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March 4th Date of Sutton County's Baby Beef Show

20 Calves Being Fed by Vocational Ag Boys

ENTER TWO SHOWS

Calves Will Be Taken to San Angelo and Ft. Worth Again

March 4th has been set as the date of the annual show of Sutton county baby beefs fed by members of the Sonora high school class in vocational agriculture. Following the show here the calves will be loaded out for San Angelo to enter the second annual San Angelo Fat Stock Show, which lasts three days beginning Sunday, March 5.

The calves will be loaded out to the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth, on Wednesday, in ample time for the opening date on Friday.

Twenty calves are being fed by the Sonora boys. From this group the best 15 will be selected to comprise Sonora's carlot entry in the club boy division. The local entry will compete with calves from counties in all parts of West Texas in Angelo, and with stock from all over Texas and the southwest at the Fort Worth show.

In addition to the calves Lem Eri-

Seventeen Sonora Lions Present at Meeting in Ozona

Activities of Clubs in Group 23 for Last Quarter Are Reviewed; Next Meeting in Angelo

Seventeen Sonora Lions attended the quarterly meeting of Group 23 in Ozona Monday and captured out-of-town attendance honors. The Lions enjoyed a splendid meal and a musical entertainment program, after which a business session was held.

After considerable discussion it was voted to invite Junction and Ricksprings clubs to withdraw from a group east of 23 and join the other towns of the ranching section.

Miss Marie Watkins provided Sonora's entertainment share of the program, rendering two vocal solos, and playing her own piano accompaniment.

Representatives of the various clubs reported activities. The San Angelo club has been active in enlisting charity funds and providing

W. P. Riley Rites at Junction Tuesday

President Junction Cattle Loan Co. Victim of Paralysis

W. P. Riley, 55, past president of the State Bank of Junction and president of the Junction Cattle Loan Company, was buried at 5:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the Junction cemetery, with services being held at the graveside, following his death at his home at 6:00 o'clock Monday evening as the result of a paralytic stroke suffered a month ago.

Mr. Riley, who had been a resident of the Junction section for 25 years and had been with the bank for 17 years, leaves his wife, Mrs. Minnie Riley, well-known to women of Sonora and throughout the sixth district of Parent-Teacher Associations of Texas, as its second vice-president, and five children.

Children surviving are two sons, Max and Billy, jr., and three daughters, Mrs. Reuben Loeffler of Center Point, and the Misses Lenore and Fabajene of the home.

Sonorans attending the services Junction Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Baker and Mrs. S. T. Moore.

Bronchos Win in Season Opener of Basketball Race

Ozona Downed, 34-30; Locals Beat Barnhart in Saturday Tournney, but Lose to Lions

The Bronchos opened their 1933 basketball schedule Thursday night of last week by defeating the Ozona Lions 34-30, in a hardfought game in the Crockett county school's new gymnasium.

Then on Saturday they defeated Barnhart in the first round of play in the Ozona invitation tournament, but in the next pairing they faced Ozona and the Lions avenged the Thursday night defeat by rouncing the Bronchos 35-17.

In Thursday night's game the Sonora contingent staged a strong last-half rally to overcome a lead of eight points and amass a lead of 4 points in their own right. The half ended with Ozona leading, 19-11. The Bronchos came back strong and with Archer hitting the basket from all over the field, and his teammates also showing good form

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Court Change Is Suggested in Area

Proposed Change Would Abolish Present 112th District

A change in grouping of counties in district court areas proposed in recommendation for re-grouping by a joint committee of house and senate members at Austin would abolish the 112th district court and alter the make-up of districts in this section considerably.

Sutton county would be removed from grouping with Kimble, Crockett, Upton and Pecos in the present 112th district and would be aligned in a new district composed of Schleicher, Crockett, Edwards, Terrell, Kinney, Val Verde and Maverick.

Schleicher would be taken out of the 51st, to go in the 63rd with Sutton. Kimble would go from the 112th to the 33rd, with counties east of there. Upton would be placed with a northern group of oil-belt counties, while Pecos would go with a Big Bend and Davis Mountain group.

2200 Furs from Here
Twenty-two hundred furs in a single shipment left Sonora Tuesday of this week, consigned to a house in Memphis, Tenn. In the lot were one thousand fox furs, 500 ringtails, 500 skunks and 'possums, and 200 'coons.

Enjoy Fishing This Week
Doctor A. G. Blanton and R. C. Vicars enjoyed fishing on the Llano Tuesday and were planning other trips.

Personals

Mrs. G. H. Neill was in San Angelo Thursday.

J. T. Sellman was in town from the ranch Saturday.

Mrs. Will Wilkinson made a trip to San Angelo Thursday.

Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken was a San Angelo visitor Monday.

Paul Bentley of San Angelo was a business visitor in Sonora Monday.

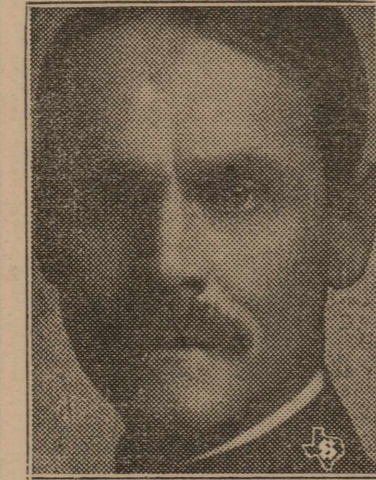
Russell La Velle of Junction was a guest of the Hotel McDonald Sunday.

B. W. Hutcherson and J. T. Penick made a business trip to Brady Thursday.

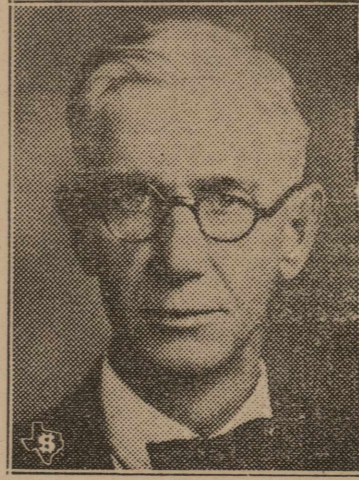
Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Kilman left Tuesday for a brief business trip to Temple, planning to return Thursday.

C. L. Mullins, and family of Rankin were in Sonora Saturday when they met Mrs. Mullin's father, J. R. Russell of San Angelo, who accompanied them home for a visit.

Important Men in New State Regime



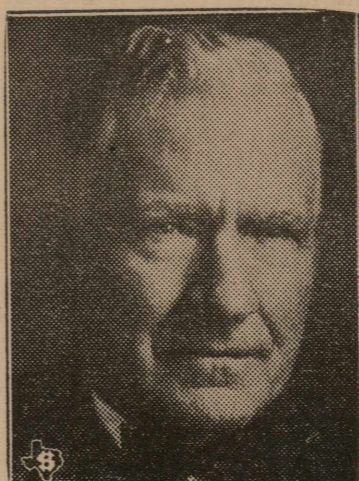
Henry Hutchins of Fort Worth is the man selected by Governor Mir'am A. Ferguson to succeed W. W. "Bill" Sterling as Adjutant General of Texas.



J. H. Davis, jr. of Temple, Texas, who has been appointed secretary to Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, during her term in the gubernatorial chair. Davis held this job when Mrs. Ferguson was governor the first time.



Senator Walter F. Woodul of Houston, one of Texas' leading attorneys and a member of the Texas senate for the past four years, has been elected president pro tempore of the senate.



F. L. Denison of Temple, Texas, who has been appointed by Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, governor, to succeed Cone Johnson of Tyler on the state highway commission. Denison is a highway builder.

Lambs Sold for 3 Cents out of Wool by Wallaces

PROPERTY OWNERS URGED TO CLEAN ALL PREMISES

Sonora property owners are urged by the unemployment relief committee to clear their premises of all kinds of trash within the next week or two, stacking refuse and trash on the curb line, whether in alleys or on the streets, in order that it may be picked up by trucks which the committee is providing for the work.

The trash will not be picked up unless it is properly gathered and placed where it can be easily loaded. The committee has requested that it be either sacked or placed in old cans or tubs in order to make loading easy.

Aldwell Continues as Orient Director

Other Officers of Railroad Also Re-Elected Wednesday

Roy E. Aldwell of Sonora was re-elected a director of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railway Wednesday at the annual meeting of the road's stockholders held in San Angelo. Other officers were also re-named.

W. E. Story, president of the Santa Fe lines, is also president of the Orient. E. J. Engel and C. O. Harris are vice-presidents, and Houston Harte is secretary. Other directors are Story and Engel of Chicago, C. O. Harris, Harte and H. O'Eannon, San Angelo, C. M. Newman, El Paso, and J. D. Jackson of Alpine.

Return from Austin Meeting

Mrs. S. T. Gilmore, accompanied by Mrs. T. J. Martin of Bracketville, and Mrs. Thomas H. Head of San Angelo, returned Saturday from Austin, where they attended a meeting of the board of managers of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers. Mrs. Martin spent the night as house guest of Mrs. Gilmore, returning home Sunday.

Children First! Pay your School Tax Today.—Adv. 12-21

School Finances Sound if Local Tax Payments Good

Boy Scouts of 3 Towns to Compete in Sonora Tonight

Eldorado and Junction Coming for Ranch District Jamboree; Everyone Is Invited

Boy Scouts of three troops, from Junction, Eldorado and Sonora will meet tonight in the Scout Hall to compete in the annual Ranch District Jamboree. Close competition in all events is expected, with the Sonora boys making every effort to retain their clear record of five victories and no defeats.

Parents and friends of the Scouts as well as the public generally, will be welcome at the meeting according to local Scout workers.

The Sonora Scouts have been working intensively for the last three weeks on the various events. Several interesting contests will be staged, with grading on a point basis. Fire will be kindled by friction, as well as by flint and steel. Messages will be sent by semaphore signalling, as well as by signals in Morse code. Other contests will in-

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Worker in Child Welfare to Speak

Lions Will Hear Miss Helen Hardy, State Official, Monday

Miss Helen Hardy, assistant in the Child Welfare Division of the State Board of Control, of Austin, will be in Sonora the first of next week to confer with local organizations engaged in welfare and health work. She will address the Sonora Lions Club Monday at the club's weekly luncheon.

The Sonora club has recently undertaken a project much in line with the policy advocated by the child welfare agency of the state, in the providing of lunch for fifteen under-nourished school children.

Earwood Again Is Head of Goat Men

American Angora Breeders Meet in Ricksprings This Week

Fred T. Earwood of Sonora was re-elected president of the American Angora Goat Breeders' association at the annual meeting of the organization held in Ricksprings Wednesday.

Optimism prevailed in the spirit of the talks made by leaders in the goat breeding and mohair producing industry. The outlook, they feel is much more favorable than a year ago, and breeders were urged to maintain their registry of breeding stock in the association.

Local Briefs

George H. Neill Ill a Week
G. H. Neill was able to be up a short time on Tuesday after an illness which had confined him since Thursday of last week. He is improving.

Mrs. Jennings Teaches Mexicans
Mrs. C. H. Jennings has been added to the staff of the Mexican school as temporary teacher. She will be employed when attendance justifies a fourth teacher.

Attend A.A.G.B.A. at Ricksprings
Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Halbert, jr., returned Wednesday from Ricksprings, where they attended a convention of the American Angora Goat Breeders' Association.

Mrs. John A. Martin Returns
Mrs. John A. Martin, who has been residing in Del Rio, moved back to Sonora last week and is occupying her home near the schools. Her two sons started to school on Monday.

Board Stresses Need for Satisfactory Payment

STATE IS BEHIND

Allotments for This Year Just Now Beginning

Finances of the Sonora school system will be entirely satisfactory during the remainder of the year if taxpayers of the county respond as well as they did last year, it was the opinion of the Board of Education following its meeting Monday night.

Delay in the payment of the state of Texas' allotment of \$16 per scholastic for the school year has thrown the strain of meeting salaries and current expenses largely on the local revenues, but if the state can take care of the major part of its obligation, the local burden will be lightened. No portion of the 1932-33 school year state payment has been made, although \$1 of the total was due this week.

The school is in sounder condition now than it was one year ago, since at that time a year ago it had borrowed \$6000 on the strength of anticipated tax revenues, this year only half that amount.

Current bills totaling about \$1-

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R. F. C. Funds Are Going into Many Civic Projects

Men Working on Brush in Draws and at Dump Ground; Street Improvement Planned

The first activity enabled in Sutton county through employment aid with Relief Finance Corporation funds has been done this week, with about thirty men being given employment on two major projects—further improvement on the city dump ground and the grubbing and chopping of brush from draws in Sonora, seeking to prevent floods in the future.

Other projects are planned for future expenditures of the funds, of which Sutton county received an allotment of \$1100 for January and February. An additional \$92 was allowed the local committee in charge of the work because this amount was not accepted in November by the committee.

A general clean-up campaign is being carried on, along with the

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Laurant Indicated in First Fifteen

Magician Coming Here Ranked As One of World's Leaders

Eugene Laurant, who, with his company, will present a mystery show here Monday evening, Feb. 4, under auspices of the local Parent-Teacher Association, is ranked among the fifteen leading magicians of the world, and his picture appears among the twelve artists pictured in Ottakar Fisher's book, "Illustrated Magic," translated from the German original by B. Mussey and Fulton Cursler, and one of the most recent books on magic and magicians of today. The book is considered the "Who's Who of Magic," it is said.

As early as 1912 Laurant received recognition. On March 26th of that year the Society of American Magicians held its annual meeting and public exhibition at Carnegie Hall, New York City. Laurant was the guest of honor and at the close of his performance he was presented with a medal by his friends in the profession.

Laurant's appearance here will benefit the P.-T. A., and tickets for the performance are scheduled to go on sale shortly.

With the Churches

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.

Methodist Church

Sunday school 9:45.
Morning worship 11:00.
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.

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.

Shepherd Dog Is Worth 3 Cowboys

Owner Praises Animal's Work on Cattle Driving and Dipping

B. F. Quinn, Waller ranchman, has a 5-year-old black shepherd dog, Jack, which, he says, does as much work on the Quinn ranch as three cowboys.

"When a cow strays out of line, I say quietly to Jack, 'Bring that cow back,' or 'turn her to the left' or 'turn her to the right,'" Quinn said, "and away Jack goes, and does what I told him to do.

"Jack first started out as a pup protecting my horses, especially at feeding time. He would chase away chickens and hogs. By the time he was 6 months old he was doing as much work about the ranch as a cowboy.

"Jack is a great help at dipping time. He stands by and nips the feet of the cattle. And that speeds them through the vat. He actually does the work of three men at the vat.

"And Jack is as cool as a cucumber in a crisis. Last year he broke one of his legs. I took him in my arms and carried him to a physician, who said 'we must give that dog ether or he will bite when I try to set his leg.'

"I told the physician Jack would not bite. I told Jack to lie still. Well, sir, the dog behaved better than a lot of humans. He didn't flinch and he didn't whine. He lay and watched us, and looked grateful as we gave him an occasional pat on the head, though he undoubtedly suffered a great deal of pain. He had supreme faith in us, and I believe knew exactly what we were doing. Well, sir, that physician was amazed."—Houston Chronicle.

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Over 30 Million Americans Now Have It—Is This Dreaded Disease Becoming a Plague?

Athlete's Foot is a fungus germ (Tinea) which appears on the feet in the form of a little yellow blister, causing severe irritation and itching—especially between the toes. This disease is very contagious and is spreading with alarming rapidity among all classes of people. The failure to successfully treat Athlete's Foot in the past has been due largely to the fact that these germs hibernate in the pores of the shoes. Salves and liquids applied only to the feet DO NOT PENETRATE THE PORES OF THE SHOES. Medical Science has recently de-

Election National Ticket by Democrats Cost 1 1/2 Millions

Party Spent \$1,628,177 to Put Its Men in Government Offices, Total Report Reveals

Washington, Jan. 11.—The Democratic National Committee told congress today it had spent \$1,628,177 last year.

The report the Democrats, filed with South Trimble, clerk of the House, showed receipts for the same period totaled \$1,708,507, leaving a balance of \$70,330.

However, the report also listed unpaid obligations of \$839,385, so the net deficit appeared to be \$769,055. The Republican report has yet to be made.

After 1928, the Democrats reported receipts of \$5,444,958 and expenditures of \$5,342,348.

The report today showed the Democratic victory campaign committee for 1932 had collected \$581,513 and paid out \$576,878. The balance was given to the Democratic National campaign committee.

Cash contributors to the victory campaign committee were reported as totaling \$55,696, not including a reduction of \$100,000 made by John J. Raskob in the debt owed to him.

In addition to a large number of small bills, the unpaid obligations of the National committee included loans of \$80,000 from the County Trust Company, \$90,250 from John J. Raskob, \$50,000 from Joseph P. Kennedy of New York, \$5,000 from Wayne Johnson of New York, \$10,000 from Henry Morgenthau of New York, \$25,000 from R. W. Morrison of San Antonio, Texas; \$5,000 from Delancy Kountze of New York, \$10,000 from Breckenridge Long of Washington, \$15,000 from M. L. Benedum, Pittsburg, and \$10,000 from Mayor Anton J. Cermak of Chicago.

Reports showed Bernard M. Barouch was the heaviest contributor, having donated \$53,000.

Other large donors were: William Randolph Hearst, \$25,000; Pierre S. DuPont, New York, \$14,500; James W. Gerard, New York, \$17,528; Morton L. Schwartz, New York, \$20,000; Peter Gerry, Providence, R. I., \$22,000; Vincent Astor, New York, \$35,000; John J. Raskob, \$25,000; M. L. Benedum, Pittsburg, \$22,700; Joseph M. Curley, mayor of Boston, \$15,000; and Joseph P. Kennedy of New York, \$15,000.

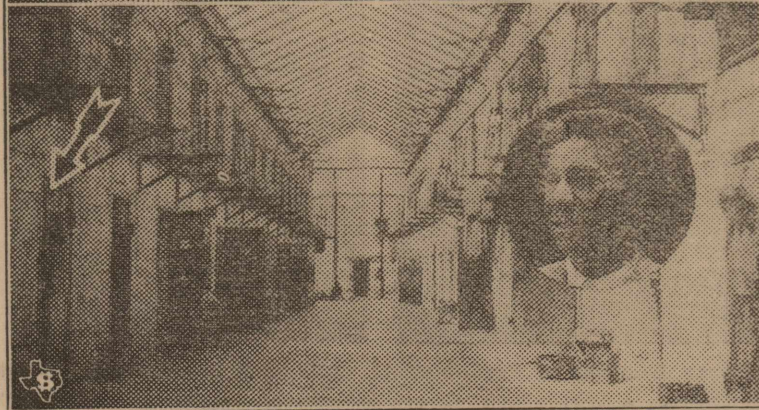
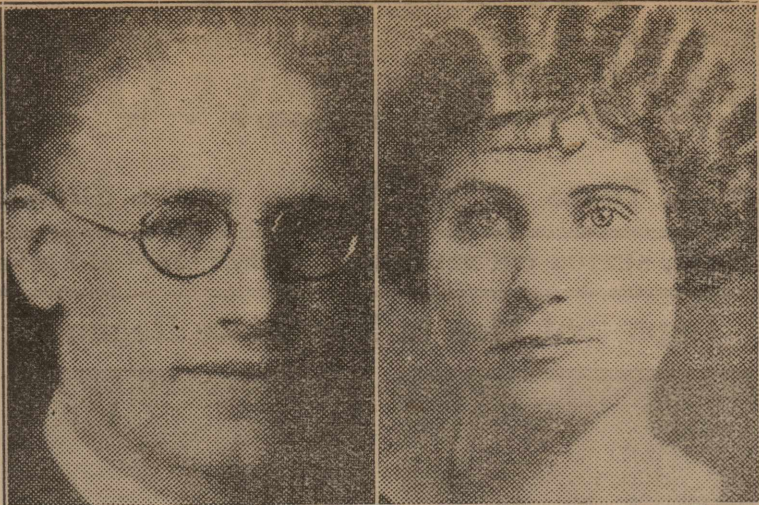
A report also was filed showing the Republican senatorial campaign committee in the year received \$61,492 and spent \$61,394. Among the contributors were William Nelson Cromwell, New York, \$5,000; I. E. White, Hot Springs, Va., \$5,000; Charles Hayden, New York, \$5,000; E. T. Stotesbury, Philadelphia, \$2,500; Thomas A. O'Hara, New York, \$3,000; Myron C. Taylor, New York, \$5,000; D. D. Daden, New York, \$5,000.

Senator Smoot of Utah received the most money from the Republican committee—\$5,000. Senator Odie of Nevada got \$2,000.

Lower Rio Grande Valley has received about \$1,750,000 for its citrus fruit shipped to present time, according to recent figures.—Donna News.

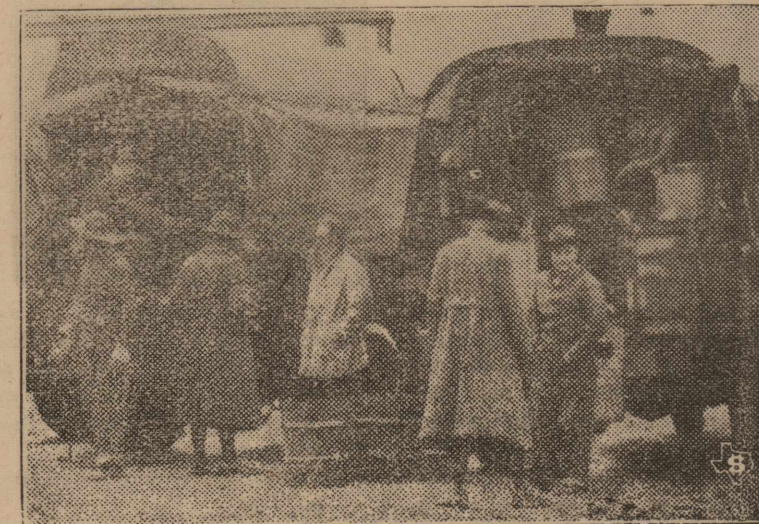
Victoria: Library now occupying new quarters.

International Drama Nears Climax



His father murdered by Mexican bandits, Jeff Meers (upper left) planned revenge. In Juarez, 1930, Meers shot a man whom he thought to be the bandit leader. It was the wrong man. He was sentenced to death before a firing squad, but through the efforts of his wife, (upper right) the sentence has been commuted to seven years in a Mexican prison. Now the State of Texas is dickering to trade Jose Carrasco, (inset) one of the band who killed Meers' father, for the young El Paso man. Carrasco was sentenced to life imprisonment at Huntsville. Lower photo is the Chihuahua jail, arrow pointing to Meers' cell.

On March Again, but Leaving Texas



It looked like war as the First Cavalry regiment of the United States army trekked across Texas. Fort Russell, for many years a border outpost at Marfa, Texas, has been closed, and the First Cavalry, steeped in tradition of 100 years of border fighting is retiring to Louisville, Kentucky.

State Prohibition Law Lightly Used

57 Out of 100 Violators Escape Trial in Texas Courts

The state prohibition law is the most widely violated in Texas, indictments returned in 13 counties of Texas indicate. At the same time 57 out of every 100 persons charged with prohibition law violations in the state courts are dismissed without trial.

This was shown recently in a report of the senate fee investigating committee, covering a study of crime and punishment of all classes over the past 69 months, for the purpose of indicating the abuses prevalent under the fee system of paying public law enforcement officers.

The odds are against the man who steals a chicken. Only 27 out of every 100 escape trial. Only 31 out of every 100 accused of murder escape trial. More than 43 per cent of all indictments returned in the last 69 months were dismissed outright. Penitentiary convictions were obtained in but 21.9 per cent of the cases. The average cost to the state of each conviction was \$500.48.

This report covered the disposition of all criminal cases in Texas from September, 1923, to May, 1931. All counties are included except 13, which refused to send in requested information.

The summary disclosed 113,449 indictments returned; 24,848 convictions and 49,829—nearly twice as many—dismissals. The cost of the fee system over the same period was \$12,436,106.

"It appears inescapable that less results are obtained from the enforcement of the state prohibition law, or convictions were more difficult to obtain," the committee said. "It should be noted that the fee costs which the state pays are paid in most instances regardless of whether the defendant is convicted or acquitted.

"This committee has concluded that in many counties in Texas, violators of the criminal laws are arrested and brought into court solely for the purpose of collecting

fees, and with no intent to send the culprits to the penitentiary."

SON OF PILAR GARZA IS BURIED IN DEL RIO FRI.

Del Rio, Jan. 13.—Funeral services for Raymond Garza, 18 months of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pilar Garza, were planned for 5 o'clock Friday afternoon from St. Joseph's Church, the Rev. Fr. Frances Bugnard to officiate.

The baby died at 2 o'clock Friday morning at the home of its parents in the Chihuahua suburb, where it had been ill of pneumonia resulting from influenza. Survivors include only the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pilar Garza.

West: Operations on new Highway No. 6 resumed here.

Boy Scouts Here Join in National Anniversary Week

Movement Celebrating 23rd Mile Stone All Over U. S. in Week from Feb. 8 to 14

The Boy Scouts of West Texas and Concho Valley council, in cooperation with more than one million Boy Scouts of the United States, will celebrate the 23rd anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America during Boy Scout Week, Feb. 8 to 14.

During this week every Scout troop in the United States will have some kind of program each day during the week showing the value of the Boy Scout movement to the boys themselves and to the nation.

This anniversary week will be the beginning of the ten-year program of growth and development for the Boy Scouts. It is the ambition of the Boy Scouts to deliver to Uncle Sam in 1942 two million new citizens who have had four years training in a Boy Scout troop.

The outstanding event of anniversary week will be at 8:15 o'clock on the night of February 8, when all of the Boy Scouts of America stand together and recommit themselves to the Scout oath and law. The second high point will be Scout Sunday on February 12, when all Scout troops will attend church in a troop unit, and in many places the service will be dedicated to the Boy Scouts.

Four Eagle badges will be presented at courts of honor in the Concho Valley council during anniversary week. The honored Scouts are Delmond Hamner of Troop 6, San Angelo; Hugh Lee Gober of Troop 23, Brady; Jarvis Jordan of Troop 20, Junction; and Overby Smith of Troop 20, Junction.

Local Scouts and officials are planning observance of Boy Scout week in Sonora.

Pharr: Contracts for Texas Highway warehouse and office building here let recently.

GOP Leader Dead

Eugene Nolte of Seguin, Texas, chairman of the State Republican committee, died Thursday. He is pictured here. Nolte has been a Republican party leader for many years. He was once U. S. Marshall of West Texas.



ARMY OF FIFTY THOUSAND

Many young people, when they finish high school, have nothing more definite in mind than merely getting a job of some kind. But it is not so easy for the untrained young man or young woman to secure a position with a future. The good positions are going to the men and women who have prepared themselves for a place in the business world.

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MOTOR COMPANY SELLS THREE NEW FORD CARS

The Sonora Motor Company has made delivery of three new Ford cars since the first of January.

Purchasers were Jeff Pearson, Iraan, a Ford-4 coupe; and Cauthorn Bros., Sonora, a V-8 sedan and a V-8 coupe.

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Amateur Bandit



Here is a bank bandit who didn't get very far. He is J. C. Alexander, 21, a waiter, who turned bank robber at Henderson, Texas, where he handed the note below to a teller in the Citizens National Bank. Alexander got his \$900.00 but was captured less than 15 minutes later, the money intact.

Camp Allison (Essie Rode, Reporter)

Ben Rode and niece, Miss Essie, visited friends and relatives in Castell Sunday and were accompanied home by Miss Mamie Birk. D. Q. Adams, Cash Joy and Lee Pearl were Sonora visitors Monday. Edwin Joy visited in Sonora Friday. Mrs. Marion Adams of Sonora visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Joy, Monday. Burt Rode and son, G. T., and J. O. Spaulding were Sonora visitors Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sykes and daughters, the Misses Idabell and Dilla, visited friends in Camp Allison Monday. Pete Davis, formerly state game warden in charge of Ft. Terrett State Game Preserve, died at 3 o'clock Monday morning at Kerrville.

Gravel road will be built between Vinton and Canutillo.

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STATION "B" (Geo. Ard, Reporter)

Mr. Brady and family just returned from a trip to Tyler, where Mrs. Brady's brother, Ross Duncan, was injured in an automobile accident. At last report he was improving nicely.

H. D. Cotten, relief operator, has returned to Ingleside to continue service with the company there.

A baby girl is the recent addition to the family of G. E. Day, engineer at the Station.

G. A. Lee of McCamey and F. D. McMahon of Cisco were official visitors at the Station last week.

Mrs. C. D. Rambo is improving from a severe attack of the flu.

Miss Eva Lively of Menard is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. J. Rambo of the Station.

E. W. Preston visited in San Angelo last week, where Mrs. Preston is under a physician's care, and is expecting to undergo a major operation in the next week or two.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis spent the week-end with Mrs. Baker in Junction.

C. D. Rambo was a business visitor in Menard Friday and Saturday.

Jackrabbit Makes 65 on Racetrack

Big Fellow Competes with Cars at California Racing Event

San Diego, Calif., Jan. 15.—A jackrabbit—when he pins his ears back and puts his mind to it—certainly can travel, and you can take the word of Earl Manselle, a red-faced and embarrassed automobile racing driver, for it.

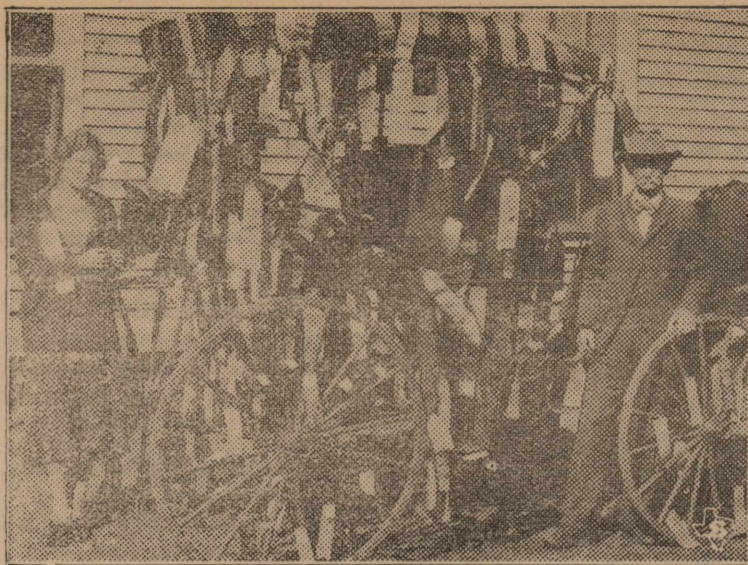
A full-grown jackrabbit, of the type westerners refer to as "half a size smaller than a mule," loped into the straightaway while 10 racing cars were thundering down the back stretch.

The leading car whizzed around the turn and came up behind the rabbit that apparently did not know that it had entered a race. The driver stepped on the gas. The rabbit laid back its ears and had a lead of several car lengths passing the grandstand. Then it veered off into the infield and sat down to rest.

Manselle claimed he was going more than 65 miles an hour.

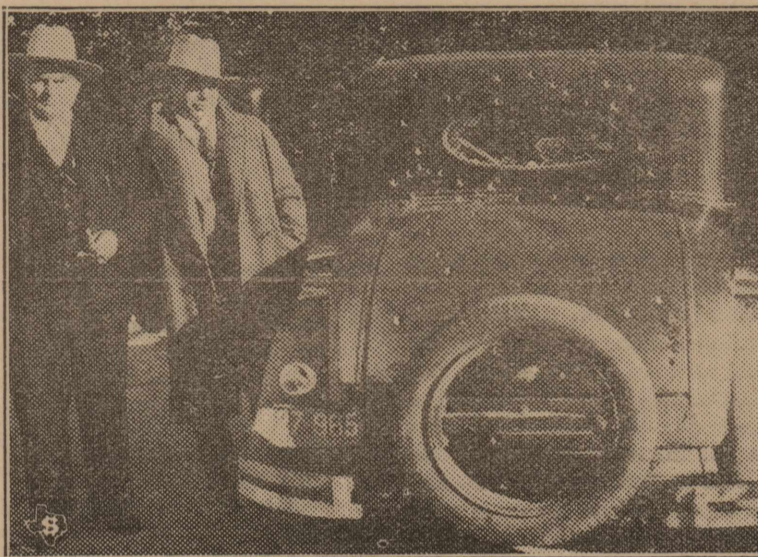
Pecos: Work order issued for blacktopping second section of new Carlsbad road, comprising 21 miles.

He Wins More than 200 Prize Ribbons



George C. Reeves of Mineola, Texas, should be given some sort of medal. Not that he needs one, because he already has more than 200 prize ribbons, won by exhibiting his farm products at the State Fair of Texas 46 consecutive times! He is nearing 80 years of age, but is now busy preparing for his 47th exhibit at the 1933 fair. Pictured is Mr. Reeves with his ribbons.

German-Texan Officers Mean Business



This picture is a good warning to men outside the law to keep away from New Braunsfels, Texas. Sheriff August Knetsch and Deputy Sheriff Ed Schleyer riddled this car with bullets. Austin police notified Knetsch that hijackers were headed his way on the Austin-San Antonio highway. A hole in the gas tank, and 51 holes (count 'em) in the auto stopped the bandits. Knetsch (left) and Schleyer are pictured with the car.

Sun and Moon Legends of Primitive Peoples

The natives of the Malay peninsula have an interesting myth which seeks to account for the differences between the day and night sky and also the motions of the sun and moon.

According to this legend, both the sun and the moon are regarded as women, while the stars are the children of the moon. The legend tells that the sun once had as many children as the moon. The children of the sun were bright like the sun itself.

Fearing that the earth could not stand so much light and heat, the sun and moon made an agreement to eat their children. The sun carried out her part of the agreement, but the moon only hid her children.

When the moon's children, the stars, came out at night, the sun was very angry and began to pursue the moon. This accounts for the motions of the sun and moon through the heavens, which the Malay natives regarded as a pursuit of the moon by the sun.

The stars go out as the sun rises. This, the natives say, is because the sun is still devouring her children during the daytime and brings them out at night.

Among the American Indians we find the sun and moon generally regarded as brother and sister.

One legend of the Ottawa Indians tells of two Indians who "sprang through a chasm in the sky and found themselves in a pleasant moonlit land." There they met the moon, who was "an aged woman with white face and pleasing air." She introduced them to her brother, who was the sun.—David Dietz, in the New York World-Telegram.

Even Ordinary Mortal Is Rich in Ancestors

"A pedigree like this is, of course, such as few can claim," says the Canadian Mining Journal, commenting on an article on the subject of heredity. But, with reference to the pedigrees of very ordinary mortals like ourselves, it is interesting to recall that a distinguished legal commentator has estimated that at the fortieth genealogical remove—that is to say, in the course of sixteen or seventeen centuries—the total number of a man's progenitors is more than 1,000,000,000,000.

"All of us have now subsisting," wrote the great Blackstone, "nearly 270,000,000 of cousins in the fifteenth degree; and if this calculation should appear incompatible with the number of inhabitants on the earth, it is because, by intermarriages among the descendants, a hundred or a thousand different relations may be consolidated in one person, or he may be related to us in a hundred or a thousand different ways!"

"What a field of speculation this train of thought opens up! Small wonder that each of us is supposed to have a 'double.'"

Palestine: International Great Northern railroad shop opened its car building department here.

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Man, Coyote-Snake Battle at Pearsall

W. A. Carter Watches Thrilling Encounter Christmas Day

A battle to death between a coyote and a rattlesnake was the thrilling scene witnessed by W. A. Carter of this city while out hunting on an arch near Pearsall Christmas Day.

Carter noticed the queer antics of the coyote, apparently oblivious to the fact that his battle was being watched, which would dash one way then another and in midst of the dash would lash out his head at the rattler and finally delivered a mortal stroke, rendering the snake helpless with a broken back and then the coyote leisurely completed the job of killing the snake. A well placed bullet from a high powered rifle completed the scene of tragedy and both victims were hung in a tree as a symbol of what constitutes a good rattler and a good coyote. No mark on the coyote could be found where the rattler had struck. Although the coyote is generally credited as being an enemy to the dreaded rattler, it is believed that this is the first instance in this section of the country where such a battle was actually witnessed.—Pearsall News.

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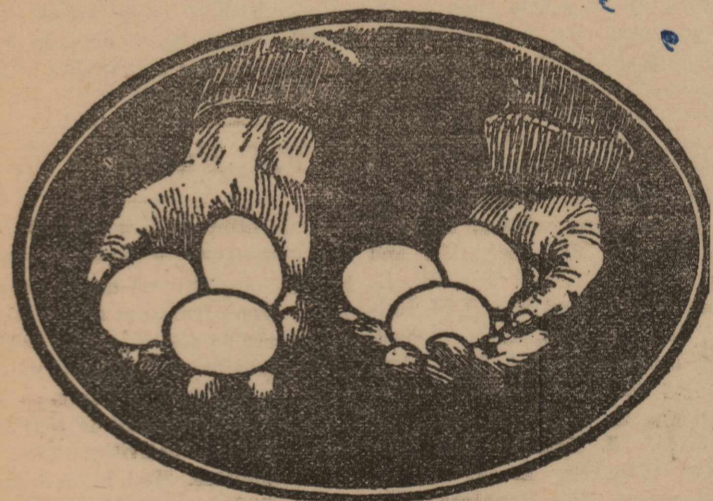
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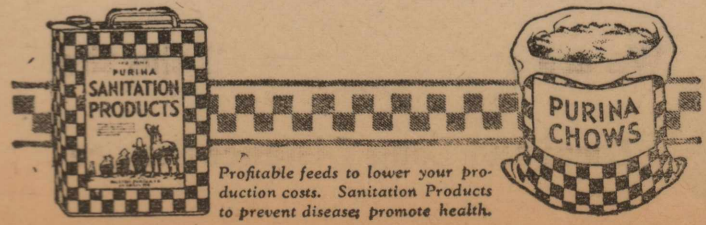
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WOMAN'S PAGE



SOCIETY

Mrs. George Baker, Editor

Mrs. E. C. Mayfield Entertains with Eight-Table Party

Mrs. E. C. Mayfield was hostess Friday afternoon of last week with a delightful eight-table Auction party at her home.

On each table guests found a card bearing directions for winners and losers, each being told to progress to some table, the number of which was given. Pleasant activity and a greater amount of social contact than in the usual method of progression was thus achieved.

High score for the afternoon went to Mrs. Virgil Powell and second high score to Mrs. H. V. Stokes.

A delicious fruit and marshmallow salad was served with salad wafers and tea, by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. A. G. Blanton and Mrs. Harry Keesee. Attractive favors consisted of miniature paper hats filled with gumdrops and wrapped in cellophane tied with ribbon. Pink and yellow were the predominating colors.

Participating in the afternoon's entertainment were the following guests: Mesdames Josie McDonald, Fred Earwood, Lloyd Earwood, G. H. Neill, Virgil Powell, Roy E. Aldwell, John Hamby, J. A. Ward, jr., Joseph Vander Stucken, Ira Shurley, E. F. Vander Stucken, Roy Baker, Andrew Moore, H. V. Stokes, E. M. Halbert, Harry Keesee, B. M. Halbert, jr., Hi Eastland, Edith Bond, Duke Wilson, I. B. Boughton, W. T. Hardy, V. L. Cory, O. L. Carpenter, J. C. Morrow, A. C. Elliott, J. D. Eaton, jr., T. D. White, Sterling Baker, W. P. McConnell, jr., B. W. Hutcherson, and George Baker.

Mrs. Clara Murphy Contract Hostess Thursday Afternoon

Mrs. Clara Murphy entertained the Contract Club at her home Thursday afternoon.

Comprising the table of players present were Mesdames S. R. Hull, Sterling Baker, A. G. Blanton, and the hostess, with Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken playing later in the afternoon.

Junction Party on Ranch Includes a Group of Sonorans

A gala event was the dinner dance given by Miss Callie Mae Love, Saturday evening, Jan. 7, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Love on the J. F. Gardner ranch.

The rooms wore a festive air with decorations of mistletoe. A two course dinner was served

Ma at Jim's Party



This interesting photo, taken 18 years ago, shows Texas' governor-elect all dressed up to attend the inaugural of her husband, Jim Ferguson, in 1915.

in the dining room, where the table was laid with a handsome madeira cloth. Mistletoe and silver leaves made an effective centerpiece. Green tapers burned in silver candlesticks.

Fruit punch was served during the evening.

Those present were Misses Jamie and Mary Louise Gardner, Dorothy Baker of Sonora, Misses Nevada Blackburn, Lucille Taylor, Messrs. Chas. Harold Evans of Sonora, John McElroy, Clinton Ludicker of Eldorado, Bill Craig, Buzz Motley, Jelly Murrah, John D. Hickerson, Gerald Ragland, Gordon King, Wilburn Gardner, the hostess and her parents.—Junction Eagle.

Mrs. L. E. Johnson Hostess Thursday To Pastime Club

The Thursday Pastime Club met at the home of Mrs. L. E. Johnson Thursday of last week, with three tables of members and guests enjoying "42."

Mesdames W. R. Nisbet, Rose Thorp, and W. E. Caldwell tied for high club score, when tallies were compared, and Mrs. W. D. Martin held high guest score.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames Nisbet, Thorp, Caldwell, Murton Shurley, O. G. Babcock, S. R. Hull, W. D. Wallace, J. S. Glasscock, E. E. Sawyer, J. W. Trainer. Mesdames Martin and A. W. Awalt were guests.

State Officers at O.E.S. Meeting on Tues. Night Here

E. C. Easterling, Worthy Grand Patron, Tells of Arlington Home; 2 Initiated

E. C. Easterling of Del Rio, present Worthy Grand Patron for Texas chapters of the Order of Eastern Star was a visitor at the meeting of the local chapter held Tuesday night. Mr. Easterling was accompanied by Mrs. Easterling, who is a past Worthy Grand Matron of the state organization. They were enroute to their home in Del Rio following a visit to the Eastern Star homes in Arlington.

Mr. Easterling made a brief address, telling of the home for children, located in the same place.

It was the first time the local chapter had ever been visited by a Worthy Grand Patron of the state.

Initiation was held for Mrs. Reba Long and for J. C. Trainer.

There were 27 officers and members present at the meeting.

Benefit Bridge Is Planned for Friday

Mesdames E. E. Sawyer and George Baker Hostesses; for Club

With the aim of making their quota of contributions to the Sonora Woman's Club's general fund for the year 1932-33, Mesdames E. E. Sawyer and George Baker will entertain at the home of Mrs. Sawyer next Friday afternoon, Jan. 27, with a benefit Contract and Auction party at 2:30 o'clock. Reservations, which are in charge of Mrs. Baker, can be made at any time throughout next week, with 25c being named as their price.

It has been the club's plan this year to divide its membership into five committees which should make as large an amount as possible through their respective methods within three months' time. Several committees have already turned in their quota. Members of the committee of which Mrs. Sawyer is chairman have agreed to arrive at their goal through individual or combined efforts within their group and the Friday party is the first activity by members of the committee which has been announced.

Ladies desiring to attend the party are asked to make up their own tables or telephone for individual reservations, as they like, specifying their preference concerning Contract and Auction. Mrs. Baker, whose telephone number is 24, will arrange the reservations as they are received.

Mrs. Gladys de Silva Bates Here

Mrs. Gladys de Silva Bates of San Angelo, who will be presented in the leading role of the Thirteen Dramatic Club's three-act play, "Meet the Wife," here February 20th, was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gilmore Saturday night during a visit here with the club for discussion of plans and beginning of rehearsals on the production. She came from San Angelo with Emil Vander Stucken, who visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken, here; and returned Sunday with Mrs. Bertha Teague, who was visiting friends here.

Mrs. Awalt W. M. S. Hostess

Mrs. A. W. Awalt was hostess to the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church at her home Wednesday afternoon of last week. A good attendance enjoyed the study led by Mrs. L. E. Johnson, after which dainty refreshments were served.

Morrrows Take Savell House

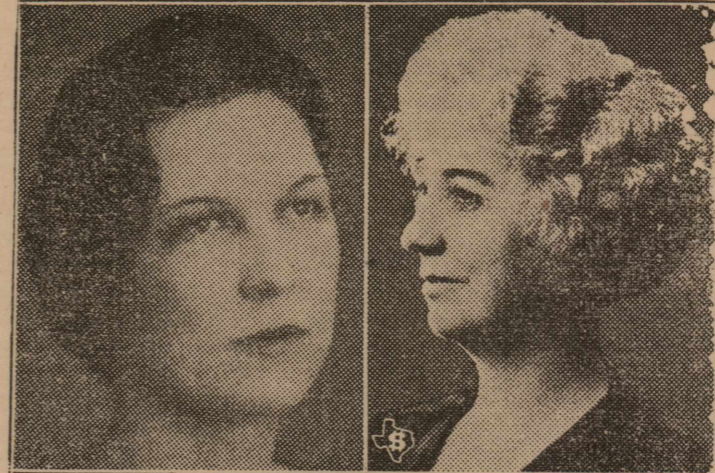
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morrow and their little daughter, Geraldine, and Mrs. Morrow's mother, Mrs. Stella Stanley, who recently moved here from Burnet, last week moved into the Theo Savell house next to the Savell residence, after having been with Mrs. Morrow's sister, Mrs. John Hamby, and Mr. Hamby since their arrival here.

Mrs. P. J. Taylor Is Up

Mrs. P. J. Taylor, who recently suffered a severe and prolonged attack of earache following influenza, is able to be up again this week.

Children First! Pay your School Tax Today.—Adv. 12-2t

Two Women Colonels on Governor's Staff



MRS. LYT J. WOMACK

MRS. J. E. KING

Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson's personal staff will include two women colonels, Mrs. Wommack of Marshall, and Mrs. King of San Antonio, pictured above. These women will wear uniforms just like the men colonels, according to reports from Austin.

Jolly Joker Club Has Two Meetings In Last Two Weeks

The Jolly Joker Club has met twice this month, on Friday, January 6, and Saturday, January 14, respectively.

The Friday meeting was with Miss Nan Karnes at her home, when two tables participated, with Miss Dorothy Baker being the only guest, and Miss Joanna Stokes achieving high score.

Miss Karnes served refreshments, consisting of a salad course, to the following: The Misses Baker and Stokes and Mesdames John Fields, Marshall Huling, Andrew Moore, B. M. Halbert, jr., and H. V. Stokes.

On Saturday last week the club met with Mrs. B. M. Halbert, jr., who entertained four tables of members and guests.

Miss Joanna Stokes held high club score and Mrs. Tom White, high guest.

Refreshments of pie and coffee were served to the following:

Mesdames Andrew Moore, Marshall Huling, Ernest McClelland, Hilton Turney, and H. V. Stokes; and Miss Stokes, members.

Mesdames White, Sam Thomas, Sam Allison, Duke Wilson, John Hamby, J. A. Ward, jr., Henry Decker, R. A. Halbert, and A. G. Blanton; and Miss Alice Karnes, guests.

Mrs. G. H. Davis Is Just-Us Hostess Friday Afternoon

Mrs. G. H. Davis entertained the Just-Us Contract Club at her home Friday afternoon of last week, with one table of members present.

Mrs. Gus Love won high score, in competition with Mesdames R. A. Halbert, W. S. Evans, and Libb Wallace.

The hostess served a delicious salad course, with coffee. Mrs. Evans was named as next hostess.

Evening of "42" Enjoyed at James Home Tuesday Night

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. James were hosts at their home Tuesday evening with two tables of "42."

A pleasant informal evening was enjoyed, after which Mrs. James served attractive refreshments.

Those participating were Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Stokes, Dr. and Mrs. O. G. Babcock, Mrs. J. W. Trainer, Mrs. Rose Thorp, and the host and hostess.

W. M. S. MEETS WEDNESDAY FOR BUSINESS AND STUDY

Meeting at the home of Mrs. Roy Gilliam Wednesday afternoon, the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church held a business and study program led by Mrs. L. E. Johnson and Mrs. J. D. Westbrook. Mrs. Maysie Brown gave a paper on "Home Life of the Chinese." Mrs. E. E. Sawyer offered prayer.

Refreshments were served to 16 members of the society, which will meet at 3 o'clock next Wednesday for regular monthly social day at the home of Mrs. J. D. Lowrey.

Mrs. Orion Brown Ill Recently

Mrs. Orion Brown suffered an attack of acute indigestion Wednesday of last week which rendered her temporarily quite ill. She is much improved this week and has been working.

National Thrift Is Observed This Week

Mrs. S. T. Gilmore, State P.-T. A. Chairman, Urges Co-operation

This week is National Thrift Week, so proclaimed throughout the nation and particularly stressed by the National Congress of Parents and Teachers. Locally this national week was observed by the Sonora Parent-Teacher Association at its January meeting two weeks ago with a special program. Mrs. S. T. Gilmore is state chairman of this department of P.-T. A. work, which urges co-operation with the national program.

The state and national home offices of the organization urge the distribution of leaflets and programs propagating the idea of educational value of household budgeting, children's allowances, Own-one's home, life insurance, school savings banks, thrift in time and in health, and how to spend and how to save. The idea that true thrift is wise spending, is emphasized, as is also conservation of natural resources.

The following lines were included in the complimentary notebook received by Mrs. Gilmore and other attendants at the Galveston convention of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers in November:

Ponder These Things
The honey of high living today may invite the stings of poverty tomorrow.

Reasonable economy tends to character growth—no cash control; no self control.

He who can save, but will not, is like an oarless boat on a shoreless sea. He never gets anywhere.

He who purchases everything he wants today may not be able to purchase what he will actually need tomorrow.

Children First! Pay your School Tax Today.—Adv. 12-2t

Mexican P.-T. A. in Meeting Wednesday

Organization Buying New Books and Paying Dental Expenses

The Mexican P.-T. A., meeting Wednesday afternoon, Jan 11, at 4 o'clock, at the school, voted to take money from the treasury to buy books for some of the students and also to take care of dentist bills for children who need attention in that line.

Miss Bonnie Glasscock introduced Mrs. C. H. Jennings, who will teach in the schools part of the time this year.

Children of the fourth grade entertained with a program.

Before taking up matters of business, the association heard the reading of "The Object of the P.-T. A." by Mrs. Locadia Urias and "Conditions for Becoming a Member of the P.-T. A." by Mrs. Rube Sanches.

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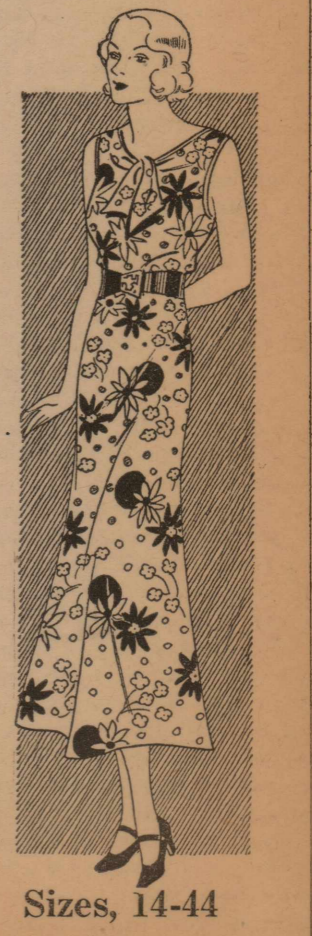
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CAFETERIA ADOPTS NEW METHOD FOR SERVING

For the past week the school cafeteria has been operating according to a slightly different plan. Instead of serving a 15-cent plate now, the cafeteria offers several different foods from which each individual may make his choice at the price of a nickel a serving.

Children who bring their lunches from home may thus get something hot to supplement their cold lunch for a nickel, and may eat their noon meal on the cafeteria tables.

—The Broncho—

Seventh Grade Re-Elects

The seventh grade elected a new president and a new treasurer last week following the formal resignation of Winston Wallander, former president, and L. M. Rpuèche, former secretary. The new officers are Edward Glasscock, treasurer, and Louis Davis, president.

—The Broncho—

Thursday evening Edgar Glasscock took some of the basketball boys to Ozona for the game there.

—The Broncho—

Naida Ruth McKee and Margaret Schwiening, fifth graders, are back in school again, having recovered from mumps.

—The Broncho—

Rent it with a classified.

MISS WATKINS PRESENTS HER PUPILS IN RECITAL

Pupils of Miss Watkins were presented in a piano recital at the high school auditorium Friday night.

Those appearing on the program were: Jo Nell Miers, Emalou Logan, Lillie Marie Smith, Wilma Hutcherson, Mary Louise Gardner, Clovis Neal, Lacey Smith, Alice Sawyer, Kenneth Babcock, and Pauline Turney. J. O. Mills, who was also on the program, was unable to attend.

GUESS WHO I AM?

I married a widow with a grown daughter. My father fell in love with my stepdaughter and married her, thus becoming by son-in-law, and my stepdaughter became my mother because she was my father's wife. My wife gave birth to a son which was of course my father's brother-in-law, and my uncle, for he was the brother of my stepmother. My father's wife became the mother of a son. He was, of course, my brother and also my grandchild, for he was the son of my daughter. Accordingly my wife was my grandmother, because she was my mother's mother. I was my wife's husband and grandchild at the same time, and, since the husband of a person's grandmother is his grandfather, now who am I—Exchange.

—The Broncho—

Pictures Taken This Week

Pictures of every grade in grammar school and high school were taken last Friday by W. H. Congdon, who visits the schools each year for this purpose. Most of the pictures were quite successful.

—The Broncho—

Viba Holland and Ethelda Heflin are out of high school with mumps this week.

—The Broncho—

Misses Allison, Dubois, Langford, Phillips, Swafford, and Tipton were visitors in San Angelo Saturday.

—The Broncho—

Edna Vaughn moved to Bronte Monday.

Style Show Given at Chapel Thursday

A style show extraordinary and musical numbers such as it has never before been the privilege of a Sonora audience to enjoy were features of the chapel program on Thursday morning. J. T. Shurley was master of ceremonies for the unusual program, which had been arranged by Miss Johnnie Allison.

As the first number on the program, Mr. Harold Schwiening rendered "Just a Shanty in Ol' Shanty Town," on a human xylophone. His instrument was indeed unique, being composed of six young ladies seated in a semi-circle. As the hand of that master artist, Mr. Schwiening, rested upon the head of each in turn, the one thus designated sang a word of the song. The girls taking part included Mary Louise Gardner, Clovis Neal, Alice Sawyer, Pauline Turney, Stella Archer, and Nina Roueche.

Another interesting feature of the morning's program was a style show in which the latest Paris fashions in ladies' sport dress were illustrated by Cleveland Jones, Harold Friess, Van Callan, Troy White, Herbert Fields, and G. W. Archer. This show was highly instructive and entertaining.

As the closing number a beautiful violin solo was conveyed to the audience by Fritz Kreisler, who was represented by Earl Smith. Earl magically produced sweet music by means of a piece of string and a home-made violin bow. Disbelievers and skeptics, however, reported that Lacey Smith, playing his violin off stage, was really the author of the music.

—The Broncho—

Miss Swafford: "Do all of you have your notebooks up?"

Wesley: "I have mine upstairs."

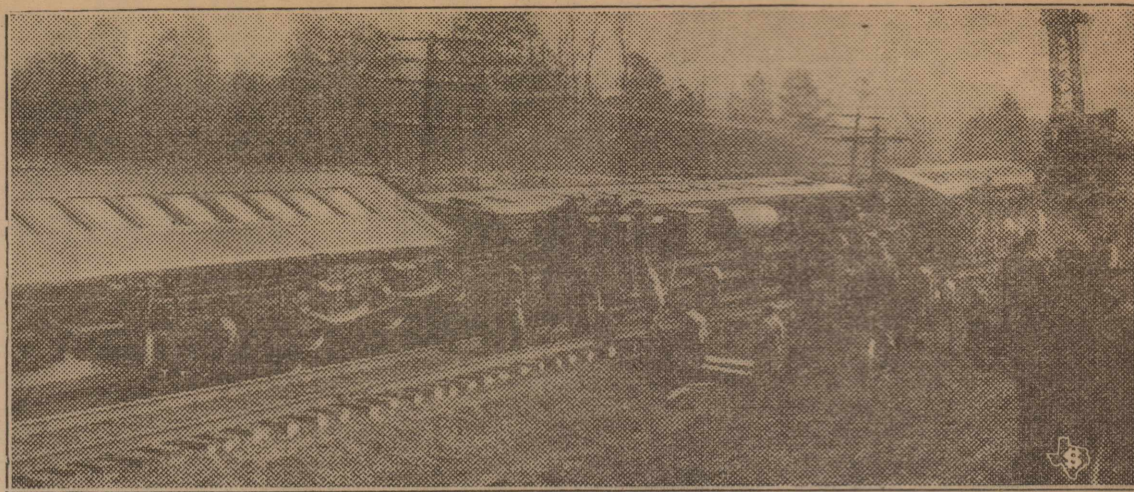
—The Broncho—

Lois Mae Jackson returned to school Monday. She has had flu.

—The Broncho—

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When The Texan Hit a Broken Switch Near Gladewater



Two persons were injured seriously and between 25 and 30 others received minor hurts when The Texan, westbound Texas and Pacific passenger train, was derailed by a broken rail near Gladewater. Note the overturned cars in this excellent photo.

In Honor Slaying



Because he was under indictment for criminal attack upon Miss Mary Doolittle, Jimmy McCoy, left, was shot to death by the girl's brother, Mimos Doolittle, in San Antonio. Rush hour crowds saw the daylight shooting in downtown San Antonio. Doolittle gave himself up to police and confessed that he shot McCoy, a basketball star, to avenge the wrong allegedly done his little sister. He is pictured right.

will go to other states while we keep on paying it.

"We must keep for road work the amount the roads now get. This is only one-half the money developed through the gas tax. The taking away of any more of it will ruin the state's program. I appeal to the people of the state to impress their legislators with this fact."

Beaver Ruin Trees Along Devil's River

Pecans Which Remained After Big Flood Being Destroyed

Del Rio, Jan. 12.—Declaring that beaver are destroying pecan trees remaining on Devil's river following the floods, Manager Sam H. Walk of the local office of the Central Power and Light Co., asks co-operation of Del Rio citizens in finding a solution to the situation.

Answering a letter from Mr. Walk, State Game and Fish Commissioner Tucker stated that beaver are protected by game laws, adding that "action of the beaver will preserve the scenic beauty of Devil's river."

All small pecan trees are being cut by beaver and dragged into the river, Mr. Walk stated. The larger

trees are cut down, the bark, twigs and limbs are cut off, he said, following a survey Sunday of the damage along the river.

Many small and large trees growing in the canyon were not carried away by the current of the river in the September floods, he said.

PARKER CONDUCTS EDEN FUNERAL ON TUESDAY

Funeral services for W. A. Ballard, 85-year-old pioneer citizen of Eden, Concho county, whose death occurred at his home Monday, were conducted by the Rev. Z. E. Parker Tuesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church of Eden.

Mr. Ballard is survived by his widow, two sons, and six daughters; and also by thirty-one grandchildren, eleven great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.

SITE OF STATE CAPITAL CHOSEN BY FIVE MEN IN FEBRUARY, 1839

In February, 1839, five men who had been named commissioners by President Mirabeau B. Lamar, to select the site for the Capital of Texas, halted on the banks of the Colorado River and looking out on the level of space beyond which were violet-crowned hills, said, "Behold the Capital of Texas."

For \$521,000 these men purchased the rights of 7,735 acres of land from H. C. Horton, J. W. Barton, William Minifie, Isaacs Campbell and Louise P. Cooke. In their report to President Lamar the commissioners explained their reasons for choosing this site for the capital and the report read in part as follows:

"We have traversed and critically examined the country on both sides of the Colorado and Brazos Rivers from the upper San Antonio road to and about the falls on both of these rivers. We found the Brazos more central perhaps in reference to actual existing population, and found in it and its tributaries perhaps a greater quantity of fertile lands than are to be found on the Colorado, but on the other hand the were of the opinion that the Colorado was more central in respect to territory, and in connection with the great desideratums of health, fine water, stone, coal and water power, etc., being more abundant and convenient on the Colorado than on the Brazos River, did more than counter-balance the supposed superiority of the lands as well as the centrality of population possessed by the Brazos River."

Following receipt of the report of the commissioners, President Lamar appointed Judge Edwin Water to take charge of the survey of Austin and to lay out the streets and to conduct the sale of the land to prospective capital citizens for the young republic. On August 1st, the first sale of lots in the new town was held. Scores of men had been notified of the sale beforehand and were on hand to get their pick of the lots. The first day's auctioning sold 306 lots for the sum of \$192,588. The average price of lots was \$500 or \$600, but many sold for no more than \$100.

About the middle of October the President and his cabinet joined the rapidly growing population of the capital city. A frame capitol building and a frame presidential residence were built, but the members

of the cabinet had to be satisfied with log cabin houses and offices. A census taken in 1840 showed that Austin had a population of 856 of which 150 were negroes.

In 1855 the Governor's Mansion, which is still in use as the residence of the state's executive, was erected.

In 1871 Austin got its first railroad and in that year the first train ran into the city over the H. & T. C. tracks from Houston.

In 1850 after Texas became a state Austin was chosen by popular vote, the Capital of Texas for a period of 20 years. In the election Austin received 7,640 votes. Palestine 1,854, Tehuacana 1,143. In 1872 the vote for the permanent seat of government resulted in Austin receiving 62,297; Houston 35,148, Waco 12,176, Bryan 10.

UVALDE LEADER-NEWS GETS COTTON SEED SUBSCRIPTION

One hundred and sixty-seven pounds of cotton seed for a year's subscription is what W. H. Schaw of Knippa hoisted up on our mailing table. But it did not phase us, we had advertised that we would take farm products on subscription.

Most of our help, including the editor, were shy of a cow but one of our men was still living close to nature and kept such an animal so he took over the cotton seed. We are hoping that a subscriber won't lead a cow into our office on subscription.—Uvalde News Leader.

'Phone your news items to 24.

Texas Hiways Now Total 9,800 Miles

1932 Figures Released by Dept. Show Half System Completed

Austin, Jan. 11.—Texas already has passed the half-way mark in her fight for good roads, it is revealed in 1932 figures released by E. J. Amey, state highway statistical engineer.

The state now has 3,056 miles of concrete and brick, as well as 6,809 miles of asphalt surfacing, or a total of 9,865 miles of paved roads. This is considerably more than half of the entire designated highway system, which covers 19,148 miles.

In the two-year fiscal period just closed, one-fifth of all the state's paved roads were laid. This included 1768 miles new concrete, or far more than the total amount up to that time, and 1,036 miles of surfaced types, an increase of nearly 50 per cent.

Officials of the Texas Good Roads Association expressed jubilation over the record, especially since the brunt of the expense has been borne by the gasoline tax, through which the roads develop their own revenue. But they voiced a warning that this huge investment can go for naught if the people permit their legislators to cripple highway work by taking away any more of its gas tax revenue.

"These roads must be maintained," said W. O. Huggins president, "and we must build enough new ones to get our share of federal aid. We already pay the government more than the amount of this aid in federal gasoline tax. If we don't match dollars and get it back, it

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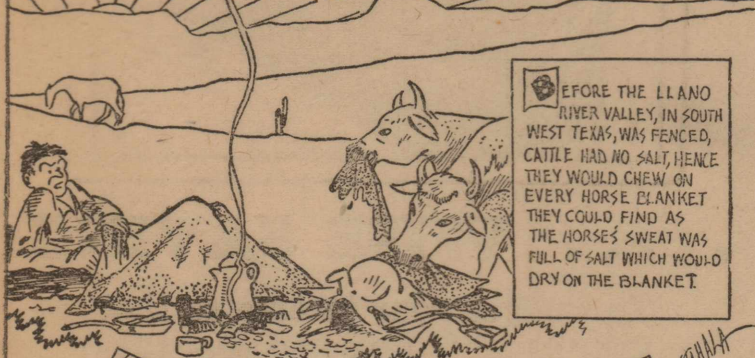
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A SPECIAL FEDERAL OFFICER STAYS ON GREEN ISLAND IN LAGUNA MADE OFF TEXAS IN CONSTANT NIGHT TO PROTECT THE NESTING SEASON.

VETERAN RANCHER DESCRIBES KILLING WILD HORSES IN 1889

The I O A ranch in 1889 had some thirty or forty wild mustangs that gave us more or less trouble, as occasionally some of our cow ponies would fall in with the mustangs and we had to run them down to get them back to the remuda. So we decided to rid the pasture of these troublesome horses. In the spring of 1889, some six or eight stray men, as we called them, had drifted into the ranch and were staying at headquarters waiting for the spring roundup. I was manager of the ranch, and having decided this was an opportune time to get rid of the mustangs I told the boys that I would mount each of them on a good horse for the purpose of hunting down and killing the mustangs.

Two of the men, George Brown, who now lives in Arizona, and Cal Merchant, who now lives in Clarendon, Texas, were noted for being reckless riders, and I did not want to give them good horses for fear they would kill them by hard riding in the chase. I gave to each of these two men an outlaw horse, and told them that it would not make any difference if they killed these on the hunt. To all the other men I gave good mounts. The two bunches of mustangs in our pasture had ranges to themselves, one to the southwest, and the other ranged east of where the town of Lubbock is now located. The town section was then part of the leased ranch holdings. Our ranch covered a strip approximately fifteen miles wide and thirty miles long.

The men were divided into two groups of ten men each, one group was placed in charge of George M. Boles and I took charge of the other. The groups were given final instructions on care in shooting the wild horses, and directions as to where to ride. Both groups readily found their respective bunches of mustangs and the chase began about ten o'clock. About an hour later a singular thing happened. The outlaw horse ridden by Cal Merchant fell and broke its neck, and at about this same time the other outlaw horse ridden by Geo. Brown also fell and broke its neck. The two men, one in each group, were about twelve miles apart at the time the accidents happened. It was a peculiar coincidence that both these horses should be killed

in exactly the same manner at about the same time. Another singular thing about it was that while the two men were riding their horses at full speed and while both the horses were killed neither of the men was seriously hurt. The drive resulted in the killing of about twenty of the mustangs, and during that year we killed the balance of the entire herd that roamed the I O A pastures.

During this same year, but later in the season, the roundup outfit was camped in the canyon just east of where the city of Lubbock is now located, in what is now the County Park, and the roundup for the next day was to have included the section where the city of Lubbock is now located. We had some fifty horses hobbled out and the next morning while we were getting ready for the day's work, we noticed a big sorrel horse missing from the remuda. After getting the boys off on the roundup I started on a hunt for this horse. I found evidence of mustangs having been near and concluded this horse had taken up with them. I located the bunch of mustangs about five miles northeast of our camp. It is common when a tame horse tries to take up with the wild horses they would fight him off and not let him get too close to them until they had tried him out for a few days and he had proved himself or they had become used to him. As soon as the bunch of mustangs saw me they started in a run and then I saw my sorrel horse about a hundred yards in the rear, so I made a run and tried to cut him off and in order to do so I had to keep my horse at full speed, but by the time I was in about fifty yards of him I saw I would not be able to head him off and keep him from the bunch, knowing also that if he got away with them, I would likely lose him for good. I pulled my forty-five and shot at him while we were both moving at full speed and it happened that my bullet struck him on the jaw turning him completely around but not knocking him down, for the bullet was well spent, owing to the distance, and it did little damage. However, it did what I wanted done and he struck a bee line for the balance of the remuda at camp. The scar from this spent bullet remained with him as long as he lived.

The I O A ranch at that time comprised approximately a quarter million acres of the best land and best watering places in the whole south plains.—Rollie C. Burns, Lubbock, in the Cattleman.

FATAL RABBIT FEVER IS PREVENTABLE BY CAUTION

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 14.—If proper precautions are taken in killing and dressing rabbits, there is no great danger of contracting tularemia (rabbit fever) according to state game and fish department. "Gloves should be worn when skinning the animals and care used in dressing them so as no bones are permitted to scratch or cut the hands," an official said. "Although an occasional new case of tularemia is reported, there is no great threat from the disease."

Additional Tests Made in Mountains

McDonald Observatory Contract Is Pending at Fort Davis

Fort Davis, Jan. 13.—Further investigations and tests are being made here in the matter of the proposed McDonald Observatory, this time by a building concern that is looking into the subject of taking the contract, it is understood.

The company is Warner and Swasey of Cleveland, Ohio, and it is represented here by its vice-president, Chas. J. Stilwell. With him is the company's Texas agent, L. M. Cole of Dallas. With them on their arrival was R. A. Taylor of Dallas, who was looking into the matter of getting water to the top of the observatory hill.

Stilwell and Cole have had excavation made to test the depths to solid foundations, on the summit of Fowlkes Hill or Up-and-Down Mountain, the height referred to by the astronomers as "an unnamed peak in the Davis Mountains." It is 14 miles up Limpia Canyon from Fort Davis, and Spring Mountain, which has been talked of for the observatory site, is four miles farther. If the observatory were built on Spring Mountain it would be the

Border Club Heads



From a nucleus of five members, the Border Commercial club of Hudspeth and El Paso counties, has grown to active membership of 159 in less than one year. Here are the club's first president, J. H. Hendricks of Fabens, right, and the incoming head, Mart Silverman of Tornillo, left. Problems of the Upper Rio Grande Valley comprise the chief activities of the organization.

It is understood that Dr. Otto Struve, McDonald and Yerges observatories director, and other directors, desire that some one company take the entire contract and arrange to sub-let portions thereof. There is available, it has been estimated \$375,000 for the construction of the observatory. It is not believed there has been as yet a definite decision to place the observatory in the Davis Mountains.

Commission Rates Reduced by T.L.M.A

Change Effective Jan. 16 at Fort Worth Advantageous, Said

Effective January 16, commission rates of the Texas Livestock Marketing Association will be reduced at the Fort Worth market from 15 to 33 1-3 per cent. It is stated that this move will be advantageous to producers.

The association filed application

with the Packers and Stock Yards Administration at Washington asking permission to make the reduction some time ago, and announcement of the application being granted to make the reduction possible was made Saturday.

Raymondville: Shipments of vegetables started during recent week by local shippers.

Barstow: Repair work started on left wing of Barstow dam, on ten-mile dam, on Pecos river.

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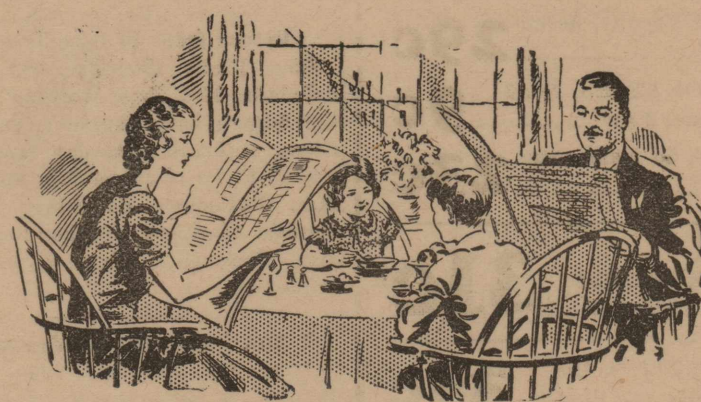
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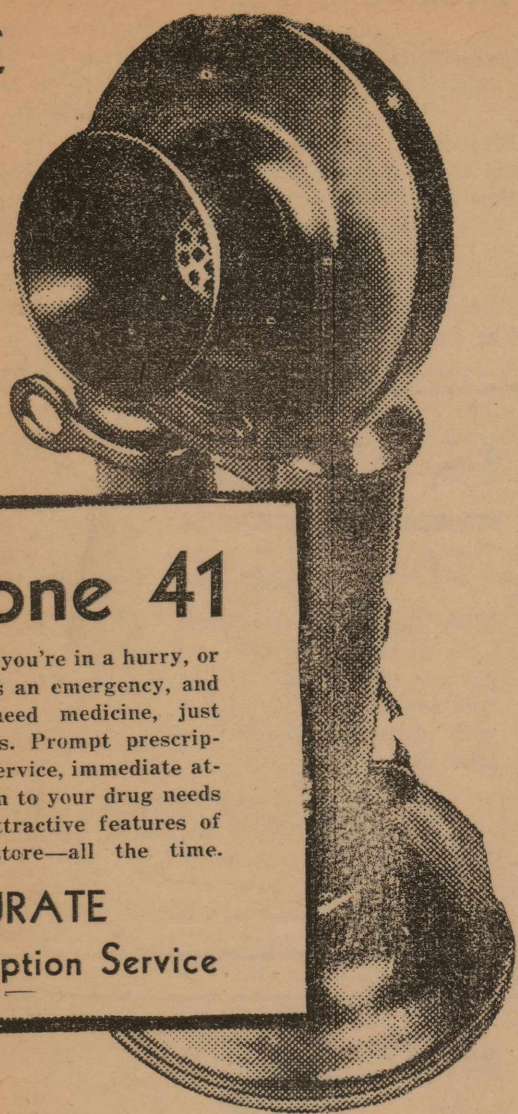
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Boy Scouts—

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clude knot tying, minute guessing, newspaper race, first aid, Paul Revere race, essay writing.

Members of the troop committee have arranged to serve refreshments to the visitors from out-of-town and to local Scouts following the meet.

Brice W. Draper, executive of

the Concho Valley council, will be here from San Angelo to assist in staging the event.

The program begins at 7:30 o'clock.

Runge: Work of widening side-walls of railroad underpass on Highway No. 72 on west side of city completed.

Santa Rosa: First carload cabbage shipped from here recently.

SPECIALS
FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Shortening SWIFT'S JEWEL 8-LB. CARTON 49c

BEANS—Wapco brand, prepared Mexican Style, in chili sauce, special, 3 cans 25c

SOAP, Crystal White, 10 bars 29c | SOAP, Crystal White, case 2.70

BISQUICK—flour for making good biscuits, never fails, box, with 2 biscuit cutters 29c

APPLES, evaporated, high grade, lb. 11c | TOMATOES, No. 1 can, 2 for 9c

CAKE FLOUR—Swan's Down, sure to make your cake a success, per package 23c

Pinto Beans TEN POUNDS RE-CLEANED 31c

HONEY, extracted, half-gallon can 49c | FRUIT, gallon can, any kind, 39c

PICKLES, Dill or sour, per qt. 15c | MILK, small cans, 3 for 10c

PORK-BEANS, Ritter's, can, each, 5c | NAVY BEANS, 2 lbs. for 15c

GOLD DUST, 2 5-cent packages for 5c | SYRUP, Mary Jane, gallon 59c

CATSUP, 14-oz. bottles, 2 for 25c | CABBAGE, fresh, per pound 2 1/2c

Sugar PURE CANE TEN POUNDS 43c

SALT PORK, fresh, per pound 6c | BUTTER, fresh, creamery, lb. 23c

CORN, sweet, No. 2 cans, 3 for 25c | PEACHES, heavy syrup, No. 2 1/2 can 15c

FLOUR, Light-crust, 48-lbs. 1.09 | FLOUR, Light-crust, 24-lb. bag 59c

GRAPE FRUIT—Marsh seedless; special prices by the dozen; week-end special, per bushel 1.25

GARDEN SEEDS—fresh stock, Ferry's or Northrup-King, all kinds of vegetables, per package 5c

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Lions—

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Christmas cheer for the poor of the city. It is now sponsoring a monthly entertainment for the inmates of the State Sanatorium, 20 miles northwest of San Angelo.

The Eldorado club has sponsored a couple of plays, arranged organization of a Boy Scout troop, providing a meeting place for the Scouts, has worked to secure a government unemployment relief fund. Senora activities were reported by W. E. James, club secretary.

The Ozona club has also handled the unemployment relief applications, has awarded a trophy to the most valuable member of the school football team, has chosen as a school boy member the student having highest grade standing for each six-week period, entertaining him at all luncheons, and has provided soup each day for Mexican school children.

Geo. H. Neill of Sonora, group chairman was not present because of illness. W. C. Gilmore, president of the Sonora club, presided in his stead.

Sonorans attending the meeting were H. V. Stokes, W. H. Dameron, J. M. Puckett, George Baker, G. A. Wynn, George E. Smith, W. E. Caldwell, Miss Watkins, Gilmore, James, W. C. Warren, W. L. Davis, E. S. Long, J. D. Lowrey, R. S. Covey, John Eaton, J. R. Kilman.

Stock Show—

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el Johnson is feeding 10 lambs, from the Aldwell Bros. ranch.

The calves are being fed by the following boys: Cleve Jones, 3; Joseph Logan, 2; Jack Turney, 3; Marvin Smith, 2; V. J. Glasscock, 2; Wilburn Glasscock, 3; Edgar Glasscock, 2; Pug Roueche, 1; L. M. Roueche, 1; Alvis Johnson, 1.

The calves here are unusually well matched this year, uniform in size and appearance. Weights at present will average about 770 pounds, according to estimates.

Frank Newsom, Menard county agent, and C. S. Tate, Mason county agent, were here last week and with T. D. White, instructor here in agriculture, they looked at a number of the calves.

All of the calves will be tested for bovine tuberculosis before the show. All reactors will be barred from competition. None are expected, however. Testing will be done beginning Jan. 30, by a licensed veterinarian.

Some of the rations being used with good results follow: by V. J. and Wilburn Glasscock, corn 45 per cent, barley 13, oats 25, cottonseed meal 13, bran 4; by Joseph Logan, b r a n 7.8 per cent oats 15.7, linseed meal 7.8, cottonseed meal 11.9, barley 33.3, corn 23.5; Marvin Smith, corn 5 parts, oats 2 1/2, barley 5 1/2, cottonseed meal 1, bran 2.

Return from El Paso Trip

Mrs. Birdie Rutledge and her daughter, Mrs. Jack Wardlaw and the latter's baby daughter, Jackie Gwen, returned Saturday from a trip to El Paso, where they visited Mrs. Rutledge's daughter, Mrs. Herbert Blackwell, and her family. Mrs. Blackwell had been ill, but is improving.

Mrs. Ira Shurley Ill Again

Mrs. Ira Shurley, who was thought to have nearly recovered from a recent illness, was reported very sick again on Monday and, though better, is still confined to bed.

Stephenson to Christoval

G. W. Stephenson, Sutton county ranchman who has been recuperating from a severe illness, is spending several days in Christoval. He was accompanied there Tuesday by David Locklin.

G. W. Smith Has Heart Attack

G. W. Smith had a severe heart attack at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. L. Taylor, Tuesday night. Mr. Smith is subject to the attacks, and seems to have recovered from the most recent one.

Pecos: Beacons placed on landing field.

Marfa: Right-of-way secured on Highway No. 90 west of town.

Waxahachie: Cotton oil mill recently resumed operations on full day-time schedule.

Borger: High school grounds being terraced.

Rochester: New bank opened.

Monastery Founded by
Monarch to Keep Vow

King Leopold III, first ruler of Ostmark, later to become Oesterreich or Austria, was so opposed to women exposing any part of their forms, regardless of the fashion, that he was moved to build the town of Klosterneuburg and its cathedral and monasteries because his wife lost her veil, according to a writer in the Detroit News. The veil was one he had given her for a wedding present, and one day while standing on the balcony watching for her lord and master to come home the wind snatched the veil and wafted it away. Servants could not find it and the king was quite angry about its loss when he came home. He swore it should be found and for seven years he drove his soldiers nearly mad in the search. He even had a number of the soldiers put to death because he thought they were lax in looking for it.

Finally he retired to his private apartment and prayed. He vowed that if his prayers were heard he would build a magnificent monastery on the spot where the veil was found. Oddly enough, the veil was found immediately. He summoned the Order of Augustine monks to help him, and they in turn brought thousands of laborers. Klosterneuburg and its cathedral were finished in 1136, after a labor of 23 years.

King Leopold died six weeks after his vow was accomplished.

Dogs That Uphold and
Others That Break Law

Dogs are used to smuggle contraband into Spain. They swim ashore from the smuggler's boats, carrying "duty-free" goods in waterproof packages strapped to their backs.

They work swiftly and silently, not even shaking themselves when they reach the shore, but making off at a good pace for the smugglers' inland depot. They are trained to avoid men in uniform.

But dogs can assist the police as well as break the law. The work of police dogs abroad is well known, and even "amateurs" sometimes act as detectives.

In one recent case a dog, after sniffing for some minutes in a room which had been burgled, ran away. It entered, climbed the stairs, and sat down outside a room which had just been vacated. When its former occupant was arrested he confessed to the theft.

Dogs have also a good record as life-savers, and hardly a holiday passes without some venturesome youngster in difficulties being rescued by a four-footed hero.

Vagaries of Spiders

Spiders are cannibals. Members of some species often associate with members of other species, all living together without animosity, apparently, when there is sufficient food for all. Members of other species are intolerant of strangers. Some webs are suited to snare very small and delicate insects that breed in water close to the spiders' dwelling places. Not far from these webs may be seen stout webs that hold heavy insects. Some hunting spiders live in flowers and catch insects that sip the flowers' nectar. Other spiders live all their lives under stones, and feed almost exclusively on creatures that crawl. They shun moths and butterflies and other insects that flap their wings.

Harp's Long History

The harp is the oldest of stringed instruments. The Bible mentions Jubal as the inventor. The harp has been used by all nations in one form or another. The improvements which have rendered the modern harp an efficient musical instrument are due to Sebastian Erard, who in 1794 took out a patent for a harp with seven pedals, and again in 1808 for a double-action harp with the same number of pedals, each of which effects two changes in the pitch of the strings. Various improvements over Erard's harp were made during the Nineteenth century.

"Ocean of Atlas"

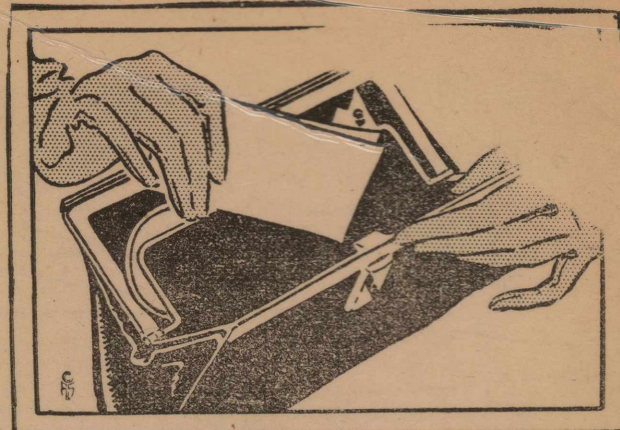
The name Atlantic as applied to the ocean between Europe and Africa on the east and north, and the Americas on the west, comes from the Greek word Atlas, which referred in Greek mythology to a divinity having charge of the pillars which upheld the heavens. Atlas was supposed to stand at a spot where the Strait of Gibraltar now lies, holding up the sky, and because the Atlantic ocean was reached through this strait, it was called the Ocean of Atlas or the Atlantic ocean.

"Jenny Lind" Beds

The singer, Jenny Lind, was so popular around the middle of the Nineteenth century that our forefathers made particular beds which they called by her name.

They were all meant in good will, but at that some of them were anything but flattering. There were different variations in certain localities. A common type was the one with spool turnings and the head and foot-boards alike. The ugliest were stained a none too pleasing brown shade.

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Bronchos—

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the first half lead was soon overcome.

Archer was high point man of the Thursday night scrap, scoring 14 points, while Kring got 8, Ory 6, Hill 4 and Fields 2.

The game with Barnhart was close and exciting, the Sonora five finally squeezing through with a 29-18 victory. The second game with Ozona was a different story. The locals were stiff from their previous hard game and winded by their tussle with Barnhart. They were outclassed by the Lions Saturday in the one-sided victory.

Big Lake's entry was winner of the tournament, defeating Ozona in the finals by a top-heavy score.

An enjoyable feature of the Saturday tournament was a game played between coaches and faculty members from the various schools. Choosing sides they set out to show their school-boy charges how the game should be played. Sonora's coach, A. L. Smith played guard on a team composed of Williamson, Eldorado, center; Tannery, Big Lake, forward; White, Ozona, forward; and Nail, Big Lake, guard. Gentry of Barnhart took Smith's place when the latter was ruled out on excessive personal fouls. Smith's team won the contest by a count of 21 to 18. On the rival team the following played: Stewart, Big Lake, center; Bishop, Ozona and Cain, Comstock, guards; Adams, Sherwood, and Crothers, Ozona, forwards.

The Sonora team goes to Iraan Friday for encounters there on Friday and Saturday nights. The Bronchos will go to the Big Lake tournament Feb. 4 and 5 and possibly to the McCamey tournament next week-end.

No local games have been scheduled, since no indoor court is available.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Nolan Kennedy, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Kate Good, in Bronte, returned to Sonora Sunday.

Mrs. Will Wilkinson, accompanied by her niece, Mrs. Gentry, and the latter's little daughter, of San Angelo, and also by Mrs. J. H. Brasher, returned Wednesday from a trip to San Antonio.

Mrs. Edith Bond, accompanied by her son, Frank Bond, and Mrs. Bond, left Saturday for a visit with her nephews, Donald and Robert Duncan, and their families, on their ranches between Sanderson and Dryden. She will be with them for several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Bond returned Saturday.

Children First! Pay your School Tax Today.—Adv. 12-2t

School—

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400 were approved and paid by the board this week.

Local taxpayers have been urged to pay their school taxes here in order that the term may be completed on a cash basis, without necessity of issuing scrip on teachers' salaries.

No purchases of new equipment were made by the board, since this year's budget makes no allowance for new equipment.

The annual scholastic census, to determine the amount of aid to be received from state, will be taken in March. Large attendance at the Socra schools indicates that the number of scholastics this year will compare favorably with 1932 figures, when 653 were listed, representing a gain of 71 over the preceding year.

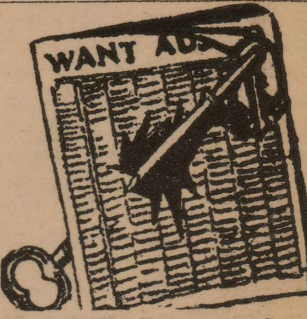
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