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EAT MORE LAMB CLUB MEETING IN SONORA

ED GLASSCOCK APPOINTED AS SUTTON CHAIRMAN TO RAISE FUNDS

Representatives of thirty West Texas counties met here Wednesday afternoon in the First National Bank building to discuss plans for the "Eat More Lamb" Club. More than thirty members including county chairmen were present for the session. The plan to advertise lamb meat as a table food was endorsed.

Ed Glasscock was appointed Sutton county chairman to raise the county's quota in the national campaign. He will appoint a vice chairman and three committeemen.

It is understood that one cent per head will be assessed on sheep throughout the United States to create a lamb advertising fund.

Sol Mayer, of Sonora and San Angelo, is president of the Texas committee. Directors are R. H. Martin, T. L. Drisdale, H. W. Rieck, V. I. Pierce, and E. S. Mayer, manager.

E. S. Mayer was the principal speaker at the meeting.

MRS. SAM HULL HONORS MISS ESTELLE McDONALD

Mrs. Sam Hull entertained Wednesday afternoon at the Club hall with ten tables of bridge, honoring Miss Estelle McDonald.

The color scheme chosen by the hostess was pink, white and orchid. Pretty pink carnations, lavender asters and white chrysanthemums adorned the hall.

At bridge, Mrs. Sterling Baker won high score prize; Mrs. Carroll, low score prize and Mrs. Jack Wardlaw, the cut prize. The honoree was presented with a guest prize.

Hot chocolate and sandwiches were served to Mesdames R. W. Perrine, J. C. Baker, Bob Vicars, Carroll Stephen, Jack Earhart, Jack Wardlaw, Claude Keene, Frank Ray, E. M. Halbert, Sr., B. M. Halbert, Jr., A. C. Elliott, Tom White, J. D. Westbrook, Josie McDonald, Charles Evans, Sterling Baker, Clara Murphy, Robert Halbert, W. D. Wallace, Sim Glasscock, Paul Turney, Bryan Hunt, Thomas Espy, Joe Hull, A. G. Blanton, Ed Mayfield, Rose Thorp, B. W. Hutchinson, Albert Crowley, Joe Brasher, Bob Steen and Jim Cauthorn, and Misses Estelle McDonald, Alice Karnes, Addah Miers, Joanna Stokes, Muriel Simmons, Ada Steen and Bonnie Glasscock. Out of town guest was Mrs. Ernest Carroll of Houston.

Mrs. Hull was assisted by Miss Babe White and Miss Harva Jones. This being November 19th, Mrs. McDonald's birthday, the honoree presented a beautiful basket of red carnations to her mother.

Bronchos Battle Rocksprings to Tie

Bronchos Go to Del Rio Tomorrow and Will Meet Eldorado Thanksgiving

For the second time the Bronchos have battled the Rocksprings high school football team to a scoreless tie. The game last Saturday resulted in injuries to DeWitt Blanton and Gomer Minnick. Blanton sustained a broken bone in his foot and will be out for the remainder of the season. Minnick, however, will likely see service in the next game tomorrow with the Del Rio high school team, class B champs of their district.

The Bronchos will play Eldorado there Thanksgiving for the last game of the season. Eldorado is pointing to this game and have hopes of gaining a victory over the Bronchos.

The Bronchos have played eight games, tied 3, lost one and won 4. Junction has not been defeated and will win the district championship.

At the Lions Club meeting last Monday \$121.50 was raised toward a sweater fund for the Bronchos. Letter men and reserves will each receive a sweater. Coach White will announce the names next week.

"Eat More Lamb" Club Organized

Organized for the Promotion of Lamb Consumption and the Profits to Producer

The economic law of supply and demand has been operating to the disadvantage of the sheep raisers due to the constantly increasing supply of lambs and practically no increase in consumer demand, ranchmen think, and they have organized the "Eat More Lamb" club. The purpose of the club is to build up a fund with which to advertise lamb meat as a food. Funds from other states will be created by the sheepmen and will be used in a national advertising program to educate the people in eating more lamb meat.

The amount asked from each sheep raiser is extremely small compared to the return he will get. It is less than one-fourth of one per cent of the sale price of the lamb at present prices.

The newly organized club plans to hold meetings in each county to further the aim and to explain in detail various questions.

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Local business houses here are having "Eat More Lamb" printed on their envelopes. The Sonora Lions club is co-operating with the committee.

STANLEY PATTON GETS BIG 11-POINT BUCK

Stanley Patton returned Wednesday from near Kerrville where he had been on business and hunting. Mr. Patton brought back an eleven-point buck. The bullet from a .30 government rifle pierced the deer's heart.

Mr. Patton said that there were over three hundred hunters in and near Kerrville this week. Several game wardens have made arrests on hunters who have killed turkey hens and does.

SAM KARNES TO BUILD RANCH HOME SOON

Sam Karnes has let a contract to Frank Knapton and the West Texas Lumber Company for the construction of a five-room modern residence at the Karnes ranch south of town. Work on the structure will start in the near future.

Frank Snodgrass, manager of the Wm. Cameron Co., visited with his mother this week in San Angelo. His mother has been very ill, but Wednesday she was some better.

THIRTY-NINE WEST TEXAS COUNTIES SHOW INCREASE IN POPULATION

San Angelo, Nov. 20.—Thirty-nine West Texas counties immediately adjacent to San Angelo which showed a population increase of 57.4 per cent during the 10-year period from 1920 to 1930, are believed to have registered the largest gain for so large a territory anywhere in the Southwest.

The figures were taken from reports of the United States census for 1920 and 1930, and were compiled by Preston Y. Chumley, statistician for the San Angelo Board of City Development.

Winkler county, which in 1920 had a total population of only 81, with 6,884 accounted for by the 1930 census takers, registered the largest percentage increase of any of the counties, with a percentage increase of 8,398.8. Crane county, gaining from a population of 37 in 1920 to 2,194 in 1930, and showing a percentage increase of 5,829.7, was second in percentage gain.

Discovery and development of oil fields in the two counties accounts for the large population increases, Mr. Chumley explained. Tom Green county, of which San Angelo is the county site, registered the largest numerical gain of any of the 18 counties, growing from a population of 15,210 in 1920 to 36,029 in 1930, or an increase of 20,819 people, with a percentage increase of 136.9 per cent.

The 57.4 per cent increase shown by the U. S. census figures for the 39 West Texas counties compared with the 23.8 per cent increase in population for all of the State of Texas during that period, indicates the rapid development strides being made in this territory, and shows something of the contribution this section made to the percentage increase made for all of the state.

It is interesting to note that San Angelo now ranks 15th in the list of Texas cities, with a population of 25,304. The following is a list of these cities, and their populations: Houston 289,579, Dallas 269,397, San Antonio 254,562, Fort Worth 160,892, El Paso 101,975, Beaumont 57,483, Galveston 53,427, Austin 53,118, Waco 52,825, Port Arthur 50,067, Wichita Falls 43,614, Amarillo 43,107, Laredo 32,716, Corpus Christi 27,785 and San Angelo 25,304.

Confidence that Southwest Texas will continue to attract new population and afford remunerative employment for an even larger citizenship than is accounted for by the 1930 U. S. census is voiced by business leaders of San Angelo, who point to new development factors as affording new promise for

the further development of the unscratched resources of the territory.

Completion of the Alpine-Presidio extension of the Santa Fe, affording San Angelo direct railroad connection with Chihuahua, Mexico City and connected points, was celebrated early in November by the operation of a special train chartered by the San Angelo Board of City Development which carried 188 West Texas business leaders on a good will tour to Chihuahua. This development followed the completion of the Sonora extension of the Santa Fe from San Angelo to Sonora, affording rail transportation for the rich ranching country south of San Angelo which therefore had depended on trucks or overland driving of herds for the movement of its livestock, wool and mohair crops to San Angelo.

The following is a tabulation of United States census reports affecting Sutton and adjoining counties:

Crockett, 1930, 2,590, 1920 1,500. Increase 1,090; per cent gain 72.7.

Edwards, 1930, 2,764, 1920, 2,283. Increase 481, per cent gain 21.1.

Kimble, 1930, 4,117, 1920, 3,581. Increase 536, per cent gain 15.0.

Menard, 1930, 4,444, 1920, 3,162. Increase 1,282, per cent gain 40.5.

Schleicher, 1930, 3,166, 1920, 1,851. Increase 1,315, per cent gain 71.

Sutton, 1930, 2,806, 1920, 1,598. Increase 1,208, per cent gain 75.6.

EAGLE STATION HERE SOLD TO MARATHON OIL

MANY IMPROVEMENTS ARE EXPECTED FOR STATION IN SONORA

The Eagle Distributing Company and the Eagle Refining Company of Del Rio have sold their wholesale and retail station here to the Marathon Oil Company with headquarters in Ft. Worth. Forty-two stations in the Del Rio district were also sold.

C. H. Carson, who has been local agent for the Eagle and 3-D products here will remain in that capacity for the Marathon Oil Co.

Mr. Carson said that the new owners are anticipating improvements in the station here, but does not know to just what extent that will be. It is likely that the underground storage will be increased or a large reserve tank built on the Santa Fe industrial site.

Let the Devil print it for you.

Youngest Reader Entertains Club

Lions Pledge Support to Football Boys—Vote to Retain Ownership of Chairs

Little Miss Mary Jane Evans, 2½ year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Evans, entertained thirty-four Lions and visitors Monday. Mary Jane is a student in expression, and one of many little tots under Miss Marjorie Way. This number was thoroughly enjoyed.

Supt. Ted M. White, of Sonora Public Schools, spoke to the club concerning the football sweater fund. He told how the Lions club had assisted the fund last year and of the appreciation of the boys in thus being remembered. He mentioned the Rocksprings game played in the mud and said it was the hardest fight the boys had had. The score was 0 to 0. He told of heavy ones to the new boys and plans for disposal of sweaters, light ones to the old lettermen with a gold football to each. He quoted prices of \$4 to \$5 for the gold footballs, \$8 to \$9 for heavy sweaters and \$8.40 for the lighter ones. He said 14 men would be up for sweaters, and estimated the total cost around \$150.

Tom Davis was in favor of the Lions getting behind the football boys, doing all they could to assist them. B. Hamilton and Jack Neill expressed like sentiments. Jack Neill sighted what football had done for other towns in the way of advertising them, mentioning in particular the Port Arthur-Breckenridge game.

Raymond Barker moved that the Lions club donate \$25 to the football fund; donated by W. E. Caldwell, who said that the club had done this twice before; that the club should keep its pledge of support to the school. The motion carried. R. A. Halbert said the Lions might as well start the ball rolling, and he headed a subscription list with \$5. In a few minutes something like \$100 were pledged outside the \$25 given by the club. Tom Davis, B. Hamilton and Bill Gilmore compose the committee to raise the sweater fund.

Mrs. Charles Evans, chairman of the entertainment committee from the Woman's Club was introduced by President Lowrey. Mrs. Evans said that "opportunity knocks but once," and that a "bird in hand is worth two in a tree." She brought to the attention of the club the coming play, "An Arizona Cowboy," to be staged Friday (tonight) the 24th, and asked that the Lions support it by securing tickets. Mesdames Evans and Bill Gilmore passed the tickets around and quite

ROGER GILLIS NAMED HEAD NAT'L CO-OP

BELCHER, EARWOOD AND SOL MAYER DIRECTORS FROM THIS STATE

Washington, Nov. 17. — Roger Gillis, Del Rio, Texas, was elected president of the National Wool Marketing Association to succeed L. B. Palmer of Columbus, Ohio, at the annual meeting of the association stockholders today.

James A. Hooper, of Salt Lake City was elected vice president to succeed Gillis, who served in that capacity the last year.

J. B. Wilson, McKinley, Wyo., was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Several new men were elected to the board of directors. They included: C. C. Belcher, Del Rio, Texas; Fred Earwood, Sonora, Texas; Sol Mayer, San Angelo, Texas; Worth Lee, Mountain Home, Idaho; J. W. Hoech, The Dalles, Oregon; Kenneth Chambers, Hartsell, Colo., and Fred Ellenwood, California.

The stockholders met behind closed doors to consider the general wool marketing situation. The report of the secretary was presented and adopted, but was not made public.

The stockholders will continue in session tomorrow. Whether they would confer with the Federal Farm Board then had not been decided.

Secretary J. B. Wilson, of McKinley, Wyo., said a conference with the Farm Board was in prospect.

The amount of wool handled by the association this year has been estimated by C. B. Denman, livestock member of the Farm Board, at 4 to 5 times as much as last year.

Mr. Gillis presided at the meeting.

a number disposed of. Miss Bernice Stokes, leading lady of the play, was introduced and received a hearty welcome.

The question of whether the Lions would lend their chairs was brought up. After considerable argument, pro and con, a motion by W. E. Caldwell, seconded by Marion Stokes, that the Lions retain ownership of 40 chairs and tables, carried. A committee composed of Geo. D. Chalk, B. Hamilton and John Eaton, was appointed to hunt up and bring in all chairs now loaned to others.

Visitors were: D. B. Crow, of the Sun Oil Company, San Angelo; Robt. Kelley and Sterling Baker. Charles Evans was also present.

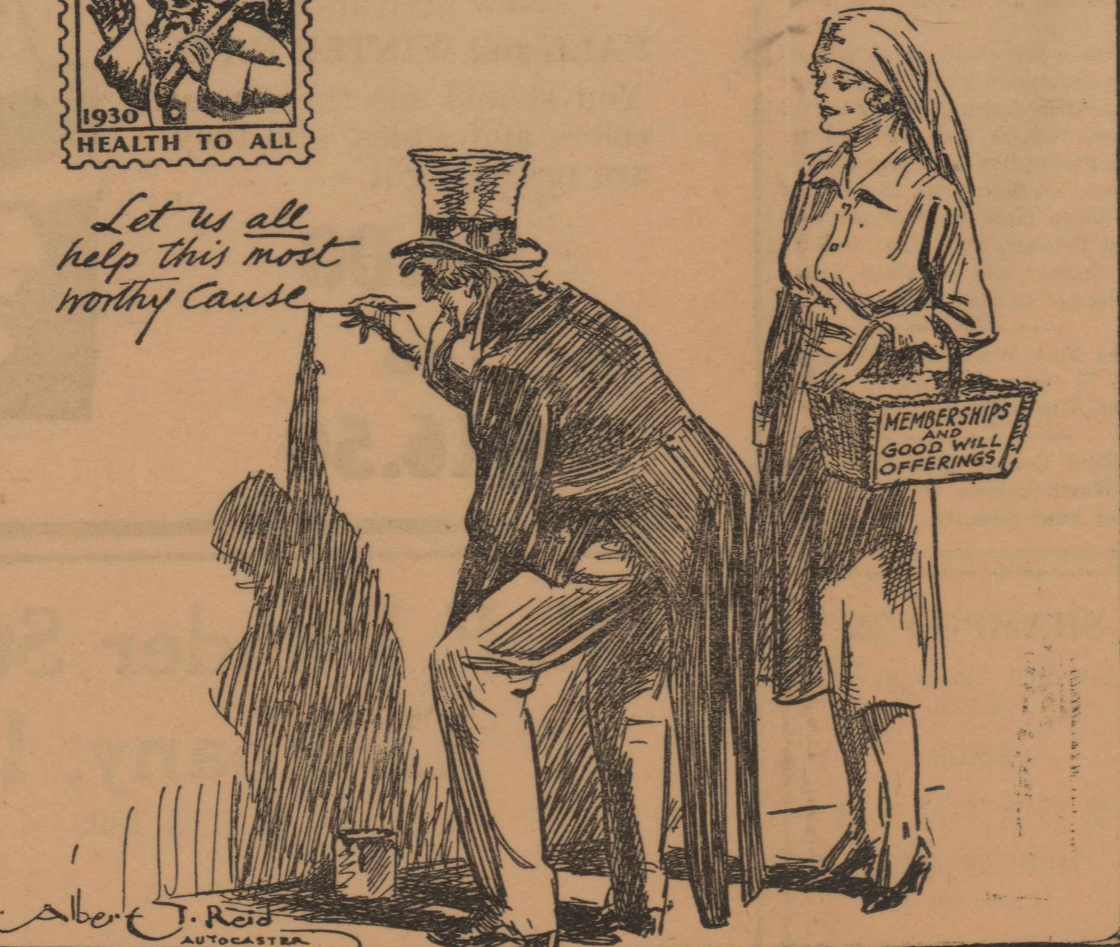
Paul Smith was reported as a new member.

His Hearty Endorsement

By Albert T. Reid



Let us all help this most worthy cause



First Thanksgiving Proclamation Issued

Few Americans know that the original Presidential Thanksgiving Proclamation was lost for over a hundred years; that it was found at an auction sale in 1921; that it was bought by the Library of Congress for \$300; and that it now reposes in the archives of that institution—one of the most valuable documents in the world. The Division of Information and Publication for the George Washington Bicentennial Commission, in a statement issued today, relates the story of the lost proclamation.

On September 25, 1789, Elias Boudinot introduced the following resolution in the House of Representatives:

"Resolved, That a joint committee of both Houses be directed to wait upon the President of the United States, to request that he would recommend to the people of the United States a day of public Thanksgiving and prayer, to be observed by acknowledging, with grateful hearts, the many signal favors of Almighty God, especially by affording them an opportunity to establish a Constitution of government for their safety and happiness."

Harmless as this resolution seems, there were objections of it. In reading the Annals of Congress of that period, we find that Representative Aedanus Burke of South

Carolina thought we should not mimic Europe "where they made a mere mockery of thanksgiving." Representative Thomas Tudor Tucker, also of South Carolina, argued that it was not the business of Congress to ask for a national day of Thanksgiving.

"They (the people) may not be inclined to return thanks for a Constitution until they have experienced that it promotes their safety and happiness."

These objections, however, were overruled; the resolution was passed and sent to the Senate for concurrence. The Senate approved and appointed its committee to wait on the President. The joint committee was made up of Ralph Izard of South Carolina and William S. Johnson of Connecticut, from the Senate; Elias Boudinot of New Jersey, Roger Sherman of Connecticut, and Peter Sylvester of New York, for the House.

Washington complied with the request and on October 3, 1789, issued his proclamation, calling for a National day of Thanksgiving on Thursday, November 26.

And then the document dropped out of sight. It apparently was misplaced or attached to some private papers in the process of moving official records from one city

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PERSONALS

Perry Mittel transacted business in Sonora Wednesday.

Mrs. Sam Robison and H. L. Taylor were San Angelo visitors Wednesday.

Asa Hallum was here yesterday from his station and store near the Ft. Terrett ranch.

Mrs. Lillian Allison, of San Angelo, was a week-end visitor here last week with Miss Clara Allison.

B. Hamilton left Tuesday for Uvalde where he will be joined friends for a deer and turkey hunt.

Willie Miers, Mack Cauthorn and Andy Moore are wolf hunting on the Miers ranch north of Rankin.

J. W. Trainer, wife and small daughter left Tuesday for Rankin to visit with their daughter, Mrs. Sam Thomas.

Miss Dorothy Cutbirth, of Sweetwater, will arrive Sunday for a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. John Ward, Jr.

Mrs. Jeff Haynie and small son, of Sweetwater, arrived Wednesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. John Ward, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Morrow and small daughter, of Burnett, are here this week for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Morris were here Wednesday from their ranch in the Fort Stockton section to visit with relatives and friends.

R. F. Halbert, Robert Halbert, E. C. Saunders, Edgar Shurley and J. M. Puckett left Wednesday for Austin to have some land surveys adjusted.

Mr. and Mrs. Obra McCurdy, of Vernon, spent the week-end here with the latter's sister, Miss Sally Wardlaw. While here Mr. McCurdy went on a deer hunt.

Wade Grimland, auditor for the General Motors Corporation, of Dallas, and three friends arrived this week for a deer hunt. They will return Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Love are spending the week hunting on the ranches of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Love and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Garrison in Bandera county.

Mrs. Mary Hunt, of Bracketville, after spending a week with her son, Bryan, left this week for a visit with her brother, J. A. Cornell, a prominent jurist of San Angelo.

B. C. McGilvry, of Eldorado, succeeds G. B. Swaim as bookkeeper at the Stites Motor Company. Mr. Swaim has accepted a position with the Sonora Cash Grocery.

SOCIETY

HANDKERCHIEF SHOWER FOR SONORA BRIDE-ELECT

Miss Estelle McDonald, whose approaching marriage to Mr. W. P. McConnell of Tulsa, Oklahoma, was announced last Saturday, was the recipient of many pretty handkerchiefs given her Tuesday night by the Eastern Star. Nuts and candy were served.

MRS. CHARLES EVANS HOSTESS TO MERRIMAKERS

Mrs. Charles Evans entertained the Merrimakers at her home Tuesday of last week. At bridge Mrs. Rose Thorp received high club and high guest went to Mrs. Joe Trainor.

Banana short cake and coffee were served to Mesdames Ed Mayfield, Paul Turney, Thomas Espy, Robert Halbert, Marion Stokes, Lem Johnson, Dudley Westbrook, Bill Gilmore, A. G. Blanton, B. W. Hutcherson, Sim Glascock, Joe Trainer, Claude Keene and Rose Thorp.

MISS ESTELLE McDONALD'S ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Sterling Baker entertained at the Sonora Woman's club hall last Saturday afternoon at which time the engagement of Miss Estelle McDonald to W. P. McConnell, Jr., of Tulsa, Oklahoma, was announced. The date for the marriage has not been set, however, the nuptial knot will be tied sometime this month.

White chrysanthemums and a sweetheart roses adorned the beautifully appointed rooms.

Miss McDonald is the daughter of Mrs. Josie McDonald, proprietress of the Hotel McDonadl. She has been an active member of club organizations and civic work.

Mr. McConnell is an engineer with the Humble Pipe Line Company, coming to Texas from Tennessee, but has been transferred to Oklahoma.

High score went to Mrs. Arthur Stewart and low to Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson.

LINEN SHOWER FOR MISS McDONALD, BRIDE-TO-BE

Mrs. Claude Keene was hostess Thursday afternoon to the Girls' Bridge Club, complimenting Miss Estelle McDonald, bride-to-be. The rooms were decorated with pretty yellow and white flowers and burning yellow candles.

After several interesting games of bridge, little Miss Katha Lea

Keene, dressed in an old Dutch costume, related the story of the origin of the bridal showers in old Holland. Little Miss Doris Keene, attired in an old English costume, told of the bridal showers given in England.

The honoree was presented with many beautiful pieces of linen.

Cake and tea were served to Mesdames Henry Decker, Bob Vicars, Josie McDonald, Johnnie Hamby, Clara Murphy, Sam Hull, Sterling Baker, Joseph Vander Stucken, Sam Karnes, Bryan Hunt, Louie Stuart, Frank Bond, B. W. Hutcherson. Sam Allison and Mrs. James Cornell of San Angelo and Misses Estelle McDonald, Ada Steen, Alice Karnes and Addah Miers.

Fewer Cattle on Ft. Worth Market

Range Conditions Responsible for Forced Shipments From Drouth Areas

Austin, Texas, Nov. 20.—Receipts of cattle at Fort Worth during October declined more than 18 per cent from the high total in September, according to the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas. This decline followed a marked improvement in prospects for winter grazing after general rains in the range country early in the month. Heavy marketings in September, when forced movement from areas most severely affected by continued drouth began, were contrary to the normal seasonal tendency for shipments to decline during this month. October receipts of this year were 27 per cent smaller than during the corresponding period of 1929, but the combined total of October and September, 1930, was only slightly below that of the corresponding period last year.

Cattle receipts at Fort Worth for October were 68,884 head as compared with 84,425 head in September and 87,341 head in October last year. Calves totaled 53,436 head, compared with 52,143 head in September and 53,471 head in October last year. Sheep receipts were 28,907 head as compared with 54,193 head in September and 42,446 head in October last year. Receipts of hogs totaled 17,537 head as compared with 15,354 head in September and 23,201 head in October last year.

"Condition of cattle ranges was 10 points higher on November 1 than on October 1 but still three points lower than on the corresponding date in 1929 and almost 10 points below the five-year average," the bureau report said. "Sheep and goat ranges made even greater progress, coming within one point of the condition on the similar date last year and within 8 points of the five-year average. Improvement in condition of animals was less rapid but nevertheless marked. Condition of cattle ranges was 77 per cent of normal; that of sheep and goat ranges was 82 per cent of normal."

Cattle were 79 per cent of normal as compared with 75 per cent a month ago and 83 per cent on November 1 last year. This compares with an 88.6 per cent five-year average. Sheep were 81 per cent of normal on November 1 as compared with 74 per cent on October 1, 85 per cent on November 1 last year and a five-year average of 91.8 per cent. Goats were 83 per cent of normal, compared with 77 per cent a month ago, 86 per cent on November 1 a year ago, and 90 per cent for the five-year average.

"Prices for all livestock fell off from September levels, which were higher than August," concluded the report. "Cattle and sheep quotations declined to points well below August, leaving cattle 25 per cent and sheep more than 40 per cent below October, 1929. Hogs declined less sharply and remained within 3 points of October, 1929, figures."

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram only 75 cents per month. Get it at the Sonora Drug Co.—Adv.

Alfred Cooper, Bob Steen and Ft. Worth parties returned from a deer hunt recently.

With the Churches

METHODIST CHURCH

The increase in attendance last Sunday over that of the two preceding Sundays was indeed gratifying. The following will be the order of worship next Sunday: Voluntary—Instrumental. Song—"More Love to Thee." Apostles' Creed. Prayer.

Song—"Saviour Like a Shepherd Lead Us."

Scripture lesson, Psalms 16. Gloria Patri. Announcements.

Offering. Song—"Savior More Than Life to Me."

Sermon—"Is Christianity Practical?"

Song—"My Faith Looks Up to Thee." Benediction. Doxology.

Service at 7:30 p. m. Subject: "Boys Will Be Boys."

BAPTIST CHURCH

"Get out of the daily grind—go to church Sunday."

Remember our Sunday school at 10, and preaching at 11 and 7:30 by the pastor. A hearty welcome extended to all.

"Go to church with gladness, go to church with prayer, you will find a welcome waiting for you there." "The church service is not a convention. Do not send a delegate. Come, and bring your family with you."

"To feel bad prayer-meeting night and Sunday morning are symptoms that very seriously need attention. The Great Physician has a sure cure."

"Some of the Lord's soldiers ought to be court-martialed for being absent without leave."

L. W. Elliott

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SONORA, TEXAS

SONORA LADIES ATTEND P.-T. A. CONVENTION

A number of Sonora women attended the state P.-T. A. meeting in San Angelo this week. Among those from Sonora who were in attendance were Mrs. Lem Johnson, president of the local organization; Mrs. S. T. Gilmore, sixth district president; Mesdames E. E. Sawyer, A. W. Awalt, Orion Brown, Robert Halbert, W. J. Fields, W. D. Wallace, B. W. Hutcherson, Haney Davis and Ira Shurley.

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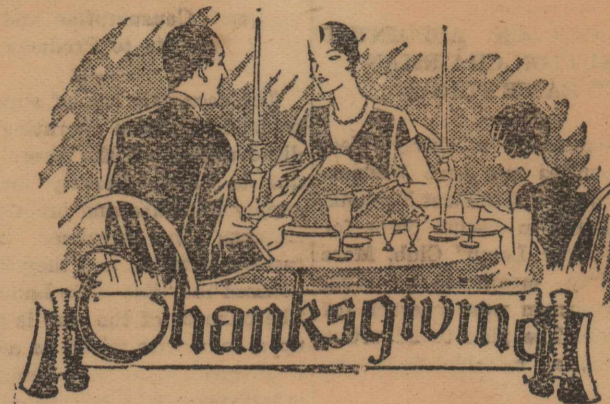
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TWELFTH INSTALLMENT
The two men made no attempt at a greeting. Chittenham merely said: "You're in rather a hurry, aren't you? However, you've saved me the trouble of sending it to you. You can have your two hundred."
Lombard smiled—an unpleasant smile.
"I want five hundred."
"You agreed for two."
"The price has gone up since last night."
There was an eloquent silence, and Lombard said calmly:
"Five hundred is not a high price to pay, surely—I cannot imagine

that Schofield would crap at it in return for the favor you received last night." He shrugged his shoulders as he saw the passionate rage in Chittenham's face.
"It was you outside Miss Farrow's flat last night?"
"I waited three hours—very patiently, you will admit."
With an effort Chittenham controlled himself.
"I give you five seconds to get out of here," he said.
"Very well. You know what I intend to do. I shall tell Schofield what happened in Switzerland and again last night—"
"Tell him, and I'll break every bone in your body."
Lombard went on evenly, not heeding the violent outburst.
"And I shall tell Miss Farrow that the woman she has been making her friend is your wife."
Chittenham was white to the lips but he laughed.
"You can spare yourself the trouble. I have already told her myself."
For a moment the two men glared at one another, and it took all Chittenham's will-power to maintain his self-control, then Lombard said hoarsely:
"I'll make you sorry for this before I've done!"
"Get out, or I'll make you sorry for it now."
The door closed between them.
For some moments after Lombard had gone, Chittenham stood staring at the closed door.
He would see Julie at once and tell her the whole truth. But Fate was against him. He went to Julie's flat only to find that she had gone to lunch. He went to several restaurants where he thought she might be but could not find her. There was nothing for it but to wait until the afternoon when they would meet at his mother's house.
He purposely arrived rather late. Mrs. Ardron, who was near the door, crept to him and whispered that he must be very quiet.
"It's so wonderful!" she breathed; she squeezed his hand excitedly. Giles stood beside her, angry and silent.
Now he was more accustomed to the darkness he could see that there were about a dozen people in the room sitting in a ring, and apparently holding hands. There was a queer aromatic scent in the air, and a curious feeling of nervous tension.
He saw now that the light from the shaded lamp was falling on the face and figure of a man whom he supposed must be the great Chrysler. A strange looking man with a pale asstetic face and long dark hair, who lay back in the chair, his eyes

closed and his hands clasped against his breast.
Presently he began to speak in a sing-song dreamy sort of voice.
"Two women and one man—one man and two women . . . they stand before me in the darkness not knowing of the tragedy that divides and will still divide their lives . . ." He drew a quick breath and there followed a little silence, broken again almost at once by the same sing-song voice—"Two women and one man—in the darkness all of them, and two of them will come out into the light, but the third will never see the sunshine again. Darkness—blindness! The blindness of the eyes . . . here, close beside me."
His clasped hands released one another, and moved forward in a curiously groping fashion as if seeking to find something. Giles did not know whether to be amused or angry. What fools women were, to be taken in by such a charlatan! He had moved back a step to find the switch of the light when suddenly those groping hands swooped down with a curious pouncing movement and fastened on something or some one in the silent ring of listeners.
A piercing scream rang through the silence of the room, a scream in the frightened voice of a woman, and then the cry of his own name: "Giles! Giles! . . ."
It seemed an eternity until his fingers came into contact with the switch, and still that cry went on: "Giles! Giles!"
It was Sadie's voice, he knew, and when at last the room was flooded with light he saw that she was standing up, her hands covering her face, her childish body swaying to and fro as if in great pain or terror, while the wailing repetition of his name came from her lips monotonously again and again.
It was like a scene in a dream—the ring of half frightened women—and the strange figure of the man Chrysler as he rose slowly to his feet, a shocked, awakened look in his somnolent eyes. Then Mrs. Ardron began to cry hysterically, and the whimpering sound seemed to break the spell which was upon everyone.
Giles took a quick stride forward. "Sadie!"
She turned swiftly at the sound of her name, her hands outstretched and when he took them in his, she clung to him, sobbing and shaking like a frightened child.
He kept protecting arms round his wife's slim figure as he glared round the room with furious eyes.
His mother, Doris and half a dozen other women whom he knew slightly and . . . Julie!
Julie was standing up, very stiff and straight, looking at him across the room, a pitiful, wondering question in her pretty eyes, her face quite colorless, her hands gripping a chair back.
And then for a moment nobody moved or spoke, but Chittenham's arms fell from his wife and he took an involuntary step away from her.
She looked up, her face white and distorted.
"Giles! . . ." and then before anyone could move to help her she fell fainting at his feet.

Chittenham was very pale and his voice was rough and uneven as kind hands carried Sadie from the room.
He was conscious of impending disaster.
"We've sent for a doctor," his mother said. "Julie is staying with her."
"It's only an ordinary faint," Doris said contemptuously. "I'm surprised at Sadie being such a fool."
The others had all gone and Chittenham stood with an elbow on the mantel-shelf staring down at the grate which was filled with flowers and ferns. He could think of nothing but that pitiful, wondering question in Julie's eyes.
What was she thinking? What had she guessed?
What a fool he had been not to tell her the truth last night; she would have understood and forgiven him then. Would she understand or forgive him now?
It seemed an eternity until the door opened behind him and Julie came in.
Chittenham turned. He made a swift movement towards her as if to take her in his arms, then stopped.
This was not the woman who had clung to him only last night and whispered how much she loved him—this was not even the wild, broken Julie who had hurt him with her utter recklessness during the past unhappy weeks—this was a woman whom he had never seen before, with cold eyes that accused him harshly even before she spoke.
"Sadie is no better. The doctor has just come. Would you like to go to her now?"
Giles flushed scarlet. It was such an unexpected challenge.
"Why should I go to her? What do you mean?" he asked roughly. They were the last words he meant to say and yet for the life of him he could not have controlled their utterance.
Julie shrugged her shoulders.
"I only thought . . . in the circumstances . . ."
He covered the ground between them in a stride and caught her by the shoulders.
"Julie . . . have you forgotten last night? How can you speak to me like this? How can you look at me in such a way?"
He felt her slim body stiffen beneath his grasp, and her eyes met his unflinchingly.
"How long have you known Sadie? Why did she call out to you and run to you like that? What is she to you?"
There was an agonized question in her voice though she tried desperately to keep it unconcerned.
She moved back a step when he would have touched her and both their faces were white.
"There's no need to pretend any longer," she said with a harsh breath.
"Julie—" Chittenham broke out again desperately then stopped as the door opened beneath his mother's agitated hand.
"Giles—they want you at once—the doctor sent me for you—oh, Giles!" she caught his arm with ineffectual hands. "I don't understand! I feel as if I am going mad, or as if every one else is—what do they all mean? And if it's the truth why didn't you tell me? Sadie is saying awful things, too—she must be light-headed! She says she's your wife? How can she be your wife when you are not married?"
Giles turned on his heel and strode out of the room. Mrs. Ardron turned to Julie, both white, useless hands outstretched.

"Is it true?" she appealed helplessly. She forgot her dislike for Julie. In her present distress she would have turned to her worst enemy for consolation. "You heard what I said. Sadie declares she . . . my son's wife. How can she be when he is not married? He never liked women—he has said so scores of times."
"I think it's quite true," Julie answered with stiff lips. She took Mrs. Ardron's hands and held them, hardly realizing what she was doing. "I'm quite sure it's true that

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THANKSGIVING

Once more the people of the United States have been called upon by their President to observe the last Thursday in November as a day on which to give thanks for the manifold blessings which have been vouchsafed.

Thanksgiving is one of the few days which is celebrated as a holiday in every part of the United States. Of New England origin, dating back to the days of the Plymouth Colony, more than 300 years ago, its appropriateness has appealed to all America.

For we of this country have been more abundantly blessed than have been the people of any other nation in the world. We may grumble at "hard times" and point to inequalities as between man and man, and think we are pretty badly off, but we must remember that by comparison with any other part of the world we are exceedingly well off, that the inequalities which divide our people into the successful and the unsuccessful are far less marked than the inequalities which exist elsewhere between the upper and lower classes.

The Pilgrim Fathers gave thanks to God on Thanksgiving Day for material blessings with which their physical condition had been ameliorated. We are all too prone today to take all of the credit for material progress to ourselves. Few today rely upon Divine Providence to take care of them, in spite of the express promise:

"Seek ye first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness and all these things shall be added unto you."

Our faith is less simple than that of our forebears. We do not look for direct and instantaneous answer to prayer. But down deep in our hearts we, as a people, still believe that somehow, if each does his individual best to live up to

the spirit of religion, he will not suffer for lack of food and shelter and the normal comforts of life.

There is still faith in the words of the Psalmist:

"I have been young, and now I am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread."

This particular Thanksgiving Day of 1930 seems to us to be one upon which the religious origin of the occasion should be kept in mind. We have been through a hard year. We are still not "out of the woods" so far as material prosperity is concerned. But we have lost nothing which counts if we have not lost faith in ourselves, in our neighbors, in our Nation and its ultimate high destiny, which all of our history justifies. So long as we hold to that faith and continue to believe that something higher than human power is still guiding us, we have every cause to be thankful.

KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK

The Red Cross is making its annual appeal for funds. In a few days the Christmas Seals of the Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis will be offered everywhere.

These are two noble causes, to which everybody ought to contribute.

The work of the Red Cross is continuous. Wherever there is life to be saved, homeless to be sheltered, victims of catastrophe to be reclothed, fed, and started out anew in life, the Red Cross is the first agency in the field and the one which does the most good. By virtue of his office, the President of the United States, whoever he may be, is also president of the Red Cross. It is, in effect, an unofficial arm of the federal government.

The recent drought gave the Red Cross an opportunity for service. So did the Mississippi flood of a couple of years ago, the hurricane disaster in Florida, Porto Rico and Santo Domingo. And hundreds of minor disasters, constantly occurring, keep this organization busy. It has no money except what the public gives.

The work of the tuberculosis organization is of almost equal importance. Tuberculosis is diminishing, but only because of the constant watchfulness and educational work of the devoted men and women who are giving their lives to that work. Buying Christmas seals for a cent apiece is an easy and practical way for everybody to help.

SAYS WILL ROGERS



BEVERLY HILLS.—Well, all I know is just what I read in the papers, and what I hear over the Radio, and as the papers haven't had anything, and the static has been pretty rampant. Bernard Shaw talked over the Radio, that was the high point of radio broadcasting. He made the rest of us that sometimes use that medium, think we all ought to retire and just let him say it. You know he is a brilliant old Bird. He never says what you are looking for him too, but he always says what you are glad he did say.

Italy has had another big wedding. One of the daughters married Boris of Bulgaria. They went away off down to some little town in Italy to marry, it seems there was a Justice of the Peace down there that she liked. It rained during the wedding, which means that it won't turn out very good. But it wouldn't have turned out very good even if it hadn't rained, for poor old Boris just got about another war to go. He ain't so old, only about 32, but there will be a war pretty soon, and of course no European war can be official unless Bulgaria is a participant, and then Boris will get thrown out on his ear. The first thing you know the King of Italy will be the Father of more deposed Queen Daughters-in-law than anybody.

Mussolini seems like he is going along pretty strong. Saw a picture in the Movies the other day where he had an awful mess of young fellows drilling and saluting him. France is still leary of him. She is afraid to go down and pounce on him, for fear Germany will hop on her during their chastisement of Italy. That's why Mussolini traded this Queen to Bulgaria, was in case of any little national uprising in Europe, that Bulgaria would respect their Father-in-law and join Italy. Its oldest line of Hooey and Diplomacy in the world in Europe is to try and gain Allies by marriage.

They think if they can marry one of their Royal Family into another Royal Family that binds em closer. Nobody couldnt have been much closer bound together than Germany and England. They had been marrying each other like Rabbits for generations, yet when the time come they turned against each other like Brothers.

So those poor devils of royal parentage just go along, go where they are sent. I doubt if the gal had ever seen this Boris Bird, till he come prancing down the center aisle.

But we haven't got any time to mess away our time worrying about them. What are we doing right here in the old home precinct? When you read this, our usual November Pollies will have passed into the discard. Election day will be a relic and we will wake up with some more of em. There is a good deal of excitement, rather synthetic but anyhow excitement, in some quarters, as to who will go on the Government pension list after this election. They tell me New York State is all hopped up over the Governors race. I dont know just how Roosevelt will fare, but I sure do know he is a fine high class man. I suppose he lost a lot of support by not spanking Tammany and sending em to bed, but he is a fine man never the less, and I guess this other fellow is too, I dont know him.

It looks like the Democrats will get in a bunch of new ones. They always do mighty well on these off years. We get em in on off years and get em out on Presidential years. But it gives some people something to get worked up over, and get all excited over. It dont mean anything. We been staggering along now about 155 years under every conceivable horse thief that could get into office, and yet here we are, still going strong.

I doubt if Barnums circus, or Hagenbacks wild animal circus has housed as many different kinds of species as has been in our Government employ during its existence. Yet as bad as they are they cant spoil it, and as good as they are they cant help it. We are just a river flowing along. We have a drought year, and we have a flood year. They build dams to stop us, but we just fill up and flow on over em, so there is really nothing that can be done to about us. We are just flowing to the sea.

A good man cant do nothing in office because the System is against him, and a bad one cant do anything for the same reason. So as bad as we are we are better off than any other Nation, so whats the use to worry.

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EX-JEWISH RABBI DELIVERED SERMON IN SONORA

Jacob Rosenthal, who for a number of years served his people as rabbi, filled the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday night. The ex-rabbi told of the "foolish" religion of the Jews, and of how he was persecuted by his own tribe. He was arrested in New York City and tried before a Jew judge and was sentenced to the insane asylum. His wife deserted him and his father, brothers and sisters disowned him.

About a year ago Rosenthal was converted and became a member of the Baptist church and has since been preaching from the New Testament. The Jews, he said, do not believe in Christ nor the New Testament. He exhibited two leather instruments which the Jews wear around their head and one wrapped around their left arms. He said that the leather instrument about their heads was to remind them of the ten commandments and the one around the arm was to show their keeping the commandments. If one of the leather strings should be dropped accidentally by a Jew he or she will be compelled to fast for forty-eight hours.

According to the Jewish religion, a son of their tribe shall pray for their dead father for a number of months twice daily. Rev. Rosenthal said he once prayed for a rich Jew for the required time and that the rich son refused to pay the bill which amounted to \$2,200. Rosenthal told the son of the wealthy Jew that he would leave his dead father in hell, and the son immediately gave him a check to pay for the praying.

C. T. Jones left this morning in his truck for Brady to receive a Hereford calf purchased of F. M. Richards at \$200. The young animal is ten months old and weighs 850 pounds.

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Financial Report Covers Period of
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Report of Sonora Lions Club
from September 1, 1930 to Novem-
ber 10, 1930, including summary of
receipts and disbursements from
May 22, 1928 to October 31, 1930:

Sponsored Community Week.
Sponsored duchess and maid of
honor to West Texas Exposition,
San Angelo.

Sponsored movement for town
band in addition to school orches-
tra.

Presented past president, Lion
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Club voted to secure one ten
dollar membership in Red Cross.

Sponsored charity fund to aid
worthy sufferers.

Voted expenditure of \$15 per
month for three months to aid sick
woman.

Major objectives: Drainage sys-
tem for town to prevent overflows
from two draws traversing city;
bond issue for building all-weather
and hard-surfaced roads to adjoining
counties.

Six new members added to roll;
twenty-two visitors entertained at
luncheon during the quarter.

The summary of the financial
statement is as follows:

SUMMARY

Receipts—	
Luncheons and dues	\$4,875.20
Initiation fees	730.00
Advertising donations	557.80
Proceeds from plays	786.63
Total receipts	\$6,949.63
Disbursements—	
For luncheons, civic organizations, etc.	\$2,578.30
For luncheons, cafes	850.65
To Lions International—advance of Lionism	909.60
To merchants of Sonora, supplies, etc.	107.21
Loans to school students	20.25
Advertising Sonora and Sutton county	1,206.85
On band instruments	524.02
Flowers	26.38
Expense of plays	135.85
To P.-T. A. one-half proceeds of plays	94.21
Expense Austin convention	45.50
Incidentals	35.85
Total disbursements	\$6,537.30



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A charitably-inclined association
of apple growers sent several car-
loads of apples to New York City,
to be given to the unemployed.
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unemployment situation. It was
charity and beggary, only slightly
disguised.

On the other hand, the agreement
by a group of citizens to finance a
general cleaning-up of parks, vac-
cant lots and unsightly rubbish-
heaps, actually provided work for
some thousands of unemployed.
Any relief measure which does not
require the recipient to work for
what he gets is foolishly sentimental
and dangerous. Once the aver-
age person finds he can get some-
thing for nothing, he loses his taste
for giving the equivalent in work
for every dollar he receives.

PROHIBITION—

The election on November 4 was
decidedly a "wet" victory in many
parts of the United States, includ-
ing the principal cities.

There is no question that mil-
lions of people who have hereto-
fore always voted "dry" and who
are in favor of prohibition in prin-
ciple, have become disgusted with
the prohibition law and its enforce-
ment as it stands, and want a change.

I personally know many ladies
who have been ardent "dry" work-
ers who voted for "wet" candidates
for Congress on no other ground.

I have no solution to offer for
the liquor problem. The control of
traffic in "hard liquor" is a prob-
lem with which every civilized gov-
ernment in the world is wrestling.

TREES—

The Forest Service is out with
its annual warning against deplet-
ion in the forests by cutting too
many young spruce, fir and pines
for Christmas trees. Where they
grow thickly it is good forestry
practice to thin them out, but too
many farmers will clear off an
entire hillside top for the sake of
sending their trees to a cash mar-
ket. This is not likely to be a good

year in the Christmas-tree market,
and farmers are warned not to be-
gin cutting until they have made
all arrangements for the sale of
Christmas trees to responsible
buyers.

I like the custom which prevails
in the South, of decorating living
trees at Christmas time. I have
seldom seen anything more beau-
tiful than Riverside Avenue in
Jacksonville with the trees blazing
with colored lights. It is much more
sensible than the habit of denud-
ing our forest areas for a senti-
mental practice.

CONGRESS—

As I write, the Democratic party
seems to have won practical con-
trol of both houses of Congress.
President Hoover will not be the
first president with a Congress of
the other party on his hands.

Constructive legislation will not
necessarily be held up by reason of
that fact. Partisan measures un-
doubtedly will be blocked, and much
political capital will be made by
both parties out of the failure of
the Democrats to approve the Pres-
ident's policies on the one hand,
and the refusal of the President to
approve Congressional action, on
the other hand.

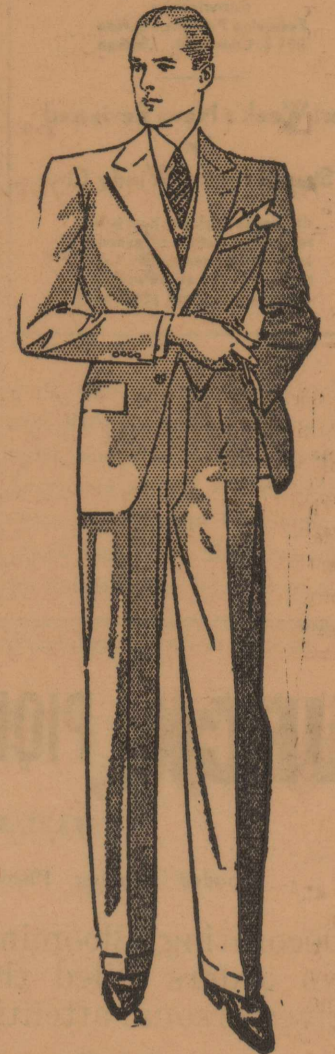
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today as broadcasting was in 1920.
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casts pictures of election charts on
the night of November 4. Only
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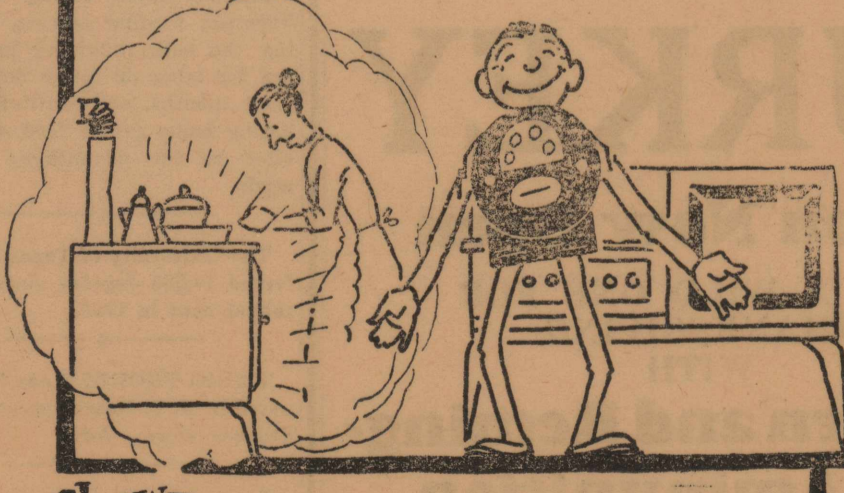
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will receive prompt attention.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 18.—My Devil's River News arrived a little late this week, that is it came after my other papers had all been read and commented upon. After reading the good edition of last week, I'm given to a bit of reflection on

the labor and the rewards of the average community newspaper.

Having had some experience in the production of a newspaper in a small town, myself, I feel I know what I am talking about when I say that wherever such a good paper as the News is published, at the end of each year, the publication finds itself in debt to the job department.

By that, I mean that unless the job printing department of the paper proves profitable, the owner is not getting paid for the work done on his publication, and if he were a business man, in the strictest sense of the word, he would cut the quality of his paper to the point where it, itself, would be producing a profit. Nobody in Sonora, least of all its business men, desires a lowering of the standards set by the News.

It is to the News that you look for the happiness of the community. To it you turn for the brilliant reflections of the loquacious Mr.

Bull, and the devilish dreaming of W. E. James. When there is a civic move afoot, the News is supposed to, and gladly does, donate many columns of space to giving the project needed publicity. And, were it not for the News with its pulling power for advertisers and its editorial policy of "Sonora First," much of the business now being enjoyed by local merchants would be going to San Antonio or to San Angelo.

I think that everybody has agreed with me up to this point, so let me go on, first harking back to the importance of the job department of the News. It deserves patronage the same as your other business houses do. It is as much a part of the industrial life of Sonora as are its other enterprises. It employs printers, who in turn give employment to people in stores and profits to their owners. Are the business men of Sonora playing fair with that job printing establishment?

As I sit here today, I wonder if some printing orders are not coming to Chicago, along with some orders for clothing sent to mail order houses. Or course, not much business of either kind finds its way up here, but can the same be said of San Antonio and San Angelo? When a farmer or rancher or a laborer in your town sends away to distant cities for his needs, you sort of look on him as a traitor to his town. You berate him openly, and in your heart you despise him, yet the man who sends away for a sheepskin coat is no whit more a traitor to his community than is the merchant who sends his printing away to shops in other towns, thus depriving home people of needed revenue, and, in fact, spiting himself, for if all the printing business arising from Sonora went to the News office, at least one more printer could be employed. This would mean an extra family in town, and more business for all.

Now, I know that some of you may feel I have been looking at your invoices and know that you have been buying letterheads and other printing out of town, but I haven't. Nor have I any real proof that you have been playing hookey on your city in that way. As I said in my opening remarks, I, too, have tried to publish a good newspaper in a town near larger cities, and I have a pretty good idea what some practices are. It would cheer me to have your Lions Club prove to me that these remarks do not apply to Sonora.

BEEF CATTLE UTILIZED AS FOOD MARKET

Olton—Eighteen hundred head of beef cattle were placed in feed lots in October to be fed out by farmers in Lamb county as a method of marketing their feed stuff, according to D. A. Adam, county agricultural agent. He has been working with the farmers and bankers of that county in sponsoring a feeding program which originated last spring, was stimulated in August by a feeders' short course, and is now culminating in practical application of the plans.

Demonstrators are feeding only the stuff grown on the farms. Rations consisting of grain sorghum heads, cottonseed meal and for roughages, hegari and kafir bundles, red top cane and sudan hay are being used.

Making Lamb county a great livestock feeding section, improving the soil, providing profitable use for labor on farms during the slack months, and profitably marketing home grown feed stuff are cited as the advantages of this work.

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Konjola is sold in Sonora at Corner Drug store, and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.—Adv.

EPWORTH LEAGUERS ATTEND DISTRICT MEET

Rev. E. P. Neal, pastor of the Sonora Methodist church, and wife accompanied a number of Epworth Leaguers to the district meeting in San Angelo Tuesday night. Fourteen members of the Sonora Epworth League, including Rev. and Mrs. Neal, carried lunches to Christoval and enjoyed an outing.

Rev. Neal also attended the Methodist conference in San Angelo Wednesday.

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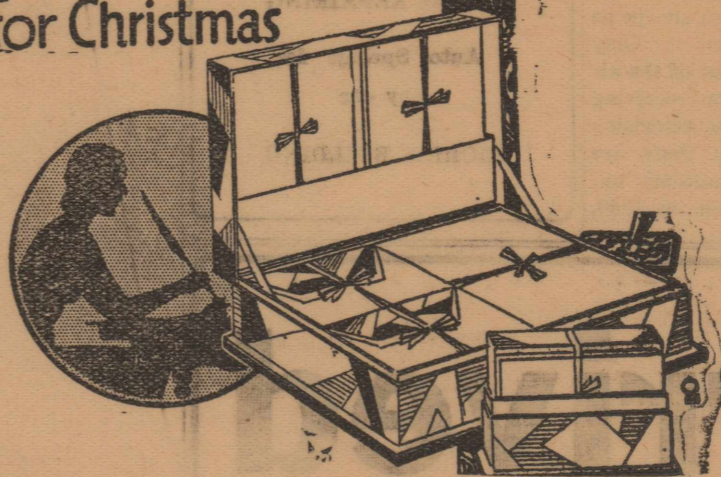
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Broken—

(Continued from page 3)

Sadie is his wife," she said again gently.

She was unutterably grateful when just as she felt she could bear no more, the doctor came into the room. Mrs. Ardron at once turned her attention to him and Julie slipped away. She took her coat from a maid on the landing and went out into the street.

"She is my wife—"

They seemed to be the only words that would take form and find utterance in her brain—

For Chittinham she had sent Lawrence Schofield away. For Chittinham she had deliberately dashed Schofield's happiness to the ground.

"I have changed my mind. I can't marry you. I don't care for you enough." She had told Lawrence that only this morning. And now once more the brief dream was ended—or wasn't it? After all, nothing was really altered. He had deceived her about Sadie, it was true, but apart from that things were in no wise changed. Chittinham still loved her and she loved him—and if he still wanted his freedom and Sadie was willing to give it to him—

"Giles—Giles—"

The memory of Sadie's agonized cry came back to her, ending afresh the peace which she was trying so hard to regain. It had been the cry of a woman to a man she loved, or so Julie told herself in bitterest jealousy, and she remembered how often Sadie had spoken of Giles—and in what a queer, rather shy way—as if—even then it had seemed to Julie almost as if there might have been something between them. And now she knew. Sadie was his wife. The one woman of all the many in the world who had a right to him and to his love and his protection—the protection she had claimed only that afternoon in her hysterical fear.

The maid came tapping at the door.

"Arn't you very wet, Miss? Can I dry your clothes for you?"

"No, no, I'm not wet, and I don't want anything, you need not faint." She heard the girl move reluctantly away and then a moment later the shutting of the front door. But it was a long time before

Julie moved or stirred. The room was quite dark save for the yellow light from the street lamp outside, and the fitful rain had settled into a steady downpour and beating against the window.

(Continued next week)

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations as follows:

Medical officer, associate medical officer and assistant medical officer, various branches of the service.

Senior agricultural engineer, \$4,600 to \$5,400 a year; agricultural engineer, \$3,800 to \$4,600 a year; associate agricultural engineer, \$3,200 to \$3,800 a year; Bureau of Public Roads and Bureau of Chemistry and Soils.

Senior patent attorney, \$4,600 a year, office of the Judge Advocate General of the Navy Department.

Associate biochemist (animal body fluids), \$3,200 to \$3,800 a year, Bureau of Animal Industry.

Junior home economics specialist (clothing design), \$2,000 to \$2,600 a year, Bureau of Home Economics.

Associate pharmacologist, \$3,200 to \$3,800 a year, Public Health Service, Washington, D. C., and Bureau of Biological Survey, for duty in Denver, Colo.

Associate physiologist (apiculture), \$3,200 to \$3,800 a year; associate technologist (honey), \$3,200 to \$3,800 a year, Bureau of Entomology.

All states except Maryland, Virginia, Vermont and the District of Columbia have received less than their share of appointments in the apportioned departmental service at Washington, D. C.

Full information may be obtained from C. J. Walters, San Angelo, Texas, Secretary of the United States Civil Service Board of Examiners at the postoffice or courthouse in this city.

METHODISTS ATTEND DISTRICT CONFERENCE

Among Methodists here who attended the district conference in Angelo this week were Mesdames J. D. Lowrey, W. E. James, O. E. McCalmont, C. E. Stites and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Caldwell.

Plant your dollars at home.

Group 23, Lions With Ozona Club

Past President W. E. Caldwell, Sonora, Chosen Group Chairman to Succeed Lion Hardt

Delegates from Lions Clubs composing Group 23 of District 2-A, were entertained by the Ozona Lions Club last Monday. Due to the recent rains and resultant bad roads, three clubs in the group were not represented.

Lions H. L. Taylor, John Eaton, H. V. Stokes and Gene Bailey were representatives from Sonora, and report a royal time.

Following are the minutes of the meeting as furnished by Lion Hugh Childress, Jr., secretary of the Ozona club:

Group 23 of District 2-A met with the Ozona Lions Club November 17, 1930. W. E. White, president of the Ozona club, was in the chair and M. M. Fulmer acted chairman in the absence of L. D. Hardt. After luncheon and piano selections by Miss Norene Allison, a report of the clubs represented was heard.

H. V. Stokes reported for the Sonora club. This club has sponsored a town band, guaranteed payment of the instruments, and paid some five hundred dollars on these instruments. Encouraged bond issues for hard-surfaced roads in three directions from Sonora; taking steps toward flood prevention; organized a charity board and fund, which is to be dispensed by city manager. Membership is 69. Income to date has been nearly \$7,000 and expenditures more than \$6,500.

E. V. Spence reported for the San Angelo club. This club is selecting and will equip a campsite for boys. Much work was done toward securing and equipping airport, and securing air service (mail and passenger). Sponsored a band and had open air concerts weekly all summer.

W. E. White reported for the Ozona club. This club is having an attendance contest which is meeting with much success. Aided in voting \$170,000 bonds for a new high school building. No charity drives have been made by anyone since this club was organized. High school boy with highest grade average is Lion with full privileges for term of school. Will have third annual Christmas tree for public this year. Play to be given to offset this expense.

Open table discussion of club problems was next in order. Membership drives were discouraged. Every club must, more or less, find its own way of handling new members, as different conditions exist in each locality.

The resignation of L. D. Hardt as Group chairman was accepted. W. E. Caldwell, past president of the Sonora club, was selected to this position, unanimously.

San Angelo asked for the next group meeting, and was unani-

mously selected. The clubs of El-dorado, Ballinger and Sterling City were not represented.

H. V. ("Buzzy") Stokes has been selected by District Chairman W. E. Caldwell, as secretary.

The Very Latest

(By Mary Marshall)

It is not enough this season to have the neckline of your dress look smart, it must be becoming and flattering as well, and in many of the new dresses this necessary combination of smartness and becomingness has been achieved by means of a draped scarf collar attached to the dress.

Actually we need exact no general change in the lines or general arrangement of the new necklines. There are V-necks both deep and shallow, round necks, surplice necklines and bertha necklines in the new dresses. And just at present fashion seems too much occu-



piated in working out the problem of skirt lengths and contemplating a possible elaboration of sleeves to be much concerned over any marked change in necklines. The important thing is to find the collar arrangement that is feminine and becoming.

The sketch today shows a collar sure to be becoming, easy to make and easy to attach to any frock,

old or new. The diagram shows the pattern.

From B to E measures 27 inches. From A to B measures 7 inches. From A to C measures 23 inches. From D to E measures 4 inches. From B to X measures 4 inches. Cut the collar with AB laid on a crosswise or lengthwise or bias fold

of material. Hem with a fine hem all around, bind or else have the edges finished with machine picot.

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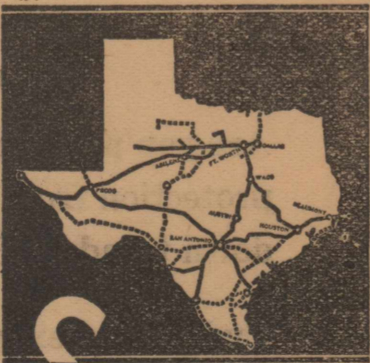
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"Now, therefore, I do recommend and assign Thursday, the 25th day of November next, to be devoted by the People of the States to the service of that great and glorious Being who is the beneficent Author of all the good that was, that is, or that will be - That we may then all unite in rendering unto him our sincere and humble thanks ? for his kind care and protection of the People of this country previous to their becoming a Nation - for the signal and manifold mercies and the favorable interpositions of his providence, which we experienced in the course and conclusion of the late war - for the great degree of tranquility, union, and plenty, which we have since enjoyed - for the peaceable and rational manner in which we have been enabled to establish constitutions of government for our safety and happiness, and particularly the national One now lately instituted - for the civil and religious liberty with which we are blessed and the means we have of acquiring and diffusing useful knowledge; and in general for all the great and various favors which he hath been pleased to confer upon us.

"And also that we may then unite in most humbly offering our prayers and supplications to the great Lord and Ruler of Nations, and beseech him to pardon our national and other transgressions - to enable us all, whether in public or private stations, to perform, our several and relative duties properly and punctually - to render our na-

tional government a blessing to all the People by constantly being a Government of wise, just, and constitutional laws, discreetly and faithfully executed and obeyed - to protect and guide all Sovereigns and Nations (especially such as have shown kindness to us) and to bless them with good Government, peace, and concord. To promote the knowledge and practice of true religion and virtue, and the increase of science among them and us - and generally to grant unto all mankind such a degree of temporal prosperity as he alone knows to be best.

"Given under my hand at the City of New York the third day of October in the year of our Lord 1789, signed George Washington."

Celebration of Thanksgiving Day in America can be traced back to the earliest days of the Massachusetts Bay Colony. From there the custom spread to all parts of the United States.

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STEPHENSON AND DRISKELL GET FIRST DEER OF SEASON

Guenard Stephenson and Tom Driskell brought the first deer of the season to Sonora the latter part of last week. The buck had eight points and was brought down by bullets from both hunters' guns.

E. M. Kirkland was here from the ranch Thursday morning on business.

Toward Success

JUST ADRIFT— OR A STEADY PULL?



There is a certain school of thought which says, "Eat, drink and be merry for tomorrow we die." But when that hapless morrow comes, the insouciant philosopher, money spent, rather wishes he had been a little less "merry" and a little more saving.

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to another when the Capital was changed. However, it happened, the original manuscript was not in the official archives until 1921 when Dr. J. C. Fitzpatrick, then Assistant Chief of the Manuscripts Division of Library of Congress, and now editor of the forthcoming George Washington Bicentennial Commission series of Washington's Writings, "found" the proclama-

tion. It was at an auction sale being held in the American Art Galleries of New York City. Dr. Fitzpatrick, an expert in Washingtonia, examined the document and found it to be authentic. It was written in long hand by Wm. Jackson, Secretary to President Washington at the time, and was signed in George Washington's bold hand. Dr. Fitzpatrick purchased the document for \$300 for the Library of Congress, where it is now kept as a treasure. And no amount of money could remove it.

"Yes Madam, food bargains!"

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