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EIGHT THOUSAND VISITORS WERE HERE JULY 4-5

The 4th and 5th day of July, the first being the day of our forefathers declared their independence was commemorated here during these two days with a grand and glorious celebration with one of the best race meets and rodeos ever staged in the history of Sonora. Manager Barnes estimated the crowd for both days to be approximately eight thousand.

Barbecue De Luxe

Twenty beeves and fifty sheep and goats were barbecued by that barbecue chef de luxe, Uncle Ben Binyon. This venerable old man has seen many days in the early history of West Texas, and has prepared many a meal from the meat of these animals. There was enough eats for the throngs that swooped down at the barbecue grounds.

Rodeo and Race results for the first day follow:

Race Results

The race results for Wednesday afternoon follow:

First race, one-fourth mile; purse \$75—Midnight, owned by Bliss and Hysaw, with Hysaw up, 1st; Pure Gold, owned by B. Custer, 2nd and Annie Belle, the property of Mangold, with Mangold up, 3rd. Midnight, a black horse ridden by Hysaw, a negro jockey, took the lead at the start and never lost it.

A San Angelo owned horse, Kentia, the property of Gillie Gilmore and Millsbaugh, dumped its jockey in the scramble for favored positions at the post, in the next quarter-mile \$75 purse race, but when H. H. Murchison, the starter, waved them down the stretch a few minutes later the an Angelo horse took the lead and never surrendered it. Ozona, the property of C. M. Berry, placed second as Astonishment owned by Jack White came in third.

Grandpa was doped to breast the tape in the third race, six furlongs, purse \$100, but this horse, wearing the colors of Bliss and Hysaw, was

OFFICERS FOR DEM. PRIMARY ARE NAMED

The following named officers and clerks have been named for Sutton County Democratic Primary to be held July 28:

Precinct No. 1.—W. C. Gilmore, Sam Hull and J. C. Morrow, court house. Precinct No. 2.—J. M. Puckett and T. W. Sandherr at J. T. Shurley ranch; Precinct No. 5.—Asa Hallum and Otto Theirs at Cedar Hill School house; Precinct No. 4.—J. P. Reiley and L. R. Morris, at Owensville School House; Precinct No. 5.—Arthur Stuart and Libb Wallace at Arthur Stuart ranch.

Bradley of Eldorado, Will Wilkinson and G. G. Stephenson of Sonora. H. H. Murchison of Eldorado, was the starter, and William Gilmore, former mayor of Sonora, was secretary assisted by W. H. Dameron, in charge of the experiment station near this city. Joe Logan was also in the stand.

A third and not a very enthusiastic third at that. Prince Eternal, property of C. A. Pennell, won the race with Lightning Conductor, owned by Mr. W. Dooley, second.

There were only three horses in fourth race, which favorite, Nellie Gray with the negro jockey, Hysaw again up, won. The purse was \$75 and the distance three furlongs. Bonnie Atkins, from the stables of Dad Allen, was next and Joe Blair Jr., owned by Jim Clamp, was third. The West Texas Racing Association Rules and officials were called into the consideration of a purported foul by the dark Hysaw, astride Winnie May, the horse that crossed the tape first in the last race, five and one-half furlongs for a purse of \$150. The judges ruled that a foul had been committed and the race went to Simon Kenton, from the stables of Gilmore and Millsbaugh. Miser, owned by Jim Clamp and Frank Kincaid, was third.

The judges of the race were Frank

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MARION ARCHER, 25, WAS BURIED HERE TUESDAY

Marion Archer, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Archer of this place, was called by the death angel Monday at noon. Marion had been suffering with leakage of the heart for several years and a few months ago kept getting worse until the end came.

Deceased was one of the most liked young men in Sonora. He was ever trying to do some deed for his loved ones and himself. Everyone who knew him loved him, and indeed his death resulted in a pall of gloom and sadness to his relatives and many friends. He was in the tender care of his devoted mother, sisters, and brothers, father and friends, but to no avail.

Funeral services were preached at the Methodist Church Tuesday morning with Rev. F. M. Jackson and Rev. J. A. Stephen in charge.

Deceased is survived by his father and mother, Mr and Mrs. G. W. Archer; seven brothers, Emmett, Duard, Dorsey, G. W. Jr., Francis Lester, Edward, four sisters, Mrs. Cliff Johnson, Lida, Stella Mae and Ina. Six uncles were present for the funeral: G. T. Archer, Brady; A. E. Archer, Richland Springs; C. E. Archer, Center Point; J. A. Archer, Eldorado; L. G. Burleson, Center Point and G. C. Burleson, Center Point.

In this sad hour of bereavement to relatives and friends, the News extends its sympathy.

Active pall bearers were: Duke Bryson, Geo. B. Hamilton, Raymond Barker, Bud Smith and Roy Hogget. Honorary were: B. M. Halbert Jr., Frank James, Hilton Turney and Ernest McClelland.

Mayor Dunklin Off for Summer Vacation

Mayor C. G. Dunklin will leave tomorrow for a two-week vacation in Dallas, Henderson and points south, probably near Galveston.

DR. SELLARDS, GEOLOGIST WAS HERE THIS WEEK

Dr. E. H. Sellards, of the Geological department of the State University was here Thursday seeking data relative to the meteor which fell somewhere in the neighborhood of Brackett and Uvalde. Dr. Sellards says that his department at Austin has several pieces from different meteors. These fragments from the heavens, when analyzed, showed that they contain iron and nickel and sometimes are of white rock.

The meteor which fell near Uvalde bursted, according to those who saw it.

The intense heat possessed of these bodies is caused by the rapid speed they travel causing much friction, Dr. Sellards said. The meteor which fell near Uvalde was on June 23 at 4:40. When it came in contact with the earth there was a shake-up something similar to an earthquake. Window lights were shaken from their frames and houses shimmied, Dr. Sellards was told.

Wardlaw Will Speak in Sonora July 17th

Additional speaking dates for Louis J. Wardlaw, candidate for Governor, were announced Wednesday by W. N. Waddell, Wardlaw campaign manager. The itinerary of the last two weeks before the first primary carries Wardlaw to most of the larger cities.

The list follows: Monday, July 16, 3 p. m., Ballinger; Monday, July 16, 8 p. m., San Angelo; Tuesday, July 17, 3 p. m., Sonora; Tuesday, July 17, 8 p. m., Del Rio; Wednesday, July 18, 3 p. m., El Paso. Thursday, July 19, 8 p. m., Big Spring; Friday, July 20, 3 p. m., West; Friday, July 20, 8 p. m., Waco; Saturday, July 21, 3 p. m., Georgetown; Saturday, July 21, 8 p. m., Austin; Monday, July 23, 3 p. m., Galveston; Monday, July 23, 8 p. m., Houston; Tuesday, July 24, 3 p. m., Fort Worth; Tuesday, July 24, 8 p. m., Beaumont; Wednesday, July 25, 8 p. m., Kaufman.

Uvalde Was Host to Goat Men

Quite a large crowd was in attendance at the annual convention, show and sale of the Texas Angora Goat Raisers' Association at Uvalde this week, and while sales of stock were draggy, only one buck being disposed of at auction, despite the efforts of the auctioneer to get bidders interested, yet quite a good deal of stuff was disposed of at private sale.

J. E. Thurman of Rocksprings, was the official judge of the flocks entered in contest, and the following awards were made:

B type: Aged buck: L. K. Guthrie, Rocksprings, first; C. A. Pepper, San Antonio, second; W. H. Rawlings & Son, Uvalde, third.

Yearling buck: C. A. Pepper first; T. C. Hampton, Rocksprings, second; J. L. Gully & Sons, Uvalde, third.

Buck kids: W. B. Patterson, Rio Frio, first; W. H. Rawlings & Sons, third.

Aged does: G. A. Bommer, Leakey, first; Bob Davis, Rio Frio, second; W. B. Patterson, third.

Yearling does: G. A. Bommer, first; M. D. Taylor, Vance, second and third.

Doe kid: Bob Davis, first; W. H. Rawlings & Sons, second; G. A. Bommer, third.

Champion buck: L. K. Guthrie. Grand champion buck: L. K. Guthrie.

C type: Aged buck: Sim Reid, Camp Wood first; F. O. Landrum, second; M. D. Taylor, third.

Yearling buck: W. H. Rawlings & Son, first; G. W. Field, Leakey, second; C. F. Briggs, Del Rio, third.

Buck kids: J. L. Gully & Sons, first; Lee Whans, Camp Wood, second; W. H. Rawlings & Son, third.

Aged doe: W. H. Rawlings & Son first; F. D. Landrum, second; J. L. Gully & Son, third.

Yearling does: R. N. Parrett &

FORWARD WITH SONORA

MEXICAN GETS ARM BROKEN IN AUTO WRECK

A Mexican boy, 14, riding with another Mexican employed by Ben F. Meckel, sustained a broken leg Wednesday night at about 12 o'clock when the car they were riding in collided with the Ford roadster driven by Paul Duke. The accident occurred at the first curve between town and the fair grounds, when, according to reports, the two Mexicans were on the wrong side of the highway. Duke's car went off a ten-foot bluff and was damaged to the extent that \$150 worth of repairs will have to be made before the car is in running condition. Duke escaped unhurt.

The Mexican's car was slightly damaged and was paid for by Duke. At the time of the accident the Mexican lad was riding on the left fender when the cars met and his leg was broken. The boy was carried to town by Roy E. Aldwell who happened along about the time of the collision.

Duke made bond in the sum of \$200 and was charged with reckless driving while on a public highway.

H. Rawlings & Son, second. Doe Kids: W. H. Rawlings & Son, first and third; J. L. Gully & Sons, second.

Champion buck: Sim Reid. Champion doe: W. H. Rawlings & Son.

Long class: Yearling buck:

W. B. Patterson, first; W. C. Stewart, Barksdale, second; F. O. Landrum, third.

Aged doe: F. O. Landrum.

Yearling doe: F. O. Landrum.

Yearling doe: W. H. Rawlings & Son, first and third; Sim Reid, second.

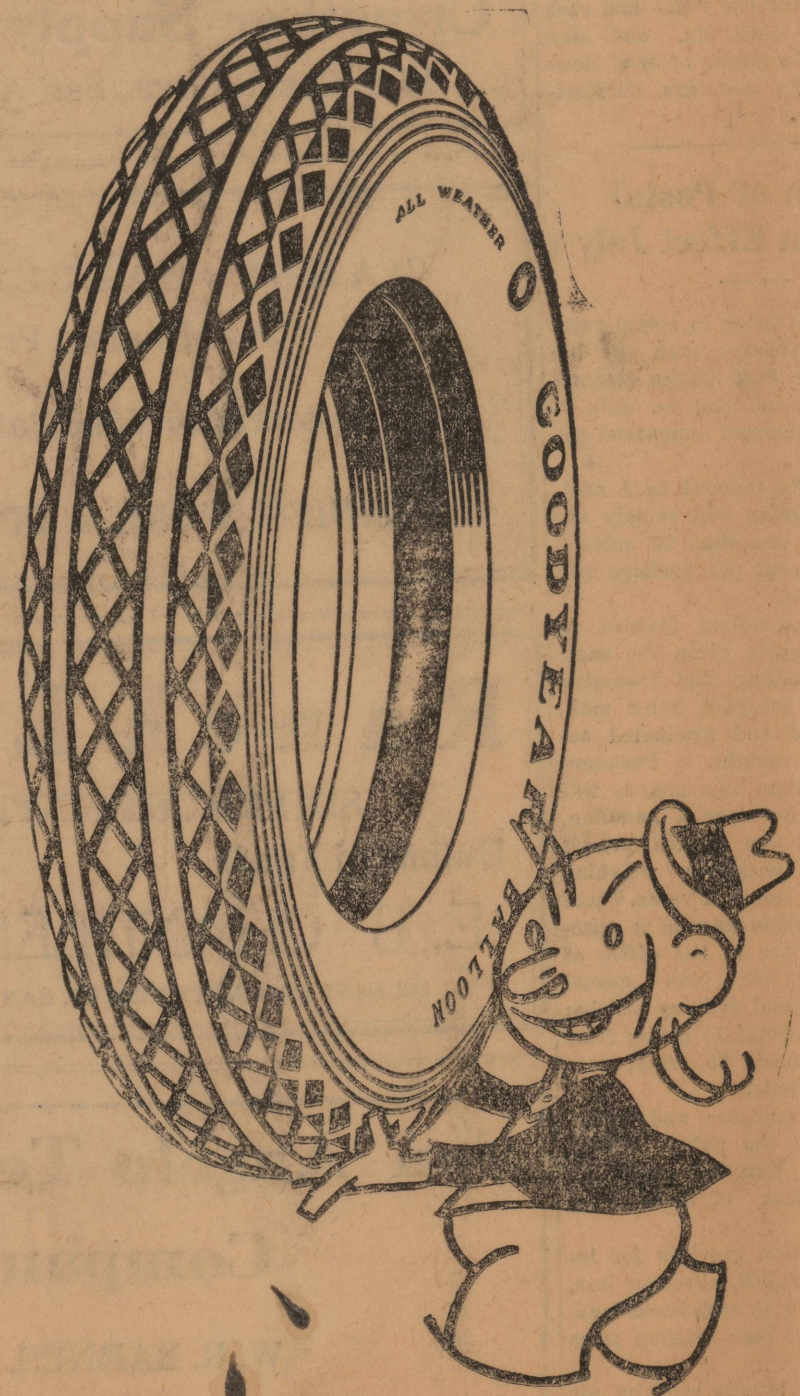
Grand champion buck, Sim Reid.

Grand champion doe: F. O. Landrum.

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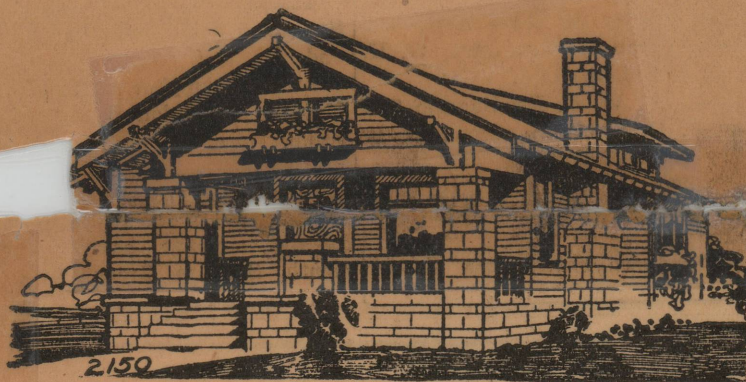
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ing Goods.

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WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

VERNON—The first official greet-
ings of President A. M. Bourland
of the WTCC will appear in the Ju-
ly (convention report number) of
"West Texas Today."

Cross Plains is busy in prepara-
tion for its annual picnic to be held
July 12, 13, and 14.

CARLSBAD, N. M.—The next
district convention of the WTCC is
slated to be held in the famous Caver-
ns August 7.

DENTON—Denton will be host to
the Texas Baby Chick Association
annual convention July 9, and 10.

COLEMAN—Coleman is making
preparations for entertaining the 1st
executive session of the new WTCC
board, July 16.

ROARING SPRINGS—Assured of
a 30,000 bale run, Roaring Springs
is in need of a cotton compress.

SNYDER—Scurry's county site will
be the starting point of the annual
WTCC motorcade to form here Aug-
ust 6.

SHAMROCK—The Shamrock C C
has edited a creditable bulletin, il-
lustrating and describing its many
varied industries.

EL PASO—Carlsbad, N. M., is
the first West Texas Chamber of
Commerce town to register for the
1929 convention to be held here.

BOOKER—Booker and her trade
territory have been invited to par-
ticipate in the big Fourth Celebra-
tion to be staged at Woodward.

WELLINGTON—The Collingsworth
Standard, Aubrey Dobbs, editor, re-
cently put out a special 24-page WT
TC edition.

QUANAH—The Quanah Chamber
of Commerce has edited a most com-
plete booklet advertising Hardeman
county and its products.

HEREFORD—W. R. Arnold, for-
merly of Panhandle, is the new sec-
retary here.

PORT DAVIS—Fort Davis is plan-
ning entertainment of the Big Bend
District of the WTCC on August 9.

MIAMI—Twenty charter members
were recently enrolled in the first
Lions' Club of this city.

HAMILTON—Hamilton's new au-
ditorium is expected to be completed
by September 1st.

ROCKSPRINGS—Staging a come-
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* * * * * Personal Mention * * * * *

Joe Logan and family attended the
races here during the two-day cel-
ebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green of Rank-
in were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louie
Stuart during the rodeo here.

Mrs. A. B. Whitehead of Del Rio
was the guest of Mrs. Roy E. Ald-
well here during the celebration.

B. N. Weatherby, R. W. Weatherby
and Fayette Mayes were here from
Big Lake Thursday for the race meet.

W. W. Coates, wife and Mrs. Vera
Longino of Big Lake were among
attendants here during the celebra-
tion.

Sam Ashburn, of the San Angelo
Standard, was here during the big
celebration in the interest of his
paper.

Mrs. Walter Stuart and daughter
Miss Juanita, of Marlin, were here
guests of Mrs. Arthur Stuart's dur-
ing the 4th.

Geo. L. Aldwell was here from San
Angelo this week visiting his rela-
tives and attending the race meet
and rodeo.

Dave Cooper and wife of Del Rio
were guests of Mrs. Cooper's aunt,
Mrs. Theo Savell here during the
rodeo and race meet.

Mrs. Ray Spiller of Menard, and
daughter were here for the celebra-
tion, the guests of Mrs. Spiller's
sister, Mrs. Joe Vander Stucken.

Henry C. Wall will leave about
the fifteenth of this month for O-
zona where he will take charge of
the Ira Carson ranch as foreman.

Mrs. J. L. Nisbit and children of
Plainview are here for an extended
visit with Mrs. Nisbit's father and
mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Aldwell.

Jo Brown Ross, one of Sutton
County's most prominent young
ranchmen, was here attending the
rodeo and race meet this week.

Ed Mears and son, Ed L. of Me-
nard were here for the rodeo and
race meet and were guests of Mr.
Mears' daughter, Mrs. Joe Vander-

Horace Res and baby were here
from Big Lake for the rodeo and to
visit relatives. Mr. Res is manager
of the William Cameron Lumber
Company at Big Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vander Stuck-
en of Menard were here for the
celebration and while here were the
guests of Mr. Vander Stucken's
brother, E. F. Vander Stucken and
wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Newby of Del
Rio were here for the rodeo and race
meet. While here Mr. and Mrs.
Newby were the guests of Mrs. New-
by's parents Mr. and Mrs. Hi East-
land.

Reduction of Postal Rates in Effect July 1

A general reduction in postal rates
will become effective with the be-
ginning of the Post Office Depart-
ment's new fiscal year on July 1.
Among the changes announced are
the following:

All postal cards reduced to 1 cent.
Postal post rates will remain the
same on hauls less than 30 miles a
reduction of 1 cent per package will
become effective.

The special handling feature, in
which packages are given the same
expeditious handling and transporta-
tion as that accorded letter mail,
will be reduced and graduated ac-
cording to weight. Packages
weighing less than two pounds will
cost 10 cents for special handling,
packages from two to ten pounds
15 cents and packages weighing
more than ten pounds 20 cents. These
fees will not entitle parcels to special
delivery service at the office of
address. Fees for both special
handling and special delivery will be:
Less than two pounds 15 cents; from
two to ten pounds 25 cents; over
ten pounds 35 cents.

Rates on newspapers and maga-
zines mailed by the public will be
reduced to one cent for each two
ounces, regardless of distance or
weight.

A new regulation provides for in-
demnity up to \$1,000, covering loss,
rifling or damage to registered mail,
upon payment of fees ranging from
15 cents to \$1.

On August 1 letters sent by air
mail will be reduced to five cents.

A reward of \$25 is offered to the
finder of an odd shaped white gold
pin with a diamond in center with
a blue set at either end which was
lost during the Sonora celebration
by Mrs. Chas. Evans.

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During 1927, the Sonora Motor Company sold over \$35,000 worth of the well known Goodyear Tires, not to mention hundreds of tubes sold. Mr. Hull reports that their sales are increasing, and that they expect bigger sales during 1928.

The Sonora Motor Company is now handling a new product of Goodyear, the Double Eagle Balloon tire in all sizes. This is an extra heavy duty tire, and Mr. Hull says they are one of the best tires on the market.

During the past few months, due to heavy sales of Goodyear tires, the Sonora Motor Company has been compelled to get new stocks of tires from three to four times a week, and at times orders are delivered here daily.

A reduction of from ten to seventeen per cent is being given on all sizes of these famous tires by the Sonora Motor Company, and Mr. Hull says that the demand is getting greater.

Miss Lena V. Stokes returned from Del Rio this week where she had been attending summer school.

WEST TEXAS UTILITIES MOVE TO NEW HOME

The West Texas Utilities office, which had been maintained in the Dew Drop Inn building, has been moved to their modern and spacious new building.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our appreciation to those who assisted us during the recent illness and death of our loved son and brother, Marion, who passed from this earth to his reward. And especially do we thank those who sent such beautiful flowers; also to those who sent flowers which were lost on the bus from San Angelo. May God's richest blessings be with you all.

Mr and Mrs. G. W. Archer, father and mother

Emmett, a brother

Duard, a brother

Dorsey, a brother

Lester, a brother

G. W. Jr., a brother

Frances, a brother

Edward, a brother

Mrs. Cliff Johnson, a sister

Lida, a sister

Stella Mae, a sister

Ina, a sister

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

Will Word of Eldorado, former Sonoran, was here from Eldorado to help celebrate the 4th.

"FIRES HURT ALL BUSINESSES"

"In the present economic scheme of things," says the Modern Fire Chief, "we live in a very closely-knit and interrelated world. Cooperation is the basis of our economic order, which is affected and regulated by a very intricate system of exchange. Each of us can enjoy success in the long run, only as long as the whole system of things prospers. Because of this cooperative interdependence any waste of labor or capital affects each of us."

"Knowing this to be true, why do we Americans so complacently regard our annual fire loss as a matter of course—something that only affects those who suffer a fire? What a fallacy it is to believe that the effects of a fire are limited to the factory or the building or the home that is destroyed!

"What happens when an industrial plant burns? Production ceases, and when work stops, men naturally are thrown out of work. When work ceases, salaries and wages cease.

Perhaps it soon becomes necessary to draw out of savings accounts and the like. Only the absolute necessities of life are purchased. The buying power of the people is lessened."

The public should realize that our tremendous annual direct fire loss of nearly \$600,000,000 is but a small part of an inestimable total. The indirect loss in wages business, time and employment is a great additional burden that must be borne by all of us, and which is not "insured."

SURFACE TREATMENT SAVES HIGHWAYS

In a recent article on "Why We Oil Roads," R. H. Baldock, maintenance engineer, Oregon State Highway Department, said:

"The present extensive use of fuel oil on the Pacific Coast in road work is the direct outcome of experimental work conducted in 1923 by the Oregon State Highway Commission, followed in 1924, 1925 and 1926 by a bituminous treatment of several hundred miles of the state highway system. The use of oil in the preservation of modern crushed rock and surfaced roads has been developed a great deal since that time by the State Highway Department, and is now being used by highway departments of practically every state in the Union.

"Oregon pioneered the oiling of roads as a dust preventive and has since developed this type of road surface to a point where it is attracting international attention. Initiated as a dust palliative, the oiling of roads is now carried on as a major item in economical maintenance, as it has been conclusively proved that it costs less to oil and maintain a road than it does to maintain a road without oiling.

"The construction of gravel and macadam surfacing for state highways started in a small way in 1915. At the close of the year 1923, Oregon had approximately 1200 miles of macadam roads constructed. By the end of 1928 there will be more than twice that mileage completed, of which approximately 1200 miles will be surface-treated with asphaltic oil."

NOTICE

All bills due and payable from the first to the tenth of each month. West Texas Utilities Company

RURAL DEVELOPMENT UNDERGOING GREAT CHANGE

In its 45 years of existence, the electric industry has reached not only every urban community of any importance in the United States with light and power service, but rural electrification on a national scale is today an accepted fact.

On January 1, 1927, the National Electric Light Association estimated that 350,000 farms received electric service from utility company distribution lines.

Electricity illuminates the farm house, barns, garage, poultry houses and other buildings, heats the incubator and water for animals and poultry during the winter, operates the electric range, electric iron, toaster, vacuum cleaner and other household conveniences; but, perhaps, it renders its greatest service on the farm in furnishing power for shelling and grinding corn, threshing barely, searing milk cutting ensilage and fodder, stuffing sausages, milking cows, churning butter, etc. A recent survey showed over 100 farm uses for electricity, and the list is being enlarged daily.

Donald Affleck, in Central Hudson Bulletin, sums it up thusly: "The real contribution which electricity has made to rural development lies in the fact that it has raised the standard of living in outlying sections by removing much of the drudgery connected with the everyday duties of the farmer, and in bringing to him and his family most of the conveniences commonly associated with life in urban communities."

BIGGER THAN A MAN'S HAND

A brood of young revolutions broke out in New York Republican circles Thursday night, and the battle-cry of both was "Hoover!" One revolt occurred in the New York Republican Club, right under the eyes of State Chairman Morris. At almost the same moment the Republican leader of Queens, Mr. De Bragga, had to flee while a straw vote was taken by Henry Allen of Kansas at a dinner in Jackson Heights showed 243 for the Secretary of Commerce, 7 for Dawes and 1 for Lowden. When the shooting was over Mr. De Bragga returned but undoubtedly he and Mr. Morris had some disquieting news yesterday for their colleagues in the No-Instructions citadel, National Committeeman Hilles.

The Jackson Heights diners not only showed a preponderant sentiment for Hoover. They showed it in a section where the Republican bosses supposed to be strong. But if theirs may be considered an unofficial uprising, the shouts which interrupted the Dawes speaker at the club were undoubtedly official. For this is a political organization, representative of the local and State leadership of the party, and revolt within those walls is like a strike among the Praetorian Guard.

As if the Morris-Hilles cup of sorrow were not overflowing, westerning trains at the same instant were bearing on Hoover spell-binding tour the Under-Secretary of the Treasury, Ogden L. Mills, nominee for Governor in 1926 and until the rebellious moment part of the State leadership. It does not take a prophet to see that the No-Instructions managers are going to have their work cut out for them. They may—they probably will—succeed in preventing the delegation from being a unit for Hoover, but they will not be able to deliver it to any one else so long as the Secretary of Commerce is formidably before the convention at Kansas City. And if, on May 8, he should repeat his performance in Ohio and capture the preference vote of Indiana, even Messrs. Morris and Hilles may find themselves on his side of the fence, swept there by a rush of New York delegates on their way to a supposed Canaan.—New York Times.

Mrs. Maud Dabney, who is in the real estate business in San Angelo, was here for the celebration, and while here visited her son, C. S. Keene, proprietor of the City Garage.

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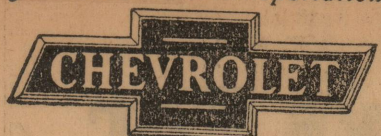
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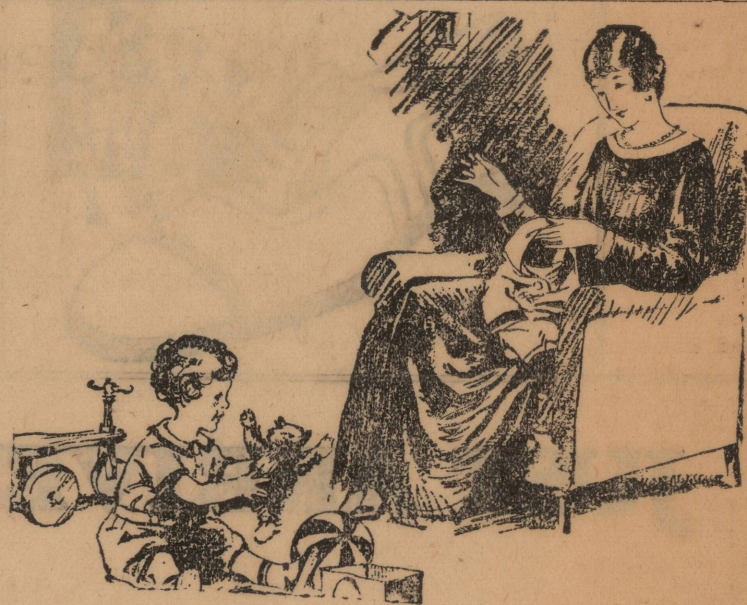
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Sheep Sales at Ozona Fair Over \$13,000

The annual Rambouillet Sheep Sale, held in connection with the Crockett County Fair Association gave promise of being one of the best held here in years with the opening of the sale on the first day of the fair Wednesday morning.

Sales made Wednesday morning from the auction ring at the fairgrounds totalled \$13,127, according to Ira Carson, secretary of the sale. Approximately one-third of the sheep brought her for the sheep bought here for the last had been disposed of at noon Wednesday, when the first day's selling closed.

Sales will be continued Thursday and Friday, Mr. Carson said. Selling from the ring will be held again Thursday morning, and the sales will probably be continued through Friday morning if any sheep are left.

Marsden and Son of Parowan, Utah, topped the first day's selling with a stud ram which brought \$325. Mrs. Joe Davidson of Ozona was the buyer.

N. L. Johnson of San Angelo is the auctioneer. Vic Pierce as chairman of the sheep department, is in charge of the sales.

Approximately 10 had of sheep were sold from the ring during the morning. Sellers included J. K. Madsen, Day Farms Co., McIntosh & Son, L. N. Marsden and W. Marsden, all of Utah, and George Williams of Eldorado, J. K. Madsen sold two rams and 26 rams, buyers being Wilse Owens, Vic Pierce, Jim Lackey and B. B. Ingham. Day Farms Co. sold two stud rams and 35 rams, buyers being A. C. Hoover, Joe Davidson, Dock Turk, Mrs. Joe Davidson and Charley Cannon. L. N. Marsden sold two stud rams and 10 rams, and W. Marsden sold one stud ram and 20 rams, buyers being Jim Mitchell, Edgar Chapman, Pon Seahorn, H. O. Word, Paul Perner, Ed Branch and Dock Turk. George Williams sold one stud ram to A. C. Hoover and two ewes to Viv Pierce. McIntosh and Son sold five rams to Boyd Clayton.

Taxable Value May Reach \$4,000,000,000

AUSTIN, TEXAS.—Comptroller S. H. Terrell has sent blanks to tax assessors of the State to make a report to the automatic tax board of estimates of taxable valuations to be used in making the annual tax rate.

Under the law the final date for filing the returns is July 15, but as that falls on Sunday the total probably will not be known until July 16. The law requires the board to meet not later than July 20 to fix the state tax rate. It is composed of the governor, comptroller and state treasurer.

It already is indicated that a reduction in the total tax rate is probable and that it can come from but one source, the levy for general purposes. At present a maximum of 35c is levied for schools, maximum of 7c for pensions and 25c for general purposes which is 10c below the maximum the board could impose. This makes a total of 67c and next month it will be reduced, possibly to 62c, by cutting 5c from the general purpose levy for a total rate of 60c, making the Moody biennium the lowest of any since that of Governor Campbell.

An increase in the taxable values of the state is expected, and when the county estimates begin to arrive the extent of it will be shown. All parts of the state were fairly prosperous January 1, the date the taxable values are set.

It now appears that Texas will reach \$4,000,000,000 mark in taxable values for the first time in its history. The total valuation for 1927 was \$3,892,954,064. The increase in 1927 over 1926 was \$254,000,000.

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West Texas Goes Ford One Better

B. M. Halbert who is the "daddy" of Chevon, and one of the outstanding sheep and goat men of West Texas, says Henry Ford has nothing on the ranchmen of this part of the country, especially the younger set. He says Mr. Ford has curtailed his working days for employees to five days a week. Mr. Halbert says: "That's nothing, West Texas boys beat that—they have cut their working days to two and one-half days a week. The boys take half a day to get ready to go somewhere, two days to do their drinking and a day in which to get sober."

Political Announcements

Announcement fees for the following offices will be charged:

Precinct, \$7.50; County \$12.50; District \$15.00.

The news is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the action of the Democratic Primary of July, 1928:

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
B. W. HUTCHERSON
(Re-election)
G. W. ARCHER

For Tax Assessor
GEO. J. TRAINER, SR.
(Re-election)

For County Treasurer
MRS. A. J. SMITH
(Re-election)

For County Judge:
ALVIS JOHNSON
(Re-election)
SAM H. STOKES

For County Clerk:
J. D. LOWREY
(Re-election)

For District Attorney: 85rd.
Judicial District:
W. M. DAVIS
ROY R. PRIEST
W. VAN SICKLE

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
T. A. BOND
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Rev. F. A. Parsons, pastor of the
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**CATHOLICS DOMINATE
TAMMANY HALL**

New York, N. Y.—Tammany Hall is not—quite 100 per cent Catholic, states an article in the May issue of Plain Talk. Out of its thirty-six District leaders, thirty-two are Cath-

olics and the other four, Jews. It was stated further that William A. Olvany, a Protestant and Mason, was singled out for leadership, six months later he became a member of the Roman Catholic Church. One of his predecessors in the position, Croker, though of Protestant stock, also became a Catholic.

**Wardlaw's Brother
Visitor in Sonora**

C. B. Wardlaw of Del Rio, brother to L. J. Wardlaw, who is a candidate for governor of Texas, was here today on business and visiting friends. He attended the two-day race meet and rodeo in Sonora. Mr. Wardlaw, like thousands of other West Texans, is of the opinion that his brother, Judge L. J. Wardlaw will be our next governor. L. J. has many friends here who are supporting his candidacy and are doing their bit in seeing a West Texas man elected governor.

The gubernatorial candidate will speak here on the 17th of July, and it is predicted that there will be a large crowd here on that day to hear their choice for governor give his platforms and reasons for wanting to be governor.

**New Stage Line
Sonora to Barnhart**

The Lone Star Stage Lines is the name of the new bus line operating from Sonora to Barnhart by T. A. Wright. Connections are made here with the Old Spanish Trail buses operated by Lee & Russell. Schedule for this new line follows:

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**Miss Hanna Weds
in San Saba**

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of Miss Lucille Hanna to Mr. Edward R. Stiles, geologist who was for some time stationed in Sonora.

Miss Hanna taught a music class here, and has many friends in Sonora.

The young couple will make their home at Gonzales, Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bran Hunt were among rodeo visitors here Tuesday and Wednesday.

**JUDGE BAKER OF KERRVILLE
WAS HERE TODAY**

Judge Weaver H. Baker, wife and Bob Bennett, editor of the Kerrville Mountain Sun, were here today in the interest of Judge Baker's candidacy for representative of this, the 86th District, embracing several West Texas counties.

Judge Baker feels confident that he will win over his opponent, Coke R. Stephenson of Junction. Judge Baker, according to friends here, will if elected, make this district a capable and efficient servant.

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WARD-CUTBIRTH MARRIAGE

(from Nolan County News) Another popular Sweetwater girl left Sweetwater to make a home of her own when Miss Lucy Cutbirth became the bride of John Ward of Sonora last Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. Jeff Hanie at Midland.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Lige Cutbirth of this city and is one of the most beloved girls in the city. She was popular in the best social circles of the city and is a very talented violinist and pianist. She has been the director of the music department of the Rotan schools the past two years and has played on several important programs in the city during the week ends at home besides broadcasting on several radio broadcasting programs at Fort Worth. She also has played on many church and social programs with her mother's orchestra during the past four or five years.

Besides being a talented musician she is an accomplished young lady in many other ways and will be a true help mate to the man of her choice.

The bride-groom comes of one of the oldest and best known families of the southwest. He owns extensive ranch interests at Kerrville and Sonora but they will make their home on their Kerrville ranch after they return from their honeymoon trip through Colorado and many other places of interest in the West.

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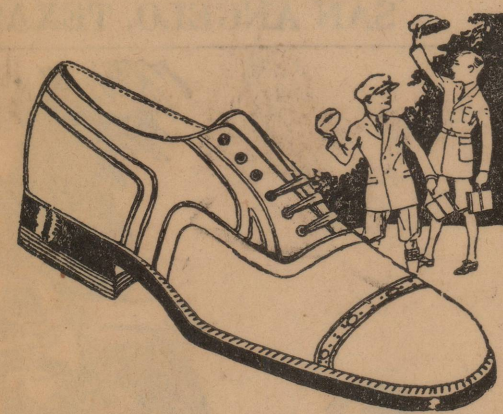
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(of Dallas County)W. C. MORROW
(of Hill County)**WOMEN OF THE COUNTY**

The following clipping in the Galveston Daily News concerning Miss Leola Custard, former county demonstration agent of this county, will be of much interest to her friends here:

Staff Special to the News: Dickinson, Texas.—Faced with the task of replacing a home demonstration agent loved and admired by everyone on the mainland, Miss Leola Custard, Galveston County's new agent, in a short thirty days time has already won the friendship and esteem of all who have met her, and shows excellent prospects of carrying on the high class endeavor of Miss Verna Evans. Although she has been in the county only a month today, Miss Custard has met with all girls' clubs and all but two of the Women's clubs.

Asked what will be her main objective on the mainland, she responded: "To carry on the work of promoting home-making among the citizens of the county and to help raise the standards of living among the farm women." In executing this motive, she is teaching the women more modern efficient and economical methods of house keeping and caring for their children.

Club Motto.

In conducting the 4-H Clubs, Miss Custard declared simply that she would follow the motto, "To Make the Best Better," and quoted the pledge taken by all club members, which is: I pledge my head to clearer thinking, my hands to greater service, my heart to truer loyalty and finer sympathy my health to efficient living, in service to my home, my community, my country, and my God."

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thinking, Miss Custard arrived in the county naturally fitted for her vocation. Not only was she naturally fitted, but also prepared by training to carry on the work. Born and reared in Florence, Williamson County, Texas, where she received her fundamental educational training Miss Custard next taught high school english in 1923 at Trenton.

Turning from school work to extension work, she then became county agent in Sutton County, with headquarters at Sonora, one of the most picturesque towns in West Texas. She carried on the work there from 1925 to 1927, gaining the respect of her superiors and associates alike. Members of her girls' clubs won a number of prizes in various contests.

Home Economics Degree

Leaving the land of rodeos and sheep-raising, she then entered Southwest Texas State Teachers' College at San Marcos last fall, and the latter part of May received her degree in professional home economics. Just out of school she departed for Galveston County to take charge of her new duties on June 1, meeting with county people for the first time during the encampment at Kemah May 31.

**Merton Shurley Pays
\$35 for Adkinson Rams**

Merton Shurley returned from Christoval Tuesday night with 13 head of young Delaine rams he purchased from the Adkinson flock near Christoval.

The yearling rams sheared 14 lbs of wool and was only an eight-month clip. They are of the heavy mutton type and a good shearing sheep.

J. A. Cope and wife, former Sonorans who reside in California are here for a visit with Mrs. Cope's sisters, Mrs. Clyde Gardener and Mrs. Stella Stanley. Their son, Millard, on the Staff of the San Angelo Morning Times, was here for the rodeo and to visit his parents.

Misses Margaret and Virginia Browder of Memphis, Texas, were guests of Mrs. Joe Vander Stucken during the two-day celebration here July fourth and fifth.

Perhaps her only acquaintance upon arriving in Galveston was J. C. Yeary, agricultural agent, they having known each other when Mr. Yeary was county agent in Kerr County, not far from Sonora.

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SEEING THE CONVENTION

A novel feature of the Democratic Convention building at Houston is the walkway through the back of the hall, elevated so that it affords a view of the hall, and through which those without convention seats are allowed to parade leisurely to obtain a view of a great convention in action.

This considerate arrangement is much appreciated by thousands of Texans who went to the convention a visitors, but in the hope of being privileged to look in on the delegates at their work.

"Looking for Losses"

The State Highway Department has called in the help of the Attorney General's Department, it is said, in an effort to catch minor employees suspected of having cheated the State in the laying of road topping. The State pays contractors so much a square yard for laying topping a given thickness, and an inquiry is being conducted around the possibility that less than the agreed amount of composition has been laid.

Wherever there is a large expenditure of public funds, constant vigilance is necessary to secure a fair people seem to think there is little wrong in defrauding the Government if it can be done without too much danger of being caught.

Fighting Orient Sale

This is a selfish old world—a greedy old world. Officials of the paper railroad from San Antonio to San Angelo are planning to oppose the purchase of the Orient by the Santa Fe on the ground that such purchase would decrease the revenue of the proposed road should it be built.

The claim is that the Orient, as an independent road, would be a feeder of the proposed new line, but that if acquired by the Santa Fe the business would go to that road.

Citrus Industry Grows

That the citrus industry in the Lower Rio Grande Valley is growing rapidly is shown by the estimates made by the Federal officials

that 2,500 cars will be required to handle next year's crop.

Statistics gathered show that the Southern Pacific and the Missouri Pacific roads moved 1,154 cars by freight in the last season and that 190 cars were shipped by express. In addition to this, the equivalent of 200 carloads, it is estimated, moved out of the Valley in trucks, mostly to points in Texas.

The expected increase for next season will come mostly from new orchards into bearing and from the complete recovery of the old trees from the damaging freeze of two years ago.

Volunteer Cotton

The first bale of cotton for the year in Texas was from San Juan, but was said to be "volunteer cotton" grown from the stubble of old cotton left in the fields from the previous year. Even so it was only a day ahead of that which was produced from this year's planting in the Brownsville section.

However produced, few bales are merely announcements to the world that the Texas cotton crop for the year is on the way to markets, and that as a consequence an era of business activity and prosperity may be expected.

American Legion Fund

San Antonio is raising a \$100,000 fund with which to entertain the American Legion meeting in September. Nearly 135,000 letters have been sent out to all parts of the United States and foreign countries setting forth the attractions of San Antonio as a convention city. Thousands of postres and folders advertising the convention have been mailed. Fully 50,000 Legionnaires are expected to attend the convention thousands of whom will come to Texas by automobiles, many of whom Texas by automobiles, many of them to look for new opportunities for the homeseeker.

Every Texas community should co-operate with San Antonio in making this convention a real Texas event.

Pecan Crop Good

Although the pecan will be short in some parts of Texas, taking the State as a whole, it will be above the average unless the pecan borer or other pests do unexpected damage.

Race Meet-Rodeo—

(Continued from front page)

Rodeo Results

The rodeo results follow: Bronco riding Buck Key, 1st; Otis Buie 2nd and Jim Bridges 3rd. There were twelve riders, three of whom were dumped. In the wild horse race Tom Taylor was 1st, George Cherry 2nd, and Buck Key, 3rd. Exhibition rides were given by Chris McNeill, employee of the Humble at Station A near here, who rode a horse in practically every known manner except on his head. The horse came from the T Half Circle ranch and was a regular cow pony with no special training. The climax of the exhibit came when McNeill gave the "dead man fall," falling from his horse at the crack of a pistol, the horse traveling at a high rate of speed.

Harry Hemphill, one-legged rider of Pawhuska, Okla., rode two buck-sonora, behind the pitching of Buddy Smith, who allowed only six hits, defeated Miles, 4 to 3. Thornton was on the slab for Miles. Miles, however, won the game on Tuesday, 15 to 9.

Among those taking an active part in the sponsoring of the happy affair are Jim Caldwell, Roy Aldwell, Tom Bond, Wirt Stephenson, L. W. Elliott, Mans Hoggett and G. W. Stephenson president of the Park Association.

Second day results of riding:

Buck Key on O 9, 1st; Otis Buie, on Mutt second and Jim Bridges riding a mean horse, 3rd. In the wild horse race, Tom Taylor of Sonora, first, Buck Key 2nd and Matthew Dixon, third. Calf roping—Howard Espy, of Eldorado, was awarded 1st in the time of 34.1; Walter Brotherton, 2nd, time 34.2. In the exhibition riding, Harry Hemphill, one-legged rider, rode Swivel; Jim Bridges on Tommy and Tom McKee both made good rides.

Second Day Racing

In the fourth mile race, Ozona, with Norton up breasted the tape; Kentia with Mangold astride second and Madway third.

Second race, 4 furlongs—Poison, Dooley up, first; Anna Belle, second and Shady Lane with Custer up got third.

Third race, 5 1-2 furlongs—Simon Kenton with Mangold riding, first; Prince Eternal, second and Miser third.

Fourth race, 3 furlongs, Bonnie Atkins with Mangold riding, first; Joe Blair, Norton up, second and Shady Lane, Custer up, 3rd.

Fifth race, mile consolation novelty race—Pure Gold took the first one-eighth and Winnie May winning the other three-eighths with young Pennell, 14-year-old son of C. A. Pennell, winning the first race he ever rode.

According to those who witnessed the two-day celebration, it was one of the best ever in Sonora's history. Local officers state that it was one of the quietest celebrations they ever saw and that everything was exceedingly orderly.

In bronchos, in a thrilling exhibition of riding as the locals, accustomed as they are to the doings of horses, have ever seen. Happy McKeown, the armless man who plays baseball, pool, billiards, and does sundry and one duties of an active daily life, in spite of his handicap, gave an exhibition before the stands.

In baseball Wednesday morning

Camp 3-in-1 Was Opened This Week

Camp Three-In-One is the name of the new tourist camp and filling station opened here this week by Mrs. Beulah Pfeister. The name was suggested by Charles Harold Evans, Jr., and was given five dollars worth of gasoline as a prize for the new name.

Camp-Three-In-One stands for gasoline, groceries and oils. Mrs. Pfeister is advertising some grocery specials this week. See her ad elsewhere in this paper.

LOST—Under grandstand at fair grounds leather key case containing six keys. Finder bring to News office and receive liberal reward. Mrs. Clyde Gardner. It . c.

Mrs. W. H. Perry had as her guest this week her daughter, Mrs. Burt Davenport, husband and small daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Langford and son and Mrs. Sid Davenport all of Reagan Wells.

Henry Diebitsch was in from the ranch Monday on business. He says that range conditions out his way are getting dry, however stock is not suffering.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Davis went to Junction the first of the week where they met Miss Nora Coleman who will visit in their home for several days.

Mrs. John Fields returned from Denton last Saturday night where she had been to visit a sister-in-law who had been ill. Miss Francis Lolley, a friend of Mrs. Fields, returned for a several weeks visit.

Personal Mention

Miss Zella Dell McBride of San Angelo was here for the celebration and to visit her brother, W. F. McBride, manager of the Sonora Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ward and daughters were here from the ranch for the celebration.

W. H. Perry and Will Wyatt left Tuesday morning for Lampasas for a visit with relatives and friends. Mr. Perry will visit his aged father who is ninety-two years old.

Mrs. W. J. Fields was called to Denton this week to be at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Hopkins, who has been very ill. At this time we learn that she is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harris and son, Hunter Harris, of Cuero, spent the 4th here with Mr. and Mrs. Harris' daughter, Mrs. Geo. H. Neill.

Miss Emily Jordan of Mason has been here several days visiting Miss Lula Belle Caldwell. Miss Caldwell and Miss Jordan were school chums at Southwestern University at Georgetown, Texas.

Clay Holland, wife and children from near Junction, were here for the celebration. While here they visited Mr. Holland's sisters, Mesdames Tom Driskell and Vernon Hamilton.

Hal Holland, prominent ranchman in Kimble County, was here for the two-day race meet and rodeo. Mr. Holland is a brother of Mesdames Vernon Hamilton and Tom Driskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Shurley were in from the ranch Monday on business. They are driving a brand new Studebaker sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilson of Big Lake, parents of M. A. Wilson and wife and son, Tom Wilson, foreman of the Sawyer Cattle Company ranch, were here this week visiting and attending the race meet and rodeo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Holman were visitors here this week from their ranch south of town Tuesday and Wednesday.

T. L. Benson, livestock commission man of San Angelo, and who maintains an office here, was here for the race meet and rodeo.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Davis attended the race meet and rodeo here July 4th and 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith of Uvalde were guests this week in the home of his brother, John Smith and family. They were accompanied home by Mrs. John Smith and children who will visit for about ten days.

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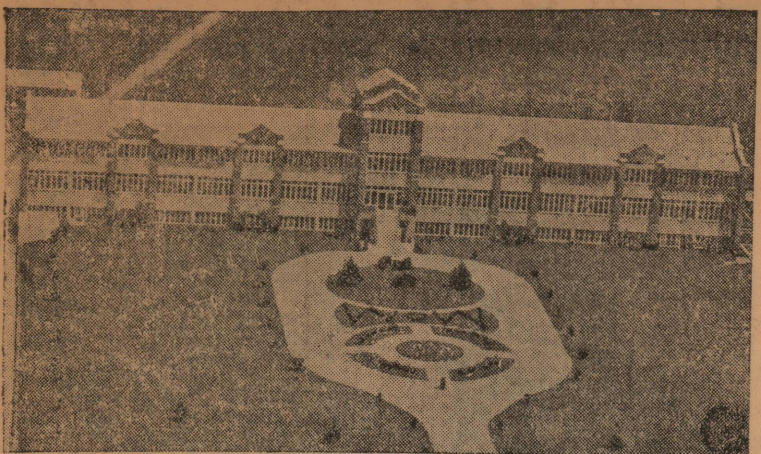
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TEXAS sunshine and the War Memorial Hospital of the Woodmen of the World located at San Antonio, have saved the lives of 2,000 men, women and children, according to figures compiled by W. A. Fraser, Sovereign Commander of the Woodmen of the World.

The report prepared by Mr. Fraser, which was presented to the Executive Council of the order, shows that during the four and one-half years' existence of the hospital, more than 2,000 patients have been returned to their homes, and saved from the ravages of tubercular disease.

"The hospital is an outgrowth of a life dream of mine," said Commander Fraser. "Being a native

Above—Woodmen of the World Hospital at San Antonio

Below—Part of herd of Jersey cows at W. O. W. Hospital, used exclusively for hospital patients

Texan, I have always appreciated the Texas climate and sunshine, and when we decided to build a big hospital I chose the site of San Antonio. I appreciated the fact that the hospital would do a great deal in saving the lives of Woodmen of the World members afflicted with tuberculosis, but I also knew that more important than all in the saving of life would be the Texas sunshine."

The Woodmen of the World hospital represents an investment of more than one million dollars. The hospital consists of 210 acres of land, completely equipped hospital, nurses' home, supervisor's building, barns and outhouses. It is a free sanatorium for tubercular members of the Society and has 225 beds. It is managed by Dr. H. Phil Hill, a man of unusual executive and professional ability.

Every cent of its operation and maintenance cost comes out of a special hospital endowment, therefore, without cost to membership.

The hospital equipment was furnished without cost to the Society and the original grounds with the original buildings was also secured by Sovereign Commander without assessing the cost to members.

In connection with the hospital a registered Jersey dairy for the benefit of patients is maintained, also a hog and poultry yard, vegetable gardens and farm, all for the benefit of patients.

Treatment, food, housing, surroundings and equipment are scientifically combined in this institution.