

# THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

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## The Devil's Dream

(By W. E. James)

alas! alack! he made a crack,  
The Devil got in bad;  
e mixed stock salt with savings,  
And put all of it in one ad.

A newspaper man is prone to err  
it unlike men in other professions  
e cannot cover up mistakes. When  
e is made it is made, and it goes  
rth to the reading public, stick-  
g out as prominently as a sore  
thumb.

In the rush of getting the News  
to its new seven-column dress  
st week the "maid of all work,"  
ixed the ads of the First Nation-  
al Bank and Dr. Rountree's  
edicated Salt, Inc. The bank ad  
ad to deal with saving money and  
as addressed to young men fired  
ith an ambition to get ahead. The  
lt ad was a notice to stockmen  
tting them know Dr. Rountree  
ad a supply of salt stored with G.  
. Shoemaker & Sons until the com-  
pletion of their warehouse here.

The bank's publicity man has not  
yet "eat our eye out" because  
f this seeming carelessness, but  
e have heard from the salt man.  
F. Priest, local manager for the  
r. Rountree Medicated Salt, Inc.,  
as very gentle in calling atten-  
on to the "bust", and explained  
is position as follows:

"Insofar as the error is con-  
cerned we are not so much worried  
ith that, for anyone will make a  
istake now and then. The adver-  
sement leaves the impression we  
re setting ourselves up as advis-  
rs. We are a new-comer and do  
ot desire to place ourselves in the  
osition of advising the stockmen  
! Sutton county as to how they  
ould save money. We are con-  
cerned with the health of their live-  
ock." Mr. Priest was assured the  
ews would take all the blame and  
ake a correction of the ad this  
week. Look up this announcement  
ad charge your mind with the fact  
at this company is soon to build  
warehouse and plant here in So-  
ra, and there need ever be any  
orry over your salt problem.

West Texans—native born or  
lopted—love the sturdy, law-abid-  
g, honest pioneers, the men and  
omen who blazed the trail for our  
resent western civilization. These  
d characters are fast passing over  
the great divide, but their deeds  
ad actions will live forever and  
e being kept alive through print-  
l stories and relived in the  
rama.

Such a character was vividly  
ortrayed by Al Pierce in his in-  
rpretation of "Alcibiades Per-  
ns" in the three-act western  
medy, "The Long Lost Perkins,"  
esented by the Garrick Theatre  
ompany at La Vista Theatre  
uesday night. The story had to  
o with the lost identity of an  
stern-born, blue-blooded arist-  
rat, who had wandered west and  
st himself in the wilds of a min-  
g country.

His restoration to the bosom of  
e Perkins family, with the law-  
l right to change his name from  
olecat" Perkins to that of Alci-  
ades and to claim his share of the  
mily fortune, was brought about  
y his partner, "Hal Redmon" (J.  
Russell Murdock). Once started  
the quest of his real self, the  
vo Westerners furnished an  
undance of quaint, wholesome  
medy that kept the crowd in a  
appy mood.

Every plot has its villain, but  
his one had two. "Hanrahan" (G.  
Verge Lester) and "Lawyer  
Blackman" (Gene Bradley, Sr.)  
id the crooked work. "Mrs. Per-  
ns" was portrayed by Alyce  
othen, leading lady, with Cecyl  
as "Louise Perkins" injecting  
st the proper amount of love to  
aven the whole by falling in love  
ith the hero's partner. "James"  
Gene Bradley, Jr.) the footman,  
nd "Mimi" (Carolyn De Graw)  
e French maid, created situations  
alore whereby "Polecat" capital-  
ed upon his great western humor.

All in all, the Garrick Theatre  
ompany is by far the best stock  
ompany ever playing in Sonora,  
nd a return engagement is anti-  
cipated with pleasure by theatre-  
oing folks.

A special attraction was the slack

## WHEAT BELIEVES EDWARDS WILL VOTE ROAD BOND

Declares That Good Roads Would Benefit His Town and County

Ira L. Wheat, who was sheriff of Edwards county for fourteen years, and who never "pulled" his gun but one time, declared that Edwards county needed a hard-surfaced road to the Sutton county line. "I understand that Sutton is contemplating a road bond issue and plans to build to our county line, and if this is done, I see no reason why we should not do likewise," he said in commenting on the project.

Mr. Wheat is a believer in good roads, and believes that money spent in practical road building is the best investment a county can make. He added that Sonora would profit by the project, and would give Edwards and Rocksprings a livestock shipping point direct to the northern markets. He is of the opinion that merchants in Rocksprings could save a great deal on freight. "I think ninety per cent of the livestock in our county will be loaded in Sonora, and about the same per cent of freight will be hauled out of there," Mr. Wheat informed this paper.

"San Antonio and Uvalde are both bidding for the Rocksprings trade, and they are doing all in their power to hold the present business from our county," he said when questioned as to the likelihood of Edwards county continuing to direct its business to those towns after rails have been completed to Sonora.

Mr. Wheat stated that his livestock is in good condition, considering the recent cold weather. He is only feeding a few of his "shelly" cows and ewes and believes that they will come through the winter in fair shape.

## SCHOOL BUILDING CONTRACT TO BE LET JAN. 13

New Structure Will Cost About \$100,000 and Should Be Finished by Fall

Contract for Sonora's new \$100,000 high school building will be let next Thursday, according to M. O. Britt, superintendent. It is thought that work will be rushed to completion and the building to be ready for occupancy by fall. It will be two stories and basement with every modern convenience and up-to-date equipment.

Excavation work has been finished at a cost of about \$7,000, and foundation work can be started at any time. The present building will be used principally for grammar school.

The school board has purchased additional ground that will be used exclusively for parking space. No cars will be permitted to enter the school grounds.

## Might Organize Dance Circuit

"Hack" Johnson Wants Big Lake, Ozona, Sonora and Rocksprings in Circuit

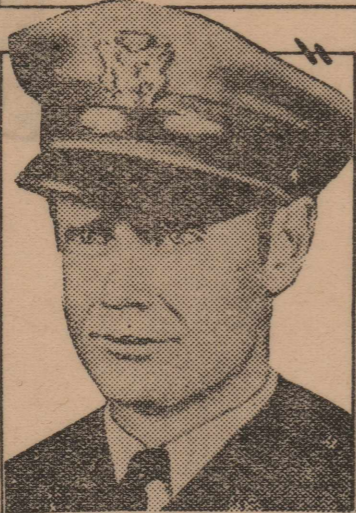
"Hackberry Slim" Johnson, famous rodeo performer, was here yesterday in the interest of a dance circuit that would include Big Lake, Ozona, Sonora and Rocksprings. He plans to set the following weekly dates: Big Lake, Tuesday; Sonora, Wednesday; Rocksprings, Thursday, and Ozona Saturdays.

The dance here would be held in the Boy Scout Hall on Water Avenue. It is planned to have a masquerade ball here the nights of February 21 and 22. Raymond Barker will be in charge of the two dances, it is said.

wire walking by Gene Bradley, Sr. Difficult feats performed were loudly encored. Such work as Mr. Bradley did is seldom seen outside the large circus organizations.

Members of the troupe entertained the Lions Club at its Monday luncheon with music and song. Guests of the club were Mr. and Mrs. Bradley and son, Gene, Russell Murdock and Miss Harris.

## Greatest Air Hero



Second Lieutenant William A. Matheny, U. S. Marine, has received the Eheney award for 1929 for "performing an act of valor and self-sacrifice worthy of the highest commendation." Lieut. Matheny landed his burning plane in a Nicaraguan jungle and risked death to save a comrade.

## Roy Baker Weds San Antonio Girl

Young Couple Making Their Home on Frank Baker Ranch West of Sonora

Invitations were received here announcing the marriage of Miss Edna Mae Willis, of San Antonio, to Mr. Roy Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker, prominent Sonora ranch people. The ceremony was performed Sunday, February 2nd at the First Baptist Church in San Antonio, in the presence of friends and relatives. Miss Elizabeth Suite, of San Antonio, was maid of honor, and Norman Farmer, of Junction, best friend.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Willis, prominent San Antonio people and is admired and loved by a host of friends.

Mr. Baker has attended A. & M. College and the State University, and has a legion of friends who wish for him and his bride all the joys of life.

They arrived Monday at the Baker ranch, southwest of town, where they will make their home. Mr. Baker will have charge of his father's ranch.

## Dr T. H. Gray Will Deliver Message

Dr. T. H. Gray, of the Methodist Orphanage at Waco, will deliver a special message at the Methodist Church Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock hour.

Dr. Gray is said to be very entertaining and will bring a helpful message. He has been requested to incorporate in his sermon a special message to the Boy Scouts, who will attend this service in a body.

Patronize Sonora merchants.

## SONORA WILL HAVE FIRST STOCK SHOW

Show Will Be Held March First on North Concho Near First National Bank Building

Sonora's and Sutton county's first fat stock show will be held March first by the animal husbandry boys and club girls who are feeding livestock to be exhibited at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show. The show will start promptly at 2:30 Saturday afternoon, March 1, near the First National bank building.

At the present, the boys are grooming their animals and putting on final touches for the show. Each animal will be groomed and in the same condition in which it will be shown at Fort Worth on March 4th. The calves will be trucked to San Angelo and shipped from there to Fort Worth.

The following is a list of boys and girls who will show 21 calves:

- Miss Allie Halbert ..... 1
- Miss Harva Jones ..... 1
- Cleve Jones ..... 1
- Charles Harold Evans ..... 1
- James E. Hutcherson ..... 1
- Lem E. Johnson ..... 1
- Troy White ..... 1
- Herbert Fields ..... 1
- Alvis Johnson ..... 1
- Vincent Rousesche ..... 2
- Pete Taylor ..... 2
- San Logan ..... 2
- Joseph Logan ..... 1
- Wess Hill ..... 1
- Harold Friess ..... 1
- Bob Johnson ..... 1
- Hilman Brown ..... 1

Jake Merck will be there with his four registered Angoras which he will take to Fort Worth. Jake doesn't have an even break in the show as there are no club classes for him to show in, but he is confident he will make some of the older breeders step to beat him. Jake's Angoras will be shown in the open classes at Fort Worth.

The animal husbandry boys and girls want the ranchers of Sutton county to see what is going to represent this county at the fat stock show. Every rancher is urged to view the projects on the above date. If any breeders have livestock they would like to exhibit along with the boys and girls they may do so if they get in touch with E. R. Lawrence at the high school.

Next week the News will have further information about the show and projects.

Mrs. Ben Meckel was accompanied to San Angelo yesterday by her husband. While there she will undergo a minor operation at the San Angelo Hospital.

Sheriff B. W. Hutcherson was among business visitors in San Angelo Saturday.

## "Commoner's" Widow



Mrs. Mary Baird Bryan, widow of the late William Jennings Bryan passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Grace Hargreaves, of Hollywood, Cal. Mrs. Bryan was almost as widely known as her famous husband, in whose work she took an active part for many years.

## School Building Hurriedly Emptied

Boy Scouts Direct Pupils From Sonora High School Building In Ninety Seconds

In a fire drill this morning conducted by the Sonora Boy Scouts, the Sonora High School building was emptied in a minute and thirty seconds. This being Boy Scout Anniversary week and today fire drill day, Roy E. Aldwell, Scout committeeman, spoke to the pupils and told them the need of this practice. Mr. Aldwell recalled an instance when a number of boys and girls, panic stricken when a false alarm was given, perished in a northern theatre. This, he said, was due to not "keeping a cool head" and no one to keep order.

Boy Scout flag ceremony will be given by the Scouts next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in the school auditorium.

## JOHNSON AGAIN IN RACE FOR COUNTY JUDGE

Incumbent Makes Official Announcement for Office of County Judge

Alvis Johnson, present county judge of Sutton county, has authorized The News to make his official announcement for that post. Judge Johnson stated that his previous official conduct in that capacity stood to guide the voters in the July primary. His announcement is made subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Judge Johnson has served this county as judge for several years, and feels that he is capable of serving the people in an economi-

## SONORA LIONS PLAN INCREASE IN MEMBERSHIP

Try to Add Fifty New Members; M. O. Britt to Preside at Next Regular Meeting

Sonora Lions are planning a membership drive that will increase the present list of fifty to one hundred. Secretary Jack Neill said that he believed this could be done if each Lion would get a new member.

When the club was organized two years ago there were 44 charter members, however about ten of that number have withdrawn and about sixteen new names have been added. Three of the latest additions in membership are W. L. Aldwell, president of the First National Bank; E. F. Vander Stucken, merchant and banker, and J. M. Puckett, a prominent ranchman. It was voted by the club to make all honorary members full-fledged giving them recognition by the Lions International.

King-Thomas players were present and entertained the Lions with several musical numbers and songs. Mr. Murdock, manager of the circuit, stated that he was well impressed with Sonora, and that he heard of the town through publicity that had been given by The Devil's River News. In his statements he said that Sonora had a newspaper that was entitled to the support of the merchants and citizenry.

M. O. Britt, superintendent of the Sonora schools, pointed out the cost of football sweaters. He said that the athletic department had paid \$175 for the sweaters, and financial assistance was needed. It was voted by the Lions to head a list with \$50 toward defraying expenses. H. L. Taylor and H. V. Stokes were appointed to collect money from the business men for the sweater fund. Mr. Britt will be the alternate president at the next meeting.

John Eaton, local Boy Scout Master, will have charge of the program next Monday, at which time the Scouts will have numbers on the program.

A committee to ascertain the cost of hard-surfaced roads to the Edwards and Crockett county line was instructed to write to the highway department for that information.

W. C. Gilmore announced that a benefit play will be staged jointly by the P-T. A. and Lions Club sometime this month. It has been agreed by the two organizations to have a series of plays.

Although a servant of the people, he stated that he was for anything that would benefit the majority of the people and would strive to work to that end.

He asks the consideration of every voter in the county, and promises, if elected, that he will treat all alike and show no partiality.

## Forcing Girl to Walk Home From Auto Ride Crime

Madison, Wis., Feb. 5.—The girl who walked home had her day in court—and in the state's highest court—Tuesday.

The Supreme Court, in effect found that making a young lady escort herself home from an automobile ride is a crime.

It sustained Judge Otto Briedenbach's district court decision against a writ of habeas to release James Ambrose, West Allis, from a year sentence.

He was convicted on complaint of a 19-year-old girl. His attorney, asking the writ, said the offense did not constitute a felony. Judge Briedenbach refused the writ and the high court sustained that finding.

## LEAMAN'S LEAVE SUNDAY FOR DALLAS MARKET

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leaman will leave Sonora Sunday for Dallas and St. Louis to purchase their spring lines of ladies' ready-to-wear and gents' furnishings. They expect to be gone about ten days.

Mr. Leaman arrived Saturday from Anson where he has a store similar to the Leaman store here. He believes that business will be better after March first.

## A Round of Slugs

(By S. U. M. Bull)

February 12 is the birthday of Abraham Lincoln who saved our nation from disintegration, and on the 22 we will pause to pay tribute to the father of our country, George Washington. The latter helped our forefathers gain their freedom and the former saved it by uniting a division. We should not look upon these two as idols, but should think of them as only human—like men who are doing great deeds for their nation today.

We have often said that Texas is the most lenient state in the Union when it comes to giving justice to criminals, and more especially murderers. For example: Hamilton, Waybourne and Judge Brady, who have committed "unpardonable" crimes. If there ever was a man who deserved the gallops it is Brady. The Texas jury system needs a genuine cleanup, and the quicker it is done the better. There is less danger of getting a penitentiary sentence for murder than for stealing a calf or hog. At least it has been proven that way.

Evidently the ground hog has little to do with the weather. For the past few days we have been having fine weather, but according to the action of Mr. Hog, we are due to have more bad weather this month.

It is said that San Angelo, after realizing what rails will mean to Sonora, is trying to induce the Santa Fe to build to Del Rio and not make Sonora its terminal. A railroad to Sonora will mean that less money will go out of this section to San Angelo. During the past forty years Sonora and other towns have been commercial tributaries to San Angelo and have helped that town to prosper. However, there are some of the merchants in San Angelo who do not seem to appreciate Sutton county trade.

The News will print in magazine form a special edition for the Sonora Park Association commemorating the completion of Santa Fe rails. In this edition will be pictures of Sonora residences, sheep, goats, cattle and business district scenes. If you have any pictures of the above mentioned, please see that they reach this office soon as possible.

## Fred Simmons Suffers from Cut

Sonora Ranchman Gets Vein Severed When Stretching Barbed Wire Sunday

Fred Simmons, prominent Sutton ranchman, had the misfortune Sunday afternoon of getting his right wrist badly cut when stretching barbed wire. A vein in the wrist was severed and barely escaped cutting the main artery. The loss of blood caused a weakened condition. His wound was dressed by Dr. J. C. Baker, local physician.

The accident occurred on the Karnes ranch south of town. Mr. Simmons was making a stretch when the wire broke and cut a gash about four inches long across his wrist. About ten stitches were taken at the doctor's office. At present he is said to be doing well, although in a weak condition from the loss of blood.

## MRS. GILMORE'S FATHER WAS BURIED JANUARY 22

W. C. Gilmore, wife and children returned Saturday from Livingston, near Fort Worth, where Mrs. Gilmore's father, W. C. Young, was buried. Interment was made in the Livingston Cemetery January 22.

## NEW PHARMACIST AT CORNER DRUG STORE

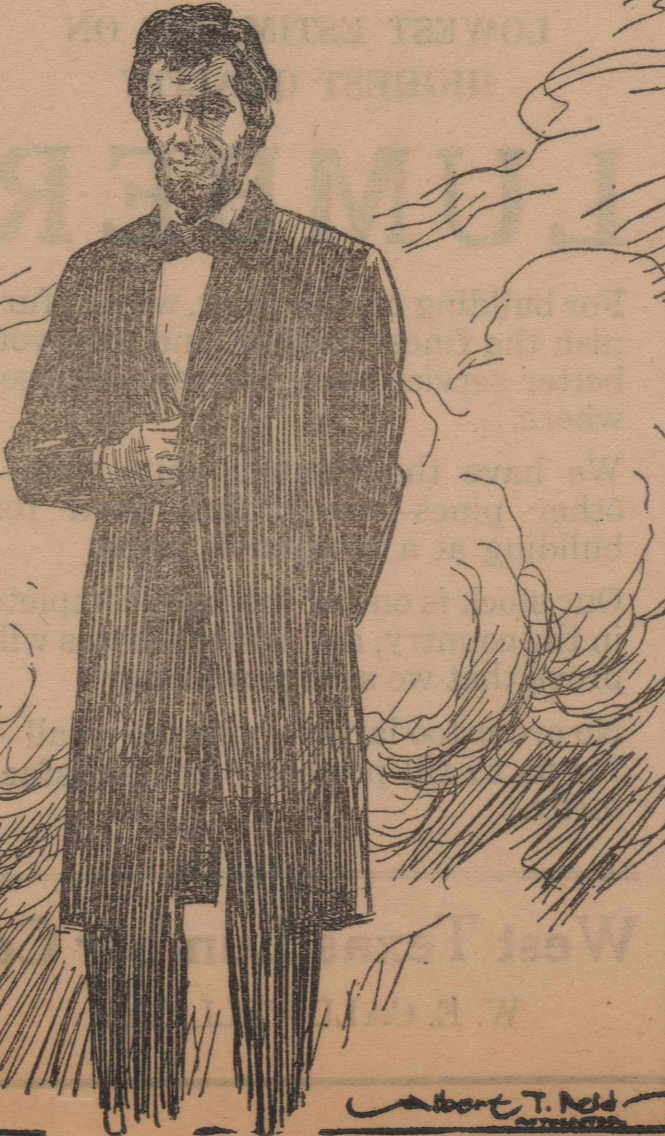
Robert L. Brushan, of Coleman, registered pharmacist, has arrived and accepted a position with the Corner Drug Store to succeed Mr. Hazlett who will go to San Angelo.

Mr. Brushan is said to be one of the most capable young pharmacists in Texas, and it is his intention to make Sonora his permanent home.

## February Twelfth

By Albert T. Reid

Could Abraham Lincoln speak  
to his countrymen today  
he probably would ask them  
not to make a Deity of him  
but to look upon him as  
a human being who had  
the most heartbreaking task  
our country ever gave  
to any man  
and who tried his best  
to bring peace  
to reunite his country  
and to heal the wounds





**PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. Rector Cusenberry spent Wednesday in Sonora.

Mrs. Libb Wallace and children were visitors in town Wednesday.

Miss Edith Bellows spent last week-end with relatives in Mason.

F. O. Harrison, plumber, transacted business in San Angelo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier Shurley spent Tuesday night in San Angelo.

J. D. Wade, oil man of San Angelo, was here Wednesday on business.

W. A. Miers, "wool king" of Texas, transacted business in San Angelo this week.

Dick Greene, who has been critically ill with pneumonia, is able to be about town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Reiley were here Wednesday from their ranch in the northeast part of the county.

Henry Diebitsch was in Sonora Wednesday from his ranch transacting business and greeting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Stuart and small son were here from their ranch Wednesday shopping and greeting friends.

Ben L. Wheat and mother, Mrs. Nannie Wheat, were here Thursday from their ranch on the Edwards-Sutton county line.

O. F. Priest, manager of the Sutton county district for Dr. Roundtree's stock salt, transacted business in San Angelo Tuesday.

Dan Cauthorn, one of Sutton county's most popular and prosperous young ranchmen, was among business visitors here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Evans have been in San Angelo the past few days where their daughter, Miss Jessie Louise, had her tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bruton have moved here from Eldorado to make their home. Mr. Bruton has accepted a position with Stites Motor Company.

"Uncle Johnnie" Johnson returned the latter part of the week

from the Clayton Puckett ranch where he had been assisting in handling stock.

Adolph Ramsel, of Mertzon, is employed at the Rutledge Cafe during the absence of Mrs. Rutledge and daughter, Miss Gwendolin, who were in El Paso.

Emil F. Vander Stucken, young attorney of San Angelo, was here Wednesday transacting business and visiting with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken.

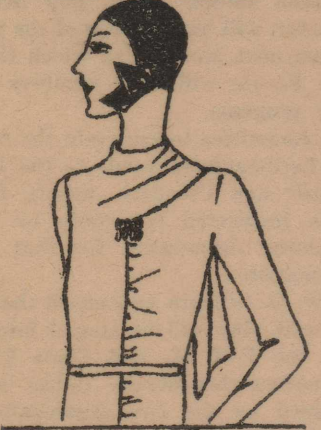
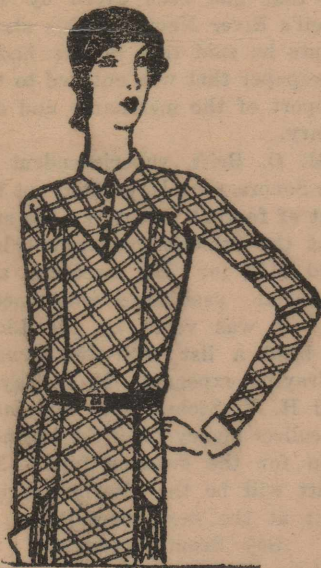
Lawrence Grimland, who assisted his father in the tax collector's office the past thirty days, returned to San Angelo Saturday to resume his course at the San Angelo Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Newby and small son, Hi Eastland, of Del Rio, came in from Del Rio last week. Mrs. Newby and son spent a week here with Mrs. Newby's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Hi Eastland.

Judge Harvey Walker transacted business in Sonora Wednesday. The Judge stated that he is preparing land for vegetables. Mr. Walker last year sold several hundred dollars worth of vegetables and mellons from his garden.

**The Very Latest**  
(By Mary Marshall)

Many things that we have thought impossible have come to pass in the realm of fashion. We have submitted, at least for a time, to the return of long skirts. We may not like them—and probably don't—but we are beginning to feel that



the skirt that gives a glimpse of the knees is decidedly demode. We have returned to the normal waistline and women who have lost the slenderness of youth are hastening to the corset makers or corset counters to see what aid they can get in that quarter. We have accepted clothes that

are decidedly more elaborate and often less comfortable than those to which we have become accustomed, but so far we have held out against a return of high collars. All fashions, they say, come back in the course of events and possibly it is only a matter of waiting to see a return of day clothes that fit up to the chin. Several times of late years dressmakers have tried to launch high collars. We were even assured that the two-piece suit would be out of the question if women did not accept blouses with high collars. Most women, however, find that whatever clothes may gain by the high neck line they certainly lose in becomingness.

Here and there, among the new fashions, one sees something that suggests a higher neckline for daytime dresses, and to the very exceptional woman this sort of thing is becoming. But for most of us there is still everything to be said in favor of the collar line that leaves the throat exposed at the front.

The tweed dress at the top has a white linen turn-over collar and the beige crepe dress below has scarf collar that may be worn high or low.

**JESSE KRING GETS COLLAR BONE BROKEN**

Jesse Kring, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kring, had his collar bone fractured this week when engaged in a fisticuff with another lad. The bone was broken, it is thought, when the boy happened to fall backward.

Dr. J. C. Baker set the bone.

**ALBERT CROWLEY INJURED WHEN CKOPPING WOOD**

Albert Crowley, who is employed at the Stites Motor Company, sustained a gash on the forehead this week when cutting wood. A sharp piece struck him just above an eye and cut to the skull. Three stitches were made by Dr. Baker.

Mr. Crowley's friends are accusing him of getting hit with a roll-

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDaniel went to San Angelo yesterday where Mrs. McDaniel will go thru the Rush Clinic. An operation for Mrs. McDaniel might be necessary, it is thought.

Mrs. J. F. Hamby is doing well after two or three weeks of illness. Her many friends hope to see an early recovery.

**With the Churches**

**BAPTIST CHURCH**

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 nad 7:30

By the pastor  
B. Y. P. U. 6:45 p. m.  
Prayer meeting at 7:30 Wednesday  
The W. M. S. meets with Mrs. Hi Eastland, Wednesday at 3:00.  
Every one welcome.  
J. O. McMillon, pastor

**METHODIST CHURCH**

Sunday school 9:45; M. O. Britt, Superintendent.

Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor.

Epworth League 7 p. m.  
Choir practice Thursday each night at 7:30. All singers invited.  
Your are cordially invited to attend these services.

F. M. JACKSON.

**W. M. S.**

The Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met February 3 with Mrs. Merton Shurley at her ranch home. Seventeen ladies were present.

Under the leadership of Rev. F. M. Jackson, pastor, the society discussed the first chapter of "The Church and the World Parish."

At the close of the study hour dainty refreshments were served, after which the hostess unfolded a glimpse of real ranch life, taking the party through the beautiful home, the spacious yards and flower garden, and then to the poultry yard. The Shurleys have a modern home, electrically lighted, all modern conveniences, with electrical equipment throughout, all of which would tend to make ranch life ideal.

The society will meet with Mrs. J. D. Lowrey Wednesday, Feb. 12.

This decision is hailed as a great victory by the ultra-feminists, whose purpose in life seems to be to break up the American home and put married life on the plane of the cheapest illicit love-affair. Because this "modern idea" runs contrary to the most deepseated traditions every expression of it gets a lot of publicity, which is probably what Ganna and the other feminists want. But it by no means follows that American family life is in danger. Home and babies and a husband with a good job are what the overwhelming majority of American girls still want ni marriage.

**L. W. Elliott**

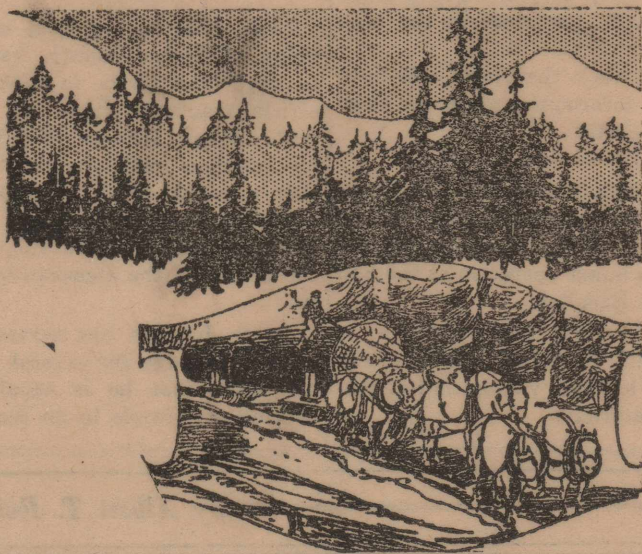
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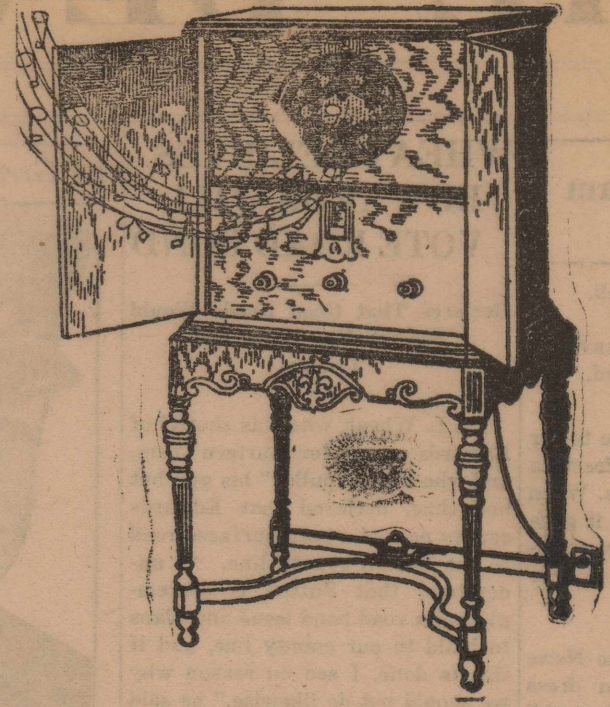
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Cabinets at Positively the Lowest  
Prices in Town.

**E. F. Vander Stucken  
Company, Inc.**

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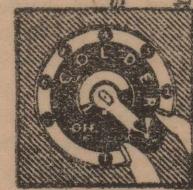
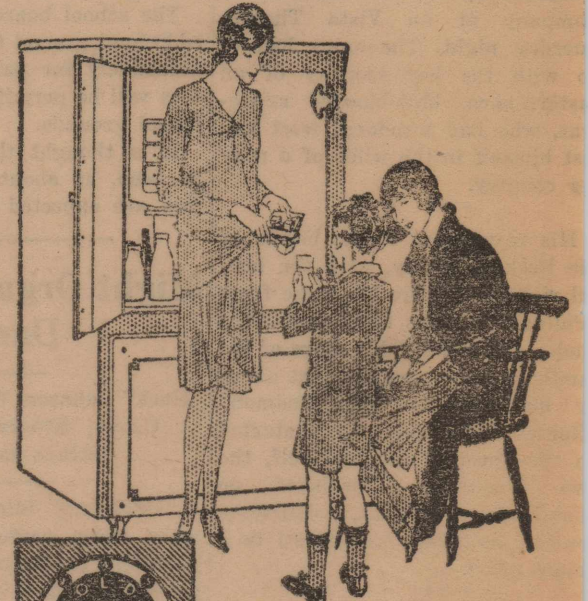


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Company**

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Advanced Styles for Spring

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Owing to the advance in the price of feed we are forced to raise our milk prices. Beginning Feb. 1st milk will be 20c a quart, pints, 10c; cream, 1-4 pints 10c, 1-2 pints 20c, pints 40c.

We appreciate your patronage and trust for a continuance of same with the small advance in prices. 13-2tc

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**More Time Granted to Pay City Taxes**

The City Commission at its regular meeting February 3rd, 1930, voted to extend for this year only the time for paying city taxes to April 1st, 1930.

The reason for this extension is because after a careful survey we find that many people do not understand several things in regard to city taxes. Another fact we are anxious to clear up the tax record for once and get the city on a proper basis. Another fact the city commission is very reluctant toward placing the tax roll in the hands of an attorney for collection. For the benefit of the public we are giving you the following figures for your information as to the expense of the city, this is given for two reasons: first, the public is entitled to know where the taxes are going that given in a published report a few months ago. Second, there will be an election in April for two commissioners and a mayor at that time you can fill these places with men who will run the business of the city in a business-like manner and it is our desire to turn over to them a clean record as near as possible. It is our desire at this election for the voter to select men to fill our places and we feel after a number of years service it is time for someone else to run the affairs of the city, and we feel sure it can be done better and at less expense than we have.

We will try through the press to explain a few items that some people do not understand. The **SEWER TAX:** Some people object to paying this tax because they are remote from the sewer lines to connect. Everybody is taxed to retire the sewer bonds which amount to \$45,000.00, and requires taxes to retire \$1,000 bond each year and interest which totals \$3,475.00 per year. Now, to properly adjust the tax everyone who is connected to the sewer pay a minimum service charge of \$12 per year in addition to the tax to retire the bonds and pay the interest. The sewer bond is the same as any other bond everybody has to pay to help retire these bonds for example, some people do not have children to go to school yet they have to pay taxes on the bonds issued for the building of school buildings. With the school tax it is different in this respect the people who have children going to school do not have to pay extra in addition to the tax, with the sewer those who are connected have to pay an additional service charge which in most cases is several times more than the taxes paid to retire the bonds. It is a tax voted on the people by the people.

Now, in regard to the streets: The streets have been left under the control of the county commissioners as the city does not have revenue to keep the streets in condition. This was agreed with the commissioners' court at the time the city was incorporated. The condition of the streets is not because the city does not want to improve them it is because there is not revenue enough to do so. Now, as to fire protection the city this year has bought a new chemical fire extinguisher which will take care of any fire in the city that could be controlled by water. We can safely say that everyone has a fair fire protection. The fire chief of a neighboring city has in-

**QUICKEST DRAW DECIDED PRICE ON COTTONSEED**

Pioneers Settled Market Price of Cottonseed With Six Gun, Old Timer Relates

Before the days when nations and industries decided to settle their differences by amicable arbitration the six gun was the official arbiter of the Texas cottonseed business, it was disclosed in Galveston recently by Carl Eichenberg, pioneer exporter of products from the Texas cotton patch. Being invited to a contest of marksmanship because of a difference of but \$1 in an invoice is but one of the experiences Mr. Eichenberg has stamped upon his memory from the days of 'way back yonder.' In those days two persons with variant ideas made excellent material for serious argument which could be decided only when one of the parties interested could no longer shoot, he said.

A great blessing was the inau-iron business matters by means guration of trade associations to of other than the shooting iron, in the opinion of Mr. Eichenberger. Today, he said, business is far more stable and progressive by reason of the impartial but helpful organizations where trade ideas and information may be discussed.

Getting his first taste of the cottonseed business in 1879 Mr. Eichenberger later established himself at New Orleans where, in 1890 he with two brothers organized an export firm for shipping Southern cottonseed products. Three years later he moved to Texas, opening an office in Galveston, where he has been ever since. Importance of the cottonseed crop of Texas

formed us that where he can not save a place with chemicals he can not with water. The following is our expenses: Bonds, retirement and interest, \$3,475.00; fire protection per year, \$400; street lights per year, \$252; city manager per year, \$1,500; city treasurer per year, \$120; city commissioners and mayor per year, \$625; incidentals, (estimated) \$600. Total, \$7,866.00 City valuation, \$916,440 at .90c tax rate, \$8,276.03.

We are anxious that after you read this you will co-operate with the city commission and help clean up our tax rolls so that in turning over the government of the city to a new body in April they will not be handicapped or feel that we have passed to them an unpleasant task. And we feel sure that if you will take an interest in the coming election you can secure a new commission and mayor who will be able to run the city with less expense than we have, and to the satisfaction of the majority of the people.

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**Today and Tomorrow**

(By Frank Parker Stockbridge)

**PARROTS**

Parrots have come in for a lot of unfavorable publicity lately because of a strange disease which has attacked several persons and which is attributed to infection brought by certain parrots from South America. Physicians and health officials say there is no danger catching "parrot fever" from a bird which has been in the family for any considerable time.

The parrot is probably the most intelligent of all birds, and the fact that it can be taught to talk makes it almost a human companion. And, like human beings, parrots develop personal attachments to such a degree that they often pine away and die when separated from their particular friends. Don't let anybody kill your parrot just because a few parrots are suspected of being disease-carriers.

Ganna Walska, the Polish singer who has been married to two American multi-millionaires, has convinced the U. S. Customs Court that a married woman can have a legal residence separate from that of her husband. That saves Ganna from paying duties on her French gowns imported from her Paris home, though her husband lives in Lake Forest, Illinois.

farmers and the increased values the industry has brought to the state were pointed out by Mr. Eichenberger who contrasted early day prices with prices that are being paid farmers for their seed today.

In the early days of the business seed could be bought for \$8 a ton and often times less. In 1884 December to February shipment was sold to me, sacked, at \$7.50, netting the mill about \$5.50 a ton so loose cake. One can easily imagine that such prices for cottonseed meal and cake did not bring much to the farmer for his seed, nor much profit to the mill on invested capital and outlay for labor, overhead, and other items of expense.

In recent seasons farmers have been getting \$40 and over for their seed, and cottonseed hulls, once burned as trash, now bring from \$8 to \$12 and more a ton" he said.

Mrs. Sam Thomas, of Rankin, is here, the guest of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Trainer.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Sutton County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be posted for ten days, exclusive of the day of posting, before the return day hereof, at three of the most public places in Sutton county, one of which shall be at the courthouse door, and no two of which shall be in the same city or town, and also cause to be published once a week for three successive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper of general circulation published in said county, which has been continuously and regularly published in said county for a period of not less than one year, copy of the following notice:

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To all persons interested in the estate of Mrs. Torah Smith Long, deceased:

Mrs. Nellie Holman has filed in the County Court of Sutton county,

an application for the probate of the last will and testament of said Mrs. Torah Smith Long, deceased, filed with said application, and for letters testamentary of the estate of Mrs. Torah Smith Long, deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing on the Third Monday in February, A. D. 1930, the same being the 17th day of February, A. D. 1930, at the courthouse thereof, in Sonora, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

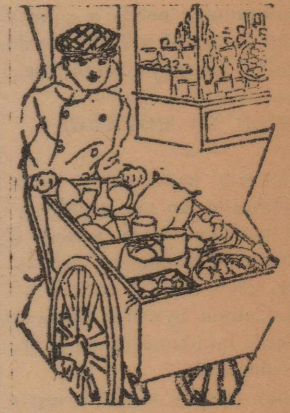
Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at my office in Sonora, Texas, this the 29th day of January, A. D. 1930.

J. D. LOWREY, County Clerk, Sutton county, Texas. 14 3t.

A true copy I hereby certify. B. W. HUTCHERSON, Sheriff Sutton county, Texas.

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(By Ila Martin)

'Tis hard, my friends, to satisfy  
The public, as a whole,  
For no one yet can understand  
The whims of ev'ry soul.

An editor, I must admit,  
Some folk think knows it all—  
For when he fails to do just right  
They sure do fuss and squall.

Their name is on the mailing list—  
Their time is out, so we  
Just scratch them off, and thinking that  
Is like it ought to be.

In comes a fellow, blazing hot—  
From nowhere, seems he blew,  
He asks us why we did not trust  
Him for a cent or two.

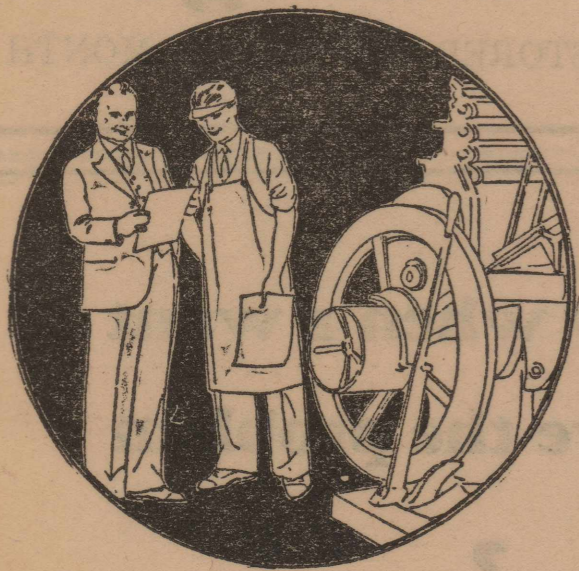
And then we leave a fellow on,  
To give him time to pay—  
Just thinking that perhaps he'd want  
It done in just that way.

The thing rides on, and on and on—  
No money does he pay  
He reads the paper heartily,  
On publication day.

Now, time goes on, and still no pay,  
Does he attempt to bring—  
And fusses 'round and asks us why  
We didn't stop the thing.

So we are asking you to do  
The thing you know you should—  
For you could surely help us out  
If only you just would.

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Know not what it's about,  
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**LIBRARY'S GOOD EFFECTS**

"A county library will bring a better class of literature to our people," according to the Rev. McMillon, pastor of the Baptist Church.

"We are often apt to read what is handed to us, attracted by the pretty illustrations or the mysterious title. We hand it to the child and, in many cases, it would have been better if we had thrown it into the fire.

"The county library would bring to us a selected group of good books for our children and for ourselves.

"Our community needs a county library and its good effects would soon be felt." Library Committee.

**A HELP TO MOTHERS**

"We mothers have many problems in bringing up our children," said one mother when asked if mothers wanted a county library. "Mamma, what shall I do?" is almost a household byword. To keep the children's minds occupied is the continual question.

"A county library would bring a happy occupation for our little folk's minds. We could rest assured that when they brought books home from the library they would be reading a book that has been considered worth while by someone who knows.

"Even though we mothers may buy books for our children, how few of us have the opportunity to pick out the best."—Library Committee.

**Velvet Hammer**

(By Harvey Walker)

Just when we had decided to discontinue this column indefinitely, because we were of the opinion that a vote of the readers would give a unanimous "yea," a friend suggests that he would like to have the column appear every week. Wonderful how deceitful some mortals can be at times; that is, face to face.

Another: We were told by a friend in Sonora that he had stopped his subscription to the News because he found that it did not publish the whole truth. Should the lowly editor decide to publish the truth and the whole truth about everything, I would immediately prepare to attend a healthy funeral. But really, I thought that as a little salt would save a lot of

bacon that enough good old hard truth would be found in this column to save the entire sheet.

Just for instance: We here and now give advance information that Jim is likely to begin that running we hear so much about when heel flies come into action. This is an appropriate time for running fits amongst the bovine family, regardless of gender.

Just now, since reading of another law being declared unconstitutional, we are ready to suggest a law to provide free tuition at a school in or near Austin where these fellows we elect could learn that we had a written constitution in this state and it could be explained to them. If these fellows were so informed it would be worth more than a new pen for the convicts. Probably this class of legislation is worth five dollars per day, and that is all the poor fellows get if honest.

What a lamentable thing that "Sum Bull" was not forewarned and had been at the bedside of that aunt recently demised. It is so seldom that men connected with newspapers become wealthy that it is so much more distressing. We believe that Barnes will join us in this matter. However, he should console himself with the reflection that had he been on hand a fat time would have been his reward.

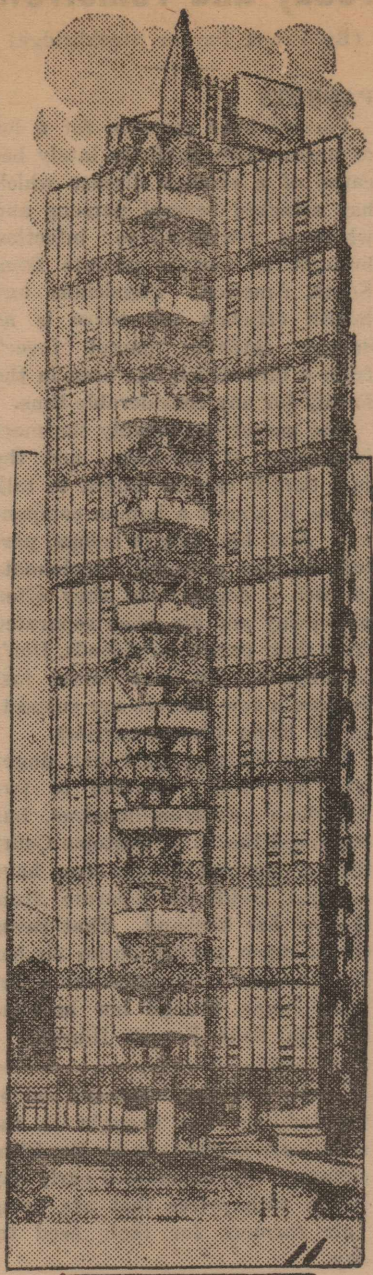
We notice that Dan and his crowd of lawmakers have recently visited all the convict farms as well as the Huntsville prison. We hope that some of the boys on the farm, or within the walls, imparted some useful information, and now that they are back at the capital we hope again that they will demean themselves in a more orderly and earnest manner.

In order to earn their salary the State Comptroller and Treasurer keep very busy and long hours giving out information that the assets of the Lone Star State are in the red, but Dan is totally color-blind as far as seeing anything red. When he retires from office we hope that he will come here and establish a bank and allow us to patronize the institution.

What is ailing the local candidates that they hesitate to announce? Are they afraid I might become political-minded and announce myself? If such be the case, I take pleasure in handing out the information that I have already commenced my garden for the year, believing that it is safer now than running for office as there is a prospect that the cold has killed out most of the bugs, unless it be the humbugs. Our neighbor says that it is all bosh about Jim falling out of bed during a nightmare. He says that Jim heard that politics make strange bedfellows and tried to bunk with Earle only to get a kick in the slats and a fall that narrowly missed breaking his neck. He warns him that a lot of these candidates are a little mulish and it is dangerous to get within range of their pedal extremities.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Barnes were in San Angelo Saturday. While there Mr. Barnes presided at a meeting of the West Texas Racing Association.

**House of Glass**



Frank Lloyd Wright, famous architect, whose original designs have produced some of the world's most interesting buildings, has been engaged by the ancient Church of St. Marks-in-the-Bowery, New York, to build apartment houses with glass walls on property owned by the church. As Mr. Wright's drawing, shown here, indicates, the walls will be of plate glass, admitting every possible ray of light. Heavy curtains will insure privacy.

**Libb Wallace Buys Registered Cattle**

Libb Wallace, breeder of registered Hereford cattle, returned from Hereford, Texas, the latter part of last week where he purchased three yearling bulls and one cow, paying the sum of \$1,800 for the quartet.

The purchase increases his registered herd to 18 head and he intends to make other additions until he has the best money can buy. He will exhibit some of his stuff here this summer at the livestock show and sale.

Mr. Wallace stated that snow that fell in the plains country several weeks ago has not all melted, and that it can be seen along the road and in shaded places.

Patronize Sonora merchants.

**POLITICAL Announcements**

The following candidates announce for the offices designated, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 26, 1930:

For Representative 16th Congressional District:  
E. E. (PAT) MURPHY  
For County Judge:  
ALVIS JOHNSON  
For Sheriff and Tax Collector:  
J. C. ROE

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J. W. Simmons, pickup; J. A. Cauthorn, truck; Geo. D. Chalk, fordor sedan; Johnnie Hamby, tudor sedan; Miss Jennie Murray, tudor sedan; Giles P. Hill, pickup; Audrey Rankhorn, sport coupe; Pedro Crowell, truck; O. K. Rankhorn, used Ford roadster, and Ollie Thorp, used truck.

Mr. Hull stated that his firm has about twenty new cars, trucks and pickup roadsters in stock, and can deliver a customer almost any model car from the floor.

W. L. Aldwell, president of the First National Bank, returned Wednesday from San Angelo where he had been to visit Mrs. Aldwell who has been in that city the past two months.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
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THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To all persons interested in the estate of H. P. Cooper, deceased:

Know ye, that Sol Mayer, administrator of the estate of H. P. Cooper, deceased, having on the 14th day of January, A. D. 1930, filed in the County Court of Sutton County, Texas, his application

to sell the following described lands belonging to said estate, situated in Sutton County, Texas, to-wit:

640 Acres, Abstract 1,095, Survey 90, Block B, Certificate 147, H E & W T Ry. Co.

640 Acres, Abstract 1381, Survey 106, Block B, Certificate No. 155, H E & W T Ry. Co.

640 Acres, Abstract 332, Survey 119, Block B, Certificate No. 162, H E & W T Ry. Co.

583 2-3 Acres, Abstract 324 part, Survey 103, Block B, Certificate 154, H E & W T Ry. Co., and being all of said Survey 103, last above described, except 56 1-3 acres thereof conveyed by H. P. Cooper to Fred & Joe Berger by deed recorded in Volume 13, page 149, Sutton County deed records.

Also 53 acres out of Survey 91, Block B, Certificate 148, Abstract 318, H E & W T Ry. Co. Company grantee, conveyed by Fred and Joe Berger to H. P. Cooper by deed recorded in Volume 13, page 151 of Sutton County deed records.

Now, therefore, these are to notify all persons interested in said estate to be and personally appear at the next regular term of the honorable County Court, to be held at the courthouse in the town of Sonora, Texas, on the Third Monday in February, 1930, same being the 17th day of February, 1930, and then and there to show cause why such sale should not be made, should they choose to do so.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at Sonora, Texas, this

the 14th day of January, A. D. 1930.

J. D. LOWREY, Clerk County Court, Sutton County, Texas.  
I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original citation now in my hands.

B. W. HUTCHERSON, Sheriff, Sutton County, Tex. 12-3c.

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If you need a job or want help, have lost an article or found one, want to exchange an article for another, want to find the whereabouts of a lost relative or friend—whatever perplexing problem may face you, the surest way to solve it is to place a WANT AD in this newspaper. Past experience proves that they bring results.

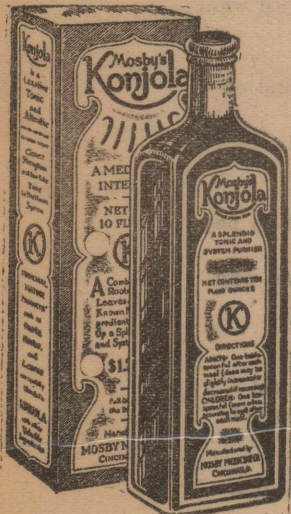
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**A Medicine You Have Waited Many Years For**

**The New Konjola**

Being introduced in our store for the FIRST TIME. The celebrated new remedy is for the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels and rheumatic and neuritis troubles. Chicago, Philadelphia, and other large cities have gasped at the wonderful accomplishments of this remarkable medicine.



This remarkable compound is destined to bring new hope, happiness and glorious health to Sonora people. Thousands of seemingly hopeless cases of health troubles have been conquered in larger cities, by this advanced compound.

Konjola, the medicine made from extracts of 22 plants of Nature, containing over 30 beneficial ingredients, works with the sufferer's own food, bringing more normal health action to the important organs of the body—the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

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## Let the Devil Get It for You!



G. G. Stephenson and family were in San Angelo Saturday. Mr. Stephenson had a small piece of steel removed from his eye. Dr. Wardlaw, former Sonora physician, did the work.

The young women from the different departments in Washington who were taken over to do the clerical work for the delegation were not picked for their beauty but solely because they were the most efficient at their jobs.

### Marvelous Work of New Konjola Medicine Told

Corner Drug Store to Introduce Advanced Remedy for First Time in Sonora

If you were told that one single medicine put hundreds of men and women back to work in Chicago, Philadelphia and other large cities after they had been idle for months with health troubles, it would



G. H. MOSBY Discoverer of Konjola

sound impossible, wouldn't it? And that countless people were completely relieved of rheumatism and neuritis, and that they were able to walk again, without cane or crutches, and that this same medicine restored health to men and women who had suffered with stomach and kidney troubles for years, that complete relief had come in cases of misery where health resorts, expensive treatments and medicine upon medicine had failed—indeed, it seems impossible! Yet, it is all true, and the medicine that has done all these things is the new Konjola, which is being introduced, starting today at the Corner Drug Store, this city.

Wherever introduced, this Konjola is vastly different and more effective in thousands of cases of ill-health than any previously known medicine. It is a remarkable liquid compound for the following well-known troubles:

**RHEUMATISM:** Especially severe cases, where pains are intense, muscles swollen, joints stiff and rigid. In the milder cases of this disease, Konjola relieves almost at once, and this medicine brings the same results to the neuritis victim that it does for the rheumatic sufferers.

**STOMACH, LIVER, KIDNEYS and BOWEL TROUBLES:** Nearly all forms of misery that arise from these unhealthy organs have been so quickly relieved by Konjola that men and women sufferers everywhere were surprised. It is the action of this medicine on the organs of the inner-system that removes toxic poisons from the system and brings quick relief in so many cases. The secret of this Konjola is the way it acts on the important functionary organs of the body, namely: the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. So many diseases and long standing disorders of these organs were so completely conquered and entirely banished by this new compound that thousands of people in larger cities were able to give up taking medicine for time to come.

After the great accomplishments

and wonderful work of Konjola in other sections, it is declared that this medicine is what hundreds of sufferers in Sonora and vicinity have long needed to actually reach their cases, and preparations are being made to introduce Konjola for the first time at the Corner Drug Store, where this medicine will be sold and explained to the public daily.—Adv.

### GUM MUST GO

Here's a little warning in advance. Mary had a wad of gum, It was as white as snow. And everywhere that Mary went, That gum was sure to go.

It followed her to school one day, Which was against the rules. The teacher took the gum away And sent her home from school.

"My wife looks well after me. I assure you that she takes off my boots for me in the evening."

"What. When you come from the club?"

"No, when I want to go there."

Teacher: "Willie, do you mean to say that you can't name all the presidents we have had? When I was your age I could name them all."

Willie: "Yes, but there were only three or four then."

L. H.: Daddy, did you go to Sunday school every Sunday when you were a little boy?

Howard, Sr.: I never missed a Sunday and also went to bed early every evening.

### CITATION

The State of Texas: To the Sheriff or any Constable of Sutton county—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Camille Litcelle, by 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, of general circulation, which has been regularly published for at least one year, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Sutton county, to be held at the courthouse thereof in Sonora, Texas, on the third Monday in March, 1930, the same being the 17th day of March, 1930, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 4th day of February, 1930, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 751, wherein D. L. Litcelle is plaintiff, and Camille Litcelle is defendant, said petition alleging that on or about the 14th day of June, 1923, in Tarrant county, Texas, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant, and that they continued to live together as husband and wife until about the month of July, 1927, when, by reason of cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of defendant toward plaintiff he was forced and compelled to permanently abandon her, since which time they have not lived together; that during the time they lived together as aforesaid, he was kind and affectionate to her and provided for her support and maintenance, but defendant, unmindful of her marital vows, shortly after their marriage began a course of unkind, harsh, cruel and tyrannical treatment towards plaintiff and towards plaintiff's daughter by a former marriage, which cruel, unkind and humiliating treatment and conduct continued and grew

worse until plaintiff abandoned defendant; that defendant abused and harassed plaintiff and his daughter and treated plaintiff's daughter in such a manner as to humiliate plaintiff and cause him such mental anguish as to make life unbearable, and finally defendant accused his daughter of stealing, which was false and untrue, and his daughter was forced to leave his home, and such treatment was cruel and harsh to plaintiff and he suffered such great anxiety and mental anguish he was forced to and did permanently abandon defendant; but that said marriage relation between them still exists; that defendant's actions and conduct toward him generally were and are of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable and unbearable. And plaintiff prays for judgment dissolving said marriage relations, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said 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 4th day of February, A. D. 1930.

(Seal) J. D. LOWREY, Clerk of District Court of Sutton County, Texas

Issued this the 4th day of February, A. D. 1930.

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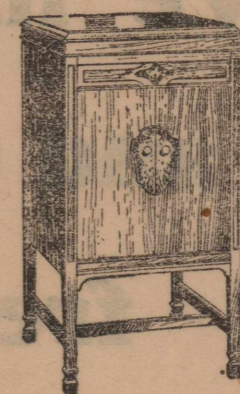
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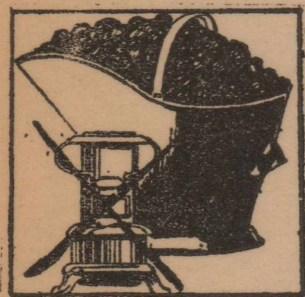
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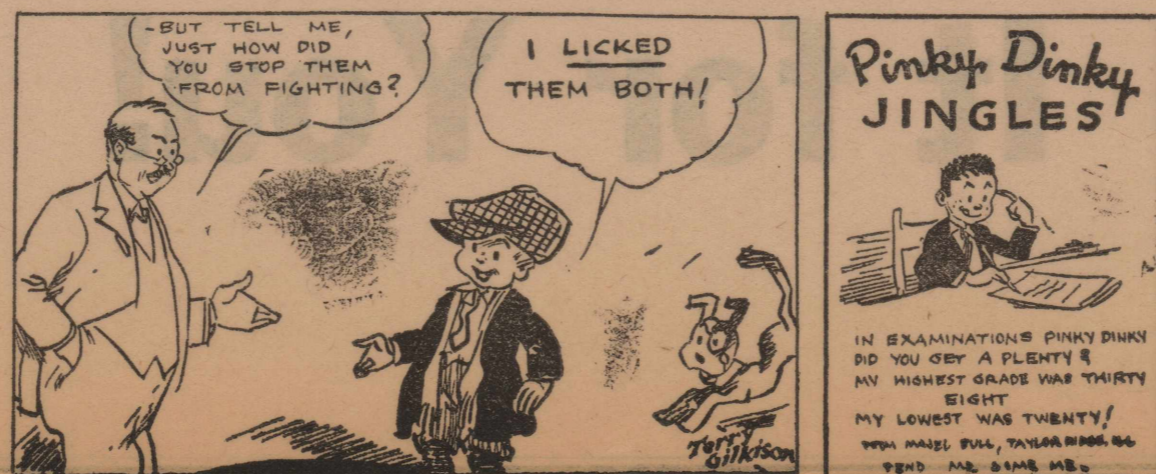
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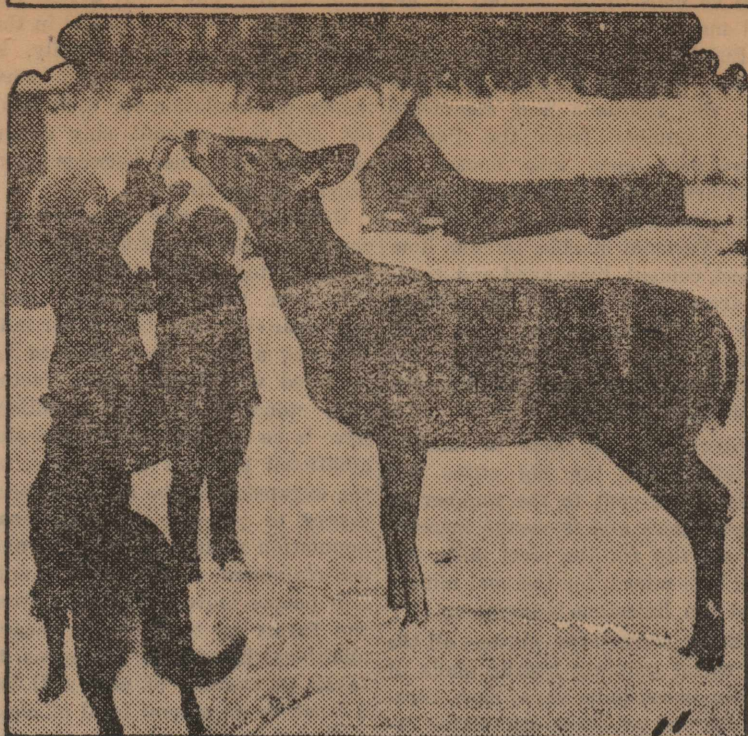


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Mrs. Jack Shockley, of Uvalde, is here visiting with friends.

**When Hunger Conquers Fear**



Severe cold coupled with heavy snow sends the deer to the farms in quest of food from the haystacks. This doe, which Almina and Rose Rogers of Speculator, N. Y., are feeding while Rover looks on suspiciously, has overcome its fear of people and dogs, driven by the stronger urge of hunger.

they have not lived together; that during all of the time plaintiff lived with defendant as his wife she conducted herself with propriety and at all times treated her husband with kindness and forbearance, but defendant, immediately after their marriage began a course of cruel, harsh treatment towards plaintiff; that he was away from home most of the time, would not work and utterly failed to support plaintiff and their child; that upon going back to defendant he immediately renewed his course of unkind and harsh conduct towards plaintiff and renewed or continued his life of drunkenness and idleness, and continued to utterly fail to provide for plaintiff and their baby; that defendant never furnished any home or clothes or groceries for plaintiff or their baby; that on many occasions defendant addressed to her vile and opprobrious epithets and threats of personal violence; that he would get drunk and curse and threaten to whip plaintiff, and when drinking and drunk he would bring other men home with him and before such men he would use the most vile and indecent language and curse plaintiff and call her indecent names, too vile to be written, all of which was so cruel, unkind, harsh, untrue and humiliating, and caused plaintiff such anxiety and mental anguish and fear that it rendered their further living together insupportable, and by reason thereof plaintiff permanently abandoned defendant. That during the time they lived together plaintiff had one child by defendant, to-wit: a boy, by the name of Jesse Warren Wilson, Jr., born on September 4, 1927, and that said child is now in the care and custody of plaintiff, and she is working and supporting him. And plaintiff prays for judgment dissolving said marriage relations and for custody of their said child, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said 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 4th day of February, A. D. 1930.

(Seal) J. D. LOWREY,  
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Will be given Sunday or Monday to the persons who can tell at the box office the names of the above five shows, date and players.

**20th ANNIVERSARY TO BE OBSERVED BY BOY SCOUTS**

A week of activity among Boy Scouts of America will mark the twentieth anniversary of that organization. Troop 19, Sonora, will participate in the observance of this anniversary and a program as follows has been prepared:

Friday, Feb. 7, (today) Roy L. Aldwell in charge: Demonstrations of Scouting in schools, supervising fire drills, good turns, flag ceremony in classrooms.

Saturday, Feb. 8, W. C. Gilmore in charge: This day marks the actual Anniversary Day, the time being 8:15 p. m. At that time every Scout and Scouter in the country will assemble long enough to take part in the re-commitment to the Scout oath at exactly 8:15.

Sunday, Feb. 9, W. E. James in charge: The entire troop will attend services at the Methodist Church. Dr. Gray, of Waco, will deliver a special sermon. Fathers and mothers are requested to attend this service.

Monday, Feb. 10, Scoutmaster John Eaton in charge: This is Sponsor Day and will be observed at the Lions cub luncheon, where the Scouts will be guests of that organization. A special program is being arranged.

Tuesday, Feb. 11, Committee in charge: Patriot's Day will be observed with a hike and out-door entertainment with stories by an old-timer.

Wednesday, Feb. 12, Vernon Hamilton in charge: This is Home Day, which will be observed by good turns in the home. Parents are to be judges on this day.

Thursday, Feb. 13, Frank Holliday and Carrol Stephen in charge: Citizen's Day, to be observed by a good turn to the city.

The observance of Anniversary Week has been placed upon a competitive system, each patrol receiving points of merit for duties performed by its members. The more closely the program is carried out the better chance has a patrol to lead in the final summary.

Following are the twelve essentials rankings with number of points each:

1. Each member wearing uniform all week scores 10.
2. For each member present at the 8:15 p. m. commitment to the Scout Oath, add 10 points. If all present add a special bonus of 25.
3. For patrols mobilizing 100 per cent in a time limit of 20 minutes, add 100 points.
4. For each member attending church with troop on Scout Sunday, 10 points. If all present add 25 extra points.
5. Patrol demonstration at the school, 50 points.
6. Good turn at home, approved by parents, 10 points.
7. Each Scout present on a troop hike with scoutmaster during the week, 10 points.
8. Civic good turn by patrol during week, 50 points.
9. For every column inch of Scout stories in local paper between 7th and 13th adds 10 points.
10. If patrol took part in a luncheon club program, add 75.
11. If patrol presented attractive window display, add 75 points.
12. At least one new member of patrol registered during week, 25 points.

Troop 19, Sonora, is composed of three patrols, the Eagles, the

Tigers and the Wildcats. These patrols will wage a contest during the week based upon the foregoing procedure. The results of the winning patrol will be pitted against winners of other troop patrols throughout the Ranch District. Sonora Scouts are keen for this competitive activity and will do their best to take on the added glory of being "Champions of the Ranch District."

Only one phase of the weeks activities worries Troop 19 patrols. That is mobilization. This is the only secret on the program. At an unknown hour, on any one of the seven days—a time which no patrol leader knows—a signal will be passed by Scoutmaster Eaton to patrol leaders to mobilize their patrols at a given point, and to do it all within 20 minutes.

Each patrol leader is keenly alive to the advantage of winning the mobilization merit of 100 points and is on the alert for the designated signal.

**HIGHTOWER SUCCEEDS YORK AT VANDER STUCKEN**

Alton Hightower has succeeded Jack York as manager of the dry goods department at E. F. Vander Stucken & Co. Mr. Hightower took charge the first of this week. He, it is said, is an experienced dry goods man and is capable of managing the dry goods department in a creditable manner.

Mr. and Mrs. York went to Del Rio where they have property and a home.

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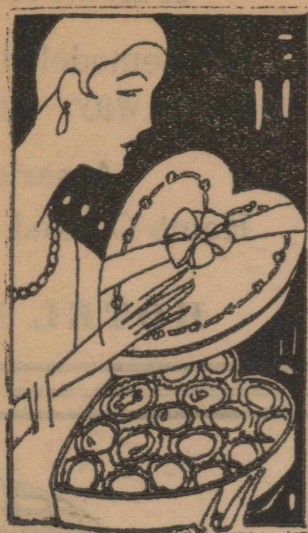
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Building activity, therefore, means first of all more business for the railroads and steamship lines. Lumber from the Pacific Northwest goes into houses in Massachusetts and Virginia. Southern pine builds homes in Minnesota. Vermont marble, Indiana limestone, cement, lime, sand and gravel from every part of the country are used everywhere else. The mere transportation of building material makes for more employment and better times.

Steel is a big item in modern building. Let the big cities add only 5 per cent to the number of skyscrapers and it means increased activity for the steel mills, for the iron mines, for the coal miners and the limestone quarrymen.

Brick, terra-cotta, plaster, all the artificial building boards made of straw, wood-pulp, sugar cane, corn-stalks and gypsum—stimulated demand for these means more work and more money in far outlying corners of the nation. New buildings call for more plumbing supplies, which means greater markets for iron and steel, brass and copper, renewed activity in the pottery industry. Electrical equipment of new buildings means more work for the copper miners, among other things. Nails and screws, hinges and doorknobs, plate glass—not only those who produce raw materials but the factories which fabricate them and the dealers who handle them all benefit, wherever they may be located, by a building boom that may be centered three thousand miles away. And new building means more paint—benefitting the lead and zinc mines, the linseed oil growers and many others.

New buildings mean more furniture. That affects not only the great furniture manufacturing centers from Grand Rapids to High Point, but the makers of upholstery fabrics, and back through them to the growers of cotton, wool and silk, the hardwood lumber producers and importers.

So renewed activity in building, it is clear, means better business in lines which affect almost every community, all sections, all classes of people, entirely aside from the direct increase in local employment where the new buildings are being constructed. The nation is knit together so tightly by the strands of business that what benefits one benefits all.

Next to agriculture building is America's greatest industry. We rebuild the whole country every forty years. That is the average life of American buildings, whether they are frame farmhouses or great steel skyscrapers. Perhaps the modern skyscrapers may last longer than that. Physically they probably will, but steel buildings only 20 years old are being torn down in New York to make room for bigger ones, because rising taxes and land values have made the older ones unprofitable.

Any year when the increase in new buildings is not at least two and one-half percent has to be compensated for later by a higher percentage of new construction. New building has been slow for a couple of years; now it is starting up at a rate calculated to take up the slack.

The total amount of money which will be spent for new buildings in the United States in 1930 has been estimated by competent investigators at \$9,000,000,000.

That figures out about \$72.50 for every man, woman and child in the nation. At four to a family, it means about \$25 a month more money in circulation for each family, and that amount may easily make the difference between good times and bad times.

Building normally increases every year. There are 1,650,000 more people living in the United States this year than there were last; next year there will be another million and a half. They have to be provided with homes. New factories, stores and office buildings have to be constructed to house the additional business enterprises, or the expansion of the old ones, necessary to provide this additional population with food, clothing and entertainment. A quarter of a million people move every year from the farms to towns; that means additional housing in the towns. It takes an average of nearly \$1,500 a head, or an annual total of close to \$3,000,000,000, to house the new population of the nation and take care of those who move into town. For they not only have to have houses to live in but stores to buy from; they must be provided with schools, hospitals, libraries, theatres, garages, railroad stations, courthouses, jails, insane asylums, buildings of every conceivable kind.

Try to picture all of the different types of buildings in a city of nearly 2,000,000 population—the size of Philadelphia, say—and you will have a picture of the annual new building program of the United States.

And all of those figures do not include repairs to old buildings, estimated at half a billion dollars a year, nor the great number of buildings that have to be replaced because of loss from fire and storms, another half billion a year.

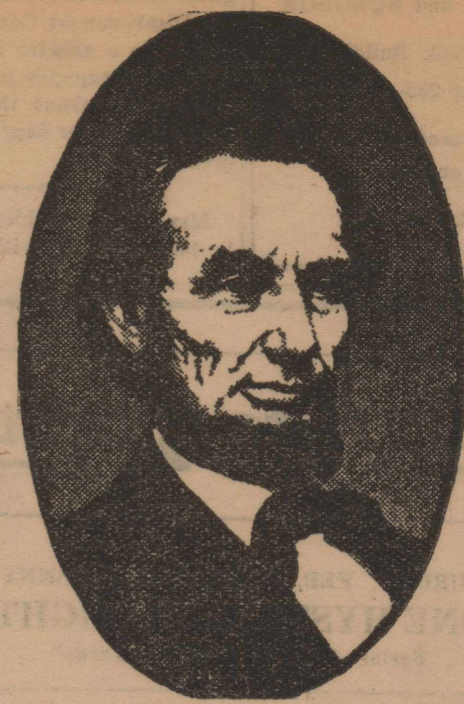
In 1929 the building program of the nation was less than these normal requirements. That means that the shortage has to be made up in 1930, if possible. And economists say that it is not only possible but certain. What holds up building is always a shortage of investment capital available for mortgage and building loans. The soundest of all investments, real estate loans do not pay spectacular interest and during the stock market boom literally thousands of millions which ordinarily would have gone into building were diverted into speculation. Now that flurry is over, the capital once engaged in Wall Street is available once more to finance new construction.

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Abraham Lincoln's conscience was his only guide—his conscience was King.

Abraham Lincoln's face has long vanished, his voice hushed, this sweet and beautiful soul—one of the most beloved characters in American History, will live in our hearts forever.

**First National Bank**

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Monday in March, 1930, the same being the 17th day of March, 1930, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 27th day February, A. D. 1929, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 609, wherein Luther O. Farris is plaintiff and Pearl Farris is defendant, said petition alleging that on or about the 3rd day of November, 1924, in Lockhart, Caldwell county, Texas, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant, then a single woman by the name of Mrs. Pearl Floyd; that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 25th day of May, 1925, at which time they separated; but that thereafter, on or about the 1st day of January, 1928, they went back together and again lived together as husband and wife until on or about the 1st day of February, 1928, when, by reason of cruel and harsh treatment of defendant toward plaintiff, because she would curse and apply low epithets to plaintiff, and because he at that time discov-

ered he had contracted a disease from her, this plaintiff permanently abandoned defendant, since which time they have not lived together; that defendant's actions and conduct toward him generally were and are of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable. And plaintiff prays for judgment dissolving said marriage relations, etc.  
Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said 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 4th day of February, A. D. 1930.  
(Seal) J. D. LOWREY,  
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**TO COLLECT OLD PAPERS**

**Baptist Ladies Will Sell Them to Start Building Fund**  
The Baptist ladies plan to have a carload of old magazines and papers ready to ship by the time the first train leaves Sonora, Monday derived in this manner will be

applied to their church building fund, it is understood. They will announce later about collecting them.

Have you tried Norman's Veri-Best bread? If not ask your grocer for a loaf.—Adv.

**Building Boom Forecast for 1930**

New Construction to Take Up the Slack Estimated at Nine Billion Dollars

(By Caleb Johnson)

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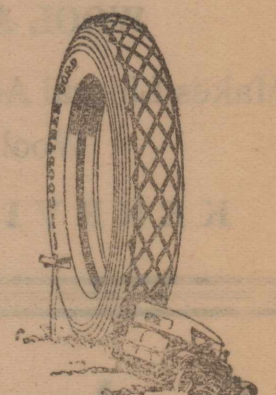
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