throne.

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. 4-9-21-28 c.

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

Saul was chosen by the people and David was chosen of God. God also renewed his promise with an oath. (Ps. 89:34-36.) Once have I sworn my Holiness that I would not lie unto David. His seed shall endure forever, and his throne as the sun before me. God also says that his throne is to be established in the heavens.

God said they had cast down his crown and cast His throne down to the ground. But he had sworn with an oath that he would exalt the throne of David in Heaven. God also promised him that (Ps. 89:27.) "I will make him my first borned higher than the Kings of the earth."

Some 587 years after this we find that Zedekiah, the King of Isreal rejected God, and the throne was taken from the earth, and never again does the throne appear on the earth. The children of Isreal were taken into captivity a period of some five hundred years before the coming of Christ.

But from the fall of Isreal and the carrying away into Babylonian captivity, the writing of the prophets were to guide them to Christ. Therefore David understanding these things could cry exaltingly. Open up ye gates oh! ye doors, and let the King of Glory come in. Look for the fulfillment of these in Acts 2, Heb. 18.—Submitted in love.
 (Continued.)

CHILDRESS—The Childress Hotel Coffee Shop will open soon, two months previous to the opening of the hotel proper, according to J. P. Rankin, manager. This is being brought about by a special effort on the part of contractors.

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CLASSIFIED COLUMN

HOME FOR SALE—My home in Sonora for sale or will trade for sheep or goats. House has seven rooms, two porches, windmill and well, six lots 50x140. See James R. Caldwell, 4-t-c.

POSTED

All of my pastures twelve miles southeast of town are posted according to law, and anyone caught hunting, hauling wood or otherwise trespassing will be prosecuted. A. F. Clarkson, 10-4-29-pd.

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My ranch, twenty-four miles east of Sonora is posted according to law, and anyone caught trespassing will be prosecuted.—Ira C. Green. 4-t.

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Burnett Gets Two-Year Lease on Show

Democrats bolting their party ticket to vote for Republican electors for the presidency and vice-presidency, but yet desirous of casting those same ballots for Democratic nominees for state officers were assured that such action would not make their votes illegal in a pronounced issue Friday by Alvin S. Moody of Houston, state chairman for the anti-Smith Democrats of Texas from headquarters in the Southland Hotel.

Moody's assurance is based on an opinion he received from Attorney General Claude Pollard, which was offered on the strength of a sample after Moody had marked it for Republican ballot submitted Pollard by Moody lieans and for Democrats.

Pollard's letter reads in part: "If a voter desires to vote for the Republican presidential electors and at the same time vote for the Democratic nominees for state offices, it is legal for such a voter to run a line through the presidential electors on the Democratic ticket, leaving the presidential electors on the Republican ticket unmarked; and when he reaches nominees for state offices—leave same unmarked on the Democratic ticket and run a line through the nominees for state offices on the Republican ticket. This, of course, would necessitate running a line through the entire ticket of any other party appearing on the ballot."

Moody announced in his connection that copies of sample ballots appropriately marked for the defication of anti-Smith voters would be distributed over the State within the next few weeks.—Dallas News.

Masonic Roads Are Converging on Sanlone

Lifting the ritualistic curtain where the Blue Lodge Masonry rings it down, Scottish Rite advances the candidate thru an ascending series of 29 degrees at San Antonio on the 19, 20, 21 and 22 of next month. Twenty nine trained degree teams will take part there on these dates, representing more than 3,500 separate roles.

Thomas A. Bond, 32nd degree Mason and other Shriner will be present from Sonora.

Sam P. Cochran, 33rd degree Mason of Dallas, will probably head a notable delegation from his home Consistory.

Meals will be served in the banquet halls during these four days.

The ladies entertainment committee is preparing for an annual number of lady visitors.

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NOLAN—An effort is being made in Nolan County to get a County Health Unit with financial assistance from the Rockefeller Institute. The county would finance half the project which would insure a full time doctor and four helpers.

DAWSON—A survey of the whole of Dawson County to account for every cow in the country is being sponsored by the Lamesa Chamber of Commerce to interest a milk plant there. The milk plant pays 18 cents more per pound for butterfat and deliveries are made after the milk.

HOCKLEY—T. L. Kimmell, proprietor of the Electric Hatcheries at Hockley has doubled the capacity of his incubators this year and will handle 15,000 more eggs. This is one instance of the increasing interest in poultry business in the town.

CANYON—Randall County scored at the State Fair at Dallas, winning second place in the Agricultural exhibit. The exhibit was sent to the fair by the Canyon Chamber of Commerce and Randall County Commissioners, with County Agent W. H. Upchurch in charge.

MIDLAND—Between 15,000 and 20,000 rabbits have been poisoned in Midland this year with the county furnishing the poison. In counties where the rabbits were not poisoned damage to crops is estimated as high as five per cent.

PECOS—Paving of 16 down town blocks is going on at Pecos. Six blocks have been graded and prepared for the paving with gutters and curbs constructed. Laying of the bitulithic pavement has begun. Each block will be opened as it is finished.

MORAN—The business men of Moran are helping defray expenses of the band. The members themselves pay \$2 per month. The band is under direction of G. W. Collum, of Cisco. Concerts are given regularly and are well attended.

MELVIN—White and Ledbetter of BUCKS and billies for sale—G. H. Davis. It. c.

Personal Mention

Miss Farnes Armstrong, a teacher in Eldorado, spent the week-end with her cousin, Miss Margaret McClure and Miss Winfred Hally.

Miss Frances McClenahan of San Francisco, Cal. and Mrs. J. D. Fields of Austin, Texas are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fields.

Mrs. Louie Stuart and Mrs. Frank Bond drove to San Antonio last week in Mrs. Stuart's new Chrysler. They spent several days shopping. They brought Mrs. Stuart's mother, Mrs. O. Keeton of Jewett, Texas, for a visit here with Mrs. Stuart.

Miss Margaret Sutton who is a teacher in the Junction High School, and David Dutton of Brady, were week-end visitors of Mrs. Rees Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stuart left Tuesday for San Angelo. They are visiting their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stuart.

Mrs. Rector Cusenbary left last week for Fort Worth where she will visit her mother.

Rev. F. M. Jackson, pastor of the Methodist Church here, and Mrs. Jackson are attending the Annual Conference of the Methodists at San Antonio.

C. E. Stites returned the middle of the week from San Antonio where he had been to attend a meeting of tire dealers.

GET TO-GETHE DAY OF THE CHURCHES

The Methodist, Baptist and Episcopal churches of the town are having special services Sunday, since this is Rev. Jackson's last Sunday in Sonora before going to conference and the last Sunday if he is not re-appointed. In both the evening and morning services the three church choirs will render special music. In the morning service, Mr. Babcock will play a violin solo as an offertory and Miss Elizabeth Francis will accompany him. Miss Groom will sing "Rounded up in Glory." After the benediction both choir and congregation will bow their heads and softly sing, "Blest Be the Tie." The evening services will be held at the Baptist church. The choirs will sing again.

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Sonora High School News

MISS MARGARET McCURE, Reporter.

ZANDER-GUMP WEDDING NEXT THURSDAY NIGHT

Next Thursday night in the High School auditorium there will be a wedding. Everyone is invited to attend. This wedding will be of interest to all. The wedding party is to be made up of some well known people. There is no one living who does not read the funny paper once in a while anyway, and this wedding is to be staged in "Funny-Paper Land," and all of these characters will be there.

Of course anyone knows that the Widow Zander has won uncle Bim, but who knows who is going to play these parts? Who is to be Maggie? Who is to be Jiggs? Will Walt and Skeezix, Barney Google and Sunshine all be there?

The best way to find out is to come

to the auditorium next Thursday night, November 1, eight o'clock. Admission will be charged, so do not forget to bring your money.

Now remember, this is to be a first-class wedding and will be enjoyed by all.

PLAY TO BE GIVEN BY THE DRAMATIC CLUB

One of the the greatest comedy hits of the season will be given in the High School auditorium in about three weeks. The name of the play is "Alias Billy Nix," and it is full of thrills, suspense, comic situations, and affords uproaring hilarity for the audience.

The cast of the play at present, although it is subject to change, is: Harrison Cook, Jr., John McClelland; Harrison Cook Sr., Hillman Brown;

Koji, Jack Pfeister; Wilson McClure; Louie Trainer; Hard-boiled Handy, Jim Hill; Winifred Enright, Myrtle Simmons; Betty Cook, Allie Halbert; Evelyn Cook, Margaret Hull; Mabel Winton, Lena V. Stokes. This is one of the best comedies to be presented here this year, so be sure to watch for the date of the performance.

SONORA TEACHERS VS HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS

On next Tuesday Nov. 2, at four o'clock the Sonora Teachers will play the High School basketball team. Admission of fifteen cents will be charged. The benefits from this game will be used to buy equipment for the girls.

Come to see the game and help the girls, and incidentally get a good laugh.

The line-up is as follows:

Hi School
J. Center Johnnie Adams.
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Guards Mildred Turney, Gertrude Babcock
Forwards Myrtle Simmons, Lena V. Stokes
Subs — Francis Trainer, Pauline Rape, Margaret Kelly, Anella Stites and Jessie Louise Evans.

TEACHERS
J. Center Elizabeth Frances
R. Centers Winfred Hally,
Nina B. Hill
Guards Zelma Moore,
Grace Draper
Forwards Loma Groom, Vivian Ball,
Miss Dorothy Mims will call the game.

SONORA JUNIORS WIN OVER ELDORADO

On Tuesday afternoon the school campus was a scene of much violent activity. The place looked innocent enough until several football fans of the neighborhood began to gather on the sidelines of the gridiron, and demanded that a game of some sort be played.

The Eldorado Juniors relieved the strain by appearing. Some of them wore football clothes, some had only helmets and others wore boots.

The first part of the game was featured by the rushing attack of Ory and Kring. This irresistible force resulted in a touchdown. Ory carried the ball across and then completed a pass for the extra point.

In the second half Sonora was thrown to the defensive by the slashing drives of Eldorado's heavy back. Though the visiting team scored, Sonora came back with another touchdown to win the game 13-6.

The outstanding stars of the game were: G. W. Archer, George Ory and Dwight Kring. The officials of the game were: John McClelland and William Taylor; chain carriers: Doc. Blanton and Louie Trainer; time keepers: Jack Pfeister and Wesley Hill.

Encouragement and instructions were received during all periods of the game by the enthusiastic sidelines.

H. E. Department Experience Sewing

The H. E. "I" Class is finishing the first problem in sewing a dress of silk and wool. The dresses are very pretty and fit the girls well.

The next problem is to be an outside problem. Each girl is to make an old silk dress or make a new one. The dresses are designed and cut out at school, but the construction is done at home. Some in the class have already begun on their next problem.

The H. E. "L" class is making children's garments of cotton material. The girls are progressing rapidly and doing very neat work.

The H. E. "A." class is working on their note books. They put samples of different fabrics, seams and many things into these notebooks. The covers are made by the girls, and they are very attractive and show individuality. They are learning much about materials, seams, weaves and various things which prepare them for the work next year.

The classes welcome visitors at all times.—H. E. Student.

Methodist Ladies to Have Bazaar Dec. 5

The Methodist ladies of the Missionary Society will hold their annual bazaar and harvest dinner at the Methodist Church December 5. Proceeds will go in the treasury of the Missionary fund.

Various committees will be announced next week.

TAHOKA—A 10,000 egg capacity electric incubator will be in operation in Tahoka by January, and the owners, Prof. Taylor, White, and Verner Smith, will be in the market for eggs from certified flocks, after that date.

How to Treat Chlorosis

Edward H. Templin, Station Soil Surveyor, in working at Amarillo, Potter County, Texas, writes interestingly of the use of iron sulphate (copperas) for correction of yellowing (chlorosis) of lawns, trees and ornamental shrubs in the city of Amarillo. O. G. Babcock received this information his week and should be valuable to those who have trees.

He says, "Many trees and ornamental shrubs have been treated, in most cases successfully, by incorporating a few pounds of iron sulphate in the soil around the base of the plants. This practice was originally based on a recommendation made by Doctor Taubenus in 1921 which had been entirely forgotten in Amarillo. Many of the nursery and lawn men of Amarillo argue that iron sulphate is no fertilizer and will credit no recommendation to use it. An interesting sidelight is that in many instances they were applying and recommending the application of lime—notwithstanding the fact that the soils of Amarillo are well supplied with lime and that an excess of lime rendering the iron available is a probable cause of yellowing.

One pound of iron sulphate dissolved in five gallons of water, was sprinkled over 100 square feet of badly affected lawn. The distribution of the application was poor and there was some burning of the foliage in small spots, however, the application was strikingly successful. Within 24 hours all the yellow color had disappeared and the lawn where treated had resumed the normal deep green color. This application was made in the evening after watering so that the solution remained on the foliage until the next evening when the spot was rewatered because some burning was evident. The treated area has kept its good green color for the last month while the untreated area has become even more yellow. The lawn treated consists of Kentucky blue grass with some white clover. The blue grass has been affected the most, but the clover also showed some yellowing.

It is thought that a successful treatment, with less danger of burning the foliage, will result from materially decreasing the concentration by using one pound of iron sulphate in ten gallons of water, sprinkled over 200 square feet of area.

Another affected area was treated by applying one pound of iron sulphate, dry, over 100 square feet of area and watering heavily. The results of this treatment were not so conclusive. Some benefit has apparently resulted, but nothing as conclusive as in the wet treatment. It is possible that the cure is rather temporary, that is, for only one or two seasons. This seems to be the case in treatment of trees affected with chlorosis with iron sulphate."

SONORANS SAW "ABIE'S WILD IRISH ROSE

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vander Stucken, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stuart, Misses Guila Lowrey, Barbara Swanson and "Moon" Mullins saw "Abie's Wild Irish Rose" in San Angelo Tuesday night. The show was one of the best ever brought to San Angelo, they declared.

RANGER—Ranger is to have a vitaphone, the instrument which makes talking movies possible. Half of the cost was covered by the purchase of tickets, and the rest by local business men. This is the first town in the Oil Belt to have a vitaphone.

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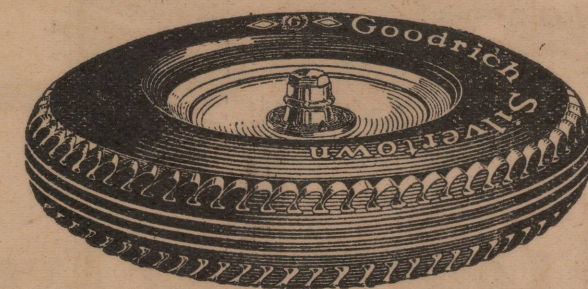
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25 Years Ago

(Taken from The Devil's River News of August 29th 1903.)

Forrest Stewart has taken charge of the Benson & Cahill's ice cream parlor.

Ask for X X X Pearl Rye or Edgewood whiskey for sale at Swearington's Ranch Saloon.

Sam Martin a prominent ranchman from the Rudd neighborhood was in Sonora this week visiting his daughter Mrs. Davis Sheen and son, John.

A. Martin.

Geo. W. Morris, proprietor of the Sonora and San Angelo Mail Passenger and Express line has reduced the fare to \$2 each way to San Angelo, \$2 to Christoval and \$1 to Eldorado.

The lumber for De Wallace's new house has arrived and the contractor Bert Bellows will begin work on it at once.

Wednesday afternoon in Judge Balche's office, Miss Rutha Ross and J. F. Irwin were united in marriage. The News offers congratulations.

Bob Glascock made a business trip to Menardville this week.

Bob Miers returned from a business trip to San Angelo Wednesday.

Superb Picture Is "King of Kings"

Cecil B. DeMill's highly renowned picture, "The King of Kings," which packed the Aldine theatre, Philadelphia, for nine weeks, will be on view at the La Vista Theatre, Nov. 2nd, and 4th. Outside of New York and Los Angeles, Philadelphia was one of the few cities of the United States to be favored with an early presentation of this "picture of pictures," as many in New York styled Mr. De Mille's famous production.

With eighteen stars, 500 principals, and a supporting cast of 5,000 persons, "The King of Kings" devotes its story to the last year and a half of the ministry of the Man of Nazareth. All the characters of the New Testament live and move in this remarkable picture. In the cast are: H. B. Warner, Dorothy Cummings, Ernest Torrence, Joseph Logan, Rudolph Schildkraut, Victor Varconi, Majel Coleman, Montague Love, William Boyd, George Seigmann, Theodore Kosloff, Kenneth Thomson, Julia Payne, Sam De Grasse, Allan Brooks, M. Moore, Muriel McCormac, and others.

W. M. U. Met Wednesday Afternoon

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Baptist Church met in regular session Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock with a full attendance.

Officers elected for the new associational year are as follows: president, Mrs. Edgar Shurley; 1st vice-president, Mrs. A. C. Elliott; 2nd, vice-president, Mrs. Maddox; corresponding secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Orion Brown and young people's leader, Miss Groom.

It was agreed by the society to hold the usual annual bazaar but the exact date has not been decided upon. The new president appointed the committees and all enthusiastically entered into the plans presented by her. Chairmen of standing committees will be appointed at the next regular meeting at the church, Wednesday, October 31st, at three o'clock.

Beginning with first Wednesday in November the society will meet in the homes of the members during the winter months.

The W. M. U. has taken on new life since the long rest during the summer months and all have a will to work and cooperate with our very efficient leader.—Reporter.

Personal Mention

Miss Ada Seen was shopping in town the fore part of the week.

Arthur Stuart was among ranchmen transacting business in the city Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira C. Green and children were visitors in San Angelo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McKnight and Miss Lucille White were visiting friends and relatives here Wednesday.

Mrs. Alvis Johnson was shopping in town Thursday afternoon.

County Clerk J. D. Lowrey and Judge Alvis Johnson transacted business in Austin last week.

Judge Elliott returned from San Antonio today where had been on business.

W. E. Pierce has leased a four-section ranch in the eastern part of the county and, with his family, is moving to his new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Bond were here from their ranches Thursday morning.

B. R. Cauthorn was among business visitors in the city Thursday. John Cauthorn was here for the football game between Sonora and Eldorado.

Mrs. Louie Stuart was here from the ranch Thursday morning in her new Chrysler coupe purchased in San Angelo last week.

Lum Trainer was in from the J. W. Trainer ranch Thursday morning for supplies.

Buster Halbert transacted business in town Wednesday afternoon.

George Ory Stars for Sonora Juniors

The brilliant and fast playing of George Ory scored thirteen points for the Sonora Junior Hi football aggregation here Tuesday afternoon to defeat the Juniors of Eldorado in a game of thirteen to 6. Other features of the game was the tackling of "Keggy" Hollmig, who nailed his opponent by the upper part and mostly by the head. All the Sonora players did exceptionally well. Ory was the best ground gainer on the Sonora eleven.

Eldorado made her six points in the third quarter when "Fatty" Smith crossed Sonora's goal line. Try for extra point failed when a kick failed to reach its mark.

- R. Guard DeWitt Lancaster
- L. Guard Jamie Glascock
- R. Tackle Max Turney
- L. Tackle Jessie Barton
- Center Carl Holland
- Right End Paul Ensley
- Left End Walter Hollmig
- Quarterback G. W. Archer, Jr.
- Halfback Edwin Sawyer
- Fullback Dwight Kring
- Halfback Geo. Ory

P.-T. A. Held First Meeting of Year

Mrs. Sidney Gilmore, of Sonora, president of the 6th district Parent-Teacher Associations, was an honored guest of the occasion and brought a wonderfully inspiring message of the associational work, speaking of the magnitude of the possibilities of child welfare work through this organization. Mrs. Gilmore is of charming personality and captivates her audiences with her refined and gentle manner. She is thoroughly alive to this great work and is giving much time and thought to it.—Big Lake Wildcat.

B. B. Hail Pays Sonora an Annual Visit

B. B. Hail, president of the West Texas Lumber Company, and also a president of the Hilton Hotel now under construction in San Angelo, was here for his annual visit the fore part of the week. He was here in company with Mrs. Hail.

Mr. Hail was surprised to see the improvement in the business district here, and believes that Sonora will be the best inland town in West Texas.

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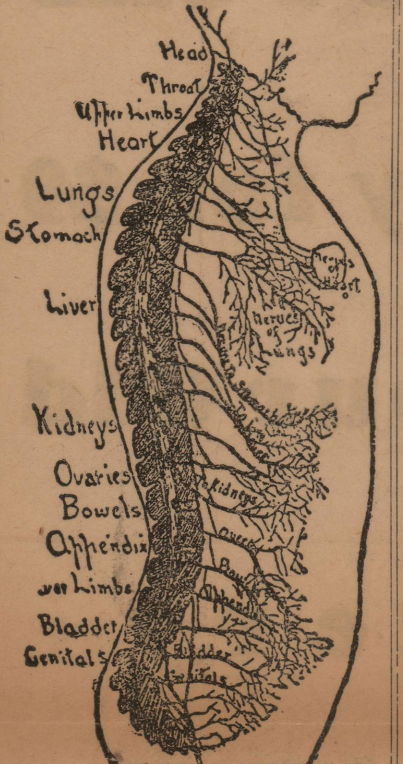
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