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# VOCATIONAL CLUB TO HOLD FAT STOCK SHOW SATI

## LIONS WIN ATTENDANCE **CUP AT MEET**

**VOLUME XL** 

TWENTY-TWO LIONS OF THIS **CITY ATTEND GROUP** 23 MEETING

Elodrado, Ozona, Sonora and Ster- being done by the club. ing City, took the loving cup for out-of-town attendance yesterday from the city on a location just n San Angelo. The Sonora Li- north of the new Texas Company ons chartered a large bus and rode filling station, and immediately nto the "Queen City of the Con- east of the foot bridge on Concho hos" growling and wagging their street. It is thought this location nanes and tails.

Froup Chairman W. E. Caldwell sirable place for children to congref this city.

Lions Club activities reacting to neeting place.

lishing things worthwhile.

uch time and patience, unwrap- not a single donation will be turned ed the cup awarded to Sonora. down, however small and insignifi-Vith Lion President Lowrey sat cant it may seem a use can be ast President W. E. Caldwell, and found for it.

roup Secretary H. V. Stokes. les and did credit to themselves

lent and Group Chairman W. E.

## **City Park Now Under Construction**

Woman's Club Starts Work That Will Culminate in Beautiful **Recreational Park** 

Plans for a city park which have The presence of twenty-two So- been under consideration for some nora Lions at the quarterly meeting time by the Sonora Woman's Club. of Group 23 Lions Clubs, composed are beginning to take form as eviof San Angelo, Ballinger, Bronte, denced by constructive work now

A park site has been obtained will be ideal when all plans have E. E. (Pat) Murphy of SanAn- been completed. It is close-in and celo delivered the welcome ad- of easy access to both automobiles iress and was responded to by and pedestrians, and is a most de-

gate and play. After securing a suitable site the he betterment of their respective Woman's Club set aside the sum ommunities were reported by the of \$125 with which to start prelimarius district representatives. Bal- inary work, and, according to Mrs. inger was selected as the next W. E. Caldwell, president of the club, a sufficient sum to carry the Sonora, Ozona, Sterling City and work to completion will be raised sallinger clubs were represented through a variety of benefits and t the business session, following by public donations. Mrs. Caldwell Doctors Have Little Hope for he luncheon. It was said to have states that Sonora citizens are falleen the best district meeting ever ing in line with the movement and eld in West Texas. Sonora's re- are being very liberal in donations ort was excellent and revealed of time, labor, material and money. hat the Lions of this city have It is the aim of the club, the preseen very active and are accom- ident said, to refrain from resorting to public subscriptions as a

According to Mrs. Hi Eastland, Troy White and V. J. Glasscock chairman of the club improvement rere the boys who tooted the bu- committee, the following work has been completed: A plot of ground nd added much to the attention 182 feet in length has been cleared ttracted by the Sonora delega- and rock wall placed around same; phoned his wife yesterday that doc-

resent: Pres. Lowrey, Past Pres- swings and a number of seats have sage said he was improved, and Sam and George Edward Allison, Rose, father of Jack Wardlaw of been provided and several flower physicians were more hopeful. Mrs. ranchmen; Cecil Allen of the First Sonora, died Wednesday afternoon eds laid out. Plans have been made Aldwell and son, Lea Roy, leave National Bank, and E. R. Law- in a Dallas hospital. He also was tokes, John Eaton, W. R. Barnes, for a pavillion, Mrs. Eastland said, this afternoon for Fort Worth to rence, vocational agricultural teach- the father of L. J., former Sonora oseph Trainer, Izzy Leaman, Rev. and roofing for same has been do-P. Neal, Frank Knapton, Rev. nated by the Lydick Roofing Co., O. McMillon, Raymond Barker, of San Anglo. The pavillion will be ill Gilmore, E. S. Long, O. G. 14 feet square and is estimated to bone last June in a Fort Worth hoabcock, Tom Davis, F. O. Harri- cost around \$300 when completed. tel when he stepped on a magazine group meeting in San Angelo, a on, Paul Smith, J. M. Puckett, The ladies are asking for donations and fell. He has visited Sonora write-up of which apears in anoth-H. Carson, Gene Bailey, George of lumber, cement and posts. Con- since and was able to get about on er column of this issue. a crutch. cerning the permanency of the stone wall laid around the park, Mrs. Eastland stated that R. A. Halbert has agreed to donate the labor and cement sufficient to bind of his bank here. the stones together, making a solid rock border.

## "HOWLING TOWEL"

The latest thing in Sonora is a tell a long tale about everything's "Weeping Towel" for Calamity gone to the dogs, don't let him mess up your desk and rugs with his Howlers. The editor has received a Weep-

ing Towel from O. P. Schnabel,

San Antonio, who is putting them out with his compliments to help to 'move on' as you are too busy boost prosperity in San Antonio and Southwest Texas. The instructions which accompanied the towel, were to hang it in a conspicuous place. The wording of the towel on his move to run "Old man deis as follows: pression into his hole."

WEEPING TOWEL (For Calamity Howlers) Compliments of

O. P. Schnabel, Manager Jefferson Standard Life Ins. Co. 114 Auditorium Circle "O. P." says:

"If the Boys must Howl, Just hand them this Towel."

crying, or use your shoulder to weep upon-"Hand him this towel and tell him boosting prosperity for your city." Schnabel has distributed over 1,400 towels and has received hundreds of letters congratulating him

A prominent minister asked for two towels to be hung in his church. A Dallas dentist requested one for his dental office so the patients could read it while he was working on them. Numerous sales managers have requested towels for their salesmen. Requests have come from as far east as New York City and "The next time a 'Calamity as far west as San Francisco, Cal-Howler' comes into your office to ifornia.

## **Sonorans Buy**

**Hereford Cattle** 

McKnight & Logan's Hereford Sale at Carrizo prings Was Very Successful

McKnight & Logan's big Hereford bull and heifer sale at Carrizo Springs Tuesday attracted a large crowd. It was the first registered Hereford auction sale to be held in Dimmitt county and 44 bulls and 23 heifers were sold under the hammer by Col Earl Gartin of Greensberg, Pa., and Col. Roy Barker of Hereford.

The bulls averaged \$150 and the heifers averaged \$75. The top bull went to Henry Hagelstein of Winter Haven at \$305, while heifers were sold to Lehmann Brothers of Eagle Pass and to Elizabeth Williams of Carrizo Springs at \$100 each. Virgil Powell of Menard bought nine bulls and B. B. Dunbar of Carrizo Springs was another large buyer.

Hi Eastland and Byron Newby of Brackett purchased three young bulls at fancy prices. Two of the animals will be placed on the Eastland Sutton county ranch and one on the Kinney county ranch. Mr. and Mrs. Sim Glasscock, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vander tucken, E. C. Garvin and Miss Ealeen White were among Sonorans who attended the

## **Jack Wardlaw's Father Is Buried**

**County Resident**, Buried in Ballinger

Ballinger, Feb. 26.-Funeral ser-The club entertained five visitors vices of N. J. Wardlaw, 76, were native trees have been trimmed and tors had little hopes for his recov- as follows: Eddie Hunter, Abilene, held at Ballinger this afternoon at Those from Sonora who were \$25 worth of shrubbery set. Two ery, but this morning another mes- representing the K-B Milling Co.; 2 o'clock. Mr. Wardlaw of Glen Club and S. E. McKnight, prominent ranchman of Sutton county. lawyer and ranchman.

## **58 HEAD STOCK TO BE SHOWN BY MEMBERS**

NUMBER 17

Members of the Vocational Agricultural Club of the Sonora High School, will hold their annual fat stock show at the high school Saturday afternoon, beginning between one and two o'clock. There will be 58 animals on exhibition, divided as follows: 17 calves, 14 goats, 27 lambs, the lot to be judge before being taken to the fat stock show at Fort Worth.

E. R. Lawrence, vocational teacher, stated that the home show this year would be larger in point of numbers, but in his opinion would not surpass that of last year. He said that while competition at the Forth Worth show this year would be keen, he felt sure Sonora boys and girls would be in the winning again this season.

At the fat stock show last year Sonora's vocational club won \$291 in cash prizes, scoring two first prizes in carlots of fifteen for calves under one year old; 1 second place in group of five, with 13th and 14th prize being awarded the Sonora class. In the goat entries a Sonora lad won third and fourth prizes on Angora kids.

The entire lot of baby beeves shown last year was sold on the Fort Worth market, bringing 16 cents per pound. It is thought that at least one Sonora buyer will be in the market for Sutton raised baby beeves and will attend the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show in March for the purpose of bidding in a few head of the home-grown calves.

Mr. Lawrence said the Vocational Agricultural Club members with livestock, will leave Sonora Monday. The fat stock show will begin on March 7 and continue through the fifteenth. He stated that the trip will be financed this year in the same manner as last year, and publicly thanks the Sonora Lions

for donations of \$50 each to be

A large number of Sutton ranch-

men and citizens of Sonora are ex-

pected to attend the preliminary

judging here Saturday afternoon,

Mr. Lawrence said, and he sends

out a special invitation to everyone

interested to attend. The entire

class with all show animals will be

at the school building all day Sat-

urday and visitors will be wel-

comed at any hour of the day.

Judging of livestock will begin be-

tween the hours of one and two

Jim Saunders, herdsman for the

C. A. Broome ranch near San An-

gelo, will judge the livestock. Mr.

Saunders acted in the same capac-

ity last year. His awards were very

**BIG SPRING MAN** 

satisfactory all the way 'round.

MRS. FRENCH WEDS

o'clock, Mr. Lawrence said.

used for trip expenses.

W. L. Aldwell in **Lions Endorse Critical Condition** 

"Father of Sonora" With Weak Heart

W. L. Aldwell, president of the First National Bank, and often referred to as "The Father of Sono-President J. D. Lowrey, after means of financing the project, but ra," is in a very critical condition Sonora Woman's Club some time at the St. Joseph Hospital in Fort ago. It was brought out that Sono-Worth, according to word received ra needs a close-in park, one where here by relatives. A weakened heart, caused by poisons developed after operations and from a broken spare monotonous hours on Sunday N. J. Wardlaw, 76, Former Runnels thigh bone, is said to have resulted

in his doubtful condition. With Mr. Aldwell are his sons and daughters and wife. Roy tele-

**Park Movement** In Sympathy With Efforts of Sonora Woman's Club to Beautify City Environs

Twenty-seven Lions went on record Monday noon as favoring the sale. park movement instituted by the

aldwell, Group Secretary H. V. mith and M. A. Wilson.

Lee Aldwell's Polo **Team Is Winner** 

em Johnson and Sheriff Hutcherson See Rainbows Defeat Sam Houston Indians

ent on Harrison field at San An- park. mio Tuesday. Lee Aldwell, of So-

ad Gilmore were Charley Featherouse of Fredericksburg.

Sheriff B. W. Hutcherson and for the kiddies. em Johnson, foreman of the Aldell Bros. ranch south of here, witne of the best they had ever seen.

## -----RS. J. W. MAYFIELD

Ed Mayfield and his wife carried s mother, Mrs. J. W. Mayfield, to entral Clinic in San Antonio last hursday. It will be necessary for er to remain there for possibly a === onth or longer before she can rempanied her and will remain with Lions and Sonora Chamber of Com- Angelo will run exhibition races. bacon home for Sonora. Trainer 220 and 440 races. er until she improves. It is hoped merce, will be held here March 21, Sonora in an improved condi- Coach L. Joe Berry of the Sonora ing cup. However, it is thought that tance. Trainer has stepped the 100 75 cents. on.

The pavillion, swings and benches are to be painted a uniform color,

ngelo, defeated the Fort Sam dies are in hopes the city or county

ora, prominent ranchman and the city and county will be re- Grain Company an order of flour charge of his new business on the portsman, accounted for four of quested to deepen the draw through which is being retailed by Hamil- last of this month. e Rainbows' balls passing thru the park, and also arrange to drain ton Grocery and Piggly Wiggly. ie uprights. Aldwell is captain of intersecting streets in such manner e Rainbows which team was as to divert the heavy flood waters, the Dallas Steers in 1910 and was A. Cope residence. ponsored by he and Gillie Gilmore thus protecting the park site as sold to the Giants. His salary with San Angelo. Riding with Aldwell much as possible against this de- the latter team was \$12,000 per structive element. It is the aim of year, but the loss of an eye kept one of Wichita Falls and A. D. the club, at some future date, to him from playing under the big turn this draw into a wading pool tent.

> Upon completion of the park pavillion a formal opening is to be movement, and citizens of Sonora the Sonora Baptist ladies, it was nounced later.

The Sonora Woman's Club park themselves with the club and help their assistance to the "Eat More Wiggly. activities is the opening wedge to in putting over this worthwhile Lamb" club in advertising lamb IN SANTONE CLINIC a bigger and better playground project.

Sonora's fourth annual track and Only class B schools will be eligi-

be with Mr. Aldwell.

The venerable banker and former

It is hoped that Mr. Aldwell will Priest Will Open soon be on the road to recovery and be able to fill his post as president

VISITOR LIKES SONORA

C. M. Oliver, of the Canadian and boys of the Sonora High School Mill and Elevator Company of El have agreed to paint the bodies of Reno. Okla., was here this week on Lee Aldwell's Rainbows, of San all trees within the park. The la- business. While here Mr. Oliver to A. B. Shoemake, has purchased paid The News office a most pleas- grocery stocks in Eldorado from ouston Indians, 16 to 13, in the will follow their lead and repair ant visit. He is well pleased with nal game of the eight annual and paint the foot bridge which Sonora as a distributing center, and Mr. Priest has leased the front end old of this city attended the fuouthwestern circuit polo tourna- crosses the draw at the end of the declared that better roads would be of the Wright building which is worth a great deal to the city. Mr.

er of the Sonora High School.

by the Woman's Club.

out-door events can be held and

where its citizens can while away

afternoons and holidays. The Lions

Club signified its willingness to co-

operate in any capacity called for

There not having been a program ranchman broke his right thigh prepared the club utilized the time kansas, came to Texas 41 years in discussion of the trip to the

**Eldorado** Grocery

Buys Stocks of Groceries From Eldorado Firms; Will Take **Charge Today** 

O. F. Priest, who established the Sonora Cash Grocery here and sold Mrs. Ione Osborne, Carrizo Springs

now being remodeled for an up-President Caldwell states that Oliver sold to Hall Bros. Feed & to-date cash grocery. He will take 12 MEMBERS ATTEND

Mr. Priest will move his family Mr. Oliver played first base for to Elorado, and has rented the J. of the 13 Dramatic Club were pres-

#### **BAPTIST LADIES WILL**

SERVE LAMB TO LIONS Lamb will be served to the So-

nora Lions club next Monday at their regular noon-day luncheon by

essed the game, and said it was held the date of which will be an- who are endowed with a spirit of announced the first of the week. civic pride will no doubt align meat.

Mr. Wardlaw, a native of Arago and settled on a farm in Runnels county. He farmed there until he retired and moved to Glen Rose. Mr. and Mrs. Wardlaw recently celebrated their fifty-third wedding anniversary and his death was the first in the family, in which there are nine children.

He is survived by his wife and nine children, C. B., Newt and L. B. Wardlaw of Del Rio; Jack of Sonora; L. J. Wardlaw, Ft. Worth; Mrs. Eddie Dillingham and Mrs. Maggie McCamey of Dallas, and

Jack and wife and Mesdames A. T. Wright and E. W. Brooks. Birdie Rutledge and Josie McDonneral.

## DRAMATIC CLUB MEET

News leaked out this week that Twelve of the thirteen members Mrs. Ethel French and C. A. Gregent for the regular meeting Mon- ory, of Big Spring, were married in day night with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Christoval on the fifteenth of this Gilmore. Joe Berry gave a report month, the Rev. S. J. Estes, Methon the selection of the next play odist pastor of Christoval, performwhich will be given for the Baptist | ing the ceremony at his home. The

wedding had been kept a secret and was announced the first of this week.

The bride has been residing in Canadian's Best flour will surely Sonora for about two years and is The Lions have been lending please you. For sale at Piggly well known here, having operated 20-4tp the Kirkland Hotel since its opening about a year ago. She will con-

tinue in the hotel business.

Mr. Gregory is a contractor and has the contract for the work on the Roy Aldwell residence.

They will make their home in Sonora. Their many friends wish for them much happiness and pros-

FOURTH DOCTOR IS NOW LOCATED HERE

Ticket sales will start on the

Sonora now has four medical High School. More than 100 high she will have excellent chances in yards in 10.2 seconds, and indica- Superintendent White is anxious doctors. The fourth one is Dr. school athletes from eighteen towns winning again. Ozona was given tions point to as much or more that everyone attend this meet and Dickie, medical doctor and chiro-Lucky Day flour is recommended are expected to participate in the the permanent award last year in speed in the coming meet here. will appreciate all efforts to help practor, formerly of Rocksprings, y us to our most discriminating meet which will be held in the So- the Junior events, having held the Taylor is expected to show some make the meet a big success-the who is located at the Geo. J. Trainistomers. Hamilton Gro. 20-4tp. nora Park, a mile north of the city. cup for three successive years. real speed in the 440 race and also largest in the history of Sonora. er residence.

perity. Louie Trainer and Pete Taylor the low and high hurdles. Dwight In to Sonora. Her husband ac- field meet, sponsored by the Sonora ble for awards. Del Rio and San will be relied upon to bring the Kring, who is no snail, will run the

Sonora will have some stiff com- will enter the 100 and 220 dashes at she will soon be able to return it has been announced by Athletic petition in retaining the Senior lov- and low hurdles for the same dis- 14th, all-day tickets to be had at

ladies in April. After the business meeting the members nejoyed a weenie roast.

**READ THE ADVERTISEMENTS!** 

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San Angelo Tuesday.

from his ranch Saturday.

Newt Poteet was a business visitor in San Angelo Wednesday.

J. C. Baker was here from the ranch Wednesday on business.

itor in his home town of Miles.

last week-end in Del Rio with friends.

Judge and Mrs. L. W. Elliott left Wednesday for Austin on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lightfoot were San Angelo visitors last week-end.

Mesdames Ira Shurley and Robt. Halbert were San Angelo visitors vesterday.

Miss Audrey Rankhorn spent the past week-end with friends in Colorado City.

Austin Kidd of Mineral Wells was a guest of Miss Lena V. Stokes last week-end.

Mrs. L. I. Sanford, of Ganado, is here for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Tom White.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Barnes spent Thursday night in Christoval with Mr. Barnes' mother.

among business visitors in Sonora the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Mitchell, of Miles, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Duncan.

Mrs. E. C. Saunders has been ill the past few days with influenza, but is now able to be about some.

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Mrs. Cleve Jones had as her guests yesterday Mrs. Tom Jones and daughter, Mrs. Blaine Sammons of Eldorado, and father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Walker from the eastern part of the county.

Arthur Stuart was here from his ranch Tuesday afternoon transacting business. Mr. Stuart said his stock is doing well, and that he is feeding only a few cows and that they will be turned loose on the range soon.

Mrs. Rose Thorp will leave Wednesday for Georgetown where her daughter, Miss Zella Lee, is attending Southwestern University. Miss Zella Lee will return with her mother for a visit here over next week-end.

Roy Aldwell, vice president of the First National Bank, was called to Fort Worth Tuesday afternoon to be with his father, W. L. Aldwell who is in a critical condition in a Fort Worth Hospital. It is hoped that his father will recover soon.

#### SONORANS ATTEND MASONIC SERVICES

Quite a number of Sonora Masons and their wives attended George Washington memorial services of the Eldorado Masonic lodge the first of the week. Judge Hartgraves, of Menard, Past Grand Master of Texas, and S. C. Thorne of San Angelo were the principal speakers.

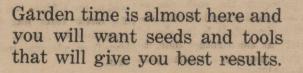
Among Sonorans who were present were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Awalt, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Trainer, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Turney, Mr. and Mrs. Smith of the Texas Pipe Line Company, Mr. and Mrs. Collier Shurley, Carroll Stephen, J. D. Lowrey, E. S. Long, W. D. Martin, Ban Odom, D. D. Green, Tom Davis, Edgar Shurley, Cecil Allen and E. C. Saunders.

NEW DOCTOR FOR SONORA Dr. Dickie, medical doctor and chiropractor, formerly of Rocksprings, is now located at the Geo. J. Trainer residence and is prepared for practice.-Adv.

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Three months

#### TODAY Frank Parker Stockbridge

OPERA-Deems Taylor, Ameri- with gold as the basis of money, can composer, has had another play by coining silver without restricproduced in New York. That doesn't tion at the ratio of sixteen ounces mean much to most people. Grand of silver to one ounce of gold. That opera is a form of musical enter- would have given silver a stable tainment which appeals to only a price in the world's markets of cumstances surrounding the concomparatively few people, with \$1.25 an ounce, or thereabout, gold highly developed musical tastes. being worth about \$20 an ounce. One reason is that the theme of grand opera is always tragic. Most reached the ratio of 16 to 1. That of us prefer so-called "light" opera, was in 1919-1920, when for two which is tuneful and amusing.

To be accepted by any of the \$1.25 and \$1.34 an ounce on the hair, landed in Boston. world's great opera-houses, of London market. Early in Februwhich there are not more than a ary this year silver was sold in dozen, is however, a great triumph London and New York for 26 1-2 compositions which are purely orig- reason for this is the establishinal in every phase and bar can ment of the currency of India on pass the rigid tests. Few composers a gold basis, in 1926, leaving in of popular music are original. the hands of the Indian govern-Nearly all of them rework old mu- ment some five hundred million sical themes, most of them orig- ounces of silver bullion to dispose of grand opera.

It is said to cost Otto H. Kahn, pany's losses. When Mr. Kahn in the Rand and Klondikes, when era is supported by the taxpayers' average supply and demand of commoney.

CHAPLIN-The funny little English Jew who has for years toll for 1930 has been compiled, of children between five and ten been the world's most popular en- and it is a terrifying record. 32,- who were killed in motor accidents flocks. tertainer, has proved once more 000 Americans were killed in motor was nearly doubled during the year. that, in the hands of really com- accidents, an average of almost a petent artists, pantomine is as ef- hundred a day. Nearly a million slaughter. Every state should refective as words. Charley Chap- others were injured, 962,325 to be quire a license after an examinalin's new picture is a "silent" film, exact. The total number of au- tion, before anyone is permitted Mayer, San Angelo .- Del Rio News. one of the kind that needs no trans- tomobile accidents reported for the to drive a car. And every person lation to make it intelligible to year was 835,250. everybody, whatever language they may speak. Long ago Chaplin be- thing-reckless driving. Not fast and in aggravated cases be sent to gan to discard "titles" from his driving, necessarily, for one may prison without the option of a fine.

#### to tell the story. And he has a larger following and has made more money than any other figure in the pictures.

There was a time when it seemed as if the movies would make it necessary for actors to learn the art of expressing emotions by action, but the talkies have dispelled that hope. It is so much easier to do it with words, but also much less effective. It takes a real art-

in the pictures. United States was whether we ing advances to be given mohair should put silver on an equality and wool growers. Only once has the price of silver years the price ranged between

has found a market.

There is not enough gold today patron of the Metropolitan Opera to meet the world's needs as a bas- hour. Turning a sharp corner at in New York a quarter of a mil- is of money. There was a long even that speed is reckless drivlion a year to make up the com- period, after the gold discoveries ing. Almost half of the deaths passes, unless some new "angel" there was more gold than was destrian. Sometimes it was the pewith a taste for musical and a needed. Probably the present sit- destrian's fault, of course. A quarbottomless purse comes to the uation will revive the movement ter of those killed were crossing front, grand opera in New York for bimetallism. But in time we streets in the middle of a block. will be a thing of the past. It shall measure money values neith- Less than a quarter of the deaths in full bloom within a short period. will continue in Europe, where op- er by silver nor gold but by the occurred from collision with anomodities and labor.

pictures, relying on the action alone drive recklessly at 20 miles an

#### THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

## **20 AND 30 CENTS** HAIR ADVANCE HAS BEEN FIXED hair.

WILL NET GROWER FIFTEEN AND TWENTY-FIVE CENTS POUND ON MOHAIR

at Washington between directors of poration and the Farm Board. ist to be a good pantomimist, and the National Wool Marketing Corcharacter, standing or reputation of except for Chaplin and W. C. Field poration and members of the Farm Monday upon his return to Del Rio, any person, firm or corporation will I think of no first-rate pantomim-be cheerfully corrected upon being ist playing either on the stage or dent of the Co-op organization, returned to Del Rio Sunday night to SILVER-Forty years ago the announce an agreement between the office here Monday morning it was dominant politlical issue in the two units had been reached regard-

Judge Gillis registered neither satisfaction nor displeasure over

the sums fixed but stated his organization had obtained the best ference. arrangement possible under cirference.

Results of the meeting are summed up as follows:

The Farm Board has fixed the amount of advance on mohair at 20 cents for old hair and 30 for kid

#### Hold 1930 Mohair

This rate of advance will net the for any composer. For only musical cents an ounce! The principal hair and 25 cents for kid hair. The board agreed to hold off the market at the present time the 1930 mohair now on hand until the spring 1931 mohair is disposed of, sky-rocketing on a small scale. Then the Farm board proposes to deduct from the selling price of the but steady, it is understood. inally composed by the composer of, of which only about a fifth 1931 mohair 10 per cent of such sale price, such deduction not to be

> occurred when a car struck a pether car.

The pitiful thing about the DEATH-The automobile death figures for 1930 is that the number Two things may help this useless convicted of reckless driving should These figures mean only one have his or her license revoked,

less than three cents a pound, to Everett James was a visitor in Ft create a reserve fund with which to cover possible loss on the 1930 mo-Brother Barton.

After this reduction the Farm Board will remit the balance of the proceeds from the sale of the 1931 mohair to the grower.

This was determined after a four day session between directors of Following a four day conference the National Wool Marketing Cor-

> "It represents," Judge Gillis said "the best arrangement possible to be obtained."

When Judge Gillis reached his to discover large numbers of wool and mohair men of the Del Rio district awaiting him, eager to obtain information pertaining to accomplishments and the ultimate outcome of the Washington con-

#### **Growers** Optimistic

In some quarters, a note of optimism seemed to prevail concerning the outlook in both industries, many opining rock bottom had at last been hit and that the commodities, after months of irregular uncertainty, could not possibly sink lower in market price.

Last week's clean-up report ingrower in Texas 15 cents for old dicated that shortly wool now on hand would be cleaned up and that as the demand increased after wool on hand had been disposed of, the market price could not keep from

The incline is expected to be slow

In the meantime, several shearing outfits are active in the Del Rio vicinity and the first car of mohair has been reported. Del Rioans driving through Val Verde and Kinney counties Sunday re ported many herds of sheep and goats seen along the highways had been shorn of their spring crops and reported activity pointed to the shearing season to get underway Some ranchmen are a little skeptical about shearing too early, it was reported, fearing a heavy freeze might strike and wreak severe damage and loss to their

Those accompanying Judge Gillis to Washington for the conference included Judge C. C. Belcher and Horace Fawcett, Del Rio, and Sol

The county's new road maintain-Stockton this week, the guest of er machine has arrived and will be

put to work immediately.

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Seventh Installment

She had begun by laughing, bold- pride. ly. But she had sobered, to listen to

him, lashes wide, lips slightly part- living, they had begun, for the first ed, little felt hat pushed back to time in his twenty years, to permit show a film of gold across her him, in their disguest and disapearnest forehead. The color had pointment, to find his own level. ebbed from her face, and putting her elbows on the table, she had upon seeing three places set at the covered her face with her hands- family board, his father, scowling those small hard, red hands that interrogating the butler, merely Joe found so infinitely pathetic.

"God help me, it's that way with the third place was for Mr. Joseph. me now, Joe!" she whispered, not meeting his eves.

They walked back to the store in in absolute silence.

One night in early February, it George Howard Merrill, president business, some day.' of the entire chain of stores, his manager, one Frank Flint, and the Mackenzie Merrill.

pened to be in the house, with no dinner engagement and because a wild rain was falling. George Merrill cared no longer whether his son and heir came or went.

Yet he had blindly idolized his son.

That young Joe had shown a lamentable indifference to society, and had flunked in college, after in the course of the last few years, disposing of a small fortune in va- his diappointment in this boy has rious idiotic, if not actually harm- risen almost to actual hatred. ful ways, had been a bitter blow to But just of late, ever since, in

Since, however, he was actually So that on this particular evening shrugged when the answer was that

"Oh, he don't matter!" said Geo. Merrill. "We want to talk business. But Mr. Joe's all right. He won't hear a word we say!"

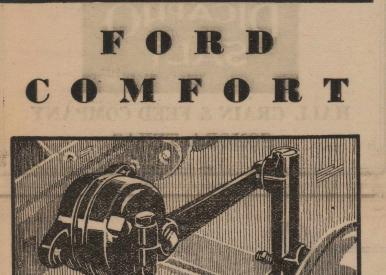
"I wish he would," Frank Flint, chanced that at the Merrill table a big, rosy, silver-haired man, said there were dining but three men: politely. "We want that boy in the

Mr. Merrill responded simply: trusty righthand man and general "Frank, I don't know what he's doing, or what he wants to do! They son of the house, Joseph Grant are too much for me, nowadays. He's busy about something-it

The last named was included in won't last. But while it keeps him the party merely because he hap- out of mischief-or out of jail-" "I'd be glad enough to have him get interested in the Mack. If he seems to catch on to anything to night as we talk, Frank, see if you can draw him out."

"Sorry to be late," said Joe, at this point, coming in.

"You're not late," his father assured him ungraciously. Sometimes



the father's honest, hard-working fact, that terrible scene when his mother had called him a "commoner, without one single gentlemanly little untidy head held high, and instinct in his mind or soul," and disappeared in the crowd before he when he, his father, had shouted could catch her again. at Joe that he was no better than a pickpocket, there had seemed to car, got into it, and drove toward

be a queer change in the boy. "Tired, Joe?" "I beg pardon?"

"Say you look tired, my boy. Research-" said George Merrill, with deuce Ive done" he kept saying a wink for his general manager. aloud as he went. "Nope. Yes, I am a little tired. Not much," Joe said unsatisfactorily, falling upon his soup.

Then Joe said mildly, in a pause: 'You say that it's the ruined stock rather coarse-pored, colorless skin that costs in the Mack Stores-not the labor. I've thought of that. It seems to me that every day enough collars and writing paper and candy and toys and socks fall on the floor and are trampled to set it Joe?-Don't interrupt me, Maup a separate branch!"

"Where'd you get this, Joe?' asked his father.

terical confidence. "I'm proposing "I went into-Number Seven, I to Joe Grant." think it is," Joe said. "It can't be done. I tried it my-

"On Eighth?"

"About there " "That's Number Seven. Good for

you! I hope you got service," said Flint.

"They have a great staff there," said Joe. "That's a good store. That's a

good store," Flint agreed. "What occurred to me," Joe said

leisurely, "was that you-we, I might say-could handle all that small stuff very much better with an automat."

"That's an idea, Joe, but unfortunately it's not practical," his father said genially, comfortably. Then his eye and the eye of his general manager met.

"Why isn't it practical, Frank? It works all right on the foodthey're opening nickle-in-the-slot places all over town," George Merrill said. "They're practical."

"We-ell-" Frank Flint hesitated. Joe broke in:

"Take the whole back wall of a store and handle the five and the ten-cent stuff there. Let 'em drop pennies for their spools and soap and ink, pencils and can openers and hairpins. You could have a girl there to change their money-" "I'm not at all sure, Joe," said

father explosively. "I'm no

When he went downstairs an died, and nobody could think of ask me-I couldn't-I told mother our later, he managed his own anything to say. vay through the moving river of the departing employees of the sonal, usually first-personal at that. you could have seen me-Mack, and found himself beside her. "Why so fast, Maggie?"

She raised blazing eyes to his. "How dare you speak to me! You ought to be ashamed to speak to

"For heaven's sake, what's the

But she went quickly on, shabby

Joe walked briskly toward his

"My gosh, I never saw her like

that before! I wonder what the

The dinner was at the club to-

night; it was for pretty little Ka-

trina Fairchild. Millicent, next to

Joe-was beating powder into her

Everyone in the room was bit-

terly bored: guests, waiters, musi-

"When are we going to announce

rion," she said to another girl, who

leaned across the table for a hys-

self, didn't I, Joe?" said a third

"I don't seem to remember that.

Carol," Joe said, eating. "But some

night when I've had too many cock-

tails one of you girls will get me,

There were shrieks of laughter,

and then the conversation suddenly

girl, handsome and big.

and that'll be that."

cians. Millicent asked languidly:

with violent jerks of her elbow.

natter?' Joe stammered, aghast.

ne! I hate you!"

Goat Hill.

Conversations were entirely per-"My dear, I-well, I-well, if you

-exactly. I couldn't-I simply-if

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-I-she and I-but it isn't as if I



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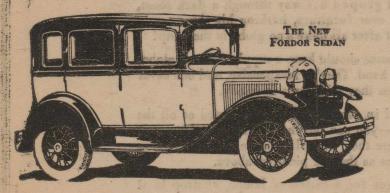
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all sure that you haven't given us an idea."

"I could look into that, Mr. Merrill," Flint said. "It might-catch on, Mr. Merrill. It would be an exclusive Mack feature, you know."

"Frank, the more I think of that, the more I suspect that-there's -something-in-it," George Merrill, drawling his words portentously, said slowly. "When could you see Burke?"

"Take that up with him, will you, Frank? Find out who makes that machinery. We might as well look into it, anyway."

Joe wanted to keep that look in his father's eyes, that proud, vindicated look that said: "This boy of mine isn't-such-a-fool. after all!"

An hour later, he was reading in his room when his father came, rather shyly, rather awkwardly in. The boy had taken the trouble to come upstairs, Joe reflected, gratified.

"Joe, seen that girl who sings that 'Mouse-trap' thing in the Revue?'

"Yes, sir. Saw it opening night." "I've got two seats." George Merrill displayed them depreciatingly. "I was going to take Flint," he said.

"I'd like to see that darn show again," Joe said.

Fifteen minutes later, they left the house together. It was the first time Joe Merrill had gone to the theatre with his father since the day of his fourteenth birthday treat.

"I passed along that idea of yours about having an automat for the notions, to one of the heads.' Joe told Maggie. "I took the credit for it, too!" "What made me feel rotten was that I didn't say that you had thought of it first."

"Oh, well, we sort of worked it out together, that day we were at the automat," she said, anxious to reassure him.

"Worked it out together nothing! You began it, it was entirely your idea."

"But what's the difference, as long as one of us gets the credit?' she asked innocently. Joe could only laugh uncomfort-

ably.

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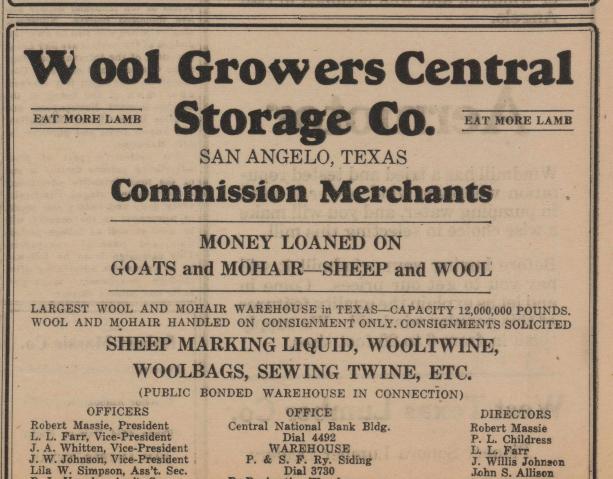
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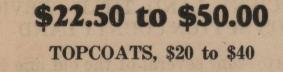
San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 26.- gatory-ultimately. This gent is named Moore, the one of his fisherman friends says



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Rev. J. S. Moore, to be explicit I got one tucked away here in the disease, and strange as it seems, soothe them to fondly and gently (and if the truth MUST be told), basket that weighs six and a half they gave it a regular horse- sense and what he says he is trying to pounds, why Moore, he pulls out name, towit, as follows: "Phony do is keep his Eagle Pass fisher- the scales and sez gimme that peach disease." Still, they may of how their departed friend once nett, Jr., Fort Worth, Texas, and man friends from going to purfisha minute!

They got a gent out in Eagle Pass The system of Brother Moore it is very very noble of Brother it laid away somewheres. who is sho' taking the joy out is very primordial-he takes along Moore, and he will doubtless save But the specialists, they don't at least, not what you call an ex- who took up cattle buying in his of the lives of Eagle Pass fisher- a leetle pair of pocket scales (for a lot of 'em. Still, in the first know how the disease happens or men. (And, maybe, an Eagle Pass gosh sake, somebody tell us why place, how did he ever come to how it is transmitted. But they fisherman ain't entitled to no joy.) they call scales a pair) and, when imagin an Eagle Pass fisherman do have one good idea. They are camp, anyway, even if he couldn't The race may be a falling markwas worth saving?

> The county clerk of Real county, base, Leakey, and went over that of agriculture, says his outfit ingrand, scenic road of Camp Wood. tends to destroy the few trees him that set the Camp Woodians as.

all a-gog and a-flutter. In fact, chances are that is why which sighs a note in the spring Wood in the first place-to set don't pay off in peach-time, you chap. 'em all a-gogin' and a-flutterin'.

What Field took to Camp Wood ion. was a monster turnip. It weighed 11 3-4 pounds. The measurement around the thing was 26 inches- way to grow a spare-rib flavor inmorein' two whole feet.

to these new, wonderful, luxuri-There was a riot in the streets ant, "Tasty greens" they got out of Camp Wood which started when at Carrizo Springs! they beheld their beloved postmast- Been reading about those "Tasty er, Jim Gray, a-crying like his greens" which a man named Diller heart was broke. They wanted to (A. B.) has raised out there at lynch the county clerk for hurtin' that burg. Been reading in the Jim's feelin's, but Jim stopped 'em. Javelin about them, and bet that He said no, he like to have 'em little item in the paper was writ hurt now and then, anyway.

by the Madame Editor, too, for no When he was a kid he went to man could have described a head some school over at Lampasas of greens like that. where three times a day, he sez, he | The greens grow in a great big had to eat turnips and corn bread. head, somewhat like a mustard, and The Big Idee the county clerk the plant combines the flavor of had was to induce all the Camp turnips and mustard. Leaves are Wood folks to move over to Leak- immense, and after they have been

ey, and Jim, he was willin' to go, taken off, why, the stalk may be only he wouldn't have any postof- cooked like it was asparagus-and fice of his own to run then. And et just like it was asparagus-and finally the Camp Wood crowd took probably being what the Madame the turnip away from Fields and editor of the Javelin also meant. told him he ought to be ashamed And they grow more greens to going around trying to make folks the square yard (or acre, as for dessatisfied with their own tur- that than any other "greens" that nips that-away! When you got a guy whipped,

why be goin' around and rubbin' town folks can have a square yard it in on him, they axed him.

and have all the greens we can eat Scattered around here and yan all the time, why, more of us will in Texas we got some peach trees be able to pay our taxes, maybe. which look all right and everything, which bloom and start a crop of peaches growing and then Reed of Goliad, fell to reminisafter the peach grows awhile, why, cing of him and his days and times. it just turns in and shrivels up. Men always do that when an old Specialists call this condition a compadre is gone-it seems to

by that like the frontier folks were hit it witha gun. by Injuns. Kill 'em out.

So J. M. Del Curto (Swedish

Oh, if they could only find a

is out trying to make a reputation.

If it ever gets to where us poor

of such greens out by the garage

Two old friends of the late Geo.

If any you folks got a peach tree better take the tree under suspic-

recall stories of him.

have a Latin name long as a string missed a bear completely, and he St. Joe, Mizzoo. After all is said and done, why of spaghetti hung onto it and got took several swift shots at it. He

pert shot. But he brought the bear into chance in life.

safety after all the futile shootnamed Geo. W. Field, left his home descent) of the state department ing, Reed threw down his gun, leaped into his saddle, and gave chase. As he rode after the flee-And he took something along with which have been discovered in Tex- ing bruin he unloosed his lariat. And by and by he brought the

captive bruin into camp. That happened in the Davis the county clerk went over to Camp with a grand flourish and then mountains when he was a young market take it off faster than the

There may be a dandy little race on here in South Texas during the One of the friends was reminded next 30 to 60 days, says Dick Ar-

Dick is speaking of the cattle never was a good shot, they said, business, him being a poor boy early youth and never had no other

et on the one hand, and growing Seeing the bear get away to cattle on the other.

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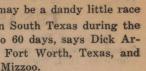
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Report of Mrs. A. J. Smith, county treasurer of Sutton county, Texas, of receipts and expenditures from November 8, 1930 to Feb-ruary 10, 1931, inclusive:

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Balance	4385.05
RECAPITULATION	
Jury fund balance	
Jury fund balance Road and bridge fund balance	12809.44
General county fund	5628.24
Courthouse and jail balance	1258.94
Special road fund balance	
Public improvement fund balance	4385.05
Total balance	43467.13
LIST OF BONDS AND OTHER SECURI	
10 S. H. bonds, \$500.00 each	
16 S. H. bonds, \$500.00 each	

19 S. H. bonds, 2000.00 each. Total The State of Texas

County of Sutton

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally ap-peared Mrs. A. J. Smith, county treasurer of Sutton county, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing re-

port is true and correct. Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 10th day of Febru A. D. 1931. (Seal) J. D. LOWREY, County Clerk.	
My Best Girl— (Continued from page 5)	"Well, exactly—that's what I said to mother." * * * *
"Marjorie, did you see Mrs. Mad-	"Listen, Maggie, you can't keep this up. Sooner or later you'll have

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ting, if a trifle shaky, as she said: "You broke my heart. But it doesn't matter. Please get out of my way."

Joe was honestly staggered. "How, in the name of St. Pete, did I break your heart?" "We'll not-" she was being 97.00 32.25 .73

magnificent-"we'll not discuss it," she said.

29.98 haven't done anything, and I object er country in the world, and that pep." to your acting this way!"

"Oh, no-no!" she said in a low, trembling voice, shaken with anger. fleece of the Angora. "Oh. no. You didn't take Paulo 249.77 74.75 Younger to lunch, and pay for her gold rush to California also was the lunch, at our place-at our place!and then walk with her, and stroll conspicuous immigrants, the first 58.25 have all those horrible girls at the this country. Evidently they found lampshades making fun of me, and their surroundings congenial, for 57.16 saying that Paulo had gotten you they flourished and multiplied and away from me."

48.75

"Now, listen, Maggie-that's ut- join them, until now there are fully terly ridiculous. In the first place, three and a half million of these I went in, alone, alone-to have my useful creatures here, clearing off lunch at the Old South Tea Room the brush land, increasing grain -but I swear to you I went in yield, and at the same time prothere with no more idea that Miss ducing a total clip of 17,000,0% Younger was lunching there than pounds of mohair yearly. Every you had! I saw her at an empty state in the United Union has at table-the place was packed, and, least a few members of the family, naturally, I sat with her."

trembling, beside herself.

"Well, would you have me cut the girl?" Joe asked, warming in not be confused with wool. Mohair his turn. "I sat with her, and later is even stronger than wool, very 268.23 I paid the tip, twenty-five cents, lustrous and, due to its structural 347.74 149.51 and our bill for two sixty-cent difference, much easier than wool lunches. There! If I'd known that to keep clean. Mohair has many 765.48 you expected me to ask permis- uses for clothing, draperies, rugs and other domestic applications but sion---

"I'll never," she gritted between by far its most significant uses her teeth, "I'll never speak to you are for furniture and automobile upholstering, for which it is made again!"

up into a pile fabric called mohair She had finished her task now, the hardware counter was in order, velvet or sometimes velmo for short. Twelve million yards of this and went down to the girls washroom, washed her hands and, after fabric are in use in passenger a while, her tear-swollen eyes in trains today, due to its extreme cold water and wiped them on the durability combined with pleasing appearance and fadeless dyes, while soggy lengths of the exhausted over a hundred million yards, it has roller towel. been estimated, are on the high-

(Continued next week)

holstery.

you take out your car.

Cause of Man's Downfall

the serpent, ate and gave to Adam

to eat in the Garden of Eden. This view is no longer held, many more

#### DOROTHY BAKER IS MEMBER NEW CLUB

Fort Worth, Feb. 26 .- Miss Dorothy Baker, of Sonora, was initiated into the Brushes Club of Texas Christian University last week.

The Brushes Club is an organization composed of the art students of the University. Miss Maystone of Wichita Falls and A. D. ident.

WHY NOT TAKE A LESSON FROM THE HEN

EVERY STATE NOW HAS Wisconsin Woman SOME ANGORAS If you are accustomed to think of the Angora goat as one of those

loses 11 Lbs. queer "fuddin animules" that you would have to go abroad to see in "Have been taking Kruschen his native habitat, it may come with Salts for fat reduction-am on my

surprise to learn that there are second bottle-I lost 11 pounds in more Angora goats right here in six weeks and feel fine-Kruschen "We will discuss it," said Joe. "I the United States than in any oth- sure gives you a lot of vim and

Kruschen Salts are used daily by

consequently this country leads the world in its output of mohair, the millions all over the world not only

to take off fat from overweight The year '49 which saw the great people but to rejuvenate the entire system.

occasion for the entry of nine in-One bottle of Kruschen Salts (lasts 4 weeks). costs but 85c and around the streets with her, and Angora goats to be brought into one bottle will prove of vast benefit to people who have constipation, headaches, indigestion, nervousness, rheumatism, depression, acidity and sent for a lot of their relatives to auto-intoxication.

Not only that but one bottle will bring about body activity-increase in energy, vigor and ambition, sparkling eyes and freedom from pimples and blemishes—millions know all this-you ought to know it. Take one half teaspoon in a glass of hot water every morning before breakfast-walk a little but the great bulk is centered in each day-cut down on sweets and "Oh, naturally!" Maggie said, Texas, Arizona, Oregon, New Mexfat forming foods. ico, California and Missouri.

Mohair or Angora fleece must and druggists America over with the distinct understanding that one bottle will help you lose fat or money back.-Adv.

Anti Freeze arrives! Sold by the Corner Drug Store ROAD SERVICE Let the Devil print it for you. Sonora Abstract Co. J. D. LOWREY, Mgr. EFFICIENT LAND TITLE SERVICE ON SUTTON COUNTY LAND

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Is being predicted

for this section of

the country.

Let us fill your

We represent several of the old line fire insurance companies

ways in the form of automobile up-The skin of the Angora is used for making gloves, while the meat, called chevon, is much like lamb or mutton. But, of course, by far Hotel McDonald the most important use of the Angora goat is its mohair fleece which you probably rest on every time "A Home Away From Home" Newly Remodeled—Thoroughly Modern For many centuries it was supin every way. Splendid dining room; posed that the apple was the fruit which Eve, under the direction of

American Plan.

radiator with **Whizz Gold Brand** Don't wait until it is



, to make it up with me and tell me 'My dear—wasn't that terrible!' "Oh, well, my dear, if she would now?" Joe pleaded. bring that impossible girl-" "Well, exactly!"

more cigarettes. fully about it."

"Well, but, my dear!"

what the trouble is, so why not She was in the hardware depart-

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she heard Joe's voice, close beside crimsoned, and her tone was cut-

Did you ever stop to thinkhard times mean nothing to a hen? She just keeps on digging worms

and laying eggs, regardless of ment, and was attempting to what the newspapers say about More lip-red, more powder, straighten up the counter. When conditions. If the ground is hard, PATRONIZE OUR MERCHANTS! she scratches harder. If it's dry, she "Of course, mother felt dread- her, she brought her proud little digs deeper. If she strikes a rock, chin up with a jerk, her cheeks she works around it. But always she digs up worms and turns them into hard-shelled profits as well as tender broilers.

Did you ever see a pessimistic hen? Did you ever know of one starving to death waiting for worms to dig themselves to the surface? Did you ever hear one cackle because times were hard? No, not on your life! She saves her breath for digging and her cackle for eggs!-Selected.

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"Overcome by stomach gas in the dead of night, I scared my husband badly. He got Adlerika and it ended the gas."-Mrs. M. Owen. Adlerika relieves stomach gas in TEN minutes! Acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel, removing old poisonous waste you never knew was there. Don't fool with medicine which cleans only PART of bowels, but let Adlerika give stomach and bowels a REAL cleaning and get rid of all gas! Corner Drug Store.

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-Adv.

WILL SELL BULL, Panama 2nd, 1388773, calved February 19, 1925; bred by Logan & McKnight. Probably best bull Logan ever raised. Have used him 4 seasons; a good breeder and in first-class shape. May be seen at my ranch any time. Ira Shurley. 17-2tp

#### Hebrew Money

The monetary system of the He-brews was based upon the Babylonian system of weights. The ratio of the value of gold to silver was 1:13 1-3 and prevailed over all western Asla.

Want ads will do almost anything except get you in bad.

tropical fruits being suggested as the probable fruit of the garden, among them the pomegranate.

Home Cooked Meals, 50c and 75c

## HOTEL MCDONALD

Saturday Only

Good Wrapped Bacon, per pound	_18c
8 pounds Shortening	
3-pound box Crackers	
5 pounds Folger's Coffee	
One-half gallon Syrup	35c
1 dozen bars Crystal White	
3 cans Pork and Beans	23c
4 No. 1 cans Tomatoes	24c
2 1-2 Peaches	20c
Quart Sour Pickles	_31c
2 one-pound Loaves Bread	12c
1 dozen Eggs (1-lb. loaf bread free)	18c
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48-pounds second grade Flour	98c

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Astringosol Tooth Paste and brush 49c

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## **Camp** Allison (Essie Rode, Reporter)

#### **Cedar Hill vs Junction**

proved their valor by winning in referee. a score of 8-10. Junction came

intentions, but all in vain. At the end of the third quarter the score was 6-8 in favor of Junction, which caused a sad commo-

tion among the Cedar Hill crowd. Most of our crowd kept their faith in the team which proved Here we come with the victor- worthy later. Junction's team was ious Cedar Hill girls basketball very nice the defeat, and we can tion made from the material from team again. Once more they have also say a good word for their which the dress is made. By the

The people showing their appreabout two o'clock Saturday eve- ciation of the team by giving a it adds a certain needed note of ning, all pepped up and with good box of candy were Asa Hallum, elaboration without detracting

THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

Miss Cozby and the Junction coach. We are very proud of our team which has not been defeated this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Joy and son, Edwin, spent last week with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Meridith Joy at Lampasas. They arrived home last Saturday. Louis Joy cut his foot very bad last Monday and was taken to the Standifer Hospital at Junction. He is better now and staying with his

brother, Dock Joy. Harry Joy made a business trip to Sonora Monday.

Mrs. Ruth Rode and Miss Weslie Pettigrew made a business trip to Junction Tuesday.

Elba and Leo Adams and Lee Joy are leaving for Del Rio today to visit their brother, Eules Adms.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bode and Oscar Adams and Wylie: Ezell visited Mr. and Mrs. D. Q. Adams this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Hallum gave a social Friday evening to enjoy it gives finish to the dress at litsome old time music.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Adams gave a dance Saturday evening whch drew a large attendance. Everyone seemed to have a very enjoyable time.

the Cedar Hill and Junction ball applied to the light-toned gorgegame Saturday.

Miss Lota Cozby spent last weekend in Christoval with her parents. Ben and G. T. Rode and Bob Glasscock returned Monday from moving some of Sid Evans' sheep Sonora.

# u Marshal

For lack of a better word dressmakers speak of self-trimming to indicate any sort of dress decoraclever dressmaker this sort of trimming is often chosen because



from the essential simplicity of the dress. To the home dressmaker it makes a strong appeal because tle or no expense.

The bertha collar shown here shows one of the new sorts of self-trimming. It consists of an arrangement of small flower-shaped pieces cut from the material Mr. and Mrs. John Riley visited of which the dress is made, and ette that fashions the bertha. In this case each little flower device is attached by means of a tiny crystal bead or nail head, but in some cases they are simply applied with an invisible stitch in the center

> without the bead or nail head. As shown here the flower designs are strewn irregularly over the bertha. More often they are arranged in two or three rows along the lower edge.

Patronize Sonora merchants.



## When Things Wake Up

Spring-hanging up another wornout Winter-unlocks the sunshine flowers and bunnies.

Mankind seems to begin again with new hope, new ambition and new determination to be prudent, learning what to seek and what to shun.

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3 cans Tomato Soup	25c
12 pounds Pinto Beans	50c
One Pound Snow Flake Crackers	17c
Good Bananas, per dozen	24c
Quart Strawberry Preserves	
Plum Preserves	32c
Canova Coffee, 2 1-2 pounds	95c
24 pounds Good Flour	60c
Quart Jar Prepared Mustard	21c
Pound Peanut Butter	21c
Pound Package Choice Peaches	
No. 1 Flat Pineapple	
Big Four Laundry Soap, 7 bars	25c

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The Store That Lowered Grocery Prices in Sonora

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The Devil's Dream (By W. E. James)

Jerusalem has its wailing wall, The Devil its wailing towel: Now barring none, all may come And howl, and howl and howl!

DO IT NOW

The Devil's River News' sanc- for further treatment. tum sanctorium; is now adorned with one of the latest issues of the famous "howling towel." This eral Wells, Mrs. Clara Murphy reinstrument has a purpose to serve turned to Sonora Sunday night. and is now awaiting the appearance Mrs. Murphy had been in the city of the first chronic howler. If you for several weeks taking treatwant to howl, and just must howl, ments for pleurisy, and says she come down to the News office and is feeling much better. Her many do it on our howling towel.

\* \* \* \* CLASSIFICATION

There are several species, grades or degrees of howls. Howls for a new city park, for street paving, for more and better sidewalks, are the kind of howls one can tolerate, and if the howling be long and loud, some attention may be paid and the summon Henry Evan Sindorf, by mournful sounds bear much fruit. making publication of this citation But the kind of howls for which once in each week for four consecuour towel is a panacea, are those tive weeks previous to the return emanating from chronic howlers date hereof, in some newspaper and covering everything from hard published in your county, of general times to weather conditions, or the circulation which has been regularlow price of living and the high ly published for one year, to appear cost of dying. These are those for at the next regular term of the whom the towel is intended and the ones invited to smother their cries in the folds of our wonderful fabric. You will find it conveniently

hanging on our office wall, take it, bury your mug in its dark recesses and howl to your satisfaction. \* \* \* \*

#### SOME EYES

Pansy eyes—Madonna eyes—blue with long curling lashes; eyes that dance, eyes that fairly spill happiness as pools of crystal water spill sunlight.

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SOME ERROR

Newspapers, unlike other professions, have a hard time covering mistakes once they creep into print. Mistakes are sometimes due to ignorance of facts or figures, and sometimes to plain, unvarnished ignorance. But whether they be "sins of omission or commision," all mistakes are regrettable and frequently hard to explain.

"A PRINCE THERE WAS" In the write-up last week, the Dreamer inadvertently omitted the name of one of the prominent characters, that of Jodie Trainer. The error was one of pure omission and without any thought whatever of slighting a friend. Trainer's name should have appeared in the paragraph mentioning the leading roles, along with that of Joe Berry and Miss Bernice Stokes. The character portrayed by Jodie was one entirely foreign to those played heretofore and suited his temperament to a superb degree. Trainer has appeared in most every play put on in Sonora the past few years, which is a compliment to his ability as an actor.

HAROLD SCHWEINING

Alfred Schweining returned Sun-

After sveral weeks' stay in Minfriends hope she has fully recovered.

#### CITATION The State of Texas.

To the sheriff or any constable

of Sutton county-greeting: You are hereby commanded to

in Sonora, Texas, on the third Mon- fendant, unmindful of his marital day in March, 1931, the same being vows, shortly after their marriage day afternoon from Temple where the 16th day of March, 1931, then began a course of harsh, unkind, fore said court on the said first day he had been with his son, Harold, and there to answer a petition filed cruel and tyrannical treatment towho had been at the Scott & in said court on the 12th day of ward plaintiff, which harsh, un-White hospital for pleurisy treat- February, 1931, in a suit numbered kind, cruel and humiliating treatment. Harold is much improved, but on the docket of said court No. 769, ment and conduct continued and it is thought that he will have to wherein Tena Siler Sindorf is grew worse until plaintiff abandonreturn in about three or four weeks plaintiff and Henry Evan Sindorf ed defendant; that defendant is defendant, said petition alleging abused and harassed plaintiff in that on or about the 13th day of such a manner as to humiliate plain October, A. D. 1924, in Union tiff and cause her such mental ancounty, New Mexico, plaintiff was guish as to make life unbearable, lawfully married to defendant, and such treatment was so cruel and they continued to live together as harsh to plaintiff and she suffered husband and wife until about the such great anxiety and mental anmonth of August, 1930, when, by guish she was forced to, and did, reason of cruel and harsh treat- permanently abandon defendant, ment and improper conduct of de- but that such marriage relation fendant toward plaintiff, she was between them still exists; that deforced and compelled to perman- fendant's actions and conduct toently abandon him, since which ward her generally were and are of time they have not lived together; such a nature as to render their that during the time they lived living together insupportable and

THE SONORA DAIRY

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The CAMELS

are coming.

district court of Sutton county, to together as aforesaid, she was kind unbearable. And plaintiff prays for Texas, this the 12th day of Feb IS BACK FROM TEMPLE be held at the courthouse thereof and affectionate to him, but de- judgment dissolving said marriage ruary, A. D. 1931. relationship. (Seal) Clerk of the District Court of Sut-

Herein fail not, but have you beof the next term thereof, this writ, how you have executed the same.

Issued this the 12th day of Febwith your return thereon, showing ruary, A. D. 1931. J. D. LOWREY.

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THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

Two-Gun Ike says: "If I wuz a minister and belonged to the Li'ns Club of Sonora, I'd object to being called a Li'n preacher, by heck."

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- 2 Write on one side of the paper only.
- **3** No entries accepted that bear a postmark later than midnight, March 4, 1931.
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