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Warehouse Sells Short Wool at 11 Cents on Monday

Has Contract for 100,000 Pounds, Can Handle Additional 50,000 at Favorable Price

The Sonora Wool & Mohair Company Monday sold its accumulation of short wool for 11 cents a pound to a Philadelphia mill, represented by Max Marschall of San Angelo.

The Philadelphia mill will accept 100,000 pounds of wool at the sale price, and since the local house has only about 50,000 pounds on hand, it can handle an additional quantity of that amount at the same desirable price.

Short wool opened this year at a price below 10 cents, and the sale here is one of the best made in the state. Local ranchmen who have not yet brought in short wool are asked to do so promptly by Bill Fields, acting manager of the house.

McKnight Buying Calves for Pasture

Sending Several Hundred Head to McCulloch County

S. E. McKnight has bought a number of high grade Hereford calves from Sutton ranchmen within the last few days to send, along with a bunch of his own calves, to his ranch in McCulloch county near Lohn, where they will be wintered.

Several hundred head of steer calves will be driven from the McKnight ranch east of Sonora to the Lohn ranch, while several carloads of heifer calves are to be shipped to Carrizo Springs.

The calves were bought from the following ranchmen: C. T. Jones, 120 head; J. W. White, 70 head; Ben F. Meckel about 50 head, and from W. D. Wallace.

General Election Absentee Voting Begun Wednesday

Ballot for General Election Looks Like Sale Bill; Has Eight Columns; Amendments

Absentee voting began Wednesday of this week for the general election to be held Nov. 8. Voters will be required to consider a ticket which in size resembles a large store sale bill. The sheet on which the ballot is printed measures 18 1/2 by 24 inches.

Absentee ballots may be secured by a written application to J. D. Lowrey, county clerk. They should state the precinct in which the applicant votes.

Eight columns are included on the ballot, with seven given to political party candidates and one left blank for the writing in of names. The parties are Democrat. (Continued on page 8)

Halbert Sends Sutton Angoras to Alexandria, Egypt, Grower

Three registered Angora goats, "American Queen" and "American Maid," does, escorted by "Texas," a yearling buck are being shipped Saturday from the B. M. Halbert & Son Ranch west of Sonora to Sammy Pasha, a goat breeder of Alexandria, Egypt.

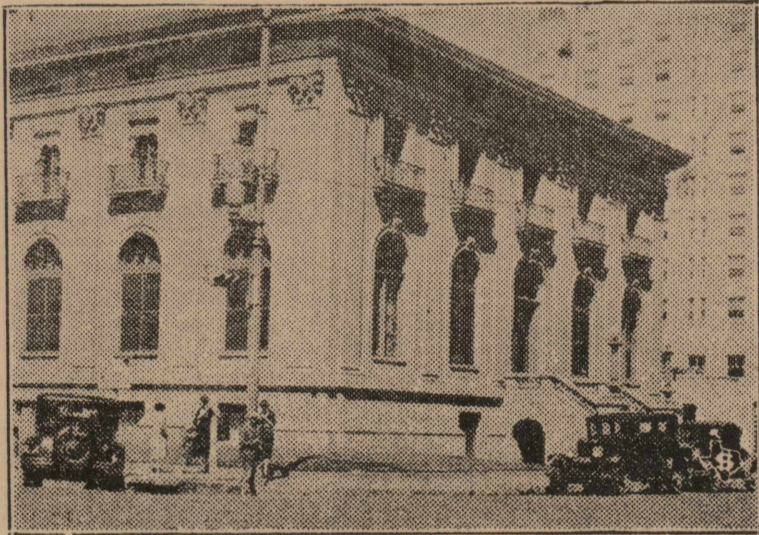
"Texas" is a son of a South African buck, imported by Mr. Halbert at a cost of more than \$1100. He is half American. The two does are of all-American breeding.

Mr. Halbert states that the

transportation costs of getting the goats to Egypt will total at least \$100 each. He did not reveal the price paid by Mr. Pasha for the goats however. They will be shipped by express from Sonora, going first to New York, then on to London, thence by the strait of Gibraltar to Alexandria, on the Mediterranean sea.

Mr. Halbert has been one of the leaders in bringing to Sutton county national and international fame as a goat-breeding sections.

Where Liquor Was Stolen From Government



Here is the federal building at Port Arthur, Texas, from which 1128 pints of choice imported liquor were recently stolen from the U. S. storeroom in the basement, where customs officials had placed it after seizing it from rum running vessels. The thefts were made a little at a time over a period of three months. Five negroes, one of them a janitor of the building, and one white night clerk at the postoffice were arrested.

Soremouth Demonstration to Be Held Here Oct. 28

Personals

W. B. Whitehead was in from his ranch Monday.

Russell La Velle of Junction was a visitor Saturday.

B. W. Hutcherson was a Menard visitor Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wentz of Uvalde were Sonora visitors Monday.

W. A. Hampton, chief engineer of Humble Station "A" was in Sonora Monday on business.

C. B. ("Dutch") Wardlaw, Del Rio ranchman and banker, was a business visitor in Sonora Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Brown, and family of Rocksprings, were in Sonora Saturday attending the football game.

Is First of the Series of County Meetings Planned

A demonstration by Drs. I. B. Boughton and W. T. Hardy, veterinarians at the Ranch Experiment Station, will be held at La Vista theater here Friday, October 28, according to plans being made by a committee of business men and ranchmen who are assisting the station men in arranging the affair.

The meeting here is to be the first of a series to be given by station men throughout the principal sheep-raising region of the state, beginning early in November. Ranchmen from neighboring counties are invited to the meeting here, but are reminded that long drives to attend this first meeting are unnecessary since the meetings will be held in points convenient to virtually every sheep man in West and central Texas.

The purpose of the meetings is to demonstrate proper methods of vaccination, with stress of caution required to prevent infection of the men doing the work with the virus. The vaccine is a development of the local station, and tests have shown that lambs so treated are rendered immune to later attacks. (Continued on page 4)

HALBERT & HOGGETT SELL POLLED BULLS

Halbert & Hoggett of Mertz recently sold 15 head of double standard Polled Hereford bulls from their registered herd to Clark & Sons, ranch firm of Water Valley.

The group consisted of 5 calves and 10 yearlings, and delivery will be made about Nov. 1.

Pattersons Return Home Monday

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Patterson, former Sonorans, who have been spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Halbert and other friends here, left Monday afternoon for their home in Blue Mound, Kan., being accompanied as far as San Angelo by Mrs. Halbert.

Clothing to Come for Sonora's Needy

Red Cross Will Consign Sufficient Ready-to-wear for 100 Families

The Sonora Parent-Teacher Association will receive and distribute a consignment of sufficient ready-to-wear clothing for 100 families, which will be shipped here by the American Red Cross this winter for use in cases where need is imperative, it was announced Thursday by Mrs. E. E. Sawyer, president of the association.

The executive board of the P.-T. A. this week approved the plan for execution by the association, and Sonora's application was put in.

Fred Jungk to New York
Fred Jungk left Wednesday on a trip to New York and other eastern points. He plans to be away about three months.

Marathon Plans De Luxe Station on New Highway

Structure Will Replace Present Carson Building; Work to Begin Next Week

The Marathon Oil Company is receiving bids this week-end, and plans to let a contract Monday or Tuesday for the construction of a large modern service station and residence combined on the site of the present C. H. Carson station in Sonora.

The new structure has been planned to conform with grade and slightly changed location of Highway 27 as it approaches the Dry Devil's Draw bridge. Plans were complete several weeks ago, but had to be changed when the bridge plans were altered and the height of the bridge raised. The grade for the new station will be considerably higher than that of the present drive-in structure.

Complete plans were given to (Continued on page 8)

Sonora Has Hard Tilt in Eldorado

Bronchos Handicapped by Injuries; First Conference Game

The Sonora Bronchos face a hard contest Saturday in Eldorado when they meet the Eagles in the first conference game of the year for the locals. Eldorado has a powerful and deceptive team this year, rated about on a par with the Rocksprings crew of veterans.

Coach A. L. Smith has been working the Bronchos this week in formations and defensive work, and has been conditioning his injured men. Wes Hill still has a bad foot but will likely be able to play most of the game Saturday. Friess' ankle is better, but is still giving him trouble. Archer, regular quarterback, is having trouble with his passing arm, hurt in Saturday's game with Rocksprings, and Allison, an end, also has a bad ankle.

Eldorado has defeated Ozona and Menard in previous conference games this year. Last fall the Eagles won the title in the west half of the district, but lost to Mason in the battle for the district flag.

Wednesday Shower Here Measures .85

Covers Small Area, But Puts the Lowrey Draw Up

A sudden shower which totaled .85 of an inch in a period of about an hour Wednesday afternoon covered only a small area around Sonora, but it was sufficient to cause a rise in Lowrey Draw which stopped traffic between the business section and south residential section of Sonora for about an hour.

Eldorado and San Angelo had only sprinkles, and the rain did not extend more than a few miles in any direction.

SCHWIENING SETS DATE FOR SEASON-END DANCE

Alfred Schwiening has announced a date for the final dance of the current season at his platform at Camp Allison. The dance will be given Tuesday night, Oct. 25, beginning at 9 o'clock.

Music will be provided by Buster Williams and his Del Rioans.

OZONA COUPLE MARRIED HERE FRIDAY THE 13TH

Miss Callie McKinney and Howard Capps, brother of Mrs. Les Fambrough, motored here from Ozona Friday last week and were married by the Rev. Z. E. Parker, at his home, at 4:30 p. m.

The bride's brother and the groom's sister, also of Ozona, accompanied them.

J. L. Nisbets to Lubbock

Mrs. J. L. Nisbet of Plainview, who has been making an extended visit here with her mother, Mrs. Winnie Aldwell, left last week for her home, preparatory to moving to Lubbock, where Mr. Nisbet is locating.

Westbrook Bid of \$7,699 Low on Warehouse Annex

MOHAIR BROUGHT HERE BY SAN ANTONIO MAN

One clip of mohair was handled this fall by the Sonora Wool & Mohair Company which was trucked all the way from San Antonio. It was sent by P. E. Fifer, arriving Monday. The fame of the local warehouse and market evidently is spreading far afield.

Balance of the fall accumulation, sold to A. W. Hilliard of Boston, leaves Sonora next Monday.

Lions Entertained By San Angeloans; Working for Road

Stokes to Represent County at Hearing Seeking Highway 55 to Rocksprings

The Sonora Lions Club, with a record attendance of 29 members and ten guests, enjoyed entertainment provided by a group of San Angelo men, and planned co-operation with Rocksprings and San Angelo is seeking highway designation and improvement between Sonora and Rocksprings.

H. V. Stokes, traffic manager of the local Lions club, was appointed to represent the club, as well as Sutton county citizens, at a hearing of the matter before the state highway commission in Austin Monday of next week. Rocksprings and San Angelo are also sending delegations in regard to the designation, or extension of Highway 55, from Rocksprings to an intersection with Highway 30 now paved, southwest of Sonora.

In charge of the Rev. Grady Timmons, pastor of the First Methodist church of San Angelo, a product (Continued on page 8)

Local Briefs

Mrs. Evans Better After Operation
Mrs. Mary Evans, accompanied by the Misses Alice and Nan Karnes, returned Saturday from San Antonio where she successfully underwent a second operation, and is improving steadily at her home.

Visit Mrs. Turney and Shurleys
Mrs. Bozarth Brown, Sanderson, left Tuesday after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. Paul Turney. Mrs. Brown was joined here Sunday by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Joe F. Brown, also of Sanderson, who visited her cousins, the Shurley brothers, and their families, here, after having come from a visit in Eldorado.

Bulldogs Ride Bronchos in 7-0 Victory Here Saturday

Bitterweed Tests Planned at Station

Will Begin After Frost Kills Other Vegetation

Further tests in the control of bitterweed will be conducted at the Ranch Experiment Station this winter, it has been announced by W. H. Dameron, superintendent. Heavy rains last month have produced considerable number of the plants in some sections of the Edwards Plateau, again making the bitterweed a serious problem. The tests will be started as soon as frost kills other vegetation.

New Piano for Baptist Church

A new baby grand piano was installed at the Baptist church last week for approval of church members, who are planning to buy an instrument. It is thought that the piano will be kept.

Six Contractors In the Contest for Job Here

CONTRACT UNLET

Expected Before End of Week, with Work Soon

J. D. Westbrook of San Angelo was low man of the six contractors competing for the job of building a 90 by 100 foot annex to the warehouse of the Sonora Wool & Mohair Company here. Westbrook's bid was \$7699, several hundred dollars below the estimate of Suggs Construction Company of Abilene, builders of the new school building.

Bids were received and opened here Wednesday, and the letting of a contract, expected to be to Westbrook, was scheduled for this week-end as The News went to press Thursday noon.

Other firms entering bids were H. H. Myers, San Angelo; Murphy & Murphy, Mineral Wells; Dunlap & Cox, Abilene, and H. F. Templeton, San Angelo.

The new building will be placed directly north of the present structure, and will be connected by two doors. It will be of about the same area as the present structure, but will be of a greater capacity since no room will have to be allowed for office facilities. Total capacity of the completed project is expected to be about 1,800,000 pounds of wool or mohair.

The new unit will have concrete walls, concrete floor resting on concrete. (Continued on page 4)

Firemen Hear of Early Day Fires at First Banquet

Talkers Praise Work of Department; 30 Members and Guests Present for Affair

Firemen were told of early day fire-fighting methods and experiences in Sonora and the work of the local department was praised in talks made Friday night at the banquet which climaxed the activities of Fire Prevention Week.

Henri Rogers opened the program with a number of accordin solos. With J. D. Lowrey, an honorary member, as toastmaster, Roy E. Aldwell, another honorary member, was the first speaker introduced. Mr. Aldwell told of the principal fires in early day Sonora, and reviewed their effect on the (Continued on page 8)

Sixty-two Cars of Livestock Shipped out Last 2 Weeks

55 of Number Sheep; 5 of Cattle, 2 of Horses

Livestock shipments of the last two weeks have been exceptionally heavy, with 62 cars leaving Sonora in that time. Of that total 55 cars were sheep, 5 cattle and 2 horses.

On Oct. 6, William Ritter shipped 2 cars of Cauthorn Bros. sheep and one of Lawrence Steen stock to Bucklin, Kan. The same day, W. T. Benson, for Woodward & Ramsey of San Angelo, shipped 4 cars of sheep to Mays, Kan., and 2 to San Angelo.

On Oct. 8 the Sonora Methodist church shipped part of a car and Mrs. Ellen Shurley the balance to Fort Worth market; and R. A. Halbert sent two cars to L. J. Halbert at Happy, Tex.

On Oct. 11 Ritter shipped 2 cars to Clearwater, Kan., and Smith & (Continued on page 8)

Rocksprings Team Is Too Much for Local Eleven

In a hard-fought game here Saturday the Rocksprings Bulldogs rode the Sonora Bronchos for a 7-0 victory. The game was closely contested throughout, with the exception of the last few minutes, when the local team lost its coordination following the injury of G. W. Archer, quarterback. Rocksprings' team made the greatest number of first downs, and gained more yardage than Sonora, but did not fare as well on the majority of punts.

Cloudt, Rocksprings quarterback, was the outstanding man of the game, carrying the ball for his team most of the time, and also calling its signals and doing the punting. He also threw the only (Continued on page 8)

With the Churches

Baptist Church
 Sunday school, 10 a. m.
 Preaching, 11 and 7:45 each Lord's day.
 B. T. S. Sunday, 6:30 p. m.
 Prayermeeting and choir practice Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.
 Z. E. PARKER, Pastor.

Methodist Church
 Sunday school 9:45.
 Morning worship 11:00.
 Evening worship, 8:30.
 Young People's meeting 6:45.
 Woman's Missionary Society, 3 p. m. Wednesday.
 Stewards meet every first Sunday.
 Workers' Council each first Sunday at 2 p. m.
 E. P. NEAL, Pastor.

Church of Christ
 Bible Study, Sunday 10 a. m.
 Worship, 10:45 a. m.
 Ladies' Bible class, Wednesday, 3:30 p. m.
 Everyone cordially invited.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
 POLITICAL

(Editor's Note—Candidates will be listed in the order received. Rates will be as follows, payable in advance: Precinct offices, \$5; county offices, \$10; district offices, \$15. Announcement will be carried throughout entire year until time of final election. Payment of fee entitles candidate to a statement not exceeding 100 words. Portions of statements over 100 words will be charged for at 10 cents a line.)

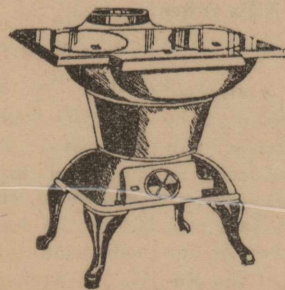
- The following candidates announce for offices named in the General Election, November 8, 1932.
- For State Senator, 29th Dist.:
K. M. REGAN
- For County Treasurer:
MRS. A. J. SMITH
- For County and District Clerk:
J. D. LOWREY
- For Constable, Prec. 1:
TOM THORP
- For Tax Assessor:
GEO. J. TRAINER, SR.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
B. W. HUTCHERSON
- For County Judge:
ALVIS JOHNSON
- For Commissioner, Prec. 3:
C. W. ADAMS

Miss Evans Gets Good Grades
 Miss Jessie Louise Evans, a student in the San Angelo Business College, last week rated highest in her class on a stenotype test over Part I of the manual, in which she received a grade of 100 on the first half of the test and 99½ on the second. Her name appeared with six others on the honor roll for the week.

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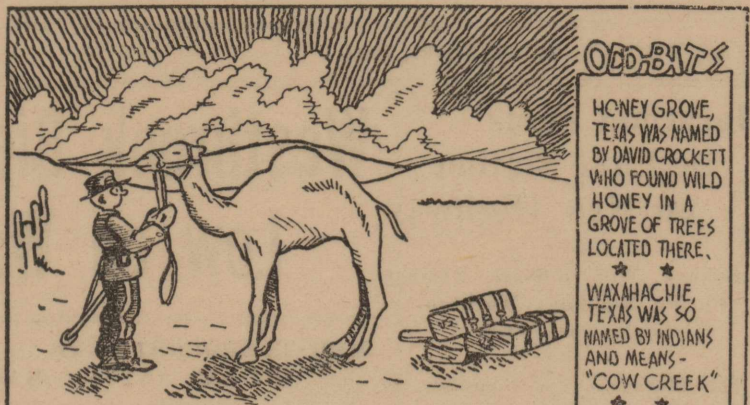


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MINERS FIND MOUNTAIN OF SALT IN VAN ZANDT COUNTY, E. TEXAS

NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE
 The State of Texas,
 County of Sutton.
 Mrs. Nannie B. Wilson, et al vs. Arthur Stuart, et al, No. 795, in the district court of Sutton county, Texas.

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the district court of Sutton county, Texas, on a judgment returned in said court on the 8th day of September 1932, in favor of the said Mrs. Nannie B. Wilson, and against the said Arthur Stuart, Henry Stuart, Annie M. Stuart and Louis Stuart, No. 795 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 5th day of October, 1932, at 4 o'clock p. m. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situate in the county of Sutton, State of Texas, and belonging to the said Arthur Stuart, to-wit:

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70	0-261 7 TWNGRyCO. 640

and on the 1st day of November, A. D. 1932, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Arthur Stuart, Henry Stuart, Annie M. Stuart, and Louis Stuart in and to said property.

Dated at Sonora, Texas, this the 5th day of October, 1932.
 B. W. HUTCHERSON,
 Sheriff, Sutton County, Texas.

Visit Mrs. A. L. Smith
 Mrs. G. B. Sutton of Georgetown, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Flossie, arrived Saturday for a visit of several days with her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Smith, and Mr. Smith.

Stretching for a mile across and reaching to an unknown depth, believed to represent enough salt to supply the world for generations, a veritable mountain of salt lies near Grand Saline, in Van Zandt county, East Texas.

It has always been recognized that salt deposits near Grand Saline are vast, but their full extent was not clearly indicated until a new method of obtaining the salt from the ground, known as salt "mining" was inaugurated in recent years by a well-known salt company in the Grand Saline area.

The "miners" made borings hundreds of feet deep without "touching bottom" of the huge mountain of salt, while other borings showed the salt mountain was more than a mile across at its top.

The Grand Saline salt industry is one of the oldest in Texas. It had its crude beginning certainly as far back as 1845, and long before that it was a known source of salt for the Indian aborigines.

The earlier methods of obtaining the salt were based on the principle of pumping the saline solution from wells and then securing the salt by ridding the solution of its water content. The evaporation process, modernized, is still used. The newest process is mining.

In starting the mining process serious problems had to be overcome in the sinking of the 700-foot shaft to the salt deposits. Quick-sand and huge quantities of salt water were encountered by the miners. At one time it was apprehended that the entire project would have to be abandoned.

But finally, and after the expenditure of thousands of dollars, the difficulties were overcome. Four-foot concrete walls braced and reinforced to resist the tremendous pressure from water and sand were one of the means used, and now the machines are bringing to the mine mouth daily tons and tons of the pure mineral in rock form.

The mining is relatively simple—blasting out the salt with explosives, dragging it to a large hopper for crushing into sizes convenient for handling, and lifting it to the surface in giant buckets. Processing then consists of reducing the blocks to the proper size according to the use for which it is intended, ranging all the way from sizable blocks down to the finest pulverization for table purposes.

Mechanically agitated screens with various sized meshes separate the different degrees of coarseness. Machinery directs the different sizes to their proper receptacles and from the time it leaves the mine until it is sorted and packaged and ready for shipment it is not touched by human hands.

Extent of the Grand Saline salt "mountain" is not known. Some idea of its known area, however, may be gleaned from the fact that mining engineers estimate that from the one level now being worked they can continue production at the present rate for 300 years. How many more levels there are to be mined is largely a matter of conjecture.

Order Rubber Stamps from The News.

Espee Bridge Begun Over Devil's River

Southern Pacific Railway Spends Quarter Million on Structure

More than a quarter of a million dollars will be expended by the Southern Pacific Railway in rebuilding the Devil's River railway bridge, preliminary work on which was inaugurated Thursday.

Since the flood carried away the huge steel bridge early in September, a temporary structure has been used by the railway company.

J. DePuy, contractor for the concrete and piers, started preliminary work of excavating Friday and commenced erection of bunkhouses and cooking shacks to care for the men in his employ.

The main portion of the bridge will be set by the railway company bridge gangs, 150 men being used in completing the steel work on the bridge.

Design of the structure will be practically the same as the old bridge, six steel spans being used, according to the plans. However,

length of the bridge was increased for 750 to more than 1,000 feet, it was pointed out. No increase in height was indicated on the plans, the flooring to be 40 feet above normal flow of water.

Construction of the bridge will be made over the temporary structure and no interruption of train service is anticipated. Several additional tracks to care for unloading

the material have been laid. It is thought that all material for the structure will have been unloaded by the latter part of the week.—Val Verde County Herald.

Approximately 75,000 fish have been planted in McCulloch county streams during recent months by H. R. Morell, game warden, says the Heart O'Texas News, Brady.

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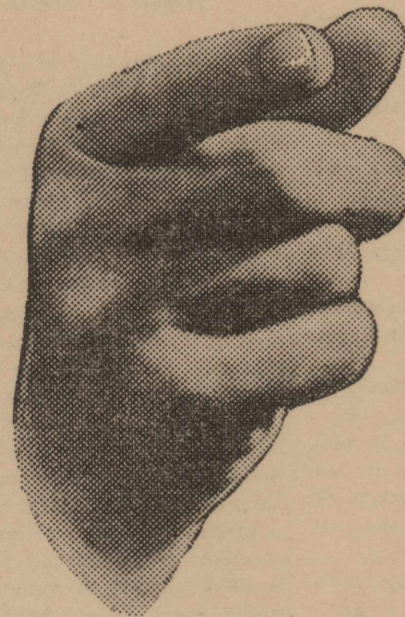
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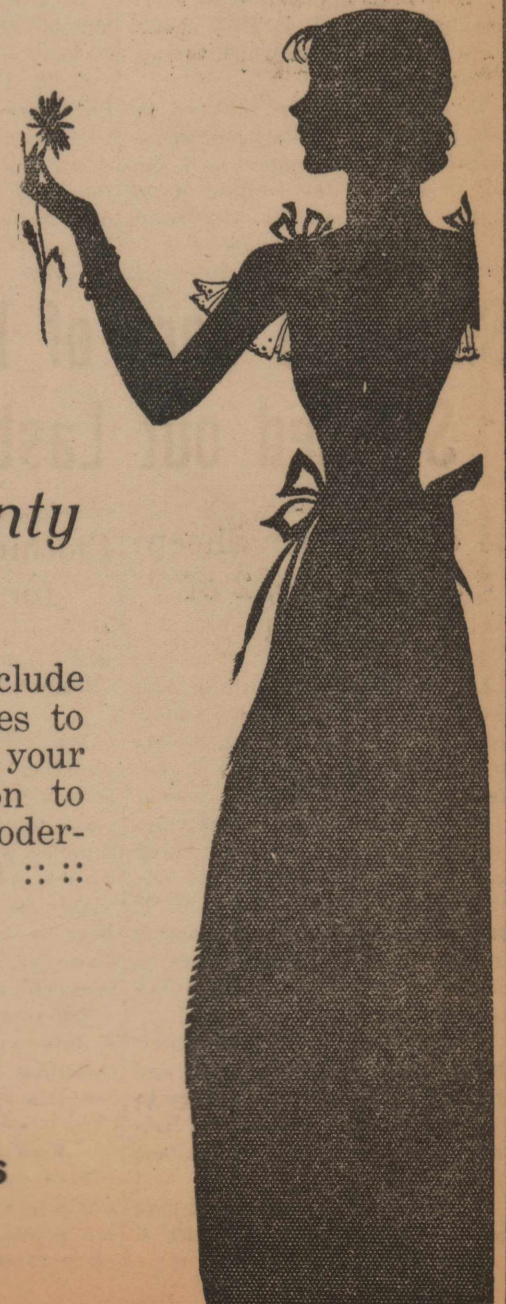
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HEALTH NOTES

DALLAS NEWS ANALYZES HAY FEVER AS DISEASE

Speaking of hay fever, the Dallas News says:

"Consult the lexicon and you will find that hay fever is a catarrhal affection of the mucous membranes of the eyes, nose and respiratory tract, sometimes accompanied with fever and asthma, occurring annually in the spring and late summer, and apparently caused by the inhaled pollen of various plants. Consult any one of the 10,000,000 national victims of hay fever and you get a shorter definition practically synonymous with General Sherman's of war. It would be inaccurate to state that medical science knows little about hay fever as about cancer. It is convinced as to the cause, and can prove it, because, on isolation from vegetation, the patient ceases to suffer. It has produced remedies, chiefly a serum and other treatments, but it has gotten nowhere with a permanent cure. Hence the preparations of the University of Illinois for the second successive year to face the on coming hay fever season with intensive study to produce an effective cure.

"Hay fever does not kill, although sometimes the afflicted wish it would. It discommodates no one but the sufferer, except when his disposition goes haywire as a result of sneezing and sniffing. But comparatively mild as the complaint is a cure that does not involve a change of base would make its discoverer rich beyond the dreams of avarice. So there is business as well as scientific interest in the Illinois experiment.

"This year the Illinois scientists will take a group of hay fever patients whose troubles are complicated by no other ills and study them in a germ proof hospital ward. Perhaps the systematic Illinois attack on hay fever will get

Girl Again Rules After Lion's Rampage



Here are Majorie Kemp, intrepid woman motorist and Sultan, the big tawny cat that clawed her Friday at the State Fair of Texas. Miss Kemp takes Sultan for a ride around the motorcycle drome in the act. While a hundred people watched from above, Sultan tore Miss Kemp's shirt to shreds and ripped her arm and shoulder. Miss Kemp brought the car to a stop, changed her shirt and finished the act after giving Sultan a thorough thrashing.

NOTICE OF SALE
The State of Texas
County of Sutton.

In the District Court of Sutton County, Texas.

Mrs. W. Faulkner et al vs. Mrs. Lorene Earwood Gilmore et al.

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the district court of Sutton county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1932, in favor of the said Mrs. W. Faulk-

ner and against the said Mrs. Lorene Earwood Gilmore, S. A. Gilmore and the Republic Production Company, Number 798 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 5th day of October, A. D. 1932, at 4 o'clock p. m. levy upon the following described tracts or parcels of land situated in Sutton and Kimble counties, Texas, described in said order of sale, and belonging to the said Mrs. Lorene Earwood Gilmore, to-wit:

Survey	Block	Cert.	Original	Grantee	Acres	County
55	A	1-208	GWT&PRYCO.	708.1	Sutton	
81	A	1-221	GWT&PRYCO.	640	Sutton	
79	Npt	A 1-220	GWT&PRYCO.	539	Sutton and Kimble	
80	A	1-220	GWT&PRYCO.	982.3	Sutton and Kimble	
58	A	1-209	GWT&PRYCO.	760.2	Sutton	

and on the 1st day of November, A. D. 1932, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest

of the said Mrs. Lorene Earwood Gilmore, S. A. Gilmore and Republic Production Company in and to said property.

Dated at Sonora, Texas, this the 5th day of October, 1932.
49-3tc B. W. HUTCHERSON,
Sheriff, Sutton County, Texas.

results. Ten million Americans hope but don't believe it will. Hay fever is another name for confirmed pessimism."

State highway department appropriated \$8,000 for repairs to new construction work on Highway No. 17 through Jeff Davis county, according to the Pecos Enterprise.

Kerrville to Get New Federal Bldg.

Treasury Department Announces Allocation of \$95,000

Assurance that the United States Treasury Department will take immediate steps to acquire a site for Kerrville's new federal building was contained in a telegram received here last Friday by Gober Gibson from Congressman R. E. Thomason.

The treasury department announced on October 5 that the sum of \$95,000 had been allocated for the Kerrville building.

Congressman Thomason's message advised that bids for the site would be advertised within a week or ten days.

The new Kerrville postoffice was included with eight additional Texas federal building projects in the public construction program authorized in the Garner-Wagner relief act. A total of \$840,000 has been allocated for the nine projects, but each individual amount will probably be cut 10 per cent under a ruling by Comptroller General McCarl.

Allocations for the Texas projects made Wednesday of last week were as follows: Athens, \$85,000; Colorado, \$85,000; Eastland, \$85,000; Graham, \$85,000; Kerrville, \$95,000; Lamesa, \$95,000; Nocona, \$85,000; Pecos, \$130,000; Vernon, \$50,000.

The latest release of allocations brought Texas' share of the \$100,000,000 Garner-Wagner relief bill for public construction close to \$7,000,000. However, under the economy law, Comptroller General McCarl ruled that each item must be cut 10 per cent, limiting the entire expenditure to \$90,000,000. Under provisions of this ruling, only \$85,500 will be available for the new Kerrville federal building.

As soon as the site has been purchased by the government, it is expected that work on the new building will be rushed forward as quickly as possible. — Kerrville Mountain Sun.

OLD TRAIL DRIVERS PLAN REUNION FOR OCTOBER 27

Following postponement of their annual reunion from Oct. 6, Old Trail Drivers of Texas will convene in San Antonio Oct. 27.

George Saunders, president of the association, has recovered sufficiently from a recent illness to preside at the convention, it is announced.

165-YEAR-OLD GEOGRAPHY SAYS TEXAS PART OF LA. AT PURCHASE

Important "contributory evidence" that Texas originally was bought by the United States in the Louisiana Purchase in 1803 and that the Rio Grande rather than the Nueces River was the southern boundary of Texas is contained in a book which came to light here recently.

This is an original edition of Thomas Salmon's Geographical Grammar published in Kilmarnock, Scotland, in 1767. On a map of North America published in this 165-year-old book, Louisiana is shown as the property of France and extends as far west as 100th parallel.

The boundary of Louisiana in 1767 is shown as extending to the "North River," which is none other than our friend Rio Grande del Norte in English. The Red River is given its French spelling of Rouge.

purchase of Louisiana from Napoleon in 1803, at which time a claim to Texas was set up. In 1819 upon the cession of Florida to the United States, the latter surrendered all claims upon land west of the Sabine River in Texas. Upon the winning of Texas independence in 1836, a dispute with Mexico grew up over the land between the Nueces and the Rio Grande. This was in process of settlement when the Mexican War began.

Mrs. Linnie W. Barnett, 3803 Travis, is owner of the volume, which was the property of her father, the Rev. William Henry Wright, who died here last year. Her mother makes her home in Dallas. The book is replete with maps of all part of the world, all drawn on the basis of then known geographical and political facts. The

book has considerable historical value, particularly in Texas, to students of Texas history and of the long, drawnout disputes between Texas, Mexico and the United States over boundary matters. The volume was brought to America from Leslie, Scotland, in 1792 by Thomas and Catherine Comyn Briggs, who settled in Virginia. Their daughter, Andromanche, married Josiah McGehee Wright, who were the grandparents of the Rev. William Henry Wright, who was born in Graves county, Ky. He came to Texas in 1871 and had lived in Dallas since 1890.—Dallas Morning News.

Leave for Dallas on Monday

The Misses Clara Allison and Sally Wardlaw left Monday for Dallas, where they will attend the State Fair of Texas and attend to fall marketing for the A. & W. Drug store. They will be gone all this week.

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AND NOTHING CAN BE DONE ABOUT IT

A recent tax survey conducted by the division of farm and ranch economics of the Texas Agricultural Experiment station and its branches shows a wide discrepancy in the amount of taxes paid on rural property and city property, on real estate and chattels, and even on property of similar nature located in various counties of the state.

Nothing can be done about this unfair method of taxation under existing laws. Before relief can be effected the tax assessing machinery of the state will have to be completely revised, with a unit system supervised by the state to insure equality in county evaluation.

Too, the survey shows the needs for better trained men in the assessors' offices of the state, in order that the burden may be shifted somewhat to personal property and chattels.

A summary of the survey recently issued follows: An analysis of our assessment system reveals two outstanding weaknesses; namely, the failure to tax intangible personal property, and the failure to assess properties at uniform and comparable values.

According to the state comptroller's reports for the past eleven years, 1921-31, the assessed value of intangible property has averaged only slightly more than 2 per cent of the total assessed value of all property. Deposits of state and national banks have averaged \$980,725,000 a year for the period 1921-31, whereas the amount of money on hand or deposit assessed for taxes for the same period has averaged only 2.7 per cent of this amount.

Authentic reports dealing with the sources of taxes and the sources of net income of individuals reveal the situation in which property yielding only one-fifth to one-fourth of the net income of the entire population of the state is the source of three-fourths of the direct taxes of the state and local governments. Gross inequalities were revealed in the assessment of individual properties. The significant of these were: failure to assess property at full value, wide difference in assessment levels from county to county, extreme variation in the percentage of assessed value to sales price between individual properties, and the tendency to tax small farms and city properties at a higher rate than large farms and large city properties.

The gross inequalities in taxation revealed in this study suggest the need for drastic changes, not only in our methods of assessment but also in the fundamental principles of our tax system. Among the

Soremouth

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The vaccine will be manufactured in commercial quantities next spring, and will be supplied to ranchmen at half-a-cent a dose a head, which is actual cost of its preparation and distribution.

County agents in the various parts of the sheep country were given special training in the vaccination at a meeting here a few weeks ago, and they will assist the station staff in spreading information on the vaccination.

The use of La Vista theater is being donated by its owner, Carl Gunzer. Two lambs are needed for the demonstration, and ranchmen who care to donate one, or both, should notify W. H. Dameron, station superintendent, or one of the members of the following com-

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Waide of Port Stockton were guests of the Hotel McDonald Tuesday night.

Mrs. Tom Taylor of Cline is here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Ory, and other relatives.

R. K. Muckelroy of San Angelo arrived Wednesday for a visit of a week or two with his sister, Mrs. Birdie Rutledge.

Mrs. T. A. Williams of Rock-springs, arrived last week for a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Winnie Aldwell.

Mesdames T. A. Williams, Clara Murphy and Sterling Baker, and Miss Lois Thomas drove to San Angelo Tuesday.

George B. Hamilton visited in Dallas last week-end and attended the Texas-Oklahoma game at the State Fair Saturday.

bert, Roy Aldwell, W. E. Glasscock and George Baker

"Devil's Dream"

(By W. E. James)



THE SPIRIT OF CO-OPERATION

Most everyone is familiar with the story of the man who called his six (maybe it was seven) sons around him and proceeded to give them a lesson in co-operation. You remember he handed a stick to each boy and asked that he try his strength. In each instance, the single stick was easily broken. Then the old man took all the sticks and bound them together. In this new relationship, not a boy could even crack a stick, much less break one.

At no time in the history of the country has hard-times, financial stringency, panic, general depression—or call it what you may—called more strenuously for co-operation than today. And the insistent demand for a "helping hand" is just as apparent now, and will be for possibly a few years to come, as it was at the beginning of the present unrest and unemployment.

Some few, (and thank the Lord for the lessness of the number), selfish, greedy people think that during such a time as we are experiencing is their opportunity to gouge and dig and oppress for personal gain, little realizing that such action tends to lengthen the days of depression and add weight to the burden of those willing to share their substance with the more unfortunate.

In place of shifting our burden to the backs of those already heavily laden, let's look for an opportunity to lighten the load of some one breaking under the strain. There are many ways of accomplishing desired results if we only want to look for them. And having found a way, carry it out.

You have heard the story of the man, who joined a circle of business associates, and the conversation turned to debts. The talk gained a certain point and this man reached into his pocket and drew forth a ten dollar bill. Handing it to the man next to him he said: "Here, Bill, is that ten spot I have been owing you since the Lord knows when."

The above suggests an idea. Of course, you may not owe any one, and in that case you should be in position to lend some man a dollar, or better still, if you are free of debt, surely you have an odd job or two about the place. Don't try to do it yourself, but give the other a fellow a chance to earn the dollar he may have tried to borrow from you.

Here is how one Sonora business man co-operated in dividing a job so that several mouths were fed: He bought a certain number of trees, or "wood on the stump," as it is called—profit to the ranchman. Next, he hired a Mexican to cut and trim the trees into 4-foot, or cord-wood length—profit to the Mexican. Then he hired a man with a truck to haul the cord-wood to town—profit to the hauler.

Co-operation! That's what did it. The spirit of co-operation (and not greediness) will end the depression quicker than any other one agency.

more important changes possible are: broadening of the base of our tax structure so as to include a personal income tax to be substituted for taxes on intangible personal property, and reduction of the general property tax by the amount of revenue derived therefrom; selection of county assessors on the basis of competitive examinations under Civil Service rules; provision for central control and supervision of assessment by a state tax commissioner or commission; and requiring that much greater emphasis be placed on the technique of assessing individual properties.

Warehouse

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crete and steel piers, and a composition roof, similar to the present building with the exception of walls, which on the older unit are of hollow tile and stucco.

Portable stacking equipment will be provided for use in both units of the building. Plans call for completion of the project before shearing time for goats arrives next spring.

Mrs. Roy Baker to San Antonio Mrs. Roy Baker left early Saturday morning for San Antonio with her baby daughter, Margaret Ruth, her sister, Mrs. Douglas Hargrave, and the latter's sister-in-law, Mrs. E. J. Hargrave, both of Los Angeles, Calif., for a visit of several days Mrs. E. J. Hargrave will visit relatives in San Antonio, while Mrs. Baker and her sister will visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis, there.

Rent it with a classified.

Rice's Great Sophomore Back Shows the Mustangs His Heels



Thrasher, one of Rice's star ball jugglers, is shown in the above photo as he tore around the S. M. U. line Saturday on one of his frequent gains. Thrasher's running was one of the features of the game, which stamped Rice as a likely champion of the Southwest conference.

35 YEARS AGO

The Devil's River News for April 16 was full of the Spanish-American War. The following special telegram to the San Angelo Standard April 14, at 3:25 p. m. from Fort Monroe, Va., April 13, was published: "The first gun of the war it may be said, was fired off the Cruiser Columbia of the Flying Squadron at Hampton Roads, Va., today. It was an unexpected signal to every sailor ashore to immediately return to his ship. It was the first gun and relieved a tension that the continuous excitement of the past few weeks has had among all the navy. Officers only, were allowed to go ashore after the signal gun was fired, to bid farewell to wives, sweethearts and relatives. It is the dearest wish of every Tar aboard the fleet that if there is any fighting to be done that their ship may be in the thickest of the fight."

Columns were devoted to the war, including special dispatches, synopsis of the president's message to Congress, speculations as to effect of the war on the cattle interests, and discussions of its other aspects.

The following editorial remarks were made: "The Devil's River News is under many obligations to D. H. Burroughs, the accommodating bookkeeper for Mayer Bros. & Co., for assistance rendered this week. The Sonora-San Angelo telephone line is showing up to advantage these wardays and Devil's River News returns thanks for the people of Sonora to the proprietors and managers as well as to the San Angelo Standard, Dr. S. L. Smith of the Pioneer Drug Store and Tom McCloskey of the Arc Light Corner for their kindness in forwarding the dispatches."

The bicycle fight was still on, despite the war excitement: "The Devil's River News of April 9th says that Mark Baugh claims to have ridden from San Angelo to Sonora last Monday a wheel in 5 hours and 15 minutes and stopped on the road 20 minutes to mend a broken chain. The distance is 69 1/2 miles. The Enterprise man finds that the item provokes a broad

smile with some of the San Angelo flyers who have been over the road a time or two.

They say the pace must have stopped Mark's watch about two hours while on the road. The time is not fast for the distance on some roads but it is fast for that road, and one would not have to look far to find money to say that no bicycle rider at present either in Sonora or San Angelo can ride from point to point in five hours, thirty minutes even—and possibly six hours—honest time, the moment of starting to be sent ahead from either point by telephone.—San Angelo Enterprise.

"There is no question about the time made by Mark Baugh, on his return from San Angelo. Epps, the bicycle man of San Angelo and others know that Baugh left San Angelo at 7 a. m. and numbers of Sonora people know that he arrived here about 12 o'clock. The Enterprise does not say anything about Geo. Allen's, Rhodes Baker's or Choctaw's watches."—this response from The Devil's River News!

Another familiar type of story appeared:

"Another case of 'didn't know it was loaded,' or 'the fool with a pistol,' was brought to light in Sonora Saturday morning by Miguel Hernandez coming to town for Sheriff McConnell. It seems that Saturday morning two Mexican boys, from Uvalde who were out here for the shearing season, were playing with a pistol in a tent near Miguel Hernandez' place on the McKavett road. The pistol was in

the hand of Guadalupe Rodriguez, a boy about 14 years old, who pointed it at his companion and accidentally pulled the trigger. The bullet entered the left eye coming out the back of the head of Ysabel Santos, a boy of about 15 years of age. Guadalupe Rodriguez was placed in jail by Sheriff McConnell. He was given an examining trial Tuesday before Justice Stewart and discharged. The body of Ysabel Santos was taken to Uvalde for burial."

A statement of the condition of the Bank of Sonora April 2, 1898 revealed total assets of \$40,855.30 and liabilities of \$40,855.30. The statement was sworn to by B. M. Halbert, cashier, before S. G. Taylor, notary public, and signed by John W. Hagerlund, R. F. Halbert and J. J. Ford, directors.

Several shorter items follow: J. O. Rountree, W. A. Stewart, Frank Berkeley, J. Lewenthal, Jas. Earksdale and O. H. Wood of Sonora and C. W. Wilder and Bob Carp of Temple, returned from a fishing trip to Dolan Springs on Devil's river last Monday and report having had a fine time.

Carter Johnson is having his ice house fitted up this week. The refrigerator has a capacity for 15,000 pounds of ice and as Mr. Johnson intends keeping a full supply constantly on hand, and at a reasonable price, you may figure on keeping cool this summer.

L. R. Benson bought the W. H. Lightfoot grocery and confectionery business this week and intends running it first-class style.

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Texas Business Calendar

Table with 3 columns (MARCH, APRIL, MAY 1932) and 3 rows (JUNE, JULY, AUGUST 1932; SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER, NOVEMBER 1932). Each cell contains a caricature of a woman with glasses and the text 'MA TEXAS'.



WOMAN'S PAGE



SOCIETY

Mrs. George Baker, Editor

H. S. Pep Squad Has Successful Benefit Parties Saturday

Members of the pep squad of Sonora high school sponsored a successful benefit game party Saturday night which was, in reality, two parties in one. Some seventy high school students played various table games in the cafeteria, while seven tables of adults enjoyed bridge and "42" in the home economics building.

At the latter place the following participated in the games: Messrs. and Mesdames E. A. Bode, W. C. Warren, E. E. Sawyer, and George Baker; Mesdames Ira Shurley, C. H. Jennings, Bozarth Brown of Sanderson, Paul Turney, Orion Brown, Maysie Brown, J. A. Cauthorn, Thomas Espy, and Rose Thorp; the Misses Flossie Sutton of Georgetown, Jamie Gardner, Dorothy Baker, Zella Lee Thorp, and Nan Karnes; and Messrs. Pat Clark, John McElroy of Eldorado, A. L. Smith and Henry Greenhill. The Misses Johnnie Allison, sponsor of the squad, Lucille Dubois, Annie Duncan, Maurine Phillips, and Florence Langford assisted the girls in the affair.

Pat Clark, winner of high bridge score, received a large stick of striped peppermint candy. Refreshments of cocoa and wafers were served.

Just-Us Club With Mrs. V. F. Hamilton Friday Last Week

Mrs. V. F. Hamilton was hostess to members and guests of the Just-Us Contract Club at her home Friday afternoon of last week, when high score went to Mrs. G. H. Davis, for club, and Mrs. Joe Hull, for guest.

The hostess served enjoyable refreshments to Mesdames Davis, Gus Love, J. C. Stephen, Libb Wallace, T. D. White, and W. S. Evans, members; and Mesdames Joe Hull and her husband guests.

Mrs. V. F. Hamilton, with her lady son, left Tuesday morning for Big Lake where she visited her sister, Mrs. Horace Rees, for several days.

Girl Mail Clerk



Here is Texas' first woman air mail clerk, Miss Emma Ruth Barbee of Houston. She is pictured as she wears to protect Uncle Sam's mail with her life, if necessary, and she can use that gun, too.

Mrs. Westbrook to Grand Chapter

Mrs. J. D. Westbrook left Wednesday morning for Eastland, where she will visit for a day, going from there to Dallas to visit relatives and friends before going on to Fort Worth Sunday to attend the grand chapter of Eastern Star which meets there October 25-28. Mrs. Westbrook will represent the Sonora O. E. S. in her capacity of associate matron. Her little daughter, Katherine, will spend the time with her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Atkinson, in Sterling City. Her son, Glendon, will remain here with his father.

Royal Service Program Wednesday

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. A. Cauthorn Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock for its monthly Royal Service program. Hostesses for the afternoon will be Mesdames Cauthorn, J. H. Brasher, and R. D. Trainer.

Enjoy Evening at Ranch

About ten couples enjoyed dancing and a Mexican supper at the Sam Thomas ranch home Saturday evening. The appetizing food was placed on the kitchen stove where guests could enjoy it at their own pleasure.

Sammy Jean Allison Has Party

Sammy Jean Allison, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allison, was given a delightful birthday party at the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. S. Keene, Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Brown King of San Angelo, was the house guest of Mrs. Frank Bond several days last week.

SECOND BRIDGE OLYMPIC CREATES INTEREST AND EXCITEMENT WED.

Sonora's participants in the second national Contract bridge olympic Wednesday night comprised four tables of players at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Aldwell, where four separate rooms were used, one for each table, and mirrors which might have reflected hands of players were grotesquely draped with sheets to prevent this possibility — affording a comic background for the otherwise serious affair.

Mr. Aldwell, Sonora's game captain, had appointed Mesdames Maysie Brown and Nannie B. Wilson, and Cecil Allen as card committee, and these assistants distributed the sealed hands as directed by the national committee.

Witnesses of the Olympic were Mesdames Winnie Aldwell, Guy Goodman, and Brian Hunt, and R. A. Halbert.

Playing at pre-arranged tables was as follows, by pairs: Mesdames T. A. Williams and Sterling Baker versus Mesdames Jim Willoughby, of Eldorado, and E. F. Vander

Stucken; Mr. and Mrs. Will Wilkinson versus Mrs. Lloyd Earwood and Sterling Baker; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Elliott versus Mrs. R. A. Halbert and George B. Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Aldwell versus Mr. and Mrs. George H. Neill. Beginning at 8 o'clock, the sixteen hands were played without intermission. Contrary to expectations, one freakish distribution was found, in the sixth hand, producing several different bids and results.

Following the last hand, Mrs. Aldwell served cake and coffee to the participants, while a confusion of post-game discussions broke forth, lasting till a late hour.

Results were not known Wednesday night, but announcement was postponed until after proper methods of bidding and playing should be announced over the radio Thursday night.

Local high scores were won as follows: East and West hands, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Elliott, 3265; North and South hands, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Neill, 2845.

R. W. Wallace Given 6th Birthday Party Tuesday Afternoon

Miss Grace Trainer, assisted by Mrs. George J. Trainer, sr. and Mrs. C. W. Trainer, entertained a group of children at the home of Mrs. George J. Trainer Monday afternoon honoring the sixth birthday of her nephew, R. W. Wallace.

The children enjoyed out-of-doors games, followed by the serving of sandwiches, lemonade, and birthday cake.

R. W.'s guests were his brother, George Dee, Betty Lou Shoemaker, Peggy Gilmore, Patsy Reming, Jamie Trainer, Lila Dee Chalk, Edythe Mae Babcock, Marjorie Crowell, Billy Lee Ross, Glen Richardson, Clyde Henderson, Jimmie Decker, George S. Schwiening, Billy Shurley, Sanford Trainer, C. W. Trainer, jr., and Duane Trainer.

Miss Glasscock Is Hostess to Queen of Clubs Saturday

Miss Bonnie Glasscock was hostess to the Queen of Clubs at the J. D. Lowrey home Saturday afternoon of last week, with three tables participating in playing bridge and Mrs. W. S. Evans being the only guest.

High score went to Mrs. Sam Allison and low to Mrs. John Fields. Mrs. Frank Bond received high cut. A Hallowe'en color scheme was observed in tallies, flowers, and a pretty salad course.

Club members present were Mesdames Allison, Fields, Bond, L. L. Stuart, R. C. Vicars, Joseph Vander Stucken, Lloyd Earwood, Marshall Huling, and J. A. Ward, jr., and the Misses Alice Karnes and Joanna Stokes.

Mrs. Orion Brown Is Pastime Hostess on Thursday Last Week

Mrs. Orion Brown entertained the Thursday Pastime Club at her home Thursday of last week, with three tables of members and one of guests enjoying "42."

High scores went to Mrs. O. G. Babcock, member, and Mrs. H. L. Taylor, guest.

The hostess served delectable pie, with coffee, mints, and salted nuts, to the following:

Mesdames E. E. Sawyer, Rose Thorp, J. W. Trainer, S. R. Hull, W. E. Caldwell, W. D. Wallace, C. Stites, Murton Shurley, J. A. Cauthorn, O. G. Babcock, J. S. Glosscock, and Tom Sandherr, members; Mesdames Robert Rees, S. T. Gilmore, R. S. Covey, and H. L. Taylor, guests.

Mrs. Frank Bond Hostess to the Country Contract

Mrs. Frank Bond entertained the Country Contract Club at her home Wednesday afternoon of last week, with Mrs. Brown King of San Angelo, her visitor, as honor guest.

Members present were Mesdames Arthur Stuart, Gordon Stewart, and L. L. Stuart. Mrs. Gordon Stewart received high score.

The hostess served a delicious salad course.

Charmer



This charming young lady leads girls of Baylor college, Belton, Texas, in the "Charm School," conducted to enhance the charm of Baylor students. She is Miss Mildred McFarling of Donna, Texas.

Libby Joe Wallace Honored

Little Miss Libby Joe Wallace was honored with a birthday party at her home Tuesday afternoon of this week.

Mrs. S. R. Hull Contract Hostess

Mrs. S. R. Hull was hostess to the Contract Club at her home Monday afternoon, with one table of players present. Mrs. Sterling Baker was last week's hostess.

Mrs. Andrew Moore Jolly Joker Hostess Thursday Last Week

Mrs. Andrew Moore entertained members and guests of the Jolly Joker Club at her home Thursday afternoon of last week with an attractive party which employed a Hallowe'en motif in card table accessories, room decorations, and accessories.

A grinning pumpkin face on a paper lantern covered the drop light and gave the room a holiday aspect, with orange cosmos adhering to the color scheme. Refreshments of delicious apricot pie with whipped cream, and coffee were served on pretty orange paper covers decked with Hallowe'en symbols.

Mrs. John Fields was victorious club member at bridge, with Mrs. Lloyd Earwood winning high guest score.

Club members present were Mesdames Hilton Turney, Ernest McClelland, John Fields, B. M. Halbert, jr., Marshall Huling, and Miss Joanna Stokes. Guests present were Mesdames Earwood, E. C. Mayfield, H. V. Stokes, Jack Earhart, Henry Decker, R. C. Vicars, Tom White, Alton Hightower and George Baker; and Miss Lena V. Stokes.

Typing paper at The News.

Miss Grace Draper to Present Drama

Sonora Parent-Teacher Association Sponsors "Cyrano de Bergerac"

Miss Grace Draper, formerly a pupil of the Cocks School of Expression at Dallas, will be presented in Edmond Rostand's play, "Cyrano de Bergerac," translation from the French original by Brian Hooker, Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Sonora high school auditorium, under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association, which will benefit from the proceeds of the entertainment.

Miss Draper presents the play, in cut form, in five acts, impersonating 14 characters. Mrs. A. A. Cocks, of the Cocks School, says, "Cyrano de Bergerac is a heroic comedy by Rostand, written for the French actor Coquelin. The part has been done also by Richard Mansfield, Walter Hampden, and Richard Bennett. Because of its wealth of action, drama, humor, and pathos, 'Cyrano de Bergerac' is called the most thrilling and entralling play ever written."

Miss Draper comes highly recommended by her school. She has presented the play to appreciative audiences in Dallas, it is stated. Special music will be given by school children and by Miss Marie Watkins and Henri Rogers between acts of the play.

Admission prices have been announced as 15c for children, 25c for adults, and a special family rate of 75c.

MISSIONARY CIRCLE NO 2 MEETS WITH MRS. JAMES

Mrs. R. K. James was hostess to Missionary Circle No. 2 of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon, with 11 members present. Mrs. Gus Love was in charge of the program which dealt with "Problems of the Modern Home."

Refreshments of cake and punch were served following the lesson. The reporter for Circle No. 2 stated that Circle No. 1 had an attendance of 10 and Circle No. 3 an attendance of 17 on Wednesday.

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Typing Students Aim at Accuracy

The students of the typing class are working on accuracy the first semester and will take up speed in the last semester.

There will be a bronze medal given to each typing student who makes forty words in at least two fifteen-minute speed tests during the school year.

There will be a silver medal given to each typing student who makes forty-five words in at least two fifteen-minute speed tests during the year.

A gold medal will be given to the typing student who makes the highest record during the year. Each student's speed record will be determined by averaging the three highest fifteen-minute speed records made in regular speed tests given for this purpose during the school year.

PEP SQUAD ON JOB WITH PEP; NEED CARS SATURDAY

The Pep Squad had a big parade in town just before the game with Rocksprings last Saturday. The band, directed by Mr. Rogers, was in one truck, and the Pep Squad in another. Junior Brasher announced the game between music and yells.

During the half, the girls marched on the field, keeping time with the band. In the center of the field, the girls made a circle and gave their "locomotive," popping paper sacks after the yell. They then marched off the field.

The Pep Squad is going to root for the football team next Saturday when the Bronchos play the Eldorado Eagles. If anyone can take a car of the girls to Eldorado, please let Miss Allison know by Friday.

Cars are needed for the band also, since it is going this time.

SENIOR CLASS SELECTS AND ORDERS ITS RINGS

The Senior Class rings have been selected and ordered. They are due to arrive about October 21.

The rings are strictly Spanish in design. The trimmings are copies of the decorations around the famous rose window of the Alhambra in Spain. A flat plate on the top of the ring holds the small image of a broncho. The date is placed on the side of each ring and the initial of the owner inside of the band.

Invitations have been selected but not ordered.

BAND AND ORCHESTRA ASSETS TO SCHOOL SPIRIT

The band under the direction of Henri Rogers played at the football game here last Saturday afternoon between Sonora and Rocksprings, and did its best in backing up the Bronchos. They also co-operated with the Pep Squad in a drill the girls put on between halves.

Orchestra practice is held on Monday and Wednesday nights at 7:30 p. m.

Typing paper at The News.

PEP SQUAD BENEFIT PARTY PROVES GREAT SUCCESS

The Pep Squad gave a benefit party last Saturday night. The townspeople played bridge and "42" in the home economics cottage, and the high school pupils played different games. Hot chocolate and cakes were served to six tables of townspeople and to eighteen tables of school-pupils.

The Pep Squad made about \$21 from the party.

SOCIETY

Nina, Cleveland, Reba, and Pug went to Station B last Friday night.

L. C., Maggie, Ches, Pauline, and Alice made candy last Friday night at Sawyers'.

Ora Altizer went to Juno last Friday evening and came back Sunday evening.

Dayton Stockton, student of the Schreiner Institute, was a visitor in Sonora during the past week-end.

Emma Sessions of the Mayer school visited her aunt, Mrs. C. T. Jones over the week-end. A party was given in her honor Friday night. Those present enjoyed dancing and various games. Those attending the party were: Emma Sessions, Lillian Kring, Guyon Shurley, Wilma Hutcherson, Bobbie Halbert, A. W. Awalt, L. M. Roueche, Marion Elliott, Wesley Sawyer, Edward Glasscock, and Francis Archer.

"Happy birthday!" and similar shouts greeted Mr. Covey as he opened the door of the home economics cottage Thursday evening, October 13. Having come to see why the lights were burning in the cottage, Mr. Covey seemed to be quite surprised to find a birthday party all prepared and himself the honor guest. A delightful supper was served, consisting of sandwiches, fruit salad, hot chocolate, and cake. Following this supper, the group enjoyed bridge and "42," Mr. Covey winning the prize for high score. His prize, an enormous stick of candy wrapped in cellophane and enfolded in layers of tissue paper, proved thoroughly satisfactory.

Lydah Archer entertained G. W. and Stella with a bridge party at their home October 11. Ora Altizer and Bill Stender won high score. The honor guests, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith, received handkerchiefs and a motto for the coach. A red and black color scheme was carried out. The girls' tallies were red and black megaphones. The boys' tallies were footballs made of red and black paper. The score pads had a large black broncho on the front and table numbers were written in red ink. Hot chocolate, potato chips, chicken salad sandwiches, and small cookies were served to the following: Mesdames A. L. Smith, Hilton Turney, and Cliff Johnson. Misses Pauline Turney, Ora Altizer, Myrtle Hill, Ches Thorp, L. C. and Maggie Matthis and Stella Archer. Messrs. Coach Smith, Hilton Turney, Harold Friess, Herbert Fields, V. J. Glasscock, Edgar Glasscock, James Ed Hutcherson, Bill Stender, Jess Willis, Jesse Barton, Ikey Kring, and G. W. Archer.

WE WONDER WHY

Lavelle and Maggie were late at noon.

Some H. E. girls have to cook muffins after school.

All girls in H. E. were so busy washing dishes last Thursday when Mr. Covey came into the H. E. Cottage.

News is so hard to get.

Bulldogs Defeat Bronchos, by 7-0

The Rocksprings Bulldogs defeated the Sonora Bronchos in the Bronco's own front yard Saturday by consistent line plunging for 5 to 15 yard gains. The aerial attack of the Bronchos failed to function because of injuries to Wes Hill, star end. In spite of his handicap Wes snared two passes for gains of 10 and 20 yards. Rocksprings attempted only one pass, completing it for a gain of 10 yards.

Rocksprings made 11 first downs to Sonora's 8, but Sonora led in yardage gained because of long runs by Friess and Kring. Archer got off several good punts to set Rocksprings back as much as 50 yards, but the Bronchos never seriously threatened to score. There were several fumbles and poor punts, but as a whole the game was fairly good.

The Bronchos will tangle with the Bulldogs at Rocksprings on Nov. 12 for the conference game, and are hoping to upset the Bulldogs and carry off the honors next time.

CHAPEL PROGRAM HANDLED BY PEP SQUAD THURSDAY

Miss Allison and the Pep Squad had charge of the high school chapel program on Thursday morning, October 13.

Enthusiastic talks were made by Nina Roueche, Alice Sawyer, J. T. Shurley, Mr. Smith, Mr. White and Mr. Covey. A number of pep songs and yells were given between the speeches. After singing "Red and Black," the students and teachers returned to their respective rooms filled with fresh pep for their school work.

19 Girls in New Campfire Group

The Camp Fire Girls organized Friday, October 14, with their guardian, Miss Langford. Nineteen members were present. The officers elected were: Elizabeth Elliott, president; Katha Lea Keene, vice-president; Jimmy G. Langford, secretary; Margaret Ada Martin, treasurer, and Margaret Sandherr, reporter.

The girls chose Indian names by which they will be called by their campfire sisters. They learned songs and decided to attend Camp Otykwa. A second group of Camp Fire Girls will be organized later.

H. E. CLUB CLEARS \$3.50 AT FOOTBALL GAME SALES

The H. E. Club sold candy, chewing gum, and soda pop at the football game Saturday. The money will help pay for the electric stove bought at the beginning of the year. The club cleared \$3.50 out of the afternoon's sales.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS SELLS HOT TAMALES SAT.

Mrs. Westbrook's Sunday school class sold hot tamales Saturday. The 25 dozen tamales that were sold will help pay for the rug the class wants to get for its class room.

If any one wants some hot tamales, be sure to tell Mrs. Westbrook or some of her pupils. They will be very glad to make them for you. The price is 20 cents a dozen.

Internat'l Bridge Be Reconstructed

Letting of Contract for New Span Announced by Company

Letting of a contract for rebuilding the international bridge and reorganization of the Citizens Bridge Company was announced Wednesday by Dr. F. M. Rose, former president of the company.

More than 2,000 feet of the bridge carried away in the recent flood waters of the Rio Grande, will be rebuilt, the work on reconstruction to begin at once, the announcement said.

According to the plans, steel to be used in construction will extend several hundred feet east of the present steel work and will withstand heavy flood water pressure.

F. N. Garcia, Eagle Pass, was made president of the newly organized company, with the following officials named on the board of directors: Dr. F. M. Rose and E. F. Measels, Del Rio, and V. Garcia, Villa Acuna.—Val Verde County Herald.

Del Rio Facing a Malaria Epidemic

Health Officer Insists on Quick Eradication of Mosquitoes

An appeal to citizens of Del Rio was made last week by Dr. W. Rex McWilliams, city health officer, declaring that Del Rio is facing an epidemic of malaria unless immediate steps for eradicating mosquitoes are taken.

As a result of the recent rains, hordes of mosquitoes have migrated from their breeding places, nurtured in the tall weeds and grasses inside the city limits.

Though Del Rio is not in a malarial belt, Dr. McWilliams said, the mosquitoes are carriers of the disease and should one or two persons suffering from the disease be bitten by the mosquito in no time the whole town would be infected.

All standing pools have been ordered drained by the city commission, and kerosene is to be poured in septic tanks, caved in from rains. Cutting of weeds, removal of tin cans and harboring places, and general cleaning up of premises was urged by Dr. McWilliams as the individual's share in prevention.

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STATION "B"

George Ard, Correspondent

Miss Nona Fay Henson returned home this week after spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. G. E. Day.

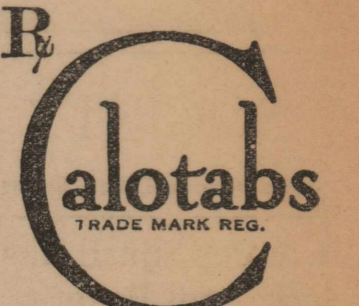
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Brown will leave this week for a three weeks' visit and vacation. They plan to visit several points in Texas and Louisiana.

Chas. Brady will return in the next day or two from the hospital in Temple. His condition is much improved but he cannot resume his duties as chief engineer for several days.

The pupils of Station "B" school, under the direction of Mrs. Tinsley, teacher, will render a Halloween play Friday night. An invitation is

extended to everyone. G. A. Lee of McCamey and Frank Walsh of San Antonio were visitors at the station Tuesday.

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Bohn Hilliard, Texas university half back, definitely stamped himself as all-conference material Saturday, when Texas beat Oklahoma 17 to 10 at Dallas. The elusive 170 pound sensation gained almost at will through the strongest Sooner team to visit Texas in years. Twelve to fifteen yards through half a dozen Oklahoma tacklers was a common thing for Hilliard, and his 95-yard run for a touchdown after receiving a punt left the Sooners dazed. The start of this run is shown in the photo.

MEMBERS OF RIO GRANDE CANYON EXPLORING EXPEDITION ESCAPE DEATH BY DESPERATE STRUGGLE

Their boat capsized at the head of one of the dangerous rapids in the Long Canyon gorges of the Rio Grande, caught in the whirlpools of the depths of the muddy torrent, Col. Martin L. Crimmins, curator of anthropology of the Witte museum, and Lieut. Com. Claude S. Young, fought a 30-minute battle with death and won. The two, without food for 30 hours, spent a lonely night on a sandbar, huddled over a tiny fire, and finally reached Langtry, and thence came into Del Rio where news of their experience first came to light.

They were members of the Crimmins-Young expedition to explore and photograph the Patricia and Long canyons of the Rio Grande. The third member of the party, Dana Abbey, was not in the power boat, "Pat 2," at the time of the accident.

rise and thundering out of Patricia canyon, the members of the expedition who had made their way down the rocky gorge of San Francisco canyon to camp, decided to float down the equally treacherous Long canyon and come out at Langtry. At 6 o'clock Saturday morning, after a light breakfast, they nosed the boat into the river and the canyon walls closed behind them. Col. Crimmins sat in the prow of the boat, Young in the stern to handle the tiller, and dodge the rocks.

As each rapid was approached, the pair steered down the leaping avalanche of water, spray hitting their faces and filling the boat. By constant bailing, they were able to keep it free of water, however. Eight dangerous descents had been passed when the ninth loomed ahead.

Warned of Danger

Colonel Crimmins, who had donned an extra shirt and put a coat on backwards to keep the spray from striking his chest, hastily removed the extra clothing as the roar of the cataract ahead warned of approaching danger.

The boat nosed over the smooth waters that bank against the top of the rapids and started down the rapids. Suddenly the boat careened as it slashed against a rock but righted itself. Again there was a mighty upheaval as the prow scraped across a submerged rock and the boat headed, once more down the torturous path of seemingly smooth water when with a mighty crash the boat lifted into the air and capsized. Both men were thrown into the water.

"I went down without a chance to fill my lungs," Colonel Crimmins said. "I fought to gain the surface and at last came up. No sooner, however, than I was dragged down again and I realized that I was in a whirlpool. I must have gone down 25 feet. I fought with all my force to get to the surface but the whirlpool seemed to drag

New Football Rules Aim at Clean Game

Improvement on Old Methods, Says University of Texas Coach

Austin, Oct. 13.—A cleaner type of football is being seen in the line of scrimmage at the University of Texas as a result of the new football rules, according to C. J. Alderson, freshman football coach. Some of the rules, such as the frequent substitution of men, has slowed up the game to some extent, but on the other hand, the dead-ball rule tends to speed up the game, he pointed out. The old rule which permitted a liberal use of the hands has been abolished. This year a gridman is allowed to use his hands to shove his opponent and not to hammer him. The old method of piling on after the tackle has been done away with. A new rule states that if the ball carrier touches the ground the ball automatically becomes dead. The wedge play which has been a constant cause of injuries has been marked off of the rule book. On the kick-off the drop-kick may be used as well as the old method of place kicking.

Another ruling, Mr. Alderson stated, is the option of penalties allowed the captain of an offensive team. If a pass has been interfered with, the penalty attached to this interference may be taken or that penalty given for a foul.

Mr. Alderson predicted that in the future substitution rules will be passed requiring substitutes to report to an official on the sidelines. The duties of this official will be to take the substitute's playing number, whereby the official on the field will not be forced to take time to check the new man. Either this method of substitution will be used, or another which requires the coach to send the number of the player onto the field with the substitution.

Playing equipment has changed, Mr. Alderson said. All players are forced to wear knee-pads. The protection afforded players by the hard material in their uniforms has been changed and the material now used will eliminate a large percentage of injuries sustained by the players.

The 11th annual Gonzales County Fair and Pecan Exposition opened at Gonzales recently.

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Feels Rope

"I had almost given up when I suddenly felt a rope in my hand, the tiller rope. I started to pull up on it, but it came down. I was making no headway. At last it seemed to hold and I pulled out to the surface.

"We were floating down the river through the rocks below the rapids, and Dick was hanging to the bottom of the boat. I secured a hold on the bow of the boat and we were carried down the river, with danger still ahead, for rocks were still beneath the surface.

"At last Dick righted the boat and began bailing. Our biscuit can floated along side and I gave it to him and at last he was able to get in the boat and get the water out. I clung to the prow for 25 minutes before it was possible for both of us to get in."

A hurried check-up revealed the fact that expedition had lost its equipment valued at \$1,000, including several expensive cameras. Soaked with water the colonel and Commander Young drifted down Long canyon and as night came the steep canyon walls shut out what little light there was and the pair steered the boat to a sandbar.

Huddle Over Fire

Here they tried to build a fire with the aid of gasoline from the boat's tank, with matches kept by Colonel Crimmins in a glass bottle. At first they were unsuccessful, but finally they were able to find some drier wood and eventually got a fire started, over which they huddled all night without food. When daylight came, they once more shoved out and came opposite Langtry at 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning, where they left the river and found food and dry clothing.

Colonel Crimmins returned to San Antonio and after a short rest is none the worse for his experience, while Commander Young has gone to get the boat.

Lt. Young was through Del Rio Thursday afternoon enroute to San Antonio to refit an expedition for exploring 40 miles of the unexplored canyons of the Rio Grande. Lt. Young will have explored 370 miles of canyons of the river when the expedition ends. Dana Abbey, California, accompanied Young to San Antonio.—Val Verde County Herald.

Charged in Fraud



Frank J. Ryan, prominent San Antonio broker, and president of the San Antonio Stock exchange, has been arrested in El Paso in connection with two fraud complaints filed against him. Ryan denied that the deals he made were anything but "above board." He is released on bond.

County Nominees

The following have been certified according to law as candidates for county and precinct offices in the general election to be held Nov. 8:

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

- For County Judge: Alvis Johnson
- For District and County Clerk: J. D. Lowrey
- For County Attorney: E. W. Hutcherson
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector: B. W. Hutcherson
- For Tax Assessor: Geo. J. Trainer
- For County Treasurer: Mrs. A. J. Smith
- For County Surveyor: Edgar C. Saunders
- For Justice of Peace Precinct No. 1: Tom Thorp
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Assuming by appointment the authority vested in T. A. Kincaid, sr., who was named by the West

Texas chamber of commerce as Crockett county chairman, the committee, composed of Hugh Childress, jr., president of the Lions Club, Rev. M. M. Fulmer, Red Cross and charity organization chairman, and Rev. J. H. Meredith of the same organizations, gathered data relative to Crockett county needs and prepared the application forms, which will be submitted through the governor of the state.

It is the plan of the committee to expend \$500 of the amount of the federal funds during the remainder of the month of October and \$1,000 a month during November and December.

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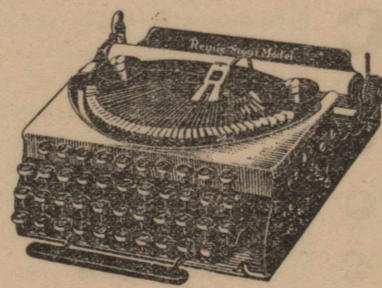
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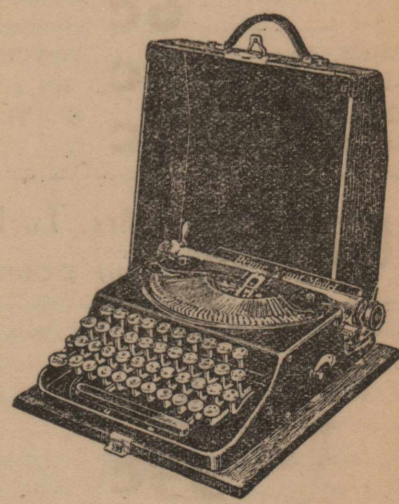
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tive. Speakers will include officials of the Texas Bankers' Association; W. D. Holcombe, of San Angelo, member of the directorate of the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation; Frank Holland, Dallas, president of the Texas Breeder-Feeder association; and George H. Sheppard, Austin, state comptroller.

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Football—

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pass the Bulldogs tried, a 15 yard heave which was snared by Turner. Ikey Kring, Sonora's stellar full-back and ball toter, also turned in a nice game, and made consistent gains as long as his teammates cooperated with good interference. In the latter part, though, leaks in the interference made it hard for him to get started.

The contest here Saturday was not a conference game. The game which counts in the district will be played in Rocksprings Saturday of next week, and Coach A. L. Smith is pointing his men for that contest, feeling that the experience gained last Saturday will give them a fair chance of outplaying the Bulldogs. If the Sonora defense can be planned to stop Cloudt, the rest should be easy for the Bronchos.

Sonora's passing attack was not as effectual as in the earlier games against Kerrville and Iraan. One factor was the injury of Wes Hill, hurt at Iraan. He was unable to play but a few minutes because of a bad ankle, and without him to snare the passes, Archer found it difficult to find a man open in several cases. The Sonora team was further handicapped by an ankle weakness of the fast-moving Harold Friess.

The Sonora backfield compared favorably with that of Rocksprings, but the local line could hardly compare with the Bulldogs' forward wall. Rocksprings has a complete crew of veterans from last year's powerful eleven.

Lions

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gram of music and an inspirational talk was presented. Charles Poulter, song leader for the far-famed business men's Bible class, and his brother, W. H. Poulter, sang three popular songs, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Culbertson Deal. The Rev. Mr. Timmons, in his talk, pointed out that periods of crisis and great stress do not develop character—they reveal it. He urged his hearers to build carefully at all times, so that when the test comes, they might be prepared. Other visitors from San Angelo were Mrs. Timmons, and J. H. Poulter, father of the duet members.

Greatly enjoyed was a brief talk by Frank Patterson, one-time Sonora merchant, now of Blue Mound, Kan., and who, with Mrs. Patterson, was a special guest Monday. Mr. Patterson praised the spirit of friendliness and hospitality which characterize West Texas.

Other guests were Mrs. B. M. Halbert, E. E. Pittman, resident highway engineer, and C. H. Landon, Dallas auditor who has been preparing an estimate of road construction expenditures for Sutton county.

Program committee for next Monday is as follows: Jack Neill, W. R. Nisbet and J. M. Puckett.

Marathon—

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contractors for preparation of estimates Wednesday of this week, and bids will be opened in the office of C. V. Millikan, vice-president in charge of the company's Del Rio office, Monday. Work is expected to start immediately after the letting of the contract.

The improvement will rank as a major project, and will represent an investment of several thousand dollars. The contractors on the



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job will be allowed to dispose of the present building as he desires.

The building, both the station and resident portions, will be of hollow tile and stucco.

Mr. Carson will continue to operate the business here as Marathon agent.

Ballot—

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ic, Republican, Socialist, Communist, Liberty, Jacksonian and Independent.

After the list of certified candidates was sent out from the secretary of state to the county clerks of Texas the name of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson was certified by special message as Democratic candidate for governor. They delay was occasioned by a court contest, undecided until a few days prior to the final date for certification.

George W. Armstrong, heralded as an independent candidate for governor, is listed, instead, in the Jacksonian party column.

In addition to the candidates voters must also decide the fate of nine proposed amendments to the state constitution. These appear at the bottom of the ballot.

The thousand ballots for Sutton county were printed by The Devil's River News.

Livestock—

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Penick shipped two cars of horses to Fort Smith, Ark.

On the 13th the shipment made an entire trainload, with Woodward & Ramsey shipping 15 cars of sheep, bought from the Whitehead brothers, 13 to Mays, Kan., and 2 to Andale, Kan. On the same day Payne & Hewgley shipped three cars, bought from Henry Wyatt and Howard Espy, to San Saba. Will Drake shipped two doubles, bought from the Taylor ranch at Juno, to Brush, Colo. N. J. & R. L. Wardlaw of Comstock shipped a single to Fort Worth. Neal & Bratton of Rochelle shipped 70 stocker calves to that point.

On the 13th, R. L. Hildreth shipped to Brush, Colo., 2 doubles bought from N. J. and R. L. Wardlaw of Comstock. M. C. Puckett sent five doubles to feed at Ballinger. Bledsoe & Rudd shipped three cars of stocker cattle, bought from Miers Savell, to Goldthwaite.

On the 17th C. B. Wardlaw of Del Rio sent 7 cars to Powell, Colo. These were bought by Rosenbaum.

Thursday, the 20th, Willie Wilson planned to ship 2000 head, a probable 6 or 7 cars, to northern feeders.

Firemen—

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history of the town. He described how the fires were fought, first with a bucket brigade, and later with a hand-drawn hose cart. Sonora was one of the first small towns to have fire plugs, and it was to utilize these that the cart and hose were used. Mr. Aldwell stressed the importance of incorporation for towns, in order that responsibility for public matters might be fixed on definite people rather than on the community as a whole.

W. E. Caldwell, former mayor of Sonora, discussed the fire department from a business man's standpoint. He emphasized the fact that the department was useful to the city and should be given wholehearted support by business interests, if for no other reason than that it actually saves money through reduced insurance rates.

John Eaton talked from the standpoint of the water company manager. He reviewed the history of the water works here, and compared Sonora's water supply, and the fire protection afforded, with that of surrounding towns.

R. S. Covey told of the work being done in the schools in fire prevention education and in the holding of fire drills.

H. V. Stokes said that a fire department is useful, not only for fire protection, but because it affords a trained body of men for use in any emergency or catastrophe.

W. C. Gilmore, mayor of Sonora, praised the work of the department and pledged the city's co-operation.

Floyd Dungan, delegate of the local department to the fireman's training school at A. & M. college in August, told of the work done there. Short talks were also made by Richard Vehle, chief, and George Baker, president of the department, and by other members.

Honorary members present, in addition to those mentioned, were:



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PERSONALS

H. V. Stokes, E. E. Sawyer, Alton Hightower, Mr. Gilmore is also an honorary member. Present also were Alfred Schwiening and the Rev. E. P. Neal, who also spoke briefly.

The tables were artistically decorated and the savory feast served by wives, mothers, and sweethearts of the firemen.

Dee Word Moves Family Here

Mrs. Dee Word and her daughter, Mrs. Burt McIntyre with the latter's small son, Norbert Dee, were in town Wednesday from the Word ranch 25 miles west of Sonora, between Sonora and Ozona, where they recently moved from Comal county, near New Braunfels, to make their home. The McIntyres will be with Mr. and Mrs. Word on the ranch. Mrs. McIntyre was formerly Miss Luella Word, and attended school here as a child. The youngest daughter, D'Evanette, remained in New Braunfels to attend school this year, while Miss Jessie Laura, another daughter, is with her aunt in Houston attending school.

Parkers Visit Son at Brownwood

The Rev. and Mrs. Z. E. Parker and their little daughter, Dorothy Nell, returned Wednesday night from Brownwood, where they visited their son, Herman, who is a student at Howard Payne college. Marion Parker, who started in at Howard Payne at the first of the semester, was forced to return home Friday of last week because of poor health.

Alfred Cooper III Wednesday

Alfred Cooper was unable to be in the City Market Wednesday because of illness which confined him to bed. He was thought to be threatened with influenza.

Sanford Trainer Painfully Cut

Sanford Trainer, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Trainer, was injured Wednesday afternoon when he stepped into a hole in the floor of the porch at his home, while running, and cut his leg badly, necessitating the taking of ten stitches.

Carrolls to Live at Hotel

Mr. and Mrs. E. Carroll moved to the Hotel McDonald Tuesday from the Stites house which they have been occupying, and will spend the winter as residents of the hotel.

Pattersons Visit Whiteheads

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Patterson of Blue Mound, Kan., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Halbert, were week-end guests at the Willie B. Whitehead ranch. On Saturday night the three families, joined by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whitehead of Del Rio made a trip to Villa Acuna, Mexico.

Mrs. Earl Lomax Has Diphtheria

Mrs. Earl Lomax, who had been suffering for a week with a bad sore throat, was quarantined at her home Wednesday morning with diphtheria. Mr. Lomax is also under quarantine, though not afflicted with the disease. Mrs. Lomax's mother, Mrs. Roberts, of Del Rio, arrived Tuesday to attend her.

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