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THIRTY-SECOND WEEK

### Un-Texan, Un-American

An editorial reprinted from the May 14, 1948 edition of the E Paso Herald Post, and heartily endorsed by the Devil's River News.

THE TRACK TEAM OF MARFA High School set out for the State Meet at Austin. They are healthy, growing boys and along about noon they became hungry.

They stopped in Ozona, and were refused service. Same in Sonora. Same in Junction.

Reason: there were some American boys of Mexican descent among them. The other American boys would not eat where their \$800 Cash Awards, 226 Ribbons friends and teammates could not. So it was mid-afternoon before they could find a restaurant.

Raymond Wheat, coach of the boys, grew very angry about such treatment

travel Highway 290 through Ozona, Sonora and Junction. If we go to week by Herman Smith, club president-elect, as plans went forward Austin, we will take some other way around. Many school men who heard of this situation have agreed to the same course."

are un-Texan and un-American. They are also inexcusable and stupid. Marfa's decision to avoid the three towns where its boys were market and to sponsor a type of club work applicable to the ranch

insulted is perhaps about as effective a protest as can be made. We hope it will bring good results.

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#### WASHINGTON Local Scouts To Spend Week At **NEWS LETTER** Camp Fawcett By Helen Routh, Secretary to

Congressman O. C. Fisher

Since Mr. Fisher has to be out Camp, will begin its twenty first senbary and T. E. Glasscock. Shade Committee: Lee Pa me to write the news letter this in the Concho Valley Council on R. M. McCarver, A. H. Adkins and jail on charges of assault with in-June 6. The camp is located forty E. T. Smith. week.

miles northwest of Uvalde on the My home is in Ballinger, and I Rocksprings road and is on the Barnes. made my first trip to our Nation's banks of the Nueces River nestled Capital over a year ago to become one of Mr. Fisher's secretaries. among pecan timber in the heart Word, Earl Lomax and Louie made Thursday. of the hills. Each day has been a busy one and

The schedule calls for three perthoroughly enjoyable. Perhaps iods: June 6-12; June 13-19; June some of the observations of a congressional secretary would be of 20-26, and the facilities are adequate for 125 boy campers plus interest.

their leaders. Printed folders have Wells, and Wayland Stubblefield. Few newcomers escape the housing problem, about which you hear been distributed to the Scoutmasso many stories. I am told that to give to each Scout the population in the city of Wash- to give to each Scout. ington and its environs has practically doubled since just before the war. This is hard to under- camp in readiness and with many man Brown and B. M. Halbert, Jr. improvements made. "We are anxstand when you think that the

total number of federal employees has been cut in half since the war Camp Fawcett." ended and vast numbers of military and naval personnel stationed here during the war have returned to civilian life. No factories of any size are allowed in the District of Columbia, and no skyscrapers can be built here. Of all the many beautiful buildings in Washington, the tallest is only about twelve

### PLANS NEAR COMPLETION FOR WOOL SHOW & SALE JUNE 16,17

# Offered Show Contest Winners

Committees for the Sonora Lions Club's Eleventh Annual Wool "In this school system," he writes, "we have resolved never to and Mohair Show and auction sale June 16 and 17 were named this to put on the most complete show in the eleven-year history of the

area of sheep and goat production.

Named to the Soliciting Committee are Joseph Vander Stuck-George D. Chalk, W. R. Cusenbary, Louin Martin. Panel Committee: Herman

Smith and S. M. Kerbow. Pens and Receiving: Auther Simmons, B. W. Cobb, C. W.

Camp Fawcett, the Boy Scout W. L. Davis, Rip Ward, Ben Cu-

Telephone Committee: W. R.

Butchering Committee:

> Trainer. Advertising: Clay Puckett and

Wesley Sawyer. Sifting Committee: George Neill, Dr. I. B. Boughton, A. Ε.

Dance Committee: Jack Mack-Miller. Dave Young, chairman of the Barbecue Committee for Boys:

Val Verde District announces the Frank Bond, Boyd Lovelace, Hill-Those mentioned first on comious to camp every Troop in our mittee lists have been appointed district for one of the periods at chairmen.

Prizes offered this year for Business Men's The Camp Staff will include all show and judging winners include Scoutmasters in attendance plus almost \$800 in cash awards and Bowling League a resident staff made up of ex- 226 ribbons. Judges in these conperienced scout campers and direc- tests will be George H. Johanson tors. J. B. Morris, Del Rio, and of Brady, Delaine Sheep, W. H Norton Curry, San Angelo, will Dameron, Rambouillet Sheep, H. serve as Camp Directors.

Herbert Ward, Catarina, Game- R. E. Homann, Junction, Angora

C. Noelke, Jr., Corriedale Sheep,

daughter of Captain and Mrs. B. en, Dave Locklin, George H. Neill, Oil Field Worker

Taylor, Joe Berger, G. H. Davis, UNDER \$3,000 BOND Estes Lee Reede, about 51, was

Shade Committee: Lee Patrick, being held this week in county ranch until his death in 1925. tent to murder following the knifing Saturday afternoon of H. T. Espy. Reede's bond was set Mon-Dee day at \$3,000, but it had not been

> The incident occurred Saturday afternoon at a flying exhibition held at Halbert Field. The case will be presented to the grand jury which meets September 6 for fall term of court.

lice aforethought, with a deadly weapon, a knife, make an assault upon H. T. Espy with the intent then and there to murder the said H. T. Espy."

# Starts Monday TWELVE TEAMS GO

### AFTER MONTHLY CASH

In what was reliably reported to be the "best all-round wool sale in Texas history," the Sonora Wool & Mohair Company announced Thursday night that it had sold approximately 1,500,000 pounds of graded twelve months wool and fine ungraded twelve months wool to R. R. Martin of Williams and Whitney Co. of Boston for an average of over 80 cents a pound. A small lot, 75,000 pounds of clothing, went for 60 cents.

A breakdown on prices and approximate weight of lots shows that about 400,000 pounds of staple brought 85 cents, 300,000 pounds of French 78 cents and 725,000 pounds of ungraded brought 78 cents. Martin will set prices on each individual clip. This sale leaves about 200,000 pounds of 8 months wool unsold.

Several wool sales were announ- | pounds of 1946 eight months, Guy Funeral services for Mrs. Lula ced here this week by the Sonora Burton, Forte, Dupee, Sawyer Co., Karnes, pioneer Sutton County Wool and Mohair Company. In- of Boston, bought 36,000 qounds ranchwoman, were held Wednes- cluded in the sales were 52,000 of 1945 fall wool.

the home. Mrs. Karnes died Tues- pounds of 12-months Corriedale Bill Fields of Albert Schneider project. This year's show, which will include judging contests for day evening following a three- wool belonging to Sol Mayer and Co. bought 46,000 pounds of twelve of this situation have agreed to the same course. No one can blame Mr. Wheat for growing angry. Such actions individuals and teams, is dedicated to encourage the production of D-Texan and un-American. They are also inexcusable and stupid. D-Texan and un-American. They are also inexcusable and stupid. Born January 22, 1868, in Polk resenting Julius Forstmann Co. of 18,000 pounds of 1946 wool, Hen-County, Mrs. Karnes was the Passaic, N. J.

ry Maginot of J. W. Vaughan Dan Sullivan of Huntington bought 17,000 pounds of 1947 F. Byrd. She was married to Wil- Wool Co., Boston, bought 43,000 wool.

### Scattered Rains Here This Week

Scattered parts of the county received additional rain Monday and Tuesday to go with the 3.25inch deluge 'received here two weeks ago. The Sonora Wool and Mohair gauge showed that .24 inches fell Monday afternoon, .6 fell Taxpayers were this week mail-ed a complete prospectus regarding the \$475,000 school hand cleation Tuesday night. Jack Turney reported getting an inch rain Tuesday night, R. A. Halbert 1-2 and Alfred Schwiening 1-4.

Continued cloudy weather was ments and building should the in evidence Wednesday night.

Eighteen Sonora High School Mrs. Karnes witnessed the devel- tennis courts and addition of an- seniors will complete their public opment of this section which re- other court, construction of toilet school careers Monday night at the sulted from the conflict between facilities at the football field. the states. Her father, Captain B. These improvements have been their diplomas from Bryan Hunt, F. Byrd, enlisted in Littlefield's estimated at \$100,000. The new president of the school board. Texas Rangers at the outbreak of Elementary School, equipment and Graduating this year are Frank the Civil War, served though the furniture will cost \$350,000, mak-war with Hood's Brigade and took ing a total of \$450,000. An addi-senbary, Joan Frenzel, Edwina the tallest is only about twelve stories high. One of the least publicized build-ings, but one of the most outstand-ing, is the Library of Congress.

# ESTES LEE REEDE HELD

liam Houston Karnes December 18, Charged With Attempted Murder Attempted Murder ed a ranch here. They sold their first ranch property after a few School Question years and bought the present

ranch 30 miles southwest of So- \$475,000 BOND ISSUE nora. Mr. Karnes managed this ASKED FOR IMPROVEMENTS, Survivors include four daugh- NEW ELEMENTARY BLDG. ters, Miss Alice Karnes, Nan Karnes, Mrs. Vernon Marion and Mrs Fred Simmons and one son, Sam

1,500,000 Pounds Of 12-Months Wool Averages 80<sup>¢</sup> Here

Last Rites For

Mrs. Lula Karnes

Held Wednesday

ceded her in death. Three sisters, Mrs. Josie Bellows of San Antonio, Mrs. D. B.

five grandchildren also survive. Services were conducted by the

was in the Sonora Cemetery. Pallbearers were Louie Trainer, R. C. and west sides of the school Monday Night

McMillan, Clay Puckett, all of So- building, improvements on the nora, and Bill Seahorn of Ozona. High School building, a Negro McGHEE NAMED AS

after the end of the Civil War, W. Elliott School, lights for the

Taxpavers were this week mailthe \$475,000 school bond election to be held tomorrow, including a statement of the present bonded, indebtedness of the school system together . with proposed improve-

Rev. W. P. Carmichael and

Vicars, B. M. Halbert, Jr., Vernon grounds. Also planned is the ren-Hamilton, Alvis Johnson, W. B. ovation of the old elementary SUE WENDT, JEWEL

A resident of Sutton County school, teachers quarters, recrea- TOP RANKING STUDENTS over 54 years, and born three years tion hall and cafeteria for the L.

Jackson of Van Horn and Mrs. Frank Friend of San Angelo, and bond issue pass. The charge against Reede states that he "unlawfully and with ma-was in the Sonora Cemetery, Pall-"L" and to be located on the south

Karnes. Two other children pre-Number one on the list is a new High School the \$350,000 Elementary School build-

considered at that time to be one of the architectural wonders of the world. The annex, completed in 1939, is in direct contrast, being completely modern in style and design. The library houses more than 29 million pieces, including books, pamphlets, newspapers, manuscripts, maps and views, microfilms, motion pictures, music, will send five. recordings, photographs and slides, posters, photostats and magazines,

and is the information center of the governmental agencies and in connection with our work.

ited Mr. and Mrs. Libb Wallace Congress. We often make use of its and other relatives here last week. enormous collection of information to see us! We like to see folks from home. This always brightens

.

The work in a congressional of- the day for us and we get some fice follows a certain routine, just first-hand news from Texas. Reas does the work in any office; cent visitors were Mr. and Mrs. however, every day has its own R. M. Lowrey of Ballinger, and interesting variations. There are Lt. and Mrs. R. M. Lowry, Jr. Lt. four of us now working in this Lowry was a 1946 West Point office. Each day, as the mail is graduate, and is now flying jet opened, we are assigned particular planes at Langley Field, Virginia. PRESENT LARGEST CLASS responsibilities, often requiring Of particular interest to visitors IN ITS HISTORY telephone contacts with the various in Washington is a visit to the governmental agencies and depart- White House. Although we are

ments. We are frequently request- often asked to arrange for White the history of the L. W. Elliott ed to find out the status of bills House passes, it was only last School will be presented tonight New Methodist reports, etc. Mr. Fisher usually House for the first time. The oc- diplomas. The ceremony is to be dictates answers to correspondence casion for this was a reception held at the Elliott Auditorium at in the mornings. He also attends given by Mrs. Truman for women 8 o'clock.

committee meetings in the morn-ings, and frequently goes to the al secretaries. Wearing an attrac-Ema Castillo and salutatorian is Veterans Administration, the tive navy blue dress topped with Eda Urias. Diplomas will be pre-Pentagon or elsewhere for con-an orchid corsage, Mrs. Truman sented by Bryan Hunt, president W. P. Carmichael, pastor of the Methodist Church here for the ferences in behalf of his constitu- received over a thousand guests of the school board. ents, and at noon, when the House in the green room, where she was L. W. Elliott will present the assisted by Mrs. George Marshall, Lions Club awards and E. L. wife of the Secretary of State, and Swindell will present school award

proceedings there. I think a lot of people hesitate Mrs. Tom Clark, wife of the At-The Lass will be presented by Thursday for the new post. to write their congressman because torney General. Next in line were John McFadyen, principal. they fear it will take too much of Mrs. Jesse Donaldson, Mrs. Julius Members of the graduating they fear it will take too much of Mrs. Jesse Donaidson, Mrs. Junus memory of the gran, Ofelia the Rev. W. H. Marshall, who his time. I have read some maga- Krug, and Mrs. Clinton P. Ander- class are Severa Baltazar, Ofelia comes here from Pearsall. He and zine articles about the volume of son, completing the cabinet circle. Badillo, Ema Castillo, Marina Chacongressional mail and the time A long buffet table stretched the vez, Olga Yolanda Martinez, Maconsumed on incidental matters. full length of the state dining ria Mata, Eda Urias, Esperanza Most of these stories contain ex- room where fruit punch and cakes Virgen and Estela Virgin. aggerations. We have no difficulty were served. The doors were open in handling our mail, and the more and some of the guests sat on the S. A. Stubblefield was reported Halbert this week included 25 heiwe get the better we like it. We south portico enjoying the view to be showing improvement Wed- fer yearlings to Donald E. Cove, CARD OF THANKS

send out about fifty to one hundred overlooking the Jefferson Memor- nesday after being taken to a San Moor Park, Calfornia, one bull and letters a day. And we like to have company, gardens, while still others were became ill.

too. By all means, don't ever come more interested in seeing the new to Washington without coming by balcony.

the auction, to be held at the foottry, painting and metal work. Jim Davidson, Carrizo Springs, ball stadium, will be, as in past Theatre, Sonora Fire Department, is the Water Front Director and years, Col. Nelson Johnson of San will instruct in swimming and Angelo. Col. Johnson has an envi-Berger's Ranchmen, Home Hardlife saving. Elbert Bennett, San able record in Sonora, having sold Antonio, will be in charge of all at last year's sale, everything Bronchos, Continental Oil Co. First Aid instruction and treat- from a set of false teeth to a prize ments and will handle crafts. bull and a pair of baby chipmunks, Sonora Troop 19 will send 15 all at record prices. The auction boys to the camp and Troop 25 sale starts at 2 o'clock.

The dance committee is at present making tentative plans Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wallace visto have a dance Thursday night, June 17, but a definile decision has not been reached.

> All members of show and sale committees will be guests of the directors Thursday night, June 3, at a dinner. All committeemen will be notified as to time and place.

# ELLIOTT SCHOOL TO

The largest graduation class in

Minister Here

dist Church, San Antonio.

He and Mrs. Carmichael Succeeding Mr. Carmichael

Mrs. Marshall arrived Thursday.

#### Cattle Sales

Cattle sales reported by Robert will not be there at that time.

to Carson Helm, Louisville, Ken- cent loss. SUBSCRIBE TO THE NEWS tucky.

ing, is the Library of Congress. life and marksmanship. Rev. W. this year are Fred T. /Earwood, o'clock. Four-man teams entered ett County after the war and needed, the school board has an K. Regeon, Billy Wright Taylor, W. The main building, completed in 1897, with its Pompeian frescoes, staff member and will look after cken. W. H. Dameron, R. E. Sha-Resource Completed in the following: Lyles and helped to organize Sutton County redeemable on one year's time. Wendt and Gerald West. The main building, completed in [397, with its Pompeian frescoes, mosaics in the ceilings and floors, or and staircase with marble balus-grand staircase with marble balus-or and s

ly Wiggly Grocery, Smitty's Weld- tree near the present court house. other bonds.

City Water and Light Department, Legion Poppy ware and Furniture Co., Sonora Sale Saturday

The first session of the league From early morning until night-

will run Monday, Wednesday and fall Saturday, volunteer workers Friday nights each week through of the American Legion Auxiliary Walker Promoted July 2. Prizes offered each month in Sonora will be on the streets are \$25 cash to the winning team, offering memorial poppies to be To Range Work \$10 cash to runner-up and \$5 cash worn in honor of the dead of two A. H. (Fred) Walker, extension

to third place winner. flowers they will receive contribu- pasture specialist of Texas A&M Starting league play off Monday night will be the Sonora Fire tions for rehabilitation work College, has been appointed exten-Dept. vs. Smitty's Welding and among disabled war veterans and sion range specialist effective who are to receive their degrees Radiator. Wednesday night will for child welfare work among June 1, according to J. D. Prewit, this year are Miss Marjory Ann see La Vista team pitted against children of veterans.

Piggly Wiggly, and Friday night's tangle will be between Sonora Ap-Wrs. W. D. Kring, Poppy Chairman Mrs. W. D. Kring, Poppy Chairman pliance Store and Foxworth-Gal-braith. braith.

Schedules for the remainder of May and June are posted on the neighborhood centers. Poppies to a year later became county agent bachelor of laws degree from the bulletin board at the bowling alley and will be published each veterans at the Legion Hospital ferred to Menard County in 1940, on majored in botany. week in the News.

left

is

near Kerrville.

"Much depends on the success of going into the army. Poppy Day," said Mrs. Kring. Upon discharge from his four "On the public response to our years in the army, Walker return-Poppy Day appeal depends the ed to Menard county as county ag-Auxiliary's ability to carry for- ent. He completed a year's grad-

and served there two years before

Announcement was made this ward its work for the disabled war uate study in September, 1947, reweek by the Methodist Church veterans and for the children from ceiving a Master of Science degree annual Conference that the Rev. whom war has taken a father's in range management from A&M. W. P. Carmichael, pastor of the support. We would not like to go In September, 1947, Walker was to them with empty hands. Poppy appointed assistant pasture spec past two years, is being transfer- Day contributions give us the ialist-range in the Texas Extenred to the Palm Heights Metho- means to serve them with more sion Service, with headquarters at College Station.

than words of cheer."

who was scheduled to be at the from the Experiment Station court house Wednesday, June 2, building to the Range and Forestry Department in the Agricultural

-The H. C. Walters Family. family.

is Sue Wendt and salutatorian is

Present bonded indebtedness of Jewel McGhee. Guest speaker at the school system includes the the graduation program is Judge \$24,500; High School Gym: \$28,-Alan R. Fraser, judge of the 83rd following: L. W. Elliott building: Judicial District, who will speak on 000; High school building: \$73,000; "Dependability". Elementary Building: \$2,250.

Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday night at 8 o'clock at the football field. Dr. Walter H. Adams will deliver the sermon. Dr. Adams is dean of Abilene Christian College. .

#### TO GET COLLEGE DEGREE

Among Sonora college students acting director of the Texas Ex- Dameron, daughter of Mr. and

volunteers has been organized to from A&M in 1936 with a B. S. of Sonora and Mrs. Monte Elliott distribute poppies in downtown and degree in animal husbandry, and of San Angelo, who receives his be distributed here were made by for Culberson county. He trans- University of Texas. Miss Damer-



DURING THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1948 308 SAVINGS BONDS WERE PURCHASED BY CHURCHES

NOW!

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Loeffler and Mrs. Willie Martin and Miss sons, Norris and Carlos left Tuesial, others walked down into the Angelo hospital Tuesday when he three heifers to H. E. Bovis, Dick- for their thoughtfulness and many Helen Martin of San Angelo spent day for Annapolis, Maryland to son, Mo. and 40 cows and calves acts of kindness during our re- the week end here visiting Mr. attend the graduation exercises of and Mrs. J. A. Martin, Jr., and their son, Midshipman Aubrey Loeffler.

Engineering Building. We wish to thank our friends

The driver's license examiner,

NOTICES agement on native vegetation pastures and range lands. Walker will move his office

Under his recent appointment as Extension Range Specialist, Walker will be devoting his activities to proper range and pasture man-

LAST MINUTE

world wars. In exchange for the

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#### THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

learn to float--this is important:

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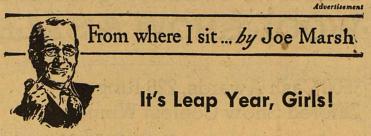
> West Texas Utilities Company

NEW PROPOSAL TO SIMPLIFY FISHING LAWS

In an effort to simplify fishing this passed as a law." regulations in 19 West and South-Counties concerned include Burwest Texas counties, a set of six net, Williamson, Blanco, Gillespie, proposed regulations is being sub- Kendall, Llano, Bandera, Crockett, mitted this week to Texas game Edwards, Kerr, Kimble, Menard, wardens and sportsmen for their Real, Schleicher, Sutton, Lampasas, McCulloch and San Saba. comment.

In a letter to Henry Burkett, Fishing tackle or gear used in local warden, J. T. Swanson, game the above named counties must be: supervisor at Junction, said, "We pole and line; rod, reel and line; are of the opinion that these re- hand line; throw line, trot line or

gulations will make a very good artificial lures. No more than 20 law and should make fishing re-plaw and should make fishing re-gulations universal for all this by any one person on any or all section of the state, therefore devices. Minnow seines over 20 simplifying the law enforcement feet long will be unlawful. Posess-



First girl in our town to "get her man" on Leap Year was the Cuppers' daughter, Jane, who wed Bill Webster's boy last Saturday.

When I asked Bill Jr. if it was true that Janey really did the proposing, Bill said: No, but she made it plain she'd make an ideal wife. Instead of looking for diversion or excitement every evening, she was content to chat beside the fire.

"I could plainly see," says Bill, "that we'd really have a happy home life-which is just exactly what I want from marriage."

I know it's usual for older folks to not available in such places. shake their heads over the younger "Swimming and water sports are beneficial to good health progeneration. (It's gone on for hundreds of years, now.)

vided one's physical condition justi-But from where I sit, young fies this type of exercise." Dr. Cox asserted. "Nevertheless, they people of marrying age today are every bit as commendable as their possess dangerous possibilities if the rules of safety are disregardelders were-in their temperance (a glass of beer for instance), toled through carelessness or thoughterance, and common sense. So to Jane and Bill-the best of luck!

problem. Please let me know ion of tackle other than mentioned enter the water when overheated; whether interested sportemen and above within 200 yards of a lake or stream in the above named never attempt to rock a boat in a counties shall be unlawful. It shall spirit of fun; and never swim in sportment in your district want be unlawful to take to sell, buy or water that may be polluted.

"Outdoor excursions, picnics, and offer to buy to buy or sell catfish, perch, crappie, bream or swimming parties contribute much to a healthy, happy, normal life," bass. Dr. Cox said. "It is by no means Punishment will be by fine of advisable to eliminate these pleas-

not less than \$10 nor more than

YOUR HEALTH

lox, State Health Officer.

with bathing beaches and commercial swimming pools is, of course,

Anyone having any comment on these proposal is asked to contact Burkett.

ures from our summer program, but it is important that they prove beneficial and not disastrous." PERSONALS

> Mrs. Grace Palmer of Houston is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ar-thur Carroll and family this week

Seasonal advice to vacationists Mrs. S. M. Loeffler attended oncerning the proper precautions the wedding of her niece, Patsy o be used in water sports was re-Ruth Loeffler in Mason Friday. leased from the State Health Department today by Dr. Geo. W.

Chief Warrant Officer and Mrs. Lakes and ponds of unknown depth, and streams of unfamiliar returned from Hawaii visited Mr. last week. Yates is Mrs. Odom's currents are often the site of picand Mrs. Bob Odom and family nic and excursions, and the usual brother. lifeguard supervision associated

#### **Used Fat Everywhere**

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essness.





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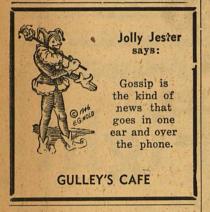
#### MRS. BAKER HOSTESS TO IDLE HOUR CLUB

Mrs. Sterling Baker entertained the Idle Hour Club Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. G. H. Davis won high club, Mrs. Wallace Dameron won second high and Mrs. Johnny Hamby won high guest.

Ice cream and cake were served to Mesdames I. B. Boughton, Ben Cusenbary, Dameron, Char-les Davis, G. H. Davis, Ella Wallace, E. B. Keng, Lea Allison, E. F. Vander Stucken, Clayton Bray, Hamby and George Brockman.

Mrs. J. A. Ward, Jr., and son, John Allen returned from Austin today where John Allen has been attending the University of Texas.



Barrow's sells more BULOVAS than any nther



Miss Patsy Womack Married To

#### Sonora, Texas, Friday, May 28, 1948

### Bartlett - Graham Wedding Date Is Announced

Miss Glenna Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Graham, of Denton, and Harold Bartlett, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bartlett, of the OES met Tuesday night. Monday afternoon with Rev. J. S. Lilly officiating. Members of the Mrs. Juliet Driskell and Mrs. Port Arthur, will marry. Friday evening, June 11, at 8 o'clock in Margaret Crumley were in charge the First Baptist Church at Den- of the memorial service, and Mrs. bouquets of red roses and spring ton. Dr. Roger D. Hebard, pastor Estell McConnell sang "The Ro- flowers. White lighted tapers held of the church, will perform the sary".

ceremony. The bride is to be given in marriage by her father. Music will be provided by Mrs. rest Heeren, vocalist.

Miss Mira Beth Clark of Den-Clark, Jo Childress, Louise Rose, retary; and Mrs. Buena Davis, bouquet of pink roses. Mary Burch, all of Denton.

ville.

Best man will be Gene Wilson of Troup and ushers are to be Louis Mamie Awalt and Mrs. Iva Dell with black accessories. She wore Collida, Port Arthur, Dick Rein- Smith were hostesses. king of Dallas, Joe Gick, Gaines-Girl Scout troop 4 entertained Texas and New Mexico, graduatville, and Fred McCain of Gaines-

A reception will be held followthe bride's parents.

Miss Graham, a graduate of green was carried out. Denton High School, is attending Refreshments of cookies North Texas State College at Den- punch were served to Nina Jenton, where she will graduate in nings, Bobby Scott, Maxine Bal-June. At NTSC she has been Yuc- lard, Billy Scott, Rita Renfro, Jerca (yearbook) Queen nominee, and ry Chavers, Yvonne West, Gene

as covered girl for the first issue son, Johnny Lois Johnson, Bill of "Texoma Holiday" magazine in Baldwin, Nancy Eaton, Joe D. a 4-state contest last June. Ross, Lois Lu Lomax, Frank Howell, Patsy Drennan, Tyree Hardy, Bartlett, graduate of Thomas Jefferson High School in Port Ar- Marilyn Mittel, Max D. Murray, thur and Lamar Junior College,

attended SMU one year and grad-

PERSONALS

her home in Uvalde Thursday after a few days visit here with

Jr.



Holds Memorial

Eastern Star

in floor candelabra stood on eith-

New directors are Mrs. Jym er side of the altar. Wheat, worthy matron; W. P. Mc- The bride wore a The bride wore a light aqua Connell, worthy patron; Mes. El-Forrest Heeren, organist, and For- vie Turney, associate matron; blouse and matchng pink hat Paul Turney, associate patron; fashioned with floral trip and un-Mrs. Iva Dell Smith, conductress; der-the-chin veil. Her accessories Leo Merrill, Dr. and Mrs. I. B. ton will be maid of honor. Brides-maids will be Misses Verda Mae ductress; Mrs. Juliet Driskell, sec-of white roses. She carried a large

> treasurer. At the tea hour afterward, Mrs. in a rose and black crepe dress

a white carnation corsage.

with a party last Tuesday evening ing with this spring's class of at the Scout Hall at which time Dexter High School. She was

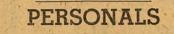
ing the ceremony, at the home of dancing and games were enjoyed. awarded an honorable mention A color scheme of pink and certificate for being in the highest 10 per cent of New Mexico stu-

dents who took the statewide and examination on academic achievement.

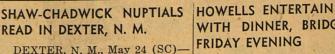
Shaw is a graduate of Dexter high school and served overseas in the Navy during World War II. a college favorite, 1947. Featured West, Wanda Merriman, Joe Morri After a short wedding trip to Texas, the young people will be at home on the Shaw estate, where Shaw is engaged in farming.

Mrs. Shaw is a granddaughter of Mrs. Mary Luckie and a sister Nettie Kisselburg, Betty Sue Al-

Lomax, Mrs. S. H. Stokes, Mrs.



len, Mrs. John Eaton, Mrs. Earl



DEXTER, N. M., May 24 (SC)-Miss Greta Lois Chadwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chadwick hosts Friday night with a dinner

of Dexter, became the bride of and bridge party at their home. Jack Shaw, son of the late Mr. Mixed cut flowers and pot plants were used throughout the

party rooms for decoration. immediate family were present. score for the ladies, C. A. Taylor The church was decorated with won high score for the men, Mrs. E. B. Keng won the slam prize

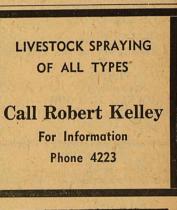
and the bingo prizes were won by Mrs. G. H. Davis and Wallace Dameron. . Guests were Messrs and Mes-

tailored suit with a pale pink dames Ben Cusenbary, E. B. Keng, Rip Ward, L. W. Elliott, A. E. Boughton, Mesdames Ella Wallace, R. A. Halbert, Joe B. Ross, Tom Ratliff, G. H. Davis, Miss Ann

The bride's mother was attired Palmer and A. C. Elliott.

B. W. Hutcherson left Thursday morning for Sierro Blanca on Mrs. Shaw attended schools in business.

of Glenn Chadwick of Sonora.





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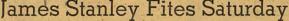
Mrs. Ben Cusenbary won high

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In a candlelight ceremony held at the Anson Methodist Church Saturday night at 8 o'clock, Miss Patsy Womack, daughter of Mrs. Dew Womack, became the bride of James Stanley Fites, of Anson. The Rev. John Crow performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride, who wore a traditional white gown fashioned of point d'sprit and with puffed sleeves, was given in marriage by her brother, A. V. Womack. Mrs. Bill Rust served as matron of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Francis Maxwell and Miss Mary Lee Acres. Mrs. Rust chose a gown of vellow dotted swiss and the bridesmaid's dresses were of blue and pink dotted swiss.

James Beam of Abilene served as best man.

The bride is a graduate of Anson high school and Hardin-Simmons College and taught in the L. W. Elliott school here this year. Fites, also a graduate of Hardin-Simmons, is a Navy veteran and is presently coach at Littlefield high school.

After a two-weeks trip to Coloado, the couple will be at home in Littlefield.

#### MISS MARIE WATKINS FETED AT RECEPTION

Following Miss Marie Watkins Recital Wednesday night a reception was given in her honor at the Home Economics Cottage by the pupils and their mothers. The students also presented Miss Watkins with a gift. Punch and cookies were served to about seventyfive people.

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#### Sonora, Texas, Friday, May 28, 1948

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR to certain county taxes as herein THE RE-ALLOCATION OF provided COUNTY TAXES. THEREFORE, BE IT ORDER-ED BY THE COMMISSIONERS

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF SUTTON

To the Resident Qualified Pro-That a special election be held perty Taxpaying Voters of Sutton in said County on the 15th day of County, Texas: June, 1948, which is not less than TAKE NOTICE that an election thirty (30) days from the date of will be held on the 15th day of the adoption of this order, at which June, 1948, in said County, in election the following proposition bedience to an order duly entered shall be submitted to the qualified by the Commissioners Court on property taxpaying voters, who the 10th day of May, 1948, which own taxable property in said Counis as follows: ty and who have duly rendered the

TEXAS:

COURT OF SUTTON COUNTY,

On this the 10th day of May, same for taxation, for their action 1948, the Commissioners Court of thereupon: Sutton County, Texas, convened in "Shall the Commissioners Court

regular session, at the regular of Sutton County, Texas, be meeting place thereof in the Court- authorized to levy and collect in house at Sonora, Texas, with the each year for a period of six (6) following members of the Court, years from the date of said election, county taxes as follows:

George Wynn, County Judge, George Wynn, County Judge, D. L. Locklin, Commissioner Pre-one half Cents (32½) on the cinct No. 1, \$100.00 valuation, in any one year, Dan Cauthorn, Commissioner for County purposes;

Precinct No. 2, Not exceeding Thirty-two and W. Adams, Commissioner one half Cents (321/2) on the Precinct No. 3, \$100.00 valuation, in any one year,

Commissioner for roads and bridges; Dantes Reiley, Precinct No. 4, Not exceeding Five Cents (5)

being present, and, among other on the \$100.00 valuation, in any proceedings had by the Court were one year, to supplement the jury the following, fund of the County; and

Commissioner Locklin introduced Not exceeding Ten Cents (10c) an order and moved its adoption. on the \$100.00 valuation, in any The motion was seconded by Com- one year, for the erection of public missioner Cauthorn. The motion, buildings and other permanent carrying with it the adoption of improvements." the order, prevailed by the follow-In the event that the anual

levy of a tax not exceeding fifteen AYES: Commissioners Locklin. (15c) cents on the one hundred Cauthorn, Adams, Reiley; dollars' valuation for the further NOES: Commissioners - None. maintenance of the public roads The order is as follows: of said County has heretofore

WHEREAS, at the general elecbeen, or shall hereafter be, authortion held throughout the State of ized by a majority of the qualified Texas on November 7, 1944, the property taxpaying voters of the qualified electors of the State, vot- County, voting at an election held ing on the proposition, approved for that purpose, nothing herein the amendment to Section 9, of shall be construed as rescinding Article 8, of the Texas Constitu- or in any manner affecting the tion, which amendment provides power and authority of the Comthat the Commissioners Court in missioners Court to levy and to any county may re-allocate the continue to levy said tax.

The said election shall be held county tax levies authorized in said Section 9 of Article 8, by under the provisions of the Constichanging the rates provided for tution and laws of the State of any of the purposes authorized in Texas, particularly amended Secsaid Section by either increasing tion 9, of Article 8, of the Constior decreasing the same, but in no tution, and Section 3a, Article 6, event shall the total of such taxes of the Constitution, and all perexceed Eighty (80c) on the one scns who are legally qualified vothundred dollars' valuation for any ers of said County, and who are one year, provided that before the resident property taxpayers who Commissioners Court may make own taxable property in said Counsuch re-allocations and changes in ty and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled such levies the same shall be submitted to the qualified property to vote at said election.

The ballots for said election shall taxpaying voters of such county at have written or printed thereon a general or special election; and the following: in event such re-allocations and

"FOR RE-ALLOCATION OF changes are approved by a majority of the qualified property tax-COUNTY TAXES." paying voters of any such County "AGAINST RE-ALLOCATION such re-allocations and changes OF COUNTY TAXES." shall remain in force and effect Each voter shall mark out with for a period of six (6) years from black ink or black pencil one of the date of the election at which the above expressions, thus leavsame shall have been approved, ing the other as indicating his or unless the same again shall have her vote.

been changed by a majority of the The polling places and presiding qualified property taxpaying voters officers of said election shall be of such county, voting on the pro- respectively as follows:

Precinct No. 1: Voting Place position; and WHEREAS, the Commissioners County Court House -- Presiding Court of Sutton County, Texas, Officer -- George D. Chalk. THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

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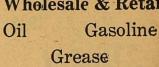
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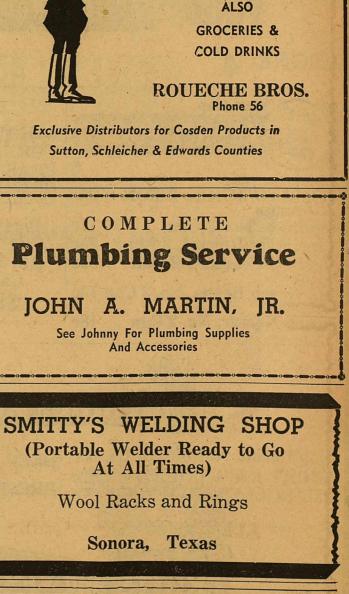
Precinct No. 2 Voting Place deems it advisable and to the best interest of said County to re-allo- Sonora Wool Warehouse -- Presidcate the county taxes authorized ing Officer -- Ben Cusenbary. Precinct No. 3: Voting Place . to be levied annually by Section 9, Article 8, of the Constitution, Cedar Hill School House -- Presiding Officer -- Glenn Reeves. by changing the rates in respect Precinct No. 4: Voting Place -

John Reiley Ranch -- Presiding fficer -- Leonard Gibbs. The manner of holding said elecion shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections.

A copy of this order, signed by the County Judge of said County, and certified to by the County Clerk of said County shall serve as proper and sufficient notice of said election.

Notice of said election shall be given by posting a copy of this the top of which shall rder at appear the words "NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE RE-ALLO-CATION OF COUNTY TAXES, at the Courthouse door of said County, and in each of the election precincts of said County for thirty (30) days prior to the election, which notices shall be posted by the Sheriff or a constable, who shall make return on a copy of such notice, how and when he executed the same.

Notice of said election shall also be given by publication thereof in newspaper published in Sutton County, once each week for three consecutive weeks, the date of first publication being not less than twenty-one (21) full days prior to the date of said election. ADOPTED AND APPROVED, this the 10th day of May, 1948. George Wynn, County Judge D. L. Locklin, Commissioner Pre cinct No. 1. Commissioner Dan Cauthorn, Precinct No. 2. W. Adams, Commissioner Precinct No. 3. Dantes Reiley, Commissioner Precinct No. 4. THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF SUTTON I, the undersigned authority, Clerk of the County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court of said County, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy -Continued to page 7-







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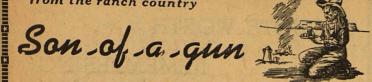
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In a way Best is a very lucky two drug stores have practiced in was drawn at the VFW dance Friday night as the winner of a choice factory, to the employees, propriethog, slaughtered, dressed, smoked ors and the customers. While each and cured and stored at the locker store is closed the other establishplant. In another way Best is un- ment will take care of the sales lucky because nobody has been able to find him and advise him --(?\*1/2

of his good fortune. If Best or anyone who knows him happens to candidates for county and precinct read this, please advise Loy Gulley, offices to file their applications VFW quartermaster. If Best can't and get their names on the ballot. be located in a month or so, an- So if the bee has stung you, you'd other drawing may be necessary. -(?\*1/2\$\*?)-

"How To Solve Your Vacation ly the winner started with the rest regardless of what I pay, my hat Problem In One Easy Lesson," of the field. might well be the title of a story published last week in the Rocksprings newspaper, the Texas Mohair Weekly:

"The Hough Drug Store and the old highway, Alberto's special-Francis Pharmacy are planning izes in the best Mexican food we've the direction of neatness as a their vacations for the last of May eaten in a long time. The new shoeshine -- within 10 minutes aftand first of June. The Hough Drug building, air conditioned and spot-Store will be closed from May 24 less, seats about 40 patrons. to May 29 inclusive, during which time the owners and employees will enjoy a vacation. Mr. and the collar because your train is

Mrs. McKnight and children will late, think of the Gulf and Interleave Sunday for Galveston, where state Railway passenger train that they will attend the Texas Drug- arrived in Beaumont two years, gist Convention. Mr. and Mrs. one month, twenty-seven days, Francis will take their vacation five hours and 15 minutes late. during June, and plan to spend some time at Possum Kingdom Florence Stratton in "Story of of one and then he must go out Lake.

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-(?\*1/2\$\*?)-

June 19, is the last day for right; it just hangs. better get busy. Sometimes dark or even white, hats and they stay horses run fast races, but general- spick-and-span for months. But,

-(?\*1/2\$\*?)-Stopped in at a new eating place

-(?\*1/2\$\*?)-Next time you get hot under

side of the brim flops. And ties--mine wrinkle after the in Junction Sunday night. Located third wearing, except when they about three miles east of town on wrinkle after the second wearing. And even as little a thing in er I get one, somebody steps on

And my knees are knobby, so at

Other men can buy light gray,

gets spotted right away and one

once the suit bags at the knees.

Or take a hat ---

BOYCE

my foot in an elevator. There ain't no justice.

The law says that an alien, convicted of two crimes, shall be deported. But a decision of the United States Eupreme Court says you can't convict him of two crimes in a row; no, it can't be This train, as explained by Miss that simple; you must convict him Beaumont", was marooned at Port and commit another and then be

convicted of that before he can Bolivar during the devastating 1900 Gulf storm and it was that ong a time before service over the track was resumed. -Continued from Page 6-

of an order passed by said Com-

missioners Court on the 10th day of May, 1948, and of the minutes pertaining to its adoption, as said order appears of record in Vol 3 of the minutes of said court. WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of the Commissioners Court, this the 10th day of May, 1948. H. C. KIRBY, Clerk of the County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court of Sutton

County, Texas.

(SEAL)



#### Sonora, Texas, Friday, May 28, 1948

be deported. Why doesn't Congress change the law so that, if an alien is convicted of one crime, he shall be deported?

Another thing: We have aliens in this country who are Communists, which means they favor overthrowing our form of government but we can't get rid of them because the country they came from won't take them back. Why doesn't Congress change the law so that we will admit people only from those countries who are willing to take them back--and when a country refuses to take one of these undesirables back, we admit no more visitors from that country?

Henry George, the economist, once synically remarked that if the multiplication table stood between some men and a profit, you'd find "authorities" who would attack the correctness of the statement that two times two is four.



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