

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That there be added to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas a new section to be numbered Section 2A and to have five (5) lettered subdivisions and which section shall read as follows:

"Section 2-A.

"(a) General management and control of the affairs of the County shall hereafter be vested in the Commissioners Court, provided that in the exercise of powers not specifically granted to the Commissioners Court by the Constitution and Amendments thereto, the Court shall be subject to the authority of the Legislature of the State, and the Court shall also be subject to all general laws of the State now in force not in conflict with the provisions of this Amendment until such laws are modified or repealed.

"(b) All duties heretofore performed by the Clerk of the District Court and the County Clerk shall hereafter be performed by an officer to be known as Record Clerk; all duties heretofore performed by the County Tax Assessor and the County Tax Collector shall hereafter be performed by one officer known as Tax Clerk; and in the counties where the sheriff performs the duties of the Tax Collector he may hereafter perform the duties of the Tax Clerk. The Record Clerk and the Tax Clerk shall be elected to hold office for a term of two (2) years and until their successors shall be elected and qualified. The Commissioners Court shall have authority to combine the office of County Treasurer and the office of County Surveyor, or to combine either, or both, of said offices with any county office. Within the maximum and minimum limits prescribed by the Legislature the Commissioners Court shall have authority to fix the compensation of all county and precinct officers except County Auditor, County Judge and County Commissioners. The Legislature shall fix the compensation of District Judges, District Attorneys, County Judges and the County Commissioners and may provide for a County auditor and prescribe his duties and fix his compensation and the number and compensation of his assistants. The Commissioners Court shall fix the compensation of and determine the number of deputy assistants and clerical personnel of all precinct officers and county officers except the county auditor.

"(c) City and county officers and employees may, in addition to their duties as such city and county officers or employees, be required to perform such other similar duties for cities, towns and districts within the county, or for the county, as may be mutually agreed upon and contracted for between the Commissioners Court of said county and the governing board, or boards, of such cities, towns and districts; and the cost of such service shall be provided for in said contracts and paid by such county, cities, towns or districts into the Treasury of the county or city, town or district, as provided for in said contract. All such contracts shall be approved by the Attorney General of this State and such contracts shall not cover a period longer than two (2) years.

"(d) The Legislature shall have authority, by general law, to provide for complete forms of county government and organizations different from that provided for in this Constitution to become effective in any county when submitted in such manner as may be prescribed by the Legislature to the qualified voters of such county in an election held for such purpose and approved by a majority of the qualified voters voting in said election. Provided, however, that no such law shall impair the right of the Commissioners Court to determine the compensation of county and precinct officers other than the County Auditor, to fix the number of assistants, deputies, and clerical personnel which said officers may employ; nor shall such general law change the present constitutional limitations as to particular and total tax levies for any or all county purposes; nor shall such general law change the present constitutional limitations on counties to incur public debts.

"(e) In any and all cases where provisions of the Constitution of this State are in conflict with the provisions of this Amendment the provisions of this Amendment (Section 2-A, Article IX) shall control; provided, however, should

any county adopt a Home Rule Charter under authority of any provisions of the State Constitution or Amendment thereto, this Amendment shall not be applicable to such county."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State, qualified to vote on Constitutional Amendments, at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November A. D. 1934, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the words:

"For the Amendment of Article IX of the State Constitution by adding Section 2-A thereto, giving the Commissioners Court general management and control of county affairs, and authorizing the Legislature to provide more economical forms of county government and different than as now provided by law."

"Against the Amendment of Article IX of the State Constitution by adding Section 2-A thereto, giving the Commissioners Court general management and control of county affairs, and authorizing the Legislature to provide more economical forms of county government, and different than as now provided by law."

Each voter shall scratch out with pen or pencil the clause which he desires to vote against so as to indicate whether he is voting for or against said proposed amendment.

A true copy. W. W. HEATH, SECRETARY OF STATE.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 3 of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereinafter read as follows:

"Section 3. Taxes shall be levied and collected by general laws and for public purposes only; and the total amount of revenue which the State shall be authorized to collect during such biennium from taxes, licenses, permits and fees, (except fees paid by students to state educational institutions, and except rentals, bonuses and royalties obtained from public lands and other public property) shall not exceed a sum reasonably estimated to equal the product obtained by multiplying the number of the inhabitants of this State by the sum of Twenty-two and 50/100 (\$22.50) Dollars; provided, however, the total amount of such revenue which may be so collected, shall be reduced by the amount of any surplus funds or unexpended appropriations remaining at the close of the preceding biennium. The expenditures of the State government of funds derived from the sources above referred to shall never exceed during any biennium, a sum equal to the product obtained by multiplying the number of inhabitants of this State by the sum of Twenty-two and 50/100 (\$22.50) Dollars, provided however, that the population of the State (in determining the amount of revenue which may be collected from taxes, licenses, permits and fees or expended from the revenue thus obtained) shall be determined by the then last preceding Federal census, to which population shall be added or deducted, as the case may be, for each year that has lapsed since the last preceding Federal census, the average yearly increase or decrease of the population as shown by said Federal census when compared with the Federal census which immediately preceded said last Federal census. Provided, further, that in case of war, riots, or insurrection, or a statewide calamity caused by earthquake, fire, flood or an epidemic which seriously threatens the health of the citizens of this State, the Legislature shall have authority, by a two-thirds vote of both Houses, to suspend for a definite period this constitution limitation as to the amount of money which may be collected and expended during the biennium."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1934, at which election each ballot shall have printed the words: "For the Amendment of Section 3 of Article VIII of the State Constitution providing for the levying and collection of taxes and fixing the maximum amount thereof which can be collected and expended each biennium."

A true copy. W. W. HEATH, SECRETARY OF STATE.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 30

Section 1. That Section 16, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereinafter read as follows:

"Section 16. All land mentioned in Sections 11, 12 and 15 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, now belonging to the University of Texas shall be subject to the taxation for county and school district purposes to the

"Against the Amendment of Section 3 of Article VIII of the State Constitution providing for the levying and collection of taxes and fixing the maximum amount thereof which can be collected and expended each biennium."

Each voter shall scratch out with pen or pencil the clause which he desires to vote against so as to indicate whether he is voting for or against said proposed amendment.

A true copy. W. W. HEATH, SECRETARY OF STATE.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 21

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 1 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 1. The Legislature shall have the power to create counties for the convenience of the people subject to the following provisions:

First. In the territory of the State exterior to all counties now existing, no new counties shall be created with a less area than nine hundred square miles, in a square form, unless prevented by the pre-existing boundary lines. Should the state lines render this impracticable in border counties, the area may be less. The territory referred to may, at any time, in whole or in part, be divided into counties in advance of population and attached, for judicial and land surveying purposes, to the most convenient organized county or counties.

Second. Within the territory of any county or counties now existing, the Legislature may by a two-thirds vote of both Houses, create new counties, combine existing counties and parts of counties and abolish existing counties and change county boundaries at will, provided that no new county shall be created with an area not less than 900 square miles nor shall any existing county be reduced in area so as to contain less than nine hundred square miles, unless such new county or such remaining county, and both shall have a population of not less than fifty thousand according to the last United States census prior to the date of the creation or change of such county. When any part of a county is stricken off and attached to, or created into another county, the part stricken off shall be holden for and obliged to pay its proportion of all liabilities then existing, of the county from which it was taken, in such manner as may be prescribed by law.

Third. No part of any existing county shall be detached from it and attached to another existing county until the proposition for such change shall have been submitted in such a manner as may be provided by law, to a vote of the electors of both counties and shall have received a majority of those voting on the question in each."

Section 2. The foregoing amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934. At this election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed in that ballot the words:

"For the amendment to Section 1 of Article 9 of the Constitution of Texas, providing that the Legislature may by a two-thirds vote of both Houses create new counties and change the boundaries of existing counties."

Those voters opposing said proposed amendment shall write, or have printed on their ballot the words:

"Against the amendment to Section 1 of Article 9 of the Constitution of Texas, providing that the Legislature may by a two-thirds vote of both Houses create new counties and change the boundaries of existing counties."

A true copy. W. W. HEATH, SECRETARY OF STATE.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 30

Section 1. That Section 16, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereinafter read as follows:

"Section 16. All land mentioned in Sections 11, 12 and 15 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, now belonging to the University of Texas shall be subject to the taxation for county and school district purposes to the

same extent as lands privately owned; provided they shall be rendered for taxation upon the values fixed by the State Tax Board and that the values fixed for school district purposes shall not exceed the values fixed for county purposes on the same land; and provided that the University of Texas from the University Available Fund, shall remit annually to each of the counties and school districts in which said lands are located an amount equal to the tax imposed upon said land for county and school district purposes."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State at the next general election at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas subjecting the lands of the University of Texas to taxation for county and school purposes, and providing for the payment of said taxes to the proper authorities of the counties and school districts where said lands are located," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas subjecting the lands of the University of Texas to taxation for county and school district purposes, and providing for the payment of said taxes to the proper authorities of the counties and school districts where said lands are located."

A true copy. W. W. HEATH, SECRETARY OF STATE.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 41

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 5, of Article XI, of the Constitution of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 5. Cities having more than five thousand (5000) inhabitants may, by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, at an election held for that purpose, adopt or amend their charters, subject to such limitations as may be prescribed by the Legislature, and providing that no charter or any ordinance passed under said charter shall contain any provision inconsistent with the Constitution of the State, or of the general laws enacted by the Legislature of this State; said cities may levy, assess and collect such taxes as may be authorized by law or by their charters; but no tax for any purpose shall ever be lawful for any one year, which shall exceed two and one-half per cent (2 1/2) of the taxable property of such city, and no debt shall ever be created by any city, unless at the same time provisions be made to assess and collect annually a sufficient sum to pay the interest thereon and creating a sinking fund for at least two per cent (2) thereon; provided further, that no city charter shall be altered, amended or repealed oftener than every twelve (12) months."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State at the next general election, to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934; at which election all voters favoring such proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting any Home Rule City to alter, amend or repeal its charter every twelve (12) months;" and those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting any Home Rule City to alter, amend or repeal its charter every twelve (12) months."

A true copy. W. W. HEATH, SECRETARY OF STATE.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 1 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 1. TAXATION TO BE EQUAL AND UNIFORM AS TO REAL ESTATE AND TO BE EQUAL AND UNIFORM AS TO ALL REASONABLE CLASSIFICATIONS OF PROPERTY; AND OCCUPATION AND INCOME TAXES; EXEMPTIONS; LIMITATIONS UPON COUNTIES, CITIES, ETC.

"Taxation of real property shall

be equal and uniform. All property in this State, whether owned by natural persons or corporations, other than municipal, shall be taxed in proportion to its value, which shall be ascertained as may be provided by law. The Legislature may by general laws make reasonable classifications of all property other than real property for the purpose of taxation, and may impose different rates thereon; provided that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform. The Legislature may impose a poll tax. It may also impose occupation taxes, both upon natural persons and upon corporations, other than municipal, doing business in this State. It may also tax incomes of both natural persons and corporations other than municipal, except that persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits shall never be required to pay an occupation tax; provided that Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture, belonging to each family in the State, shall be exempt from taxation, and provided further that the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town for any year on persons or corporations pursuing any profession or business, shall not exceed one-half of the tax levied by the State for the same period of such profession or business."

Section 2. The foregoing amendment to the Constitution of Texas shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934. At this election, all voters favoring said amendment shall write, or have printed, on their ballots the words:

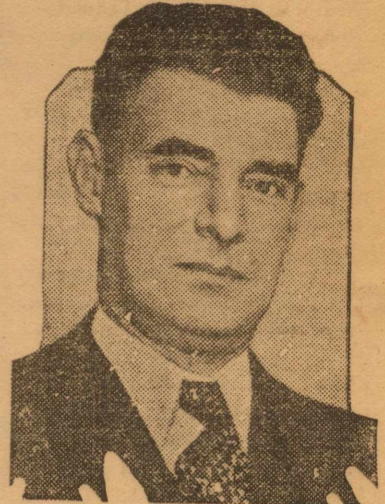
"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform; and that all property in this State, other than that owned by municipal corporations, shall be taxed in proportion to its value as ascertained as may be provided by law; and providing that the Legislature may make reasonable classifications of all property, other than real property, for the purpose of taxation, and that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform; and providing further that the Legislature may impose poll tax and occupation tax and income tax and exempting from occupation tax persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits; and exempting from taxation Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture belonging to each family; and providing that the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town shall not exceed one-half that levied by the State for the same period."

Those voters opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform; and that all property in this State, other than that owned by municipal corporations shall be taxed in proportion to its value as ascertained as may be provided by law; and providing that the Legislature may make reasonable classifications of all property, other than real property, for the purpose of taxation; and that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform; and provid-

ing further that the Legislature may impose poll tax and occupation tax and income tax, and exempting from occupation tax persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits; exempting from taxation Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture belonging to each family, and providing that the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town shall not exceed one-half that levied by the State for the same period."

A true copy. W. W. HEATH, SECRETARY OF STATE.

TO CLEAN ST. PAUL



Alexander G. Jamie, former head of Chicago's crime-fighting agency, the "secret six," who has been appointed chief of police of St. Paul, Minn., with orders to give the city a thorough cleaning.

Wheeling, W. Va.—The owner of a south side night club paid for newspaper advertising space to advise customers: "Why go elsewhere and be cheated; come down and see me some time. Warm beer, poor dancers, rotten music."

The NEWS will print it for you. Phone 24.—adv.

Robert Massie Co. Funeral Directors, Embalmers Superior Ambulance Service Phone 4444 Day or Night SAN ANGELO, TEXAS

FAST DAILY FREIGHT SERVICE Sonora, Eldorado, San Angelo Direct Connections to Ft. Worth, Abilene, Waco, San Antonio :: all other points L. M. BARNES Phone 154 Sonora, Texas

LIGHT HAULING Beamon Speed PHONE 106

Sonora Abstract Co. J. D. LOWREY, Mgr. EFFICIENT LAND TITLE SERVICE ON SUTTON COUNTY LAND We represent several of the old line fire insurance companies

Hotel McDonald "A HOME AWAY FROM HOME" Old Friends and New are always welcome Stop in to see us when in Sonora HOME COOKED MEALS 50c

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 42

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 30, Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 30. The duration of all offices not fixed by this Constitution shall never exceed two (2) years, except that the elected officials of a city that has adopted and amended its Charter as provided in Section 5, Article XI of the Constitution of Texas may, by amendment to such city's charter, hold office not to exceed four (4) years; provided, that when a Railroad Commission is created by law it shall be composed of three (3) Commissioners who shall be elected by the people at a general election for State officers, and their term of office shall be six (6) years; provided, Railroad Commissioners first elected after this Amendment goes into effect shall hold office as follows: One shall serve two (2) years, and one four (4) years and one six (6) years; their terms to be decided by lot immediately after they shall have qualified. And one Railroad Commissioner shall be elected every two (2) years thereafter. In case of vacancy in said office the Governor of the State shall fill said vacancy by appointment until the next General Election."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State on the next General election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934, at which election all voters favoring such proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words, "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting Home Rule Cities to so amend their charters that the elected officials of such cities may hold office not to exceed four (4) years," and those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting Home Rule Cities to so amend their charters that the elected officials of such cities may hold office not to exceed four (4) years."

A true copy.
W. W. HEATH,
SECRETARY OF STATE.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas, Article 16, be amended by adding thereto another Section, Section 61, which shall read as follows:

"Section 61. All district officers in the State and all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000), or more, according to the then last preceding Federal census, shall hereafter be compensated on a salary basis. In all counties of this State the Commissioners' Court shall be authorized to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis; and in counties having a population of less than twenty thousand (20,000) according to the then last preceding Federal census, the Commissioners' Court shall also have the authority to determine whether county officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis. All fees earned by district, county or precinct officers shall be paid into the County Treasury where earned, for the account of the proper fund, provided that fees incurred by the State, county and any municipality, or in case where pauper's oath is filed, shall be paid to the County Treasury, when collected, and provided that where any officer is compensated wholly on a fee basis, such fees may be retained by such officer, or paid into the Treasury of the county as the Commissioners' Court may direct. All Notaries Public, County Surveyors and Public Weighers shall continue to be compensated on a fee basis."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to vote of the qualified voters of this State and the next general election to be held on Tuesday, after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1934, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas adding Section 61 to Article XVI, abolishing the fee system of compensating all district officers and all county officers in counties

Congressional Candidates Point Out Their Principles

Runge, Mason County, Says Understands Needs

LED TICKET, JULY Candidacy Approved in District As a Whole

The following is a portion of the publicity release received this week from the Mason Runge-for-Congress Club.

Mason, Aug. 24.—The congressional race in this district has been attracting as much attention as the governor's race. Both candidates have made a great number of speeches and have had numerous friends deliver addresses in their behalf.

Carl Runge of Mason who led the ticket on July 28 when he received 19,108 votes to his opponent's 16,957 has been conducting his campaign along conservative business lines on a high plane and has been stressing the fact that he and his forefathers have resided in this district for eighty years. He is thoroughly familiar with the needs of the district and because of his actual experience, training and education has a sympathetic understanding of such needs.

Mr. Runge has been stressing the fact that his opponent ran last in fourteen counties and received only 860 votes in 14 counties and that he, Runge, did not run last in a single county and that his candidacy met with more popular approval than did his opponent's whose vote was practically confined to five counties.

Among those who have been actively supporting and making speeches in behalf of Runge's candidacy are: the Rev. Mr. Ray, pastor of the Christian Church of Mason; M. J. Benefield, state commander of the American Legion, Brady, Texas; Rev. Rorie, pastor of the Methodist Church of Llano; Judge John F. Sutton of San Angelo and Judge Brian Montague of Del Rio, both of whom were classmates at the University of Texas; James C. White, editor of the Brownwood Bulletin; H. C. Lyon, superintendent of schools, Ballinger, Texas; Sam McCollum, attorney at Brady; Bob Tuckness, a farmer of Mason county and Roscoe Runge, a brother of Carl Runge.

All speakers and all delegations report that Carl Runge will carry the district by a larger margin than he did in July and that Tom Green county will give him two votes to his opponent's one tomorrow.

Otis Murray who has been employed at the Magnolia Service Station at the Del Rio Highway is now working at the station operated by S. Dukes. He assumed his new duties Sunday.

having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or more; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court to determine whether County officers in counties containing less than twenty thousand (20,000) population shall be compensated on a fee basis or a salary basis; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court in all counties of this State to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee or a salary basis."

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas adding Section 61 to Article XVI, abolishing the fee system of compensating all district officers and all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or more; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court to determine whether county officers in counties containing less than twenty thousand (20,000) population shall be compensated on a fee basis or a salary basis; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court in all counties of this State to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee or a salary basis."

Each voter shall scratch out with pen or pencil the clause which he desires to vote against so as to indicate whether he is voting for or against said proposed amendment.

A true copy.
W. W. HEATH,
SECRETARY OF STATE.

South Declares He Is Not Backed By Faction

WANTS U. S. PAID Home Counties Gave Large Plurality July 28th

The following is a portion of the publicity release received this week from the San Angelo headquarters of Chas. L. South.

San Angelo, Aug. 24.—Without ballyhoo or excessive expenditures, assisted only by his personal friends and 18-year-old son, Carl, Chas. L. South this week ended his intensive campaign for congress. His work has taken him to every section of the district.

In numerous addresses Mr. South has stated that he would be free to represent all the people to the best advantage because he has made no promise of postoffice appointments or other jobs.

Mr. South has reiterated his stand for a protective tariff on ranch and farm products of West Texas and for "truth-in-fabrics" legislation. Mr. South said recently: "If elected, I will go to congress unshackled, not recognizing any master except the people of this district." This statement was by way of asserting that he is not backed or controlled by any special group or interest.

Meanwhile Mr. South's friends have been pointing out that he is not a professional politician but is a public servant many times honored. He served as superintendent of schools in Coleman county for four years. For six years he was county judge of Coleman county and he is now serving his fourth year as district attorney of Coleman, McCulloch and Brown counties. In these three counties the vote in the primary was:

Coleman: South 3,468, his three opponents 1,171; Brown: South 4,173, his three opponents 1,959; McCulloch: South 1,813, his three opponents 1,702.

His friends point out that Mr. South has refrained from the "mud-slinging" that so often characterizes a political race.

Mr. South opposes cancellation of war debts, stating that the United States furnished more than two billion dollars to foreign nations after the armistice was signed. He considers these as honest debts which should be paid.

Returning from Summer School
Miss Allie Halbert will return Sunday from Dallas where she attended the second term of summer school at S. M. U. Miss Halbert will be met in Menard by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Halbert.

Typewriter Ribbons, Carbon Paper, Sales Pads, Adding Machine paper. THE NEWS.

LA VISTA THEATER

SONORA
Show Starts at 8:15

FRIDAY — SATURDAY
Ken Maynard in
"Smoking Gun"
with Tarzan, the Wonder Horse

Also last chapter of
"Gordon of Ghost City"

SUNDAY — MONDAY
"Change of Heart"
Janet Gaynor Charles Farrell
Experience of two college chums in a "Big Town"

TUESDAY ONLY
"You're Telling Me"
A W. C. Fields Success!

WEDNESDAY — THURSDAY
"Springtime for Henry"

Two high performances by Otto Kruger and Nigel Bruce—both under the fatal influence of Spring. "Gay, naughty whimsy."

NANCY CAROLL
HEATHER ANGEL
HERBERT MUNDIN

Lions' President to Talk at Hillsboro Conference Soon

Vincent C. Hascall to Speak in Four Texas Cities on Way to Mexico Capital City

Chicago, Illinois, Aug. 23.—Vincent C. Hascall, president of the International Association of Lions Clubs, will be the guest of honor at a convention of Texas Lions in Hillsboro, Texas, September 4. This will be the first group meeting of the annual international convention held in July in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Mr. Hascall, who lives in Omaha, Nebraska, is passing through Texas on his way to Mexico. He will charter several new Lions Clubs in the southern republic and will confer with the Mexico City Lions regarding arrangements for the 1935 convention of the association, which will be held in Mexico City, July 23-26. Texas has the greatest number of Lions Clubs of any state, and is expected to send the largest single delegation to the convention.

Other Officials to Be Present
Other important members who will be at the Hillsboro conference are Melvin Jones of Chicago, founder and secretary general of the association, Fred O. Grimes of Hillsboro, director of Lions International, the five district governors of Texas—Walter Humphrey of Temple, E. L. Pitts of Lubbock, Judge D. T. Bowles of Breckenridge, G. Lorimer Brown of Harlingen and Harry C. Copenhaver of Wharton. Copenhaver is chairman of the Texas board of governors. One of Texas' most prominent Lions, Julien C. Hyer of Fort Worth, who is a past president of the international association, will also be present.

The principal matters which will come up for discussion and consideration at the conference will be the program Texas Lions Clubs will follow for the year, and the arrangements the state will make for sending a large delegation to the Mexico City convention in 1935.

At the close of the one-day conference Mr. Hascall will entrain for group meetings at Houston, San Antonio and Laredo, from where he will cross into Mexico.

SONORANS AT ASSEMBLY IN MENARD THIS WEEK

The Rev. E. P. Neal, the Misses Alice Sawyer, Lillie Marie Smith, Clovis Neal and Emalou Logan, and Wesley Sawyer and Emalea Logan left Monday for Menard to attend the San Angelo District Young People's Assembly.

The Rev. Mr. Neal will teach a course in evangelism. The young people will study for credits in various courses. One hundred and fifty are expected to attend.

Mrs. R. W. Weatherby of San Angelo spent Thursday of last week with Mrs. W. J. Fields, jr. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Faye Louise, and Mrs. Fields who will spend this week with Mr. and Mrs. Weatherby.

When a fellow throws his hat into a political ring, he immediately begins talking through it.—Corey Williams in Greensboro (Ga.) Herald-Journal.

Sell With a Want Ad!
Tell about it in a Want ad. People will read your offer. They will want what you have.—adv.

Don't worry. A dictator is like a prayer—no longer believed in when the emergency is ended.—San Francisco Chronicle.

EVERY HOME OWNER WANTS



FROM HIS LIGHT PLANT

Our Batteries Give "Results" Consistently—Day After Day!


Wes-Tex Batteries

E. D. Kennedy Phone 154


Why your neighbors are saying...

"Put back my Telephone"


Every day former users of telephone service ask us to re-connect their telephones. Here are some of the reasons they give:




"My husband is working again... we missed the telephone more than anything else."




"We thought we would save money, but found it false economy to be without a telephone."



"... I found that running my household required at least three more hours a day."



"Frankly, we were beginning to be 'back-numbers.' Our friends couldn't call us, nor we them."



"... I didn't like to think of my wife and youngsters at home without a telephone. I kept worrying about fires, hoboos, accidents... they had no protection."

THESE people have realized how much they missed the convenience, pleasure and security that a telephone gives.

Do you miss your telephone? Call the telephone business office, now. Say, "I want a telephone"

SAN ANGELO TELEPHONE COMPANY

SONORA WOOL & MOHAIR CO.

SONORA, TEXAS

Fireproof Building that will accommodate 1,500,000 pounds of wool and mohair

WOOL BAGS, SEWING TWINE, FLEECE TWINE BRANDING FLUID

Liberal Allowances on Wool and Mohair

OFFICERS
Ed C. Mayfield, President, W. A. Miers, Vice-President, J. N. Ross, 2nd Vice-President
R. A. Halbert, 3rd Vice-President, Fred T. Earwood, Executive Vice-President
W. J. Fields, jr., Manager

DIRECTORS

Ed C. Mayfield	Roy Aldwell	R. A. Halbert
W. A. Miers	Sam Allison	Fred Earwood
J. N. Ross	Dan Cauthorn	Joe Vander Stucken
E. F. Vander Stucken	E. D. Shurley	L. W. Elliott
Sam Karnes	Ben F. Meckel	C. T. Jones



The Devil's River News

Robert W. Jacobs, Editor and Publisher
W. E. James, Associate Editor

Entered at the postoffice at Sonora, Sutton County, Texas, as second-class matter.

Day of Publication: Friday of Each Week

Rates of Subscription—Payable in Advance
One Year \$2.00
Six Months \$1.25
Three Months .75

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation will be cheerfully corrected upon being brought to the attention of the editor.

SUTTON COUNTY'S BUSINESS IS YOUR BUSINESS

It is human nature, it seems, to "let George do it" in matters of government whether it is the nation's welfare, the well being of the state or the conduct of some smaller governmental unit that is at stake.

However, in the last few years people in general have taken more interest in the administration of their affairs than in former years. It is an encouraging tendency on the part of the American people.

Tomorrow the county commissioners present for public discussion the budget of administrative expenditures for Sutton county for the year 1935. They are required to do so by law. Citizens may discuss with the officials the various items, suggest the lowering of this one or the raising of that one—all within the sane and sensible consideration of the county's revenues.

It behooves good Sutton county citizens to attend the meeting at the courthouse at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and learn just how it is proposed to spend their money for running the county next year. Neither election interest nor shopping nor neglect should keep you, Mr. or Mrs. Citizen, from that meeting. It is your duty as a good citizen!

'The Devil's Dream'

By WILL E. JAMES
Lone Goat Ranch, Two-Gun Ike, Foreman



TRAINED FLEA CIRCUS CODE EASES LOAD ON PERFORMERS

Two-Gun Ike, 1/2-owner the Lone Goat Ranch, headwaters Dry Devil's River, and erstwhile flea circus promoter, is rejoicing over the new "flea circus code" which specifies "a six-day week instead of seven" and "a seven-hour day."

Mr. Ike owns and operates the only flea circus (insofar as he knows) south of the "Mason and Dixon Line." His performers are: Nero and Arabella, who have been in the act a number of years; Perline and Oxydol, and 13 minor characters.

Just to prove to Sonora citizens that he is engaged in a business, not only operating under a code of its own but one that is growing by leaps and jumps, Mr. Ike has asked that we give space to the following press notice from New York.

The dispatch follows:
New York, Aug. 16.—The trained flea industry in Times Square has solved its "unemployment" problem and three circuses are attracting the crowds where only one ruled before.

The establishments operate under an NRA concession code but the management decided "work-spreading" provisions should be extended to the insect performers.

"We've done pretty well under the blue eagle," "Professor" Roy Heckler, the proprietor, said today as he coached a flea named Napoleon, "the smallest living performer in the world," through a juggling act. Napoleon is an understudy for Prince Henry, "a juggling wonder you'll have to see to appreciate."

"During the last year we've put 40 unemployed fleas to work. That's what they were to us—they were out of work."

"We've opened a new branch on Sixth Avenue and another one up on Broadway at 52nd Street. We're packing in the celebrities up there."

Napoleon was permitted a moment's rest while his boss explained the new angles of the business.

"All our fleas," the professor continued, "operate now under the new regulations—a six-day week instead of seven and we've cut down the hours from eight to seven a day."

"We've branched out in other ways, too. We put on shows now by special appointment for private parties."

Picking up Napoleon with a pair of tweezers, "Professor" Heckler put him into a velvet-lined mother-of-pearl box and brought out the ballet dancers.

"Fritzi, one of our best dancers, died during the hot spell," he said. "We lost her in spite of all we could do. Hot weather is always hard on fleas. We lost Anthony, too. He was a star on the football team."

The performers are imported from Italy and Spain because domestic varieties cannot be trained, Heckler said. They usually live about six months.

"YE HOT DOGGE"
Colonel Esaias Izadias Whiffletree remarks that the world in gen-

eral is getting back to old-fashioned ideas and common-folks stuff.

Speaking of his recent world wanderings Colonel Whiffletree observed this "back-to-nature" movement more noticeable in beauty establishments. "A few years ago," the Colonel said, "every town had its quota of 'Beauty Shoppe' signs. In my recent travels I made a note of peculiar business names. Out of some 13,000 beauty establishments I found 'shoppe' adorning the fronts of but few, while the old-fashioned words of 'parlor' and just plain "shop" predominated in great numbers, with only a slight sprinkling of 'salons.' However, the most exaggerated form of the 'shoppe' style I noticed had nothing to do with a beauty parlor," the Colonel continued. "This sign was on the awning of a hot dog stand. I was not particularly interested in what folks called their hot dog establishments, so did not record the name, but as I recall it read something like this: 'Ye Olde Tyme Hot Dogge Shoppe,'" and the Colonel's grin broadened into a western smile as he added "and they put out the rottenest hot dog

that ever growled at a tired and hungry tourist."

Judge Joe G. Montague, who was scheduled to speak here last Saturday in the interest of Carl Runge, held a "round-table" discussion of state politics on the street corner. Louis D. Gayer, San Angelo attorney, also on the program for an address, failed to arrive. A number of Runge and South supporters gathered to hear the speeches of the two prominent men. In lieu of a set speech, Judge Montague gave out some good advice in urging citizens to come to the polls Saturday and vote. The judge was accompanied here by Coke R. Stevenson, jr., of Junction.

Democratic Nominees

- For Congressman, 21st Congressional District:
CARL RUNGE
CHAS. L. SOUTH
For Sheriff, Tax Collector and Assessor:
B. W. HUTCHERSON
For County Judge:
ALVIS JOHNSON
For County Treasurer:
MRS. A. J. SMITH
For County and District Clerk:
J. D. LOWREY
For Commissioner, Precinct 3:
C. W. ADAMS
For Commissioner, Precinct 4:
C. T. (Cleve) JONES
For Constable Precinct 1:
C. C. SMITH

35 YEARS AGO

August 26, 1899

Miss Lollie and Anne, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Burton were in Sonora today shopping.

Views of Menardville during the flood, June 6th, by Rose the photographer, are 50c each.

Tom Elkins and family were in Sonora Thursday from the C. T. Turner ranch.

A. R. Cauthorn and sons commenced the fall shearing at their ranch 18 miles south of Sonora this week.

Hop Wood was in from the ranch Thursday for supplies.

Jm Brotherton of Juno was in Sonora Wednesday from a visit to Junction.

Mrs. Geo. Black and family returned home Saturday from a visit to McKavett. Miss Florence Black accompanied them. They left on visit to friends and relatives at Uvalde Tuesday.

R. S. Cauthorn & Co., Livestock and Real Estate Commission, will sell your stock, ranch or town property. List with them.

Counter Hoppers

(Continued from page 1)

Wednesday afternoon beat the Highway men by a 9 to 6 score.

Condensed scores of the games of last week are:

Thursday, August 16			
	R	H	E
Lions	300	000	3 6 7 2
Highway	002	110	0 4 6 3
Friday, August 17			
C. Hoppers	209	203	-- 7 12 5
Highway	000	030	0 3 7 3
Sunday, August 19			
Indpts.	101	031	0 6 4 1
Highway	103	003	-- 7 11 7
Indpts.	100	731	-- 12 12 2
Highway	000	000	0 0 5 8
Monday, August 21			
Indpts.	000	000	0 0 5 1
Lions	010	000	-- 1 5 2
Tuesday, August 22			
Lions	300	200	0 5 8 1
C. Hoppers	004	050	1 10 13 3
Wednesday, August 23			
Indpts.	000	003	6 9 5 3
Highway	200	031	0 6 8 6

Thursday, August 16			
	R	H	E
Lions	300	000	3 6 7 2
Highway	002	110	0 4 6 3
Friday, August 17			
C. Hoppers	209	203	-- 7 12 5
Highway	000	030	0 3 7 3
Sunday, August 19			
Indpts.	101	031	0 6 4 1
Highway	103	003	-- 7 11 7
Indpts.	100	731	-- 12 12 2
Highway	000	000	0 0 5 8
Monday, August 21			
Indpts.	000	000	0 0 5 1
Lions	010	000	-- 1 5 2
Tuesday, August 22			
Lions	300	200	0 5 8 1
C. Hoppers	004	050	1 10 13 3
Wednesday, August 23			
Indpts.	000	003	6 9 5 3
Highway	200	031	0 6 8 6

Prairie Chicken to "Come Back?"
Marion, Ohio.—The prairie chicken, native of the western plains, soon may be hunted as game in Ohio. This possibility arises from a test in this area which indicates that the bird can be propagated in this region.

Marathon Reader Arrives at "Logic"

Paris.—A bizarre instance of patience and persistence is reported by the American Library of Paris which was established in 1917 for the A. E. F., but now functions for the English language colonies of a nameless American who evidently had taken a solemn vow to read through the Encyclopedia Britannica, letter by letter. When last noted, he had arrived at "Logic." When he started nobody can tell, but three years ago one of the librarians noticed that he had arrived at "Egypt." Since then, without his knowing it, his progress is being checked by the librarians every week. When he reaches "Zulu" the librarians hope he will start an other long-distance reading contest, for his marathon across the Britannica has brought them many extra hours of interesting amusement.

Sales Pads Will Help Business Work!
Handy books of sales tickets, with carbon, cost only 50 cents a dozen. They're the thing for any retail business. Buy at the NEWS.—adv.

Sample Ballot

I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the Nominee of this Primary.

FOR GOVERNOR:

- James V. Allred of Wichita County
- Tom F. Hunter of Wichita County

FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR:

- Walter F. Woodul of Harris County
- Joe Moore of Hunt County

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL:

- William McCraw of Dallas County
- Walter Woodward of Coleman County

FOR STATE RAILROAD COMMISSIONER:

- John Pundt of Dallas County
- Lon A. Smith of Travis County

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT:

- John H. Sharp of Ellis County
- H. S. Lattimore of Tarrant County

FOR CONGRESSMAN 21st DISTRICT:

- Charles L. South of Coleman County
- Carl Runge of Mason County

Committee Leaders

(Continued from page 1)

tion, I have been in the cave business several years . . . I was leader of the New York Times-Carlisle Cavern Exploration Expedition . . . Developed and opened the Cascade Cavern . . . Directed exploration and development of the Loughorn Cavern Texas State Park . . . Am a member of the Cave Explorers Club of France, where I did much cave work . . . and am now engaged in the development of a cavern near Rocksprings.

I plan on making a trip to your section of the country in the very near future, and I would be highly grateful for any cave information you might pass on to me—especially bat caves.

If I can locate any of the latter, I am in position to start development immediately—meaning that your community will reap the benefit of my bringing into it outside money for development, and will give work to numerous people.

Anticipating a word from you, and with kindest thanks in advance, I am, cordially yours,
Dr. F. E. Nicholson.

APARTMENT WANTED!
Two or three rooms—furnished—attractive and easily heated. Write: N. S. Patterson, care Devil's River News.—adv.—lrc.

Sales Pads Will Help Business Work!
Handy books of sales tickets, with carbon, cost only 50 cents a dozen. They're the thing for any retail business. Buy at the NEWS.—adv.

The trouble about telling a lie is that it invariably runs into a continued story.—Olin Miller in Thomaston (Ga.) Times.

Sell With a Want Ad!
Tell about it in a Want ad. People will read your offer. They will want what you have.—adv.

Sutton Producers

(Continued from page 1)

list of counties, rated them good, fair or poor according to authentic reports as to their condition. The number of cattle previously taken out of the county was considered and the state was divided into 110 districts. Most of the districts include two counties; some embrace three.

One crew of appraisers, consisting of Bureau of Animal Industry representatives and county agents, will be assigned to each district. In the two-county districts, they will work 3 days in one county then go to the other to finish up the week.

I-M-P-R-O-V-E-D

Aermotor Windmills

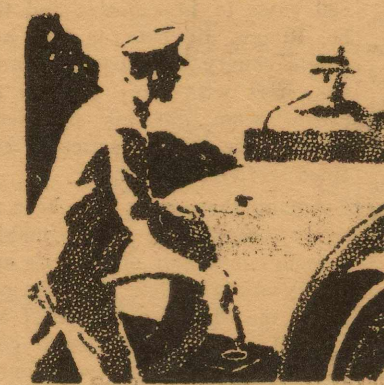
THE BEST EVER MADE —AND AT A LOW PRICE

The little you invest in an AERMOTOR will give you a wonderful amount of service and satisfaction. It is important that you have a constant supply of water. The AERMOTOR is SELF-OILING and needs attention only once a year.

Ask about the Atlas Redwood Tank.....

West Texas Lumber Co.
W. E. CALDWELL, Mgr. SONORA, TEXAS

READY and wanting to SERVE YOU!



I am pleased to announce that, effective August 17, I became owner and operator of the Magnolia Station formerly operated by Magnolia Petroleum Co. in Sonora.

First-class automobile service will be offered at all times. Your gasoline, lubrication and tire business is solicited. We hope to merit your patronage.

KELLY-SPRINGFIELD TIRES

AT THE DEL RIO HIGHWAY

Owned and Operated By

BILLY PENICK

MOBIL OIL MOBIL GAS

When You Need

F E E D

and

S A L T

Get Our

Cash Prices

We thank our customers for their hearty co-operation since our change of policy August 1—

IT PAYS TO PAY CASH

HALL FEED & GRAIN COMPANY

H. V. STOKES, Mgr.

Phone 279

Sonora

**Music . . . Art
Women's Interests**

Society Notes

FAYE JAMES, Society Editor

**Parties . . . Clubs
Future Events**

Miss Victoria Jones Married in Eldorado Tuesday

In a beautiful garden ceremony at her parents' home near Eldorado Tuesday night Miss Victoria Jones became the bride of A. L. Ohlenburg of Station A.

The bride is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jones of Sonora and is known by many people of this section. She visited here this summer. Among those from here who attended the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jones, daughter, Harva, and son, Cleveland, who have been at Christoval this week; Mrs. R. A. Halbert, Pat Cooper and Howard Espy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ohlenburg went to San Angelo and Wichita Falls and will return to Station A soon. After a week there they will take a more extended trip at the time of Mr. Ohlenburg's vacation.

Numerous affairs have been given for Miss Jones during the last week. Saturday afternoon she was the guest at a bridge luncheon given by her sister, Mrs. Bernice Jones Sammons and Mrs. B. B. Brittain, both of Eldorado. The party was at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. King. Miss Harva Jones was a guest.

Miss Ida Sykes Entertains with Dance at Ranch

Assisted by her sister, Mrs. Emmett Simons, Miss Ida Belle Sykes was hostess at a dance Friday night at the ranch. The music was by the Lackey Boys of Junction.

Guests were: Messrs. and Mesdames Queen, Cyrus Ogden, Terry Baker, Artie Joy, Jim Luckie, G. T. Rodie, Jack Sykes, Emmett Simons, Dervis Valliant, Burt Rode and J. A. Sykes.

The Misses Cora Belle Taylor, Mabel Fanch of Roosevelt, Bessie Rode and Florette Carmackle.

Messrs. B. F. Grimsley, Mat Adams, J. T. and Vance Eubank. Alec Simon and Burt Parker of Roosevelt, and Stanley and Pete Lackey of Junction.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served.

Mrs. Hamilton Is Club Hostess Monday Afternoon

Entertaining two tables of members and one table of guests, Mrs. Vernon Hamilton was hostess to the Just-Us Club Monday afternoon at her home.

A salad course was served to Mesdames W. S. Evans, Russell Long, Libb Wallace, W. C. Warren, G. H. Davis, R. A. Halbert, J. S. Glasscock and James D. Wilson, members.

Mesdames W. D. Wallace, Hix Hall, L. E. Johnson and Rose Thorp, guests.

Mrs. W. D. Wallace won high score and high cut for guests. Mrs. W. S. Evans won high club score award.

Shower Given in Honor of Miss Jones, Bride-Elect

A beautifully appointed shower was given last week by the Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary in Eldorado, complimenting Miss Victoria Jones, bride-elect of Albert L. Ohlenburg.

Presiding at the guest register were Misses Margaret Bradley, Inez Cobb and Jess Ella Johnson. On the program, a reading, "The Courier," by O'Henry, was given by Miss Florence Page. Mrs. M. N. Ramsey sang "I Love You Truly."

Mrs. J. J. Robertson of Denver, Colo., accompanied her. The gifts were presented in a unique fashion by Mrs. F. B. Gunn, Mrs. Leland Haynes and Mrs. Larence Steen.

A salad course was served to 74 guests.—San Angelo Standard.

Mrs. C. T. Jones and daughter, Harva, were among the guests.

Miss Freeman Honored at Dance and Supper Wed.

Honoring their daughter, Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Beal Freeman were hosts Wednesday night at a birthday supper. After a swim at the G. W. Stephenson ranch, the party enjoyed dancing at the West Texas Utilities Co.

Guests were: The Misses Rhesa Cawyer, Ches Thorp, Nina Rouche, Pauline Turney, Mabel Fax, Audrey Rankhorn, Joyce McGilvray, Helen Smith.

Ella Mae Barnes, Viba Holland, Virginia McGhee, Edith McGhee, Juanita Corder, Mandlyn Cawyer, and the honoree.

Messrs. Herbert Fields, Troy White, Cleve Jones, Harold Friess, Vincent Rouche, Woodrow Norris.

Messrs. and Mesdames George Barrow and William McDonough.

Watermelon Feast Enjoyed by Senior B. Y. P. U. Friday

Members of the Senior Baptist Young People's Union enjoyed a watermelon feast and swim Friday night at the G. W. Stephenson ranch.

Those attending were the Misses Helen Smith, Virginia McGhee, Edith McGhee, Audrey Rankhorn, Mary Barnes, Berl Dean Persons, Viba Holland, Ruth Freeman and Nora Gilliam.

Messrs. Fred Meadows and Ford Standsell of San Angelo, Billy Penick, E. G. Reese and Zerl Holland.

Co-Hostesses at W. M. Society Social Hour Wednesday

Mrs. J. D. Lowrey and Mrs. J. A. Kring were hostesses to the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kring when fifteen members were present.

Mrs. L. E. Johnson was leader of an interesting program.

The hostesses served an ice course at the close of the program.

O. E. S. INITIATE NEW MEMBERS TUESDAY NIGHT

At the regular meeting of the Sonora Order Eastern Star Tuesday night at the Masonic Hall, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Heinze and Mrs. C. C. Smith were initiated.

After the initiation ceremony Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson gave a brief history of the life of Robert Morris, founder of the Eastern Star organization.

Mrs. Mattie Brown, an active member of the Brady chapter, was present at the meeting.

Cake and punch were served at the close of the meeting.

James' Guest Is Rush Captain

Miss Elsie McKellar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McKellar of Austin, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. James is rush captain of Alpha Chi Omega sorority at the University of Texas. Miss McKellar will be a sophomore this year.

News want ads get results.



Brown, Tweeds, Woolens Lead Fall Fashion Parade

Combining simplicity and comfort the Parisian and New York designers have given the new fall clothes of 1934 an alluring atmosphere of smartness.

Berets go to one's head this fall in a more captivating fashion than ever before. Clipping some of the exclusive descriptions we find berets taking the form of a velvet potato chip tilted perilously on a wide, flat pie-plate, squashy and spready. Materials range from velvets to Harry Lauder scotch woolens. The peaked sombrero modeled after the cowboy's hat, is a novel variation from the beret rage, and will become one of the most talked of hats of the season.

Mohair Used With Wool

True autumn colors bespeak themselves in the popular dress hues this fall. Brown leads in this color race, followed by green, gold, wine, dark-blue, oatmeal and oxfords. Materials for suits are of tweeds and soft spongy woolens. The shiny glossy fabrics such as taffeta, satin, lame and velveteen are used to give the finishing touches to a trim suit. Exceptionally new in the material line is the fact that rubber, mohair, cellophane and metal are being woven with wool to give the desired glossy or dull finish.

Coats Are "Casual"

In selecting a coat one may take one that has lost its belt entirely or is fitted to the particular figure. Coat lengths begin at the hip with the square-looking jacket and end with the seven-eighth length fit and or swagger garment. Coats have

straight loose lines, making them hang with apparent casualness. The polo coat is still quite the national passion and ranks this season with the new checked or plaid tweed coats.

Buttons take the spotlight on the new suits of the new woolens and knitted variations. They appear in glossy rectangular blocks, small beady forms and even a pumice stone may hold the jacket together. Combinations for the suit may consist of dress and jacket, or usual three-piece type. A taffeta bow on one's blouse tucked under the chin correctly completes this ensemble.

Co-eds Favor Plaids

The cardigan and twin sweaters are the prevailing modes in the sweater vogue chosen by the college girl. Skirts with the sweaters will come in shorter lengths than they were last fall. Pleats seemed to have lost all of their identity on skirts as the lines are very straight and simple.

A checked or plaid one-piece woolen dress does wonders for the college girl's wardrobe in that it eliminates a big portion of the laundry problem and is always ready to be worn. The shirt waist style is still becoming and popular as well as the dresses displaying the nautical influence. An unusual note in this type of dress is the use of a sharp pointed stitched bar which is thrust across a somewhat high neck line with the same stitched bar repeating itself on the small pockets.

B. Y. P. U. Program for Sunday

"Training Christian Leadership in the Southwest" is the theme of the program to be given by the Baptist Young People's Union Sunday night at the Baptist Church in which the following discussions will be given: "Beginning and Growth," by Zerl Holland; "Doctor Carroll's Vision," by George Barrow; "Distinctive Features of the Southwestern Seminary," Violet Drennan; "All in a Day's Work," Edith McGhee; "Missionary Outlook," by Nora Gilliam; "Support for Southwestern," Pete Taylor.

Louisiana may not have listed its public enemies, but everybody inside and outside the state knows who Public Nuisance No. 1 is.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Profile of Christ Is Found on Cliff

Tallahul Falls, Ga.—A camera has revealed something on the wall of Tallahul gorge that human eye never had detected—a stone face in which many see resemblance of some painters' conception of Christ.

The photograph was taken quite casually with no thought it would show more than the usual panorama of gaping chasm and sheer precipice.

The discovery was made by Judge Ernest C. Kontz, of Atlanta and C. N. Crocker, bridge engineer of the Georgia highway department.

"When the negative was developed," Judge Kontz said, "we found something we had not noticed at the time, a well defined profile closely resembling that of the Saviour as we have come to know it through the paintings of the world's greatest artists. One can even find a suggestion of the crown of thorns."

PASTOR RETURNS FROM ARKANSAS REVIVAL WORK

"Empowered for a World Task," is the subject on which the Rev. Frank Nixon, pastor of the Baptist Church, will speak Sunday morning. The Rev. Mr. Nixon and his family returned Wednesday from Arkansas where he has been conducting a revival meeting.

In the evening the Rev. Mr. Nixon's theme will be: "On the Mountain of Transfiguration." In his announcement Thursday the Rev. Mr. Nixon urged that all members be present at the services which are the first he has conducted since August 5.

GAYNOR—FARRELL TEAM AT LA VISTA SUNDAY

The motion picture star, W. C. Feilds, who can always be counted on for a full measure of entertainment will be seen Tuesday in La Vista picture "You're Telling Me."

Today and tomorrow Tarzan, the Wonder Horse, offers a splendid performance in a thrilling western, "Smoking Gun," with Ken Maynard as the featured player. Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell, who have been linked successfully in so many pictures, will be seen in "Change of Heart," Sunday. A review declares it shows the experiences of two college chums in "The Big Town."

On Wednesday and Thursday theater goers will enjoy a whimsical picture entitled "Springtime for Henry." Nancy Carroll, Heather Angel and Herbert Mundin are featured in the picture which is declared by one viewer to be "gay and naughty."

The NEWS will print it for you. Phone 24.—adv.

Here's the Story of a Texas Publisher Who Gambled on the Rain—and Won!

Childress, Texas.—"No rain—no pay" was the proposition offered by the Childress Daily Index to its advertisers on all advertising placed in their issue of July 17.

If it failed to rain as much as one-half inch between 6 p. m. Tuesday, July 17, and 6 p. m. Tuesday July 24, there would be no charge for the advertising carried in their July 17 issue, but if it did rain as much as one-half inch during this time regular rate would be charged, was the offer. The advertiser, of course, stipulated at the time he placed his copy that it was on that plan in order to receive free advertising in case of no rain.

It required 16 pages to carry the advertisements of 64 local merchants to hold "no rain—no pay" advertising, ranging in size from full pages down to two inches.

Postmaster Tries Printed Word Among the ads carried was a quarter of a page from the local postoffice advertising air mail service (Childress now lays claim to having the only advertising postoffice in the United States), rain coats, rubber boots, mud chains, rain checks and various and sundry "no rain" specials.

Following the publication of the edition the Index was besieged with weather forecasts coming in from distances of several hundred miles away as well as local residents, mostly to the effect that the Index had a cinch proposition. "Old Tack," editor and expert weather prognosticator of the Amarillo Globe-News, wired congratulations to publisher R. S. Brashers "on picking the very week that we are to get our big rains to make this unusual offer."

Forecasts for rain that came in were based on many signs. For instance, one man reported having heard a chapparel hen squall, which was a sure sign; another saw lightning in the southwest while the sun was shining; bull bats flying low and screeching; snake tracks heading toward the shinnery on high lands; a bull arising from his noon siesia and stretching and shaking his left hind leg, etc., all sure signs that never fail to forecast rain.

This offer was made by the Index following a four weeks' dry spell—and it didn't rain until the 28th!

Many Diseases "Extinct," Others Greatly Changed

It seems almost inconceivable that we simply do not know certain forms of disease which only a relatively short time ago were frequently observed, says a writer in the illustre Zeitung, Leipzig.

Thus, for example, the "sweating sickness" was minutely described in medical works only a hundred years ago as a common disease. To all appearances, it was contagious and involved excessive perspiration. Nowadays, however, we can make nothing of these very detailed and thorough descriptions. The disease has become "extinct."

Chlorosis, which until the war was an extremely frequent disease of young girls, is now practically never seen. Physicians are at a loss how to explain this. Is it due to sports, or to the great amount of outdoor life that the present generation enjoys; or are internal secretory influences to be taken into account? Only hypotheses may be assumed to explain this strange fact.

Of greatest interest also are the changes which prevalent forms of disease undergo in the course of a few decades. Thus, all older physicians agree that nowadays acute articular rheumatism takes a different course from what it did at the end of the last century.

Only to a limited extent may such changes in a form of disease be traced to different methods of treatment. For instance, the treatment of scarlet fever has changed but little, and yet the illness is much milder than in earlier decades.

APARTMENT WANTED!

Two or three rooms—furnished—attractive and easily heated. Write: N. S. Patterson, care Devil's River News.—adv.—lrc.

Help Your Bookkeeper!

Buy pads of Credit or Charge slips at the NEWS. They're effective in efficient bookkeeping. At the NEWS.—adv.

"Credit" Forms for Your Counter

MRS. SAUNDERS BROUGHT HERE FROM SAN MARCOS

Brought from San Marcos to Sonora on an improvised stretcher in the back seat of a sedan, Mrs. E. C. Saunders who fell and suffered hip injuries more than a week ago, is reported as resting well at her home.

Mrs. Saunders was brought here Sunday by Mr. Saunders who was called to San Marcos because of his wife's injuries. She was visiting at the home of their son at the time of the accident. Although no bones were broken she suffered painful bruises.

Billie Frank Decker Better

Billie Frank Decker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Decker, who has been ill in San Angelo for the last week, was reported this week to be somewhat improved.

Mrs. Jennings' Sister Ill

Mrs. C. H. Jennings who has been in school this summer at Lubbock, Texas, was expected to return home this week but in a letter to her husband this week she stated that she would not be able to come here for some time due to the illness of her sister, Mrs. E. F. Huff, who is suffering an attack of arthritis.

RENT YOUR APARTMENT NOW

Tell about it with a Want Ad in the NEWS. Economical and effective.—adv.

L. W. ELLIOTT
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Will practice in all state and federal courts
SONORA, TEXAS

Naylor Hotel
RANCHMEN'S HEADQUARTERS
JIMMY COX, MGR. SAN ANGELO
RATES
Single, \$1 to \$2.50 :: Double, \$2 to \$4

"SINCERELY THANKING YOU.."
It has been a genuine pleasure to do business in Sonora for the last five years. I am truly grateful for the courtesies that have been extended me.
GRACE TRAINER
(Trainer Beauty Shop)

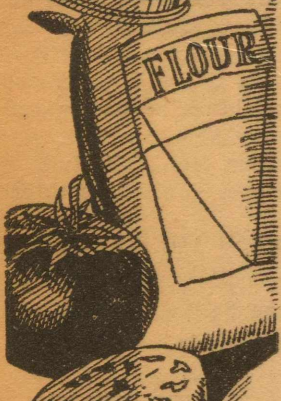
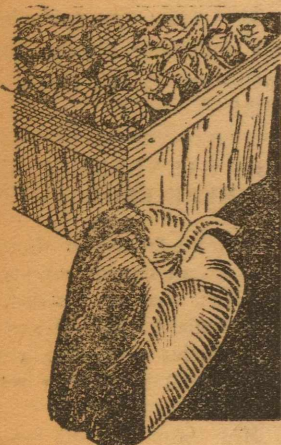
EXPRESSION and DANCING CLASSES
of
MISS MERLE DRAPER
will be resumed
MONDAY
September 3
Studio: in the John A. Martin Residence



Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilliam and daughters, Nora and Sue, spent Sunday in Junction with Mr. Gilliam's mother, Mrs. R. W. Gilliam. The Gilliam girls remained with their grandmother for a visit and returned Thursday when she came for a visit in her son's home.

Sell it through a classified ad.

Dependable FOODS and SUPPLIES for the KITCHEN!



...delivered to your kitchen door

...promptly after you call

53 or 190

E. F. VANDERSTUCKEN Co., Inc. Since 1890

ANCIENT BIBLICAL TOWN HIT BY FLOOD

Denuded Hills Blamed for Great Disaster.

Washington.—The recent flood which drowned twenty persons and caused heavy property loss in Tiberias, ancient Biblical town on the Sea of Galilee, might be traced in final analysis to black goats, careless woodsmen, and the World war, according to a bulletin from the National Geographic society.

"Crouched beside the placid lake at the foot of flower-carpeted hills, Tiberias seems pleasantly and safely situated," says the bulletin. "But the flowers spring from small crevices that hold the only soil on many of the rocky, treeless slopes, and for that reason have a sinister significance.

"The hills of Palestine were once covered with luxuriant forests, but have been largely denuded by reckless cutting, and by herds of free-ranging black goats nibbling the young shoots of bushes and shrubs. The Turks and their allies during the World war completed the destruction by felling large olive groves, leaving the uplands stony and barren. They now afford scant pasturage for sheep and no break for the torrential rains that rush in veritable walls of water down the worn slopes to the sea. Officials of modern Palestine, seeking to restore the uplands, have carried truck load after truck load of soil to the hilltops, and in the newly made ground have planted young trees.

Town Has Double Beauty.

"Mirrored in the blue-green Sea of Galilee, the town of Tiberias has a double beauty. The flat roofs of its square, shutter houses are pearl gray, blue-plastered, or covered with grass like miniature fields. Palm trees sway beside the slender minarets and white domes of the many mosques. Partially enclosing the town and lapped by lake water, are the somber black basalt medieval fortifications erected by the Crusaders, and now in ruins.

"Tiberias was built in Graeco-Roman style by the Judean prince, Herod Antipas, who put John the Baptist to death. It was once a splendid metropolis, boasting a palace and even a race course. Among the cheering spectators at the chariot races was probably Salome, who some historians hold to be the daughter of Herod Antipas.

"After the fall of Jerusalem, Tiberias became the chief center of culture for the Jewish nation and the home of many rabbis. Later, occupied in turn by Arabs, Crusaders who fortified it, and a series of inhabitants who neglected it, Tiberias degenerated into such squalor that it became notorious for swarms of fleas. Arabs gave it a nickname meaning 'Home of the King of the Fleas.'

"Present day Tiberias is decidedly on the upgrade. Of its slightly less than 9,000 inhabitants, a few are Mohammedans and Christian; most are Jews in all stages of culture from ragged fishermen to wealthy Zionist immigrants from Germany, Russia, and Poland. Outside the ruined walls of old Tiberias, a new Tiberias of modern villas is spreading along the road to Nazareth, and climbing from the lake up the slopes of the northwest.

City is Modernized.

"Like most eastern cities, Tiberias has succumbed to modernization. It has an electric power house, Scottish mission hospital, bank, hotel, telephone and telegraph service. Women in red and yellow draperies still throng through oval doors in the sea wall to bathe, wash food or clothes, and draw drinking water from the lake. But they carry the water home in kerosene tins instead of earthen pitchers; and into each receptacle a health official pours a few drops of an antiseptic.

"On the fine white military road leading from Tiberias to Jerusalem, loose-robed townsfolk on foot, Bedouins on tasseled horses, and laden camels and donkeys all make way for automobiles. As they speed past, one catches glimpses of bearded Jewish patriarchs, English officers in pith helmets, and Arabs with white cloth headgear blowing in the wind. Overhead an airplane flashes silver in the sun.

"Despite the ubiquitous kerosene tins, Tiberias retains the placid charm and picturesque appearance of Biblical times.

"Scene of the 'miraculous draught of fishes,' the Sea of Galilee still teems with fish. Among its queer denizens is a so-called catfish which mews like a kitten.

"Legend thrives in Tiberias. One says that when the Messiah comes, he will rise from the waters of the Sea of Galilee, gather together his people at Tiberias, and proceed with them to Safed, under snow-capped Mount Hermon."

U. S. Mint Makes Profit

Washington.—The United States mint made a profit of a million and a half dollars in the last fiscal year in its business of coining money, the treasury has reported. Total income realized in the fiscal year 1933 from the mint service amounted to \$1,664,861, of which \$867,570 was seigniorage.

Chinese, Egyptians and Persians Loved Flowers

China shows the earliest record of the use of plants and flowers for decoration. Flowers and religion are all closely united in their early history, so the Chinese used to offer flowers as presents to their gods and to the departed relatives they worshiped as part of their religion. The way these facts are determined is by the paintings on old tapestries, vases, and potteries which symbolized the actions of the people. The predominating flower in the early history was undoubtedly the peony, as it is found depicted on nearly all the works of art.

In Egypt, also, the history of flowers was closely bound to that of religion, for here, too, the people placed flowers on the altars and made certain flowers sacred to certain deities. The part that plants played is learned more easily than from Chinese history because the Egyptians clearly depicted their thoughts.

Although the use of plants in Persia was largely influenced by the Chinese and Egyptians, the Persians still maintained a distinct character. The hanging gardens of Babylon may have constituted the most famous piece of landscape work of ancient times; this so-called wonder of the world was accomplished by terracing a steep hillside; the ultimate effect was that of many gardens hanging on the hillside. As Persia is a hot, sandy country, their decorative plantings had three main features in landscape design; water, trees, and grass. With them, flowers and color were relatively unimportant.

Faustin Elie Soulouque Ruled Haitian Republic

Faustin Elie Soulouque, who reigned as Faustin I from 1849 to 1858, was a full-blooded negro. He was elected president of the Haitian republic by mulatto politicians who believed he would be a pliable tool. He was sixty-three years old, and though he bore the title of general he was a man of no prominence. Shortly after his election Soulouque amazed his sponsors by manifesting entire independence, and then surprised the world by formally proclaiming himself emperor and providing a gorgeous and extravagant coronation for himself and his wife, "the Empress Adellina."

Soulouque was a man of meager ability and was decisively defeated in two wars against the neighbor republic of Santo Domingo. After he was dethroned in 1858 and exiled to Jamaica the republic was re-established. Soulouque was eventually permitted to return to Haiti to die.

The first emperor of Haiti was Jean Jacques Dessalines, who was born an African savage and brought to Haiti as a slave. He completed the liberation of Haiti begun by Toussaint l'Ouverture and reigned as Emperor Jacques I from 1804 to 1806. The only other Haitian monarch was the much abler Henri Christophe who scorned the imperial title and ruled despotically but beneficially as king.

Buckwheat Traced 2,000 Years

Buckwheat cakes, good old standby of the breakfast and luncheon table, generally regarded to be as 100 per cent American and native as anything could be, are, it turns out, actually an ancient Tibetan dish. Researches in connection with the early history, origin and distribution of the world's cultivated and useful plants, trace buckwheat back to Asia and indicate that it was there cultivated for at least 2,000 years. The Tibetans and other mountain tribes related to them, living in the Himalaya region, were the original buckwheat cultivators and the first buckwheat cake eaters. They produced a complete buckwheat culture complex, grinding the buckwheat into flour, and making the flour into cakes, gruel and beer. They even utilized the straw of the plant as fodder in the winter. Among some of these hill tribes buckwheat still forms the principal crop and the staff of life.

Where Gold Was First Found

It is probable that gold was the first metal to attract the attention of prehistoric man, but it could hardly have been used for ornaments until the art of melting had been invented in the Bronze age. The earliest mining work of which traces remain was on gold ores in Egypt, and gold washing is depicted on monuments of the Fourth dynasty (2900 B. C.). There are many other records of work on gold in ancient times. The legend of the Golden Fleece, stripped of its heroic dress, describes an expedition about 1200 B. C. to seize gold which was being laboriously washed out from the river sands with the aid of sheepskins by the long-suffering people of Armenia.

Useful as "Yardstick"

The constellation of Orion, in addition to containing the finest gaseous nebula, two of the most remarkable stars and a host of interesting double, triple and multiple stars, furnishes us with a most convenient measure for estimating angular distances in the heavens in the form of its strikingly beautiful and conspicuous belt, which is very close to 3 degrees in extent.


Wool Sacks As "Upholstery"

Van Horn, Aug. —Wool sacks make attractive and serviceable covers for cushions of the porch swing belonging to Mrs. C. F. Toolen, Van Horn home demonstration club member, according to Myra Tankersley, home demonstration agent. Mrs. Toolen dyed the sacks a beautiful shade of burnt orange, covered the cushions and then tacked them with black wool thread. She found this to be an inexpensive way of "renewing" her porch swing.

If it's printing, see the NEWS.

"SAN ANGELO'S SWEET AIR DENTIST"

DENTIST WHO DOES NOT HURT




Sincere Dentist
HOURS—Daily, 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. Mon., Wed., Fri., 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
No Appointments Necessary

Painless Sweet Air Extraction Free With Other Work.

Plates That Fit Completed In One Day If Desired.

Broken Plates Repaired.

Loose Plates Tightened.



TEETH THAT FIT
WHITE BEAUTIES

DR. HARRIS Chas. & Twigg (Over City Drug No. 1)

"SAN ANGELO'S SWEET AIR DENTIST"

Report No. 6 from the HUMBLE FRICTION FIGHTER



Complete YOUR CAR'S EQUIPMENT WITH 997 OR VELVET IN CANS

997 BREAK-IN OIL is also available in sealed cans.

Test either of these two Humble motor oils in your own automobile. You can get them—in bright new, refinery sealed cans—from retail dealers throughout Texas and from all Humble Service Stations. Convenient one and five quart sizes. Carry a can or two in your car. Humble 997 oil is 100% paraffin base.

In REFINERY SEALED CANS:
HUMBLE 997 MOTOR OIL . . . 33c Quart
VELVET MOTOR OIL 28c Quart
(Tax included)

HUMBLE MOTOR OILS IN SEALED CANS ARE AVAILABLE AT ALL HUMBLE SERVICE STATIONS AND THE FOLLOWING DEALERS:

R. L. Hallum Asa Hallum Quince Thiers
McKnight Chevrolet Motor Company

"No other electric refrigerator has the Super Freezer... that's why Ours is a Frigidaire '34"



- Frigidaire's Super Freezer is superior to the freezing unit of other refrigerators because of a combination of three major features.
 - It has automatic ice tray release... the trays slide out of the freezer at a finger touch!
 - It turns itself on—automatically—when defrosting is completed!
 - And, the freezer is centrally located... a feature which not only provides room on both sides of the freezing unit for tall bottles, but which helps account for the fact that the entire food compartment of the Frigidaire '34 has a uniformly cold temperature!

The Frigidaire '34 has many additional, fine features too. There are models with adjustable shelves; Lifetime Porcelain inside and out; the Frigidaire Servashelf and—come in and see for yourself! There's a model for every size of family and purse.

West Texas Utilities Company

WAGE WAR TO SAVE "FOOD OF THE GODS"

Plant Disease Threatens Cacao Plantations.

Washington.—"The fight being waged to save, from a destructive plant disease, the famous cacao plantations of Trinidad, West Indies, brings into the news an unusual, two-fold industry," says a bulletin from the National Geographic society.

"Not only does the cacao bean supply the producers of candies and sweetmeats with a unique solid ingredient and flavoring, but it furnishes 'the makings' for a hot beverage, surpassed in world importance only by coffee and tea.

"Chocolate was a gift to man's palate from the Western hemisphere," continues the bulletin. "Like tobacco, the potato, and a number of other plant products, it was taken back to Europe by explorers soon after Columbus opened the road to the New world, and launched on the way that has led to world markets.

Source of Chocolate.

"In trade circles today three terms are used: chocolate and cocoa, and cacao. The tropical tree which is the source of chocolate is called the cacao. In its leathery, cucumberlike fruit are cacao pods which contain cacao beans. But when the beans are roasted and ground, and much of the fat is pressed out, the remaining brown substance (ground to a dry powder), is cocoa. If the fat is not pressed out, the darker substance is chocolate.

"Credit for the manufacture of chocolate from the hidden seed of an unprepossessing fruit belongs to the original inhabitants of Mexico. In 1519, when Hernando Cortez invaded that country, he discovered that the cacao tree was widely cultivated. The natives had concocted a drink called 'chocolatl' or 'cacaahuatl', from which have come the name 'chocolate' and 'cocoa'. Frothing pitchers of chocolate were served by Montezuma when he entertained Cortez.

"Students of American native customs have estimated that the drink was in use 1,000 years before the arrival of Europeans. According to Mexican mythology the seed of the cacao tree was carried from a New world version of the Garden of Eden into Mexico by Quetzalcoatl, god of air. The fruit, it is related, was a favorite food of the gods. The great Swedish botanist, Linnaeus, christened the fruit Theobroma cacao, meaning in Greek 'Food of the Gods.'

"Cacao was used as a means of barter and the payment of tribute by the Aztecs and Mayans. A man's wealth was often judged by the number of cacao beans he possessed. In Mexico a good slave could be purchased for 100 beans. Its highly concentrated food value, low cost of production, and numerous uses have stimulated cacao cultivation to such an extent that now it is grown in practically all tropical countries.

"As an international commodity, the cacao bean has grown in importance to such an extent that the United States alone, in 1933, imported 474,270,000 pounds, valued at \$18,739,000. The United States is by far the largest consumer, cacao ranking sixteenth in value on our list of imports. Germany, Great Britain, and the Netherlands follow in the order named.

Once a Monopoly.

"For many years the Spaniards of South America and of some of the West Indies monopolized the cacao industry. Chocolate was introduced into Spain by Cortez and his conquistadores about the beginning of the Sixteenth century, but the process of chocolate manufacture was kept a secret for almost 100 years. In 1606, an Italian discovered the method of preparation. Shortly afterwards, monks and travelers spread the news throughout Europe. The Seventeenth and Eighteenth centuries found the popularity of the drink steadily increasing. Cocoa was established in England, as well as on the continent.

"Chocolate, however, was a luxury which only the rich could afford, since it sold for as much as five dollars a pound. Today, good chocolate can be purchased for a few cents a pound, and is consumed in one form or another by millions of people the world over.

"Modern methods of cocoa and chocolate manufacture differ little from those used by primitive people centuries ago. In Mexico, the natives roasted the beans and then ground them between two warm flat stones until a fine paste was obtained. This was sometimes mixed with maize (corn) and flavored with vanilla and spices. The paste was molded into forms desired and allowed to cool. Modern preparation of the commodity is more scientific and thorough, but the principal steps taken are much the same."

Keeper Roils Wolves

Buenos Aires.—Three circus wolves howled all night here when they couldn't keep a human from their door. Neighbors complained, and police found the keeper, Max Bilman, had received no wages for six months and had stolen the wolves' rations.

WILL HATCH SNAKE EGGS IN OWN ROOM

Curator Plans to Sleep With Python Eggs.

New York.—Plenty of people have seen snakes at the foot of their beds here since repeal and have quailed at the vision, but Henry Tresslich is looking forward to the day when he will see 55 busy pythons squirming about his room.

Tresslich, a professional curator, is the possessor of Bertha, a 20-foot constrictor, weighing 320 pounds, and Rajah, her snake-law husband of 340 pounds. The couple are looking forward to a "blessed event." Fifty-five reptile eggs, laid in this city, are theirs.

The eggs, hard-shelled and shaped like a bride's first muffins, were laid by Bertha upon her arrival with Rajah and 23 other pythons from India. They were consigned to Tresslich, who imports snakes for charmers and zoos and circuses throughout the country.

Because of the extreme sensitivity of reptile eggs to anything except tropic climate, Tresslich has arranged for their care in his sleeping quarters during the hatching period, which will take several months.

He does not drink intoxicants, so, of course, when he sees the baby snakes, it will be clear to him that they are real and not a version of an imbibor's too well known "d. t. s." If all 55 hatch and live, Tresslich stands to make \$16,500 profit. The pythons bring an average of \$300 apiece in the present snake market, on which he will have a corner. All 25 reptiles, which arrived, had been sold.

Bertha and Rajah and their eggs, however, temporarily have been withheld from the market as subjects for zoological study. The eggs are the first which have been laid in this country. Also their laying was the first on record as being witnessed by white man.

Natives of India, where the python is most prevalent, have seen their birth on various occasions. Principally the natives confine themselves to beating back pythons from their villages into the jungles.

The python has not a poisonous bite. It is of the constrictor type and has been known to swallow a whole cow after crushing its bones with the tremendous power of its coils. Smaller animals and fowl it swallows alive.

Plane to Spread Poison to Kill Sudan Locusts

London.—After two years of laboratory investigations and field trials, H. H. King, formerly chief entomologist of the Sudan government, has sailed for Northern Rhodesia with a special airplane designed to discharge clouds of poison dust for the destruction of swarms of locusts.

The poison to be used is finely ground sodium arsenate. King is taking three tons, which have been specially ground by a British chemical company. It has been established that the dust is fatal to the locusts and yet harmless to vegetation, animals and human beings.

The Royal Aircraft establishment, after unsuccessful attempts to utilize the ordinary bombing plane, finally designed an apparatus for discharging the dust from the wings of a plane in such a way that the aviator does not have to breathe it.

Philadelphia Citizens Like Rattlesnake Meat

Philadelphia.—The City of Brotherly Love is growing fond of rattlesnake meat.

A local food store reports "demand far exceeding the supply" for canned rattlesnake steaks. "The public reaction has been very favorable to the food," a store manager said. "We have had a high percentage of repeat orders, together with new customers for the food every day."

Reportedly a common food in some parts of the West, rattlesnake meat is new in this section. Its use as food, however, dates back to the early Chinese.

Will Eat Snakes if Fair Doesn't Want 'Em

Chicago.—Last year one Cliff Wilson ran a snake show on the Midway, at A Century of Progress, where the Street of Villages is now located. Little has been heard about Cliff since the 1933 World's fair closed, but the following telegram addressed to Jack Morrison, of the exposition's publicity division, may throw some light on Cliff and his slithering charges:

Mr. Morrison: As I have eight monster snakes and times are tough and the World's fair don't want me, I am forced to kill the snakes for food and invite yourself, Mr. Bartley, Mr. Lohr, Mr. Randolph, Mr. Bell and Mr. Owings to a snake food banquet. Time and place to be announced very shortly.

Sincerely, Cliff Wilson.

P. S. This don't go if I would be successful in getting placed at your fair.

Scenes and Persons in the Current News



1—Premier Goering of Prussia entertaining Queen Ramoai Fani o. Sata at a banquet in Berlin just after the "bloody purge" of the Nazi party. 2—Alexander Troyanov, Russian ambassador to the United States, on a visit to A Century of Progress in Chicago. 3—Scene in Jacksonville, Ill., after a destructive tornado had hit that city.

Drug Men Enjoying Lubbock Convention

Shine Phillips, Widely Known Big Spring Man in Charge

Lubbock, Aug. 23.—Everything from the code to merchandising methods is being discussed by prominent speakers inside and outside the trade at the West Texas Pharmaceutical Association convention here this week.

Fully 500 druggists, drug travelers, jobbers, manufacturers and others of the trade are here.

Henry W. Stanley, director of the trade extension department of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, spoke on "Salesmanship;" Dr. W. J. Danforth, Danforth Pharmacy School, Fort Worth, on "Bringing the Drug Industry Back;" R. B. Crow, Bauer & Black, Chicago, on "Modern Merchandising Methods;" A. H. Seely, Belton, president of the Texas Pharmaceutical Association, was on the program.

Shine Phillips, Big Spring, president of the West Texas Pharmaceutical Association, is directing the convention program. Assisting are E. E. Smith, San Angelo, secretary, and other officials.

Bridge parties, theater parties and other entertainment for the wives, in addition to the general entertainment program of two dances, golf, two banquets and a luncheon, are keeping the visitors busy.

With the Churches

Church of Christ Bible Study 10 o'clock Morning Worship 10:45 o'clock Ladies' Bible Class, Wed., 3:30 p.m.

Baptist Church Sunday School 10 o'clock Morning Service 11 o'clock Evening Worship 8:15 o'clock B. Y. P. U. 7:15 o'clock W. M. U. Wednesday, 4 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 8:30 Frank Nixon, Pastor.

Methodist Church Sunday School 9:45 Morning Worship 11 o'clock Young People's Meeting 7 p. m. Evening Service 8 o'clock W. M. S. Wednesday, 3 p. m. Choir Rehearsal, Thurs., 7:30 p. m. Stewards' Meeting first Sunday (each month) Church Board, first Tuesday night (in month) E. P. Neal, Pastor.

Classified Ads

Pure Bred RAMBOUILLET BUCKS ANGORA BILLIES W. L. (Tom) Davis 38-6tc

RAMS—15 head of blackfaced Hampshire rams; \$12.50 per head. W. E. Glasscock, Sonora. 36tf

LAUNDRY wanted; special rates on family bundles. Mrs. E. C. Maddox. It

DESK WANTED

WANT to buy good desk—either roll top or flat; must have six drawers. Phone 24.

Penitentiary grammar: The convicts saw and the guards fail to see.—Dallas Morning News.

PERSONALS

Lupe Sanford was a visitor in San Angelo Friday.

E. D. Kennedy left Monday for a business trip to Austin.

Mrs. Auther Simmons and daughter, Muriel, spent Monday in San Angelo.

V. G. Stalte, auditor for Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc., was a business visitor in Sonora Tuesday.

The Misses Lois and Elsie McKellar of Austin are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. James this week.

Mrs. Mans Hoggett returned to Mertzon Saturday after visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lowrey.

Mrs. Ernest McClelland spent several days this week in San Angelo with Mrs. Henry Decker and son, Billie Frank.

Mrs. Clara Murphy returned Monday from San Angelo where she had been visiting since the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McClelland were in San Angelo Tuesday. Mrs. McClelland remained with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Decker.

Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Hardy are guests of Mrs. W. R. Dawes of San Angelo. They left Friday with Mrs. Dawes who has spent the last month here with Dr. and Mrs. Hardy.

Mrs. Clyde Gardner and Mrs. Stella Stanley visited in Mertzon Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Williams and Miss Mary Louise Gardner who is spending this week with Mrs. Williams.

Miss Grace Trainer, George D. and R. W. Wallace and Wiley Trainer spent Saturday and Sunday in Mertzon as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lum Trainer. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Trainer and son, C. W.

Hindenburgs' dignity was preserved to the last. He did not live long enough to find himself obliged to say "Heil Hitler."—Washington Star.

SONORA DOCTOR TO SERVE SAN ANGELO PATIENTS

Dr. C. C. McDaniel tomorrow will assume the practice of Dr. L. George Grupe of San Angelo while Dr. Grupe is taking post-graduate work in Davenport, Ia. He left today for the Iowa city and will not return until September 3.

Dr. McDaniel's work in Sonora will be handled in the afternoons. Radio talks over the San Angelo station, KGKL, will be given by Dr. McDaniel each morning at eleven as he did last summer while serving for the San Angelo man.

If it's printing, see the NEWS.

Special Notice!

Beginning Saturday morning, August 25, and until September 3, I will take care of Dr. L. George Grupe's offices and practice in San Angelo. I will take care of his practice in the mornings and will return here at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and take care of my business.

Those of you who are interested in getting back your Health—I invite to tune in on Station KGKL, San Angelo, every week day morning at 11 o'clock to hear my Health Talks. By doing so you can learn How you can get well by Chiropractic.

For Health Consult C. C. McDaniel, D. C.

Phone 134 Savell Apts.

Aldwell-Elliott Co.

FOR INSURANCE

Any kind—life, fire, automobile, plate glass, burglary, hail, rain, tornado, golf, accident and health, indemnity bonds, or any other kind of INSURANCE written. :: WE HAVE IT!

FOR RANCH LOANS

Unlimited funds to lend on ranches at 6 per cent—five to thirty-three years' time.

FOR AUDITING

See us for complete auditing and income tax service.

WE APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS

'GO PLACES'

VACATION TIME - LOW BUS FARES



Modern Airstream Buses

COOL—COMFORTABLE—RADIO EQUIPPED

SAMPLE ONE-WAY FARES

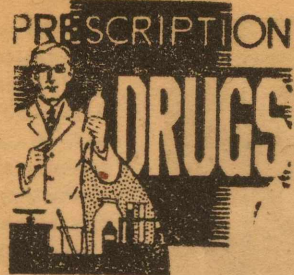
Table with 2 columns: Destination and Fare. Rows include Sonora to San Angelo (\$1.35), Sonora to San Antonio (3.75), Sonora to Austin, via Fredericksburg (4.65), Sonora to Houston (7.65), Sonora to Big Spring (3.25), Sonora to Galveston (9.15), Sonora to Corpus Christi (6.70), Sonora to Los Angeles (18.20), and Sonora to Chicago (Round Trip) (34.30).

STOPOVERS ANYWHERE

KERRVILLE BUS COMPANY, Inc.

Leave your car at home and your transportation troubles with us.

Phone 41 for Further Information



Not just a
"drug store"
but an important ally of your
Physician

When a physician decides some particular medicine will likely be of benefit to his patient he wants that particular drug in the RIGHT proportion. He must know that what he prescribes will be what the patient takes.

We are prepared to offer a pharmaceutical service that answers every need. You and your physician can depend upon our proper handling of each individual order of your physician.

PRESCRIPTIONS
CAREFULLY COMPOUNDED
AT ALL TIMES!

Corner Drug Store Inc
SONORA, TEXAS, Phone 41

EGYPT TO DEVELOP ITS HOME INDUSTRY

Machines Will Replace Hand Cotton Looms.

London.—Egypt, land of the pyramids, has joined the nations which are trying to develop home industry.

In many places the old-fashioned hand looms, which have been used from time immemorial to weave Egypt's fine cotton into cloth, are being replaced by modern machinery. The object is to enable Egyptians to supply the type of cotton best suited to Egyptian needs.

In spite of comparatively cheap labor, which can be obtained in Egypt, the government has found it necessary to put a tariff on all imported cotton goods.

This is said not to affect British goods, which because of their grade and price are not suited to the Egyptian market. It is aimed primarily at Japanese competition.

The Japanese, it is stated, can produce exactly the grade of cotton material required by Egypt at a price which, despite the expense of transportation, makes it impossible for even comparatively cheaply produced local cotton to hold its own. Hence the expansion of the local industry.

Enormous progress in the industry is reported. For the moment efforts are being made merely to make Egypt self-sufficient insofar as her cotton goods needs are concerned. Eventually it is hoped to be able to export Egyptian-made cotton to Egypt's neighbors, which are great cotton users.

Palestine, Iraq and Arabia are situated geographically so as to make it more to their advantage economically speaking to buy Egyptian cotton if available. Apart from the fact that the Egyptian cotton has a reputation for unequalled fineness, it is considered that Egyptians are better able to produce the type of goods required by their neighbors than other nations.

The value of agricultural land, already said to be among the highest priced areas in the world, is rising. Already scarce, it is becoming scarcer on account of industrial development. The country, officials say, is on the verge of enjoying an unprecedented boom. Comparative freedom from political trouble at the moment is aiding in the process.

First Horse Cars

The first horse car line was opened in New York city November 14, 1832. The cars resembled stage coaches and accommodated from eight to ten passengers. The line was opened by the Harlem Railroad company, and the tracks were laid on Fourth avenue between Prince and Fourteenth streets.

Phone your news items to 24

PERSONALS

Charles Harold Evans spent Wednesday in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schwiening are visiting friends in San Antonio.

The Misses Bobbie Halbert and Wilma Hutcherson spent Thursday in San Angelo.

Mrs. Mattie Brown of Brady is visiting her son, Orion Brown, and Mrs. Brown this week.

Mrs. Josie McDonald and daughter, Mrs. W. P. McConnell, jr. were in San Angelo Wednesday.

Miss Bertha Eaton left Tuesday morning for Artesia, N. M., where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Paul Otts, for ten days.

Mrs. Alton Hightower, accompanied by Miss Joanna Stokes, spent the week-end with Mrs. Hightower's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carter, in Mertzon.

Mrs. Alvin Roepke and her daughters, Laura Bell and Alva Marie, of Thorndale were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar L. Carpenter of the Ranch Experiment Station. Mrs. Roepke is a sister of Mrs. Carpenter.

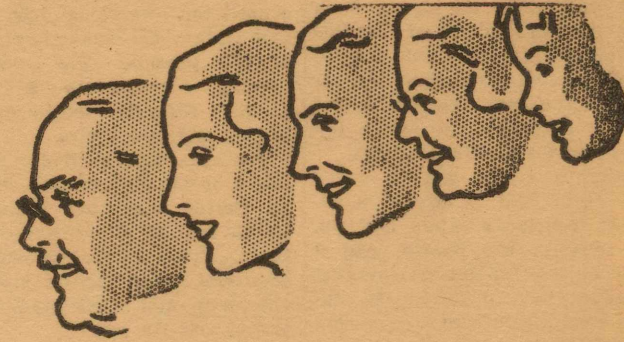
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carroll returned Monday from a visit of several days in Houston. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll visited their daughter, Mrs. T. H. Sander, while Mrs. Arthur Carroll visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Palmer.

Einstein has written a new book on subjects dear to his heart. It has a chapter on the saxophone, and other forms of bent space.—Detroit News.

Tell about it with a Want Ad in the NEWS. Economical and effective.—adv.

A Banking Service.....

for All the Family



Our place in Sonora and Sutton county life is a definite one and we have something to offer all—Junior's pennies are brought to us, family treasures are kept in our safety deposit boxes, a checking account is a systematic way of conducting the business of the head of the family.....

First National Bank
Sonora, Texas



APARTMENT WANTED!
Two or three rooms—furnished—attractive and easily heated. Write: N. S. Patterson, care Devil's River News.—adv.—1tc.

Gov. Landon sticks to his desk.—Headline. Well, you know what this hot weather does to this cheap varnish. — Memphis Commercial Appeal.

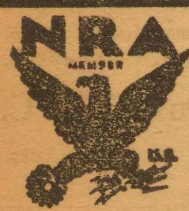
Service of troops at Minneapolis and New Orleans may interfere with their regular summer training periods. — Indianapolis News.

A large portion of our army of unemployed consists of "deserving Democrats" who are still waiting for jobs.—Des Moines Register.

Want Ads Sell!

CITY VARIETY STORE

- | | | | |
|------------------------|---------------------------|---|---------------|
| 5c TO \$5 STORE | SPECIAL! | LADIES' HATS for fall—\$1, \$1.49 and | \$1.95 |
| | 50 | LADIES' SHOES for fall—\$1.98 to | \$4.95 |
| | New Fall | SMARTLY STYLED cotton frocks, 79c to | \$2.98 |
| | HOUSE DRESSES each | CHILDREN'S school shoes, \$1 to | \$1.98 |
| | 39c | MEN'S felt hats, special, \$1.98 to | \$4.95 |
| | Fast Colors | CHILDREN'S mercerized anklets, the pair | 15c |



Piggly Wiggly

EARL B. LOMAX, Mgr. Sonora, Texas

SPECIALS for FRIDAY — SATURDAY
AUGUST 24 and 25

SPUDS California Long White—10 pounds **19c**

- | | | | |
|--|------------|--------------------------------------|------------|
| PEAS, Mission, 2 No. 2 cans for | 25c | PEAS, Del Monte, No. 2 can | 19c |
| CORN, Del Monte, whole grain, 12-oz. | 14c | APRICOTS, water packed; gallon can | 48c |
| TUNA FISH, Bonita, all white meat | 14c | PEACHES, sliced or halves, 2 2½ cans | 35c |
| PEACHES, sliced or halves, 2 No. 1 can | 23c | PRESERVES, Ma Brown, asst., 1-lb. jr | 19c |
| FRUIT COCKTAIL, 2 No. 1 tall cans | .31 | PORK and BEANS, Wapco, can | 5c |

COFFEE Maxwell House 3-pound can **90c**

- | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------|---|------------|
| TOMATOES, 3 No. 2 cans for | 25c | TOMATOES, No. 1 can for | 6c |
| CHEESE, full cream Longhorn, lb. | 16c | MACARONI, Spaghetti or Vermicelli, three packages for | 14c |
| PINTO BEANS, 10 pounds for | 69c | BRAN FLAKES, Post's or Kellogg's | 10c |
| RIPPLED WHEAT, large box | .10 | CORN FLAKES, large box | 9c |
| CRACKERS, Saltines, 8-oz. box | 9c | VANILLA WAFERS, the pound | 12c |

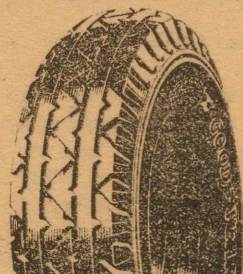
SUGAR, pure cane, in cloth bags, Friday and Saturday special, 10 pounds for **57c**

Buy Your Lipton's Tea Now and Get Your Tea Glasses FREE

FRUITS and VEGETABLES

- | | | | |
|-------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|------------|
| LETTUCE, the head | 5c | TOMATOES, home grown, the pound | 8c |
| ORANGES, 344 size, each | 1c | BANANAS, the dozen | 15c |

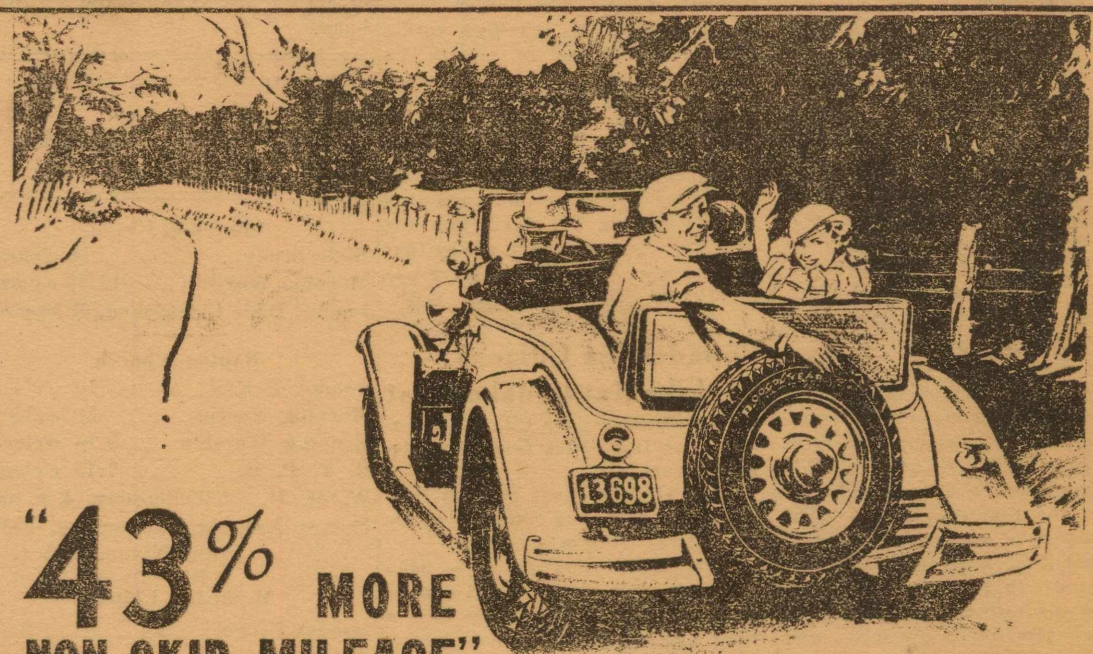
We redeem all Lux Soap, Soap Flakes, Rinso and Lifebuoy Soap, Coupons Bring them to Piggly Wiggly



GOODYEAR SPEEDWAY
Tough thick Center Traction Tread. Built with Supertwist Cord. Full Oversize. Lifetime guarantee.

4.40-21 4.75-19
\$4.95 \$5.70

Expert tire mounting. Prices subject to change without notice. State tax, if any, additional.



43% MORE NON-SKID MILEAGE

"You're too modest!"

Motorists who got the first G-3's put out—months before the public announcement—say, "You're too modest!" Many of them report 50% to 100% more non-skid mileage. Why, then, do we insist on only 43%? Well, 43% is a definite test-car-proved figure. Very likely it is low for normal use—because the tests which established the 43% average were gruelling: cars speeding up to 50, jamming on brakes, mile after mile, day and night. Very likely most motorists will get more than 43% more non-skid mileage. But we'll string along with 43%—because it's plenty to deliver at no extra cost. Come see the tire that's the talk of the nation.



YES! A DOUBLE GUARANTEE
1. Against road hazards.
2. Against defects for life.

When You "G-3" Your Wheels—**LOOK WHAT YOU GET**

No Extra Cost! Flatter, wider All-Weather tread. More Center Traction (16% more non-skid blocks). Heavier Tougher Tread. Supertwist Cord Body and 43% More Miles of Real Non-Skid.

GENUINE FORD Body Cleaner and POLISH
Excellent for Any Car

SONORA MOTOR COMPANY
SONORA, TEXAS